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York Times of the 6th gives the ratives of eye-witnesses :—

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Idly I drop a pebble in the water,
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Mr. Christopher Robinson, Q. C., and Mr. Henry O'Brien, appeared in support of the rule.

Mr. Maclennan, Q. C., said he appeared with Mr. Edgar for Mr. Brown, who had been proposed to show cause himself. He therefore supposed that in that case he might address the court himself could say anything.

The CHIEF JUSTICE—We cannot allow anyone else to address the court. We have heard in argument, but we shall be glad to receive authorities from either of you, or counsel *contra*.

Mr. BROWN then proceeded to address the court. He said he had intended to divide the matter into two parts; firstly, the publication was not a contempt of the matter of Regina v. Wilkinson as to the comments in the *Globe* upon the judgment of the Court in that case was perfectly fair, and secondly, the charge of having offended against the dignity of this Court. He (Mr. Brown) contended that the publication was not a contempt. The incriminated article was published on the 10th, 12th, 14th, 19th, 21st, 26th, 28th July following was one word of criticism on the judgment of the Court. It was not.

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(Mr. Brown here referred to a number of other journals which had taken part in this controversy, and said that they were all to be pained by and be only brought to book.)

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