

the Editor of the Telegraph would be somewhat more explicit—that he would explain how we, or our Journal, were belligerent? He is well aware that we have year after year, remained quiet under the grossest and vilest attacks ever made on any man, for the simple reason that there was nothing to gain either from denying the falseness of these charges, or prosecuting for Libel, as the assailing party had neither means or character to lose. That when we alluded to him at all, it was not on our own behalf but to defend the public authorities, or some of the most respectable inhabitants of the County.

With respect to the recent unfortunate encounter, we did not pen a line; but when a ridiculously perverted account of the fight, trial, and evidence, adduced by the witnesses examined, was published in the *Times*, we could not refuse the other party space in the *Gleaner* to give the public his version of the matter.

Now what was the ground-work of this unpleasant business? It was simply this. On the morning of Saturday, September 3, we were furnished by a respectable Catholic friend, with an account of some religious services which were being conducted in Chatham, under the immediate supervision of a venerable and much esteemed Clergyman of that Church, and notifying that that Gentleman would officiate in St. Michael's Chapel, Chatham, on the following morning (Sunday) at an earlier hour than was usually the case. This article we cheerfully adopted as our own, as we frequently do when we are kindly furnished with information which we conceive will be interesting to the public. At the time we obtained the account, we were printing our first edition for that morning's mail, and consequently that portion did not contain the article. As soon as it was put in type, we stopped the press—but it in the form, and re-commenced printing the paper. Was there anything wrong in this to call for the interference of the Conductor of the *Times* who knew nothing of the transaction? Anything that should cause us to be accused of duplicity, double-dealing, or deception, &c., and the "two editions" shown about to prove our baseness. One edition it was reported, was circulated among Catholics and the other among Protestants.—Absurd as this tale was, there were persons who believed it, and thought we ought to give an explanation. This was done, unsolicited, not by us, but by a Correspondent, under the signature of "A Catholic," who sent his letter to the *Times* Office, with his name and a request that it would receive insertion in that Journal. It did not appear, but it provoked a fresh attack on us. This letter was sent to the *Gleaner* and published. It stated truthfully the whole transaction. This was the ground-work of the recent scurrilous article which led to the assault.

The Editor of the Telegraph has had some experience of the peculiar forte of the conductor of the *Times*—and he has not spared him or those whose character should be dear to him; but if he can patiently submit to such indignities, and court the good will of the traitor, he must not be surprised if others cannot so tamely yield to be so treated, and accept him as a model. When he again alludes to our Journal, we trust he will adhere to what is correct, and not charge our journal, with being "belligerent" when we did not even allude to the fray, but simply allowed a correspondent space to give his version of the matter as another had appeared. This is not the first time we have been necessitated to request fair play from the Editor of the Telegraph; we trust it will be the last. We ask for no favors, but simply justice.—*Gleaner*.

POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY, NOV. 5.—James MacKay, for being drunk, ordered to be sent to the Reformatory Rockhead, for 12 months.—Richard Gorman, for being drunk, admonished and dismissed.—Peter Curley, for being drunk, sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 or 10 days.—John Mc Kinnon, for driving on the side path, sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 or 10 days.—Kisiahia Briscoll, for an assault on Henry Hamilton, sentenced to pay a fine of \$2 or 30 days.—Thomas Campton, for an assault on Joseph Eaton, sentenced to pay a fine of \$2 or 31 days.

Monday, Nov. 7.—John Burke, found drunk was deemed a common vagrant, and sentenced to 30 days in the City Prison. P. O'Connell was fined \$2 for being drunk and disorderly. He tore the coat of one of the policemen, and in addition to the fine, the court compelled him to pay the cost of repairing the garment.—Herbert Wisdom was fined \$2 for being drunk and interfering with police whilst in the discharge of their duty.—William Walls found drunk on Helferman's Wharf, was cautioned and discharged.—Geo. Otterfield, a seaman of H. M. S. Duncan, was given in charge for assaulting Wm. Findley, but no person appearing to prosecute, the accused was discharged.—Wm. Furlong and Daniel Hurley, arrested for crossing the glacis of the Citadel, contrary to orders, were admonished and discharged. John Goldsworthy, arraigned for being disorderly on board the ship *Mystery*, was discharged upon condition that he would return to the vessel.—Robert Spears, arraigned for stealing two pair of pants, a beaver hat, three coats, one pair of gloves, one scarf, and one Merschaum pipe, the property of Clement Brown first officer of the steamer *Charlotte*, from the room of the latter in the Halifax Hotel, was committed for trial before the City Criminal Court.

TUESDAY, NOV. 8th.—Patrick Meagher, found drunk on the

streets, admonished and dismissed.—William Walsh, for being drunk sentenced to 90 days.—William Mortimore, for abusing the sentry at Government House, sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 or 10 days.—Mary Connors, for being drunk and annoying the neighbors, sentenced to pay a fine of \$2 or 30 days.—John Sterling, given in charge by P Dillon for stealing, remanded to City Criminal Court.—Alexander McDonald, H. M. S. Virago, for fighting on the street, sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 or 10 days.—James Thompson, H. M. S. Steady, for being drunk on the street, sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 or 10 days.—Patrick Boyland, for being drunk, sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 or 10 days.—Michael Shea, for trucking without license, the defendant not appearing a warrant is ordered to issue.—Thos. Doyle, for trucking without license, sentenced to pay a fine of \$2 or 10 days. Thos. Neville, for trucking without license, defendant not appearing, a warrant is ordered to issue.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 9.—Charles Brodie, was fined \$1 for being drunk in the streets. John Jubrid, was fined a like sum for the same offence. Peter Thompson, found in the street, was admonished and discharged. John Dunford, charged with the same offence, was likewise excused. Mary Clifford, found drunk in Barrack street, was declared a common vagrant, and sentenced to 90 days in the City Prison. Charles Leon was fined \$2 for placing filth on the streets. Michael Ford and Mary Ford, convicted of having kept a disorderly house, were severally sentenced to 90 days in the City Prison. Michael Shea, pleaded guilty to a charge of trucking without having license, and was fined \$1.

Nov. 10.—Thomas Neville, driving a Hack without license, discharged on paying cost of summons.

FRIDAY, NOV. 11th.—The examination of witnesses in the case of John Jones, now some time in custody, charged with passing Counterfeit Bank Bills of the Commercial Bank of Burlington, Vermont, on several of the citizens, were taken to-day at the Police Court before Alderman Tobin. The prisoner being unable to give any satisfactory account of how he obtained the notes, was committed to take his trial at the next sitting of the City Criminal Court, on Wednesday next, the 16th inst.

The Criminal Docket of the City Court, at its next sitting, will have, besides the above case before it, the case of the Queen vs. Jos. Kirk, for highway robbery; John Stirling, for larceny; Robert Spears, for larceny; Wm. Oxley, for larceny; and Sarah Morrow, for larceny.

SUMMARY OF THE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A new rebel pirate named the *Chicamanga* has destroyed ship *Shooting Star* from New York for Panama, bark *Mark L. Potter* from Bangor for Montevideo, and the *E. L. Hall* from Cardenas for New York.

The *Chicamanga* is a new British vessel which came out of Wilmington, 27th ult.

Another piratical steamer named *Olustee*, which ran out of Wilmington on the night of the 30th ult., is committing depredations on Union Ships. British schooner *Antelope*, arrived here last evening, with crews of the following vessels destroyed by *Olustee*. Barks *Empress Theresa*, from Rio Janeiro for Baltimore, Schooner *A. J. Bird*, from Rockland for Washington, and schooner *E. D. Lewis* from Portland for Philadelphia.

The *Olustee* is an iron screw steamer of 1100 tons and very fast.

Mr. Lincoln has been re-elected. He carries the New England States also Pennsylvania and probably the Western States.

General Ewell has succeeded Early in command of the Confederate forces in the Shenandoah.

It is reported that several New York Merchants have been summoned to Washington to answer charges of complicity with blockade running.

New York has thrown her vote for Lincoln. Elected Fenton, Republican, for Governor, and made a gain of five Republican Congressmen.

Among those defeated for Congress is Fernando Woods. The Republicans have also a majority in both branches of the State Legislature.

We have nothing but guess work in regard to the new and important movement of Sherman. Some correspondents assert that he is marching on Macon, and thence to Savannah Hood is several hundred miles in Sherman's rear, and the latter destroys railroad bridges as he advances to prevent pursuit. It is a bold movement, he has burnt Atlanta leaving two corps to watch Hood and Beauregard.

Captain Winslow and crew of the *Kearsage* had a magnificent public reception in Boston.