

THE SITUATION IN DUBLIN.

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London, Dec. 2.—Again the sky in Ireland is heavily overcast, and there is that vague and alarming uncertainty with regard to the morrow which follows on the sudden revelation of unseen and reckless forces.

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judgments of our English rulers, I would draw a contrast between the feelings aroused by the trial of Hynes and the Waleses and that of the Maamtrasna murderers.

As I have spoken so much about Dublin, I may append the remark that a vast change is coming over the spirit of that town. The last municipal elections—though the franchise is restricted to a degree that would scarcely be credible to a citizen of your land of universal suffrage—have ended in an overwhelming triumph for the National party.

I cannot close without some allusion to the prosecutions which the Government have thought fit to institute against Mr. Realy and Mr. Davitt. I deeply regret the whole business, and I am unable to see what good can come of it.

Young and middle-aged men suffering from nervous debility, premature old age, loss of memory, and kindred symptoms, should send three stamps for Part VII of pamphlets issued by World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y.

NO CHANCE FOR THE ACCUSED. The haste with which these trials are being forced on is most cruel and oppressive in the case of miserably poor people from the remote districts of the West, who are in no instances utterly unacquainted with any other language than Irish.

Everyone is commenting on the exorbitant reward of twelve hundred and fifty pounds distributed to the informers in the Maamtrasna case.

THE INFORMERS AND THE LEAGUE. In reference to the pound a week paid by the Ladies' Land League to the informer Kerrigan, out of which it has been sought to torture an atrocious meaning, it is to be remarked that every one of the thousand suspects, from Parnell down, was given his choice between this and being catered for; and that there was no possibility of making a distinction between innocent and guilty witnesses unless all Bookshop Forster's lies were accepted as truth.

THE HANGING GALE. Commissioner Litton's decision in favor of the tenants on the "hanging gale" difficulty has been confirmed by the full court of the Land Commission.

THE IMPENDING DISTRESS. The Times and other leading English papers at last confess the severity of the impending distress in Ireland.

A MINISTERIAL THREAT. Meanwhile Mr. Shaw Lefevre, who was formerly fond of advertising his sympathy with Ireland, and who is now a subordinate member of the ministry, proposes that the Irish members shall be reduced to ninety-five, in consequence of the decrease in the population.

As the result of a consultation in London on Tuesday between a deputation from Edinburgh, Mr. Gladstone and Lord Roseberry, the Premier's visit to this country in the Mid-Lothian has been postponed for a month.

UNREASONABLE EXPECTATIONS are often entertained respecting medicines of real merit. Sufferers from complaints of long standing, anticipating and being disappointed in obtaining immediate relief from some remedy which, if persisted in, would eventually cure them, precipitately abandon it.

FINANCIAL. TRUE WITNESS OFFICE. TUESDAY, Dec. 19, 1882.

There was a good deal of maneuvering on the Stock Exchange to-day, and we would advise investors not to be too easily influenced by the "puffs" and "calls" sold on the Exchange, as these are generally done for effect and in the interests of speculators.

COMMERCIAL. WEEKLY REVIEW—WHOLESALE MARKETS.

As usual on the eve of the holidays trade in all the wholesale departments has ruled very quiet indeed. At the retail houses there is an unusually good enquiry for goods in the fancy line, the various stores being thronged with customers from early in the morning until late at night, many shopkeepers extending their hours.

40c to 45c half-barrels selling at 60c to 65c. Flour is steady at 4 3/4 to 5.00. Eleme flour continues to meet a fair enquiry at 15c to 16c in pound boxes, and at about same figures for 11 boxes, the latter being very fine.

IRON AND HARDWARE.—Prices are exactly the same as last week, and our reference is necessarily limited. There is no change in pig iron, stocks here being barely sufficient to meet the hand-to-mouth demand, and prices are, therefore, easily maintained.

LEATHER.—Business is quiet in the city, but a fair trade has transpired on country account, a good number of orders for Spanish sole having been filled at about former prices, and we quote as follows:—Spanish sole, No. 1, B A, 28c to 27c; do No. 2, B A, 24c to 25c; China, No. 1, 33c to 24c; do No. 2, 21c to 22c; Buffalo No. 1, 21c to 22c; do No. 2, 20c to 21c; slaughter, No. 1, 20c to 20c; rough (light), 25c to 28c; harness, 20c to 24c; waxed upper, 33c to 36c; grained upper, long, 37c to 38c; Scotch grained upper, 38c to 40c; but 14c to 17c; pebbled cowhide, 12c to 15c; split, medium, 25c to 27c; do, junior, 19c to 22c; calfskin, light, 60c; to 75c; do, heavy, 75c to 85c; French calfskin, \$1.00 to \$1.35; English kid, 80c to 70c; patent cow, 15c to 16c.

INCORPORATED IN 1868 for 25 years by the Legislature for Educational and Charitable purposes with a capital of \$1,000,000. To which a reserve fund of over \$500,000 has since been added.

By an overwhelming popular vote its franchise was made a part of the present State Constitution adopted December 1st, A.D., 1879.

The only Lottery ever voted on and endorsed by the people of any State.

It never scales or postpones.

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CAPITAL PRIZE, \$75,000. 100,000 Tickets at Five Dollars Each. Fractions, in Fifths in proportion.

LIST OF PRIZES. 1 CAPITAL PRIZE \$75,000. 1 do do do do 25,000. 2 PRIZES OF \$5,000 10,000. 5 do do do do 2,000. 10 do do do do 1,000. 20 do do do do 500. 100 do do do do 100. 500 do do do do 25. 1000 do do do do 10.

APPROXIMATION PRIZES. 3 Approximation Prizes of \$750 6,750. 9 do do do do 8,100. 9 do do do do 2,250.

100 Tickets, amounting to \$500. Application for rates to clubs should be made to the office of the Company in New Orleans.

For further information write clearly, giving full address. Send orders by Express, Registered Letter or Money Order, addressed only to M. A. DUBUIN, New Orleans, La.

or M. A. DUBUIN, 193 607 Seventh St., Washington, D. C.

CHRISTMAS CATTLE MARKET, Dec 18. At both St. Gabriel and Viver markets to-day there was a splendid show of fat live stock such as is rarely to be seen at any time of the year.

DIED. KENNEDY.—At Irish Creek, Ont., on the 18th inst., in the 73rd year of his age, and fondly loved by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Kennedy, late station agent C. P. Railway, and eldest son of J. D. Kennedy, agent Grand Trunk Railway, Brockville, Ont.

ALSHNER.—Madame Marie Caroline Oresence ALSHNER, Superior of the Religious of the Sacred Heart, St. Catherine Street, Montreal, aged 75 years, 10 months, 23 days, after 12 years of religious profession.

ONE DOLLAR AMERICAN JEWELRY CO. The Wonderful Lefevre Diamonds, now so favorably known, are the product of the vast laboratory of St. Lefevre, France, the only one in the world where they are made.

A SIGN.

One sign of Good Times is, that S. CARSLÉY is selling very good quality of Winter Dress Goods for Christmas.

PRESENTS!

At present all are thinking of what Christmas present they will present. At the present time many will buy to present a present that will give present and lasting wear and comfort.

NEW BLACK SILKS. NEW COLORED SILKS. NEW SATIN DE LYON. NEW EARLY SUBLIME. NEW BLACK SILK BROCADES. NEW WATERED SILKS. NEW COLORED SILK BROCADES. NEW MARCHIONNE'S SATIN.

LACE CURTAINS. Nottingham Lace Curtains. S. CARSLÉY'S. Guipure D'Art Lace Curtains. S. CARSLÉY'S.

PIANOS. Ormsdon, Green, Maroon Piano Covers, \$8 00. S. CARSLÉY'S. Rich Embroidered Piano Covers. S. CARSLÉY'S.

S. CARSLÉY'S, MONTREAL.

The Public is requested carefully to notice the new and enlarged Scheme to be drawn Monthly. CAPITAL PRIZE, \$75,000. Tickets only \$5. Shares in proportion.

LOUISIANA STATE LOTTERY COMPANY.

Chalices, Ciboriums, Ostensories, Candelabras, Altar Candlesticks, Censers, Oil Stocks, Pyxes, Statues, Fonts, Chromos, LACE PICTURES, suitable for Xmas.

D. & J. SADLER & CO., CATHOLIC PUBLISHERS, BOOKSELLERS & STATIONERS, Church Ornaments, STATUARY & RELIGIOUS ARTICLES, 275 NOTRE DAME STREET MONTREAL.

SEALED TENDERS, marked "For Mounted Police Clothing Supplies," and addressed to the Hon. the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, will be received up to noon Wednesday, 10th January, 1883.

Fried forms of Tender, containing full information as to the articles and quantities required, may be had on application at the Department.

No Tender will be received unless made on such printed forms. Patterns of all articles, except boots and rugs, may be seen at the Department.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian Bank cheque for an amount equal to ten per cent of the total value of the articles tendered for, which will be forfeited if the party making the tender declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the service contracted for.

No payment will be made to Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority having been first obtained. LINDSAY RUSSELL, Deputy Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, December 12th, 1882.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY! Amended Land Regulations.

The Company now offer lands within the Railway Belt along the main line at \$2.50 PER ACRE AND UPWARDS, with or without conditions requiring cultivation.

2,500,000 ACRES IN SOUTHERN MANITOBA, in the Pembina Mountain District, along the South Western Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway and in the districts of the Puruses for which the real Dominion.

TERMS OF PAYMENT. If paid for in full at time of purchase, a Deed of Conveyance of the land will be given, but the purchaser may pay one sixth in cash and the balance in five annual instalments with interest at six per cent, per annum, payable in advance.

By order of the Board, Montreal, 5th December, 1882.

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Illustrated Catalogue of Waltham Watches and Diamonds free on request. Mailed to any Address in the United States or Canada on receipt of One Dollar.

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