

ATHLETICS.

New York-- At the Buffalo/^{sprinting}track, they held the 50th championship meeting. In a neck and neck race, the hurdlers were out to break new records, ~~while the long jump claimed a new champion.~~ In the 1500 metres, Fenske made a desperate bid to win, but ~~a~~ Cunningham nosed ahead, and retained his fourth straight title-- still the fastest man afoot.

GERMAN ART PROCESSION.

Munich-- Through the gaily decorated streets, a procession, symbolising aspects of national history, made it's way through cheering crowds. Men in armour, troops on horseback, music and flags-- all were there, in this ~~dazzling~~ parade of history.

HORSE SHOW.

Paris-- The Central Horse show, as usual, brought into the ring a fine selection representing the best breeds of France. ~~There~~ were mules, too, on their best behaviour, though one of them seems to have had a rough-house. And mingling with the crowd were a number of elegant Ardenne mares.

QUARRY BLAST.

Caldon Low-- When 100,000 tons of limestone were brought down by one explosion in a Staffordshire quarry, it was one of the biggest blasts made in England. ~~From this gigantic upheaval, a suitable piece of limestone will be used for the foundation stone for the new Euston Station.~~ Here is Lord Stamp-- chairman of the L.M.S. waiting in London to press the button that will