

OBITUARY.

GEN. JEAN LOUIS BOREL.

M. Jean Louis Borel, a French General of distinction, died yesterday morning. He was born at Faujeaux, (Ande,) April 3, 1819, and educated at the military school of Saint-Cyr. Soon after quitting the school he was selected by Gen. McMahon as his aide-de-camp, and served for several years in the African wars under the future Duke of Magenta. Late in 1854 he went with his General to Boulogne, where McMahon took the command of a division of infantry. In August, 1855, they both went to the Crimea, where M. Borel still served as aide and secured promotion by his gallant conduct. In the following years he took part in McMahon's Algerian and Italian campaigns. In 1867 he left the active service to become Chief of Staff of the National Guard. Soon after the beginning of the Franco-Prussian war he returned to the army, was promoted from Colonel to Brigadier-General, and after the organization of the Army of the Loire he became its General Chief of Staff. The temporary success of the French near Orleans in November, 1870, was due largely to his exertions. A few weeks after this he was created a General of Division, and took command of the Division of Rheims. After the war he was an active member of the commission for the reorganization of the army and was afterward Chief of Staff of the Minister of War. In December, 1877, he himself became Minister of War, being the only member of the Cabinet who did not belong to either chamber. His appointment was well received by the public at first, but soon his open hostility to republican principles aroused the opposition of the papers and he became the object of constant attacks. He resigned from the Ministry of War in January, 1879, and took command of the Rouen Army Corps.

SEÑOR PEDRO MONTALDO.

Pedro Montaldo, Professor of Spanish at the Naval Academy, at Annapolis, was found dead yesterday morning in the grounds of the Academy. Señor Montaldo was a gentleman of culture and distinction. He is said to have occupied various honorable positions in Spain, his native country, and at one time served as Minister to Germany. He was obliged to leave his country on account of political troubles. He served during the civil war in the army of the Union, and received a severe wound which crippled him, and was probably the cause of his death. After the war he received the Naval Academy appointment. He was a lawyer by profession and unmarried.

OBITUARY NOTES.

Abraham Moog, the head of the large grocery-house of A. & B. Moog, of Mobile, Ala., died yesterday, aged 51 years. He was the President of the street railroad company.

Nicholas Meister, a native of Coblenz, on the Rhine, died at Newport, R. I., yesterday. He was noted as a character painter, and he also painted many pictures of a historic nature. He was 75 years old, and leaves four children in Cologne.

Major George Butler, of the Marine Corps, died at Portsmouth, N. H., yesterday. Major Butler was born in the District of Columbia. He was commissioned as Second Lieutenant Feb. 11, 1859; Captain on Nov. 4, 1862, and was brevetted Major for bravery in action in two attacks on Fort Fisher. He was attached to the Marine Barracks in Brooklyn from 1873 to 1876 and also in 1877-8.

Mr. George F. Keller, a well-known provision-dealer, of this city, died on Friday at his home, No. 92 Ninth-avenue, from Bright's disease and paralysis. For 36 years Mr. Keller has been in the provision business in New-York. He was born in Baden, Germany, in 1828. Mr. Keller was one of the oldest members of the New-York Produce Exchange, the New-York Iron and Metal Exchange, and the New-York Independent Butcher Guard. He was one of the originators of the Metropolitan Chapter, No. 140, F. and A. M., and had passed through every degree of the Masonic order. Mr. Keller was a member of the Tammany Society, and was on the last delegation to Buffalo. At the recent election offers were made to nominate him for Alderman, but he declined the position. He was a member of the Algonquin Gun Club, and was considered its best shot. Mr. Keller's funeral will be conducted by the York Commandery, and will take place at St. Paul's Lutheran Church this afternoon.