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Prize Day in Paris.

Copyright 1889 by James Gordon Bennett. Paris, Sept. 29.—[New York Herald Cable—Special to The Bee.]—The French republic has added another monster magazine feat to the long list of those given in connection with the exhibition. The Palais de l'Industrie to-day presented a magnificent appearance during the ceremony of the proclamation of the exhibition awards.

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