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These are the facts of the case, Mr. Editor. Mr. Burns was not a monopolist; he was a man of means. He had confidence that the scheme would be a success and he had the strong conviction that the building of the line would benefit his country...

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GLADSTONE'S ANSWERS.

His Replies to Justin McCarthy's Questions on the Irish Policy.

The London Star (Liberal daily paper) summarizes as follows Mr. Gladstone's answers (in his speech on the "no confidence" motion in the House of Commons) to certain important questions relating to Irish affairs:

Now, the main event of the future is Mr. Gladstone's Irish policy, and in regard to this there was no kind of doubt as to the questions which it behooved him to answer. They had been categorically stated, partly by Mr. McCarthy and partly by Mr. Blake. Not less categorically were they answered in a speech of which the orderly arrangement would be striking at any time, but more than marvellous from a statesman of 83. The subject is one of such importance that it may be well to set out question and answer in tabular form:

1. Will the Liberal party, on taking office, introduce a Home Rule bill for Ireland?

Mr. Gladstone's reply: "Now the question of Ireland, if I may so far surpass your indulgence as to say one word personal to myself, the question of Ireland is to me almost everything. I have other obligations of public life and shall endeavor to fulfil them so long as I have the honor of a seat in this House, but I may say that my only, if not altogether sole, link with public life. It has been for the last six or seven years my primary and absorbing interest, so it will continue to be."

2. Will the bill give adequate powers of Home Rule for Ireland?

Mr. Gladstone's reply: "Its principles are perfectly well known. They are limited on the one hand by the full and effectual maintenance of that imperial supremacy which pervades the whole empire, and on the other hand by the equally full and effectual transference to Ireland of the management of her own local affairs."

3. Will the Liberals proceed with the bill though the Lords reject it?

Mr. Gladstone's reply: "I think that when that bill goes before the House of Lords it may justly be said that never will the Lords have had before them a greater question than on that occasion, never a greater question as to the empire at large—never will they have had before them a greater question, possibly, as to themselves."

4. Will the Coercion Act be suspended?

Mr. Gladstone's reply: "Our opinion is with respect to that act that it ought not to retain its place upon the statute book for a moment longer than is required by the conditions of parliamentary time."

5. Will the case of the evicted tenants receive consideration?

Mr. Gladstone's reply: "Quite apart from any question of changes of Government, the hope I venture to express is this: That during the coming autumn voluntary arrangements may, for the sake of all persons concerned, be arrived at between landlords and tenants, and that in this way all necessity for legislation may be obviated, while further legislation undoubtedly may become requisite if these arrangements are not arrived at."

6. Will the cases of some of the men imprisoned for alleged complicity in dynamite outrages receive consideration?

Mr. Gladstone's reply: "I think my honorable friend will agree with me that it is impossible for those who are not responsible ministers to give any pledge or understanding to deal with a criminal case. At the same time I have no difficulty in reminding my honorable friend that in every case of criminal conviction it is the duty of the secretary of state at any time where cause may appear to examine the allegations of miscarriage of justice, and not only allegations of miscarriage of justice, but to consider all the circumstances which may point either to a mitigation or remission of any sentence that has been passed."

Prayer Against Pestilence. Look down, O Lord, from Thy Sanctuary, and from Heaven Thy dwelling place, and behold this Holy Victim which Thy Holy Child Jesus our Lord and great High Priest, offers up to Thee for the sins of his brethren, and let Thy wrath be kindled upon us for the multitude of our transgressions. Behold the voice of the Blood of Jesus, our Brother, call to Thee from the Cross. Give ear, Lord! Be appeased, O Lord! Hearken, and do; and tarry not for Thine own sake, O my God, because Thy Name is called upon this city, and upon Thy people; but deal with us according to Thy great mercy. Amen.

An Indulgence of one hundred days for saying this prayer with contrite heart, before the Blessed Sacrament. Sweet Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us. Sweet Heart of Mary, be my salvation.

Montreal's new Cathedral, in which it is expected that the first Mass will be celebrated in November 15th, will, when completed in 1895, have cost one million dollars.

A Leave Taking.

She will not smile; She will not smile; I marvel while I look on thee; How helpless! The lips are chilly; And will not speak; The feet are cold; In either cheek.

Her hair—ah me! Her hair—her hair! How helplessly My hands go there; But my caresses Most not be seen; Oh golden tress! That threaten my tears!

I kiss the eyes In either lid; Where her love lies Forever; And smile and say: I will be sleeping; Thus, some day! —James Whitcomb Riley.

MARKET REPORTS.

London, Sept. 22.—The market was large today, and the square was full of vehicles filled with produce. Wheat delivered was fair, and wheat kept steady, at 51.25 to 51.25 per bushel. Oats were easier, at 31.25 to 31.25 per cental. The former price for new oats. A few loads of peas sold at 50 cents per cental. The meat market had a large supply, and beef was easy, at 12.25 to 12.25 per cental. Large quantities came in, and the demand kept it steady. Mutton was easy, at 6 to 7 cents per pound. Turkey was somewhat easier, at 8.25 to 8.25 per cent. The poultry was large, and good fowls sold at 50 to 57 cents a pair. Ducks, 50 to 55 cents a pair. Turkeys were short in supply, at 11 to 12 cents a pound. Butter had no change from our last report. A large quantity came in, and the demand kept it steady. At 22 to 22 cents a pound for best roll and 20 cents for extra. Eggs were somewhat easier, at 12 to 12 cents per dozen. There was a glut of fruit, both of local production and that brought in from a distance. Apples were steady, at 25 to 25 cents a bushel, and 25 to 25 per barrel. Pears were sold at 10 to 10.5 cents per bushel. Grapes were easy at 21 to 21 cents per bushel. There was no change in plums, and the crop is about done. Peaches were plentiful at 75 cents to 81.25 per basket. Siberian cranberries 85 cents to 81 per bushel. Potatoes were steady at 25 to 25 cents a bag. Hay was plentiful, at 5 to 5.50 a ton.

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