Political and Social News by Cable and Correspondence from the Old World

HOUSE OF LORDS

Hated for Generations, Ornamental Incubus is Now the Butt of Ridicule. | WOLFE TONE MONUMENT ASSURED

WAS GIVEN FEARFUL RAKING Auction of Curios in Street Where

Recent Campaign Accentuated Weak Character of Nobles.

AN AGGREGATION OF BLOCKHEADS

Arraignment.

Fighting Chancellor of the Exchequer Uses Colonies as Illustrative of Uselessness of Hereditary Chamber.

BY PAUL LAMBETH. The House of Lords may survive a few and United Irishmen Memorial committee LONDON, Dec. 17 .- (Special to The Bee.)years, but that It is doomed is the opinion of thinking people throughout the empire. good work was done during the year. Rev. Until recently it was hated; now it is the Eugene Sheehy, it was stated, is about butt of ridicule. During the recent cam- commencing a lecture tour in aid of the paign the institution got a raking that it memorial fund in the United States which cannot long endure. It is hard for Ameri. is expected to bear satisfactory fruit in pire"

tion is made up as follows: Three princes, publicans. thirty dukes, thirty-seven marquesses, 229 The sum of \$100 was advanced to Father troubles. Thirty-four men and women are earls, eighty-four viscounts, \$15 barons. Sheehy towards the expenses of the tour. Total 788, not including the bishops, of A sum of \$2,880.42 is lying in the Hibernia Marx are making the most of these cases. whom twenty-six sit in the House of Lores, Loan and Savings Bank of San Francisco Aside from the bishops, who are educated in the names of the trustees, but this canaggregation of blockbends ever assembled forwarded by the local committee in that At the opening of the new naval school for under one roof. It is positively painful to San Francisco than it could in a security delivered strong temperance sentiments. In listen to them when engaged in debate.

London wit, that prisoners who are sen-tenced to hard labor should be forced to listen to the noble lords making speeches. as a substitute for the hard labor end of solute control over any country or even a silver. voice in any serious affair of life!

A Scothing Origicism. One of the most effective attacks ever on which Robert Emmet's head rested af-made upon the lords was made recently by ter the decapitation. It only fetched a first essentials. Lloyd George. It is worthy of reproduction small sum, which speaks well for the taste | The kaiser counselled the young man to ing enemies of Toryism to Parliament. Re- Curran, daughter of John Philpott Cur- rum and indulge in idle things. plying, Mr. George said:

Now with reference to the House of some relic should be sold so near.

has a senate; the colonies have senates. But taking the view that occupation evoluded they are all chosen directly or indirectly the persons indicated, and he also subby the people. Let them take a trip to mitted that, by the acts of 1871 and 1872, Australia and persuade the Australians to the very small peasant class were delibset up a House of Lords on our plan, evately excluded from being jurors. The (Laughter.) Let us go there with them King's Bench has reversed Craig. We will go to Australia with a noble say, Would you mind telling us hom it is barrister in striking their names off the They would say, 'Just the class of people had been paid on the island for over two try?" And the Australian would my, 'From lected in a given year. all I hear it should be much safer here than in many quarters of London."

A Recipe Bendy Made. "The Australian would be very impressed and would say, 'Ah, what shall Australia do to be saved? Give us an aristocracy. How are we to get one?' I would say, 'The easiest thing in the world. I will tell how we got ours. I will give you our oldest, most ancient stock and consequently our best-(laughter)-because an aristocracy is like cheese; the older it is, the higher it becomes. (Great laughter.) I will tell you how we got our first and best quality .- A few shiploads of French fillbusters came have been cutting each other's throats and and now has a limited vocabulary, ute; we had a few bushrangers, but we large scales." "Well," says the Australian, It really does not matter; we hanged the iast of them a short time ago-(cheers)before they had an opportunity of founding a family. Have you anything else."

Appropriated Church Property. Well, let us give you our second quality. in this way: We had a religious reformation in this country and we had certain people who took advantage of it to appropriate to their own uses land and buildings which had been consecrated to feed the needy and to tend the sick. There was great distress in the country; the poor never knew where to turn, and after years of discontent and hunger and famine and rebellion at last they set up a system whereby these poor people were provided for out of the rates, and you and I are

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IRISH POLICE MUST ARREST SOCIALISTS MAY DOUMED TO DIE Chief of Police of Dublin Issues an RULE IN GERMANY

Robert Emmet was Executed Includes Block on Which

Hend Restell. BY THOMAS EMMET.

DUBLIN, Dec. 17 .- (Special to The Ben-Lloyd George Indulges in Scathing and consequently arrests are few. The po-There is very little crime in this city lice chief fancies, however, that the constables are neglecting duty and an order Tariff on Meat Imported Into Gerhas been issued calling upon commanders TAUNTS LORDS AS COIN CHASERS to file monthly a report. The order says: "Constables on day duty who have not summonses or arrests during the month are to be reported and brought before me at the latter end of the month-also sergeant in charge of such constables-as de-

Wolfe Tone Memorial. At the convention of the Wolfe Tone held here the annual report showed that The stupid, useless and antiquated institu- ast Irish-American citizens who were re-

not be taken into the balance sheet until advice-most excellent advice, by the way It has been suggested by Tom Fielders, a the committee there do not intend to use solemn manner against the use of alcohol.

the sentence. About the brainlest of the nearly every British dealer of note to both the premier peer, the duke of Norfelk, whose creation dates from 165—the folk, whose creation dates from 1663—the ited many of the antique shops and picked. A cabinet order from the kaiser to the fifteenth century. He is something of an up treasures. The chief treasure of the cadets was read in which he, addressing old granny. There are lords who wear sale of allver plate went to John Hoble his "young comrades," reminded them that AGED BISHOPS A SHINING EXAMPLE bracelets and several carry ladies' um- of Newcastle, England, who now possesses their calling demanded much sacrifice and brellas. Think of such a body having ab- some really unique specimens of Jacobean incessant application. The naval officer

ran, It seems a curious fate that this grue-

a Tory newspaper, run by American dol- The county court judge stated that he had for centuries. followed the advice contained in a letter "France has a senate; the United States from the adviser of the crown, in 1877,

Queer Case in Court. tariff reformer. And before we landed he In the Dublin court of appeals, an apwould say. 'Have you a second chamber?' peal from 227 inhabitants of Inishmore was They would say, 'Yea.' Then we would heard against the action of the revising composed, and of what class of people? list of voters. No taxes, it was stated, anywhere around here. It is elected by all years, the county council of Galway being the people, male and female, who are of unable to get any person to collect. The But our tariff reform friend would claimants contended that as there was no say, Surely you give more votes to the collector they should not be disqualified owners of property than to a more man for non-payment of their taxes, but the who works for his living? They would court upheld the decision. If this decision 'No.' Then our Tory friend would holds good it would be possible for the say, 'Is property secure? Why? Can a authorities to prevent people from voting man safely bring his capital to this coun. by purposely neglecting to have taxes col-

Dog That Can Talk is Furnishing Thrills for German Capital

Animal's Astonishing Talent is Partly Successful.

over from Normandy. They killed all the talking dog. For five years Don, who is illustrations of embryonic life in one of his owners of property they could lay their the property of a gamekeeper at the royal hands on. Having done so, they levied for bunting preserves, near Hamburg, has been their own uses death duties at 100 per noted for his powers of speech. He becent. Unfortunately, their descendants gan to learn at the age of six months.

tor.) Consequently they are very rare and side at dinner time one day, Herr Ebers with her. She turned her head and swept tering the town hall, has died of his costly, and I need hardly assure you that said. "You want something do you?" To by him, leading her two children by the such a common and vulgar doctrine as everyone's amasement Don replied, in a hand. The husband then turned to her the survival of the fittest does not apply deep but clear tone, "Haben, haben." father, who contemptuously refused the to them. (Laughter.) Now, that is how we (Want, want.) The gamekeeper at once desired interview. "Then you shall speak started, and we would say to the started to develop the dog's talent. In no more," shouted the husband, who drew Australians, "Have you anything like reply to, "What is your name?" he learned a revolver, and fired two shots at the that? They would say, "Well, stop a min- to say "Don." And to "What's the mat- woman, killing her. The husband bent must inform you they only stole oattle. say "Kuchen" (cakes), with reasonable then ran down the streets pursued by a with his sisters, he fell and hurt himself (Laughter.) 'Oh,' we would say, Cattle distinctness. When cakes are in view he mob. When caught he was reloading the when jumping off a boat after being forwon't do; it must be land, and that on repeats, "Kuchen haben." And if his piez pistol, intending to commit suicide, but bidden by his mother to do so. A servis unanswered he adds "hunger!" with a was prevented. long drawn emphasis.

> Those who hear the dog talk for the claimed, "Don-hunger-want!" The houseleaving the sausages for Don.

KITCHENER TO GO HUNTING injuries caused by wearers of this forming British Field Marshal to Shoot on the Preserves Along Arms of

the Nile.

CAIRO, Dec. 17.-(Special to The Bee.)- that purpose. Lord Kitchener will be the guest of Gennow paying rates in order to make up for eral Sir John Maxwell while he is in of women workers, the number of do-

Government Has a Well Defined Fear They May Prevail at Next Election.

ARRESTS OF STRIKERS AID THEM

Kaiser Wilhelm Preaches on Virtue of Temperance.

EXHORTS CADETS FOR THE NAVY

BETRAYED WOMAN GIVEN RELIEF

many Will Remain.

Women Against Wearing Dangerons Harpins-Direct Taxes Hit Everybody.

BY MALCON CLARKE. BERLIN, Dec. 17 - (Special to The Bee.) will come pretty near "carrying the emwhenever a general election takes cans to appreciate what a body like the stimulating the interest of the Irish-Amer-House of Lords really is.

stimulating the interest of the Irish-Amer-tican citizens in the memorial to the greatvigor in the cases of those who were arrested during the recent Moabit labor

> Withelm Preaches Temperance. The kaiser has been handing out more of equal value at this side of the Atlantic addressing the cadets he warned them in The conduct of war, he said, demands Steker Sale Draws Dealers. Sir Thornley Stoker's sale has gone on should be avoided. In the operations of POPE FAVORS HARD WORK Subjects of Monaco

must be an educated man in the general One of the weirdest jots in the whole sense, as well as possess technical knowlcollection of curios was put up-the block edge. The times demand men of iron, and

here. Comment had been made by a Tory of the twentieth century. When one re-

Relief for Betrayed Woman. Romance which was followed by tragedy

summit of his fraudulent career he met see him ere either of us passes away." Countess Angelica and made love to her. penal servitude. The countess then found seven cardinals are over 70 years old, out to whom she had been married. Broken- seven being 30 years old. hearted, she returned to her home at Dres- German Cardinal Warmly Received. den and lived in strict retirement. Her this painful link with the past.

Tariff on Ment Remains. the requirements of the home market. The most effectual safeguard against a real meat famine lay, he said, in the protec-

Dr. Ernet Hackel, the famous naturalchurch. Dr. Haeckel stated that his rea- t, this city. Special Effort Made to Develop the sons for doing so were the conviction that the separation of church and state and church and school were imperatively demanded by the needs of our civilization, and, finally, owing to personal indigna-BERLIN, Dec. 17.—(Special to The Bee.) tion over the attacks of the clerical press -Much interest has been aroused by a in regard to the alleged falsification of scientific publications.

Unhappy Wife Murdered. Recently a terrible murder occurred outside the Central divorce court here. A there are very few of them left. (Laugh- When Don was standing by his master's the building and sought to have a word respondent waited for his wife outside ter" he answers "hunger." He came to down and kissed his murdered wife, and

Warning Against Hatpins. The police president has given another great in street cars and steam cars, and without saying a word, he quietly sought he has received numerous complaints of out the keeper's son and apologized for his injuries caused by wearers of this formid- victous conduct. movement of the head and piercing their neighbor with a pin. He appeals to women not to wear such pins, or at least to musk the points, so as to render them harmless, by means of a device sold for

Along with the increase in the number 1,354,354 servants and in 1967 only 1,354,756 She was picked up dead.

Weighed in the Balance

Power of Man.

Cordial Reception to Cardinal Arch-Bishop of Cologne by Pins X Gives Denial of Disturb-

ing Reports.

ROME, Dec. 17 - (Special to The Bee.)on the fact that Irish-Americans were send-money to this country, to be used in elect-money to this country, to be used in elect-money to this country, to be used in elect-place) that Emmet wood and won Sarah lectual powers, not by a people who guzzle by rail from Europe to Calcutta if the tion of being able to make and by rail from Europe to Calcutta if the unumake ministers with wave of her on the subject with an American prelate bert, in which Frenchmen predominate. he said:

"Hard work never kills a man, though at Lords I will declare that no civilized people would tolerate such a legislative body. A fussy old Irish county judge named which as granted Mme. Manowhat I should like to know is this—since Crate who species and nearly the whole of the finanwould tolerate such a legislative body. A fussy old Irish county judge named king of Saxony has granted Mme. Manoom the mission which was tollowed by the sanouncement that the lit is surprising to find so many old men terests and nearly the whole of the finanom the mission. What I should like to know is this—since Craig, who spends his time fussing among when has the British aristocracy started law books which are bluemoldy from age.

despising American dollars? I see you recently discovered a decision hundreds of most unfortunate woman is a Countess. They are: M. Some like to know is this—since Craig, who spends his time fussing among among on the missions, who grow younger each cial interests of the principality are in now seems assured.

It substitutes to know is this—since Craig, who spends his time fussing among on the missions, who grow younger each cial interests of the principality are in now seems assured.

The Russian promoters of the scheme world there are in the scheme and on the missions. The Russian promoters of the scheme world there are in the scheme world the scheme and on the missions. The Russian promoters of the scheme world there are in the scheme world the scheme and on the missions. The Russian promoters of the scheme world there are in the scheme world the scheme and on the missions. The Russian promoters of the scheme world the scheme and on the missions are the most pear to the scheme world the scheme and the scheme are the scheme world the scheme and the scheme are the scheme world the scheme are the scheme world the scheme and the scheme are the scheme are the scheme and the scheme are the scheme and the scheme are the s understand that. Many a noble house totyears old and he applied it in decisions
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silver jubilee of consecration on October
not be in the total \$100,000 yielded last year by the
of External Commerce and a member of tering to its fall has had its walls but which deprived thousands of Irishmen brother is master of ceremonies at the silver jubilee of consecration on October poll tax levied on foreigners. tressed by American dollars. I am informed from serving as jurors. The jury list Saxon court and the members of her family 11. During the last year, in the course of Of a population of 20,000 souls, 8,000 of rector of the Volga-Kama bank; M. Bechhave been prominent among the nobility his missionary tours, be confirmed 5,708 whom are Frenchmen, there are only 617 kovski, chairman of the Viadikarkas Railpersons and the number would have been electors in Monaco, and of these ninety- way company; M. M. Bunge and Palash-Manolescu was the notorious Roumanian larger if more priests were on hand to five belong to the old Monegasque party. Kovski, railway and harbor contractors; swindler who posed as a prince and a mil- gather the harvest. I understand he Bonaire and was really a burgiar. At the makes his journeys on foot. I hope to

More Cardinals Needed. Fascinated, she fell an easy victim. They As the college of cardinals now contains married and lived happily till Manolescu only fifty-one members, nineteen short of was arrested while committing one of his the full quota, it is possible that the pope many burgiaries. He is now undergoing may appoint a few new members. Twenty-

The cordial reception given by Pius X name was, however, a constant burden and to the cardinal of Cologne has proved an unpleasant reminder to her, for after welcome to all parties in view of the foolobtaining a divorce she continued to bear ish reports set abroad as to the investigait. Now the king has released her from of Cardinal Fischer for alleged modernism. The report has been already denied. for there was never the slightest founda-Replying in the Reichstag to an inquiry tion for it. Cardinal Fischer, at the conrelative to the increase in the price of meat clusion of a long and pleasant conversa-Herr Delbruck, secretary of state for the tion, tendered the pope a generous offerinterior, said that the necessary restric- ing of the clergy and people of his diocese tions on the importation of cattle and The pope thanked the cardinal, the clergy meat could not be removed just to meet and the faithful people for their kindness. English Convents Presented.

Among the recent visitors here were the Rev. Messrs. Hinde and Cocks, formerly was married, refused to return to school. tion of Germany's ever-increasing stock- vicars of Anglican churches at Brighton. In this canton children are obliged to at-England, who were presented in private tend school until the age of in audience to the pope by Monsignor Prior, ist, has publicly secoded from the Lutheran suditor of the rota, who has just returned Great Scholar Dead.

noted scholar, died here recently. His land when he has saved some money and importance. He was the inventor of many ried "woman" be compelled to attend ingenious instruments, among them one school? is the question that the authorities for measuring the movements of blood will have to settle vessels under the influence of excitment and another by which the fatigue curves of the human muscular system can be

Mafia Victim Dead. The mayor of Aversa, who was stabbed wounds. He was much beloved. A great indignation meeting to protest against the

frequency of such crimes has been held. Price Appologizes. Many stories are current concerning the little boy prince who is heir to the Italian throne. A few days ago, while playing ant arrived with a basket of oranges. The little prince's orange was given to the son of one of the keepers. The prince first time are often half-frightened, so example of his care for the population snatched the orange and threw it into the unnatural does it seem. One day Don committed to his charge by addressing an sea. He was immediately sent home, and wandered into the kitchen of a working official remonstrance to women on the told that he would have to beg the young woman who was sliding sausages. He ex- danger of wearing hatpins that protrude lad's pardon or go without candy for s over the edge of the hat. The president week. For two days he went without wife dashed from the room in a fright points out that the danger is especially candy. Then, to his mother's surprise.

> d'Annunzio is Busy. Signor Gabriele d'Annunzio is, it is mid. Ida Rubinstein, a ballet dancer, to play

Fatal Wound by Hatpin.

Demand Resignations of French Officials

Latter Protest They Have Heaviest Commercial Interests and Pay Most of the Taxes.

MONACO, Dec. 17 .- (Special to The Bee.) -Having secured a constitution the Monegasques are demanding the resignation of all the French officials in Monaco, the suppression of the French benevolent fund vigorous protest, pointing out that three-

The remainder are naturalized Italians. M. Rafalovitch, a nephew of the Russian Prince Albert is, in communication with the financial agent in Paris; M. Guchkoff, French foreign ministry, and a delegation senior partner of Botkin, the largest tea What Frenchmen are chiefly anxious about the Duma. is that their interests shall be properly It is intended that there shall be from safeguarded at Monte Carlo. In a word, that those who pay the piper should occasionally be allowed to call the tune.

Swiss School Girl Becomes a Wife

Cantonal Authorities Now Confronted by a Question that Has Them Guessing.

ZURICH, Dec. 17 .- (Special to The Bee.) The Zurich municipal authorities will shortly be called upon to decide a curious case. An Italian schoolgirf, aged 13 years, whose parents reside at Zurich, returned from a short visit to Italy and, stating she

On making inquiries the Zurich authorities found that the little Italian girl had been legally married in her own country to a respectable young working man of her Professor Angelo Mosso, a senator and own class, who intends to come to Switzerwritings on physiological problems are of make his girl-wife a home. Can a mar-

WARM WELCOME TO CONNAUGHT Matabele Warriors Turn Out in War Bonnets to Greet British

Duke. CAPE TOWN, Dec. 17 -(Special to The Bee.)-"The Great White Chief," as the Matabele describe the duke of Connaught, had a great reception on his arrival at Buluwayo, Rhodesia. Th Matabele, several thousand strong

fined one of the avenues from the station in a stooping posture, chanting and clapping their hands. They were war feathers in their headdress and skins. The route was also ornamented with triumphal arches and profusely decorated The pavilion from which the duke delivered his speech was so arranged at the foot of the Rhodes statue that the allent figure the founder of the country seemed to looking approvingly on the ceremony.

SOLDIERS LOSE GUNS IN STORM Swiss Artillerymen Must Do Without Field Pieces Until After the Spring Thaw.

GENEVA, Dec. 17 .- (Special to The Bea.) in the spring.

PLAN FOR GREAT RAILROAD

the Originators.

-From the Philadelphia Inquirer

If France, Germany or Persia Desire to Participate in Building New

> Road They Can Have Small Block of Stock.

BY GEORGE FRASER. proposition made by the Russian engineers

of Monegusques and French jurists are en- and sugar house in Russia, and mayor gaged in drawing up the new constitution of Moscow; and M. Zvegintseff, member of

> ten to fifteen Russian founders and an equal number of British founders. In addition to the nine names given, it is expected industry, and at least one of the agricul-

its chief office shall be in some western later by mutual agreement; the founders' the ordinary shareholders have received 6

Pinancing Will Be Easy.

has been stated. The length of the line were married, there are many manalons. to be built to connect the existing Russian and Indian lines is only 1,600 miles, and a rough survey, which has been made, leads to the conclusion that for the sum of \$85,- people said. 'How is this possible, for the 000,000 the line could be completed. Adding prince had other ties." Fortunately for to this the necessary rate of interest for Clementine, they were ties that money \$100,000,000, which the Russian group think never shown much energy or bravery. guite sufficient for the enterprise.

it is hoped that, given the possibility of republicans might tolerate him. But Victaking passengers and mails from London tor, never! to Bombay in eight days, and six hours at the very moderate estimated speed of the king of England, the czar of Russia, twenty-eight miles per hour, or with a the king of Bulgaria, the king of Norway. speed of thirty-three miles in exactly the king of Beigium, the king of Spain, the seven days, and with a daily service, the crown prince of Boumania, the crown printransit traffic would be developed from its cass of Greece and Sweden and the grand very first days, especially if it is remem-duke of Hesse. All those family relations bered that the English traffic for the pur- ball from the Princess Clementine's father, pose of saving four and a half days, main. King Leopold, and the Duke of Saxe-Co tains a special service from Calais to Brin- burg and Gotha. Now, from the granddisi. A through ticket from London to mother's side of the princess, who was the Bombay for passengers by the proposed daughter of the French king, Louis Philsystem would cost about \$300 for a journey lype, the prince becomes the cousin of the of seven days, as against \$360 for a journey duke of Orleans and to all the princes and of double that period by the London-Brin- princesses of the royal house of France-

Not a Visionary Plan.

In conclusion M. Zevgintseff said: "This is no mere scheme of the sir. It has been -Arithery and troops from Fert Savatan, shown that there are no political objecnear St. Maurice, while maneuvering at an tions. Those concerned with the scheme a great number of royal families through here completing a "sacred drama" on the altitude of nearly 5,500 feet, were over- in Russia have not proceeded until they subject of St. Sebastian. He has chosen whelmed by a snowstorm and obliged to have been assured that they would have abandon four guns. The men hastily de- no hindrance from the Imperial govscended to the huts at Riondai, where they ernment there. With regard to the next stayed, snowbound, for two days. On step, it may be stated that, both from a As a young woman was alighting from a returning to the hills, they falled to find political and financial standpoint, everythe revenue which has been appropriated Cairo. Shortly after Christmas he will meetle servants is steadily decreasing in tramcar in a public square, recently, the guns under the deep snow and abanby those noble people who rejected our proceed to Khartoum, whence he will go this country. Notwithstanding the in- she fell on her head and a large hatpin doned the search. There the guns will So far as the political aspect of the project on some shooting expeditions up the White crease of the population, in 1867 there were she was wearing was forced into her skuil. remain until the first melting of the anows is concerned, we hope that no political objection is likely to be raised in London. | versary of their wedding day last week.

MADAM CURIE IN LINE FOR ACADEMY

Famous Widow of the Discoverer of Radium Likely to Break All Traditions.

MAY SIT IN HUSBAND'S SEAT

Case Taken as Indicating Progress of French Women.

FEMALE TEACHERS OF MILITARISM

Cecil Sorel, Actress, Has Mysterious

Proposal of Marriage.

KNOWN AS "WOMAN PREMIER" Rumor that Prince Napoleon Hopes to Become Ruler of France is

> Treated with High Disdain in Paris. BY PAUL VILLIERS.

PARIS, Dec. IT - (Special to The Bee.) --France has many remarkable women, all self-made. Madame Curie stands at the head. She has been quietly continuing her work since her husband a death. There is a question of electing her member of the Academy of Sciences, an unpredecented action, for heretofore when a woman was mentioned the male members had an eloquent smile, which meant "nover." Inpealed if Madame Curie is elected. Amagat declared the other day that Napoleon's idea of women ought to prevail. The great emperor said, "a woman's missien is to be a good housekeeper, spend her time in having children, and rearing them." It seems a curious incident, but Madame furie, if elected, will occupy the chair of her dead husband. She participated as much as he in the discovery of radium. In

discoveries which proves that her brain is equal to any man's in that academy. Woman's rights are making progress in Muscovite Engineers and Financiers France. General Dalstein has chosen Madame Lagardelle as military teacher, She is organizing classes in the army for SUBMITTED TO GREAT BRITAIN the soldiers who do not know how to read and write. Mme. Lagardelle is the author of a popular book for the teaching of adults. She is to have a school in the Invalides.

ct, since she is alone she has made new

An Actress "Woman Premier."

Who is the "member of the English nobility" from whom the famous French actress, Madam Cecil Sorel, has re-ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 17 .- (Special to ceived a proposal of marriage? This unmake ministers with wave of her To this the Frenchmen have replied by a and the financiers to link up the Russian is said has at times met in her sumpersous son by the great costumers for the exhibition of their latest creations. Her arrival at any of the great race meetings has in

it something of a royal procession, Napoleon's Ambition Hopeless.

Prince Napoleon, who recently married Princess Clementine, and who has done some boasting about his republicanism, has recently been hinting at the possibility of another French monarchy, with himself as monarch. It is believed that his wife, who is regarded as an ambitious woman of the pinhead type of femininity, has put the idea into his head. France is practically a monarchy now, lacking only a king or an emperor to complete the businers. But Prince Napoleon has as much that there will be one representative of the chance of becoming king as the sultan of cotion industry, one of the tallow and skin | Sulu has of attaining the presidency of the United States. There has been but one Napoleon, Napoleon the Great Since he The agreement signed by the Russian passed away, there have been a few misgroup provides, among other things, that fits who have been trying to make a the company shall be international; that noise under the shadow of a great name. Prince Napoleon is exiled from France city (London and Brussels have both been and that is why he was married in Italy. proposed); the direction of the line must Poor Princess Clothilde, daughter of Vicfollow the shortest route from Calats to tor Emmanuel, lives in absolute reitrement, Calcutta, using existing lines and going spending her life praying for the sins of through Persia; the English and Russian her family. The marriage between the interests must be equal; the participation saintly Clothilde, who was only sixteen. of French, German, Persian and other with Jerome Bonaparte, mother and father groups will be welcomed, but the amount of the bridegroom, was a political one, of their participation must be decided arranged by Victor Emmanuel and Nashares to receive no dividend until after retired life, and after the death of Jerome she went to Monoalieri to live in privacy in small rooms that remind one of the M. Zevgintseff says the capital required which belongs to the grown, and in which for the undertaking is much less than Prince Victor and Princess Clementine

Earlier Ties Severed by Money,

When the engagement was announced the invested capital for four years (the could sever. Of the three children of period of construction) would necessitate Jerome and Ciothilde, Prince Victor, Printhe expenditure of another \$15.000,000. This cess d'Aosta and Louis Napoleon—the This would mean a total expenditure of French prefer the last. Prince Victor has Prince Louis has joined the Russian army, As to the possible success of the enter- and if he had been the oldest, that is, the prise from the purely financial standpoint, successor in the Napoleon dynasty, the

His marriage makes Victor cousin of By this alliance he also becomes the cousin of Hapsburg and Hittelsback. From his mother's side, the Princess Clothiide, he already is the cousin of the king of Italy, King Manuel of Portugal, and allied to Catherine of Wurlemburg, the wife of the King Jerome, grandmother of the prince. He is thus related to about every royal family whom his illustrious ancestor, Napoleon I, humiliated and defeated.

Ferdinand Dugue, who wrote many plays