

was visibly diminished. Gambetta's father-in-law, sister and other friends were sent for. The death agony began at 10 p. m.; at 11 the patient lost consciousness, and at 11:55, after uttering a few feeble moans, he expired, it may be said without suffering and without suspecting death was so near.

The conductors of *Republique Francaise* received telegrams of condolence from all parts of France. A Council of Ministers decide Gambetta shall be buried at the expense of the State.

Gambetta died in a state of unconsciousness, but in the course of the afternoon he exclaimed "Je suis perdu. Il est inutile, de dissimuler, mais j'ai tant souffert que ce sera une délivrance."

Setting aside the old story of a pistol shot fired at Gambetta by the mother of his son, which is strongly denied, the most plausible version is after having receiving an accidental wound in the forearm, he became impatient at his detention at home, which was intensified by the alarming stories regarding his condition which filled the press, and others of a more annoying nature which his enemies indulged in.

Clemenceaux will probably take Gambetta's place.

The *Clarion*, Royalist, sees the finger of God in the death of Gambetta. It reviews the story that Gambetta was shot by a woman.

The death of Gambetta created an immense sensation here. Groups gathered on the boulevard by nine.

DUSSELDORF, 3.—The Rhine here is flooded. Mayence, 3.—The Rhine reached a height of 5.76 metres. With effort a tramway has been brought earth for the construction of a dam.

Robstadt, 3.—The town, with the exception of the church and the houses of the clergy is deeply submerged. The water in many houses nearly reaches the roof. In Freisenham, on the Rhine, the scene beggars description.

Alexandria, 3.—The Suez Canal tariff has been reduced to half a franc per ton.

Athens, 3.—The frontier commission has concluded its labor. The decision is favorable on all points.

Berlin, 3.—Seventy houses have fallen at Badenheim in consequence of the floods, and at Rexheim, Mersch and Oppou 240 houses have fallen. At Vienna the danger is serious and preparations are making to sound the alarm bells directly the dikes show signs of yielding.

Dublin, 3.—Delaney was found guilty of conspiracy to murder Judge Lawson, and sentenced to ten years penal servitude.

Dublin, 2.—While the emergency bailiffs were approaching Upper Cross County, Tipperary, going for provisions, they were attacked by peasants, and a struggle ensued. The bailiffs fired at the assailants, killing one named Gleeson, and wounding some others. Five of the attacking party were arrested.

The National League meeting, which assembled at Ballin Hown, Kings County, yesterday, in defiance of government proclamation forbidding it, was dispersed by a large force of constabulary.

Waterford, 2.—Biggar, member of Parliament, is committed for trial on a charge of high treason, in a recent speech. He is bailed.

Wiesbaden, 2.—The Rhine floods destroyed five villages; 250 houses have fallen. From Mayence downward the entire plain between Mannheim and Worms is an extensive lake.

Frankfort, 2.—The boat conveying passengers to-day from Oppan to Zudwipfaten was dashed against a tree and 35 persons drowned.

Vienna, 2.—The Danube is still rising. The race course is flooded as far as the exhibition buildings at Frankenthal. In Bavaria 6,000 persons have abandoned their homes.

All traces of quays and banks of the Danube are lost. Their places are merely marked by eddies in the torrent. A great quantity of water is still expected from the upper river.

Rain recommenced to-day. The Danube is again rising, and it is feared will break through the Florisdorf dykes.

Amsterdam, 2.—The northeast portion of North Brabant is submerged. Hundreds are homeless. Five hundred houses are destroyed by floods in villages around Worms.

Syria, 1.—Erzerum has been placed under martial law.

Cairo, 2.—The remaining political offenders are annested.

Havana, 2.—Rains are again greatly impairing the prospects of a good tobacco crop in Vuelta Abajo.

PANAMA, 23.—There is no doubt Pierola will not return to Peru, and his partisans are so incensed that many of them have gone over to the other leaders. Minister Logan continues to work in behalf of peace. All his actions are known to be extra-official, but these efforts are more evident than have been those of all other ministers combined. His letter to Montero is highly praised, and is considered to have hit the nail on the head.

Logan's letter to Montero concludes as follows: "It is within my knowledge that Chili for reasons connected with her own policy is willing to make truce with Bolivia, though she will deny it to Peru. Under the general laws of nations, allies are bound to protect each other in the making of peace to a certain extent, but if Bolivia in view of the absolute hopelessness of continuing the struggle, can be made to believe that Peru is resisting the inevitable, and is thereby likely to bring utter destruction on both nations, she will find strong justification in breaking the alliance. In the event of the alliance being broken by the withdrawal of Bolivia, Peru will doubtless be compelled to submit to very severe terms of settlement. I do not assume to speak from official knowledge in what I am about to say, but simply to give you my opinion of the consequences of the failure of Peru to accept the Chilean terms of peace within a short time. I have obtained from the Chilean government a bona fide offer to pay to Peru \$10,000,000 cash for Tacna and Arica. This offer was obtained for Calderon's immediate acceptance, but it is not a standing offer of peace. On the contrary, I have every reason to believe that if no settlement is reached until the Peruvian Congress assembles in March next, that Peru will be compelled to cede Tarapaca and Tacna, and Arica without the payment of any indemnity at all. If Senor Calderon could at once be legally empowered by your excellency to accept these terms of peace, I believe the Chilean government would feel itself under moral obligations to pay this amount to Peru. If, however, the war is prolonged for four or five months, Chili will undoubtedly claim the just right to increase her demands. The United States stipulated to pay Mexico for the great and rich territory in which are embraced the Californias, Texas and New Mexico the sum of \$15,000,000. The district of Tacna and Arica has but little intrinsic value; no guano, no nitrates, and but small agricultural possibilities. It is not even important to Peruvians as a military point in the protection of her territory; yet Chili offers to pay for it two-thirds of the sum paid by the United States for a territory incomparably greater in extent and richer in resources than Tacna and Arica. I could have made peace nearly two months ago if Senor Calderon would have accepted these terms.

VARNA, 4.—A Turkish officer insulted the Italian Consul while walking in the streets of Tripoli. The consul struck and wounded the officer. The Moslems demand the punishment of the consul.

Berlin, 4.—Private letters from St. Petersburg state that the Czar on Sunday, found in his bedroom a letter from the revolutionary committee demanding the commencement of the promised reforms and asking that the committee possess the power to forcibly obtain concessions.

Berlin, 4.—The inundations are taking the form of a great public catastrophe. The distress is increasing hourly. The military and civil authorities are making the greatest efforts to mitigate the misery of the disaster. There is no sign yet that the crisis of the calamity is reached. High temperature and rains continue.

At Ludwigshafen, opposite Mannheim, where the great Rhine dam gave way last night, the lives of hundreds of people are imperilled. A steamer has rescued many hundreds including the sick. The deepest distress prevails.

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YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED TO appear in an action brought against you by the above named Anna Pauline Meggers, plaintiff, in the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake and Territory of Utah, and answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County, and if not within this County but within the Third Judicial District of the Territory of Utah within twenty days; otherwise within forty days.

This action is brought to obtain a decree of said Court dissolving the marriage contract existing between the said plaintiff and you, and if you fail to appear or answer said plaintiff's complaint as provided for by law, said plaintiff will apply to this court for the relief prayed for in her said complaint.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Court in Salt Lake City this 9th day of November, A. D. 1882.

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