

A NAVAL OCCASION - Flower bedecked boats
make picturesque display in annual Battle of
Flowers at Villefranche.

-France-

Picture.:- At this season of the year Nice and district
is always busy--

--finding excuses to hold Battles of Flowers. This time
the buck is--

--passed to the Navy, and the Bishop of Nice attends the
Naval Battle of--

--Flowers. All the nice girls love a sailor, so all the--

--nice girls attend this naval engagement, with one eye of
course on other engagements--

--naval salutes, and all that sort of thing. This is one of
those occasions--

--when the youth of a wine country can get emotional on--

--water. Oh ! Oh ! Oh ! But there's a big idea behind these
gay affairs. For months afterwards you can't hear--

--yourself speak for the noise of wedding bells ! Ah ! It's
a great life !