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A trades' conference in New York has determined to have a grand parade of the streets on the first of May, and on that day to demand that thereafter eight hours be a day's work. A preparatory meeting is to be held April 1. It is underated to that the workingmen, pretty generally, will agree to take sight head pay for eight hours' work. At present the hours, and get paid for nine. But they want the regular time brought down to eight hours, and now some hundreds of them are on atrike for higher wages, with every prospect of success. Eight hours a day for workingmen is what we are coming to; and all concerned had better so be advised, and govern themselves accordenged to the streets of the provisions of the Chinese bill, to be presented by Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, will be registration of the names of all Celestials arriving in the dominion, so as to be able to allow of their being traced. Certificates permitting the limited to six months, in place of being for all time, as at present. By the introduction of the californian tag system in connection with each certificate, the importation of relatives by the Celestials in this country will be suppressed.

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From what we hear by cable it appears in the surface as if the Irish home rulers were carrying all before them, and in particular were getting Mr. Gladstone to do just as they desired. The tory leaders have got a bad set back, Harrington and Coschen lack courage to go into a "cave." Chamberlain fears openly to defy the premier, while Morley almost trambles at the idea of offending Parnell. Meantime Parnell and his band roar away like Hons, as if they felt themselves masters of the situation, and did not need to care for anybody. And yet, and yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, and yet, and yet, sond yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, sond yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, sond yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, sond yet, sond yet, sond yet, sond yet, sond yet, and yet, sond yet, son themselves masters of the situation, and did not need to care for anybody. And yet, and yet—something does turn up every now and then to make us doubt whether they really feel as sure of victory as they profess to believe. One cable correspondent says the well-anthenticated statement that Mr. Gladstone intends to propage a separate council for each of the four provinces of Ireland alarms some of the importance and difficulties of the Irish problem. Others, however, look upon the scheme of creating representative legislative bodies for the different divisions of Ireland with lavor, and among them is fatal disease.

countrymen whose self-appointed leaders pass. A further important reason for have taken the stilling of the other side. have taken the stilling of the other side. Why is it that there must be Irishmen in German people are getting fractions under a period of fifty years. "By their works shall they be known."—Boston Standard.

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if this is not a fair picture of the situation in Canada. We must confess that we would rather see Ireland never "free" than that Canada should be deluged with Irish rows, which indeed will be the case if we have many repetitions of Monday night's neeting.

As for the young men of the Land League who went to Monday night's ing purposely to disturb it we must say they lack good sense. As for some of the speakers they were too pronounced in their expressions and in their fervor.

England and Ireland are now grappling with the Irish question and they must istile it. We have great questions of our pictory were misropresented by the Tribune strategy for a grand demonstration in favor of eight hours as a day's work, Mr. Powderley says that there must first-be some preparation and concert of action, and that nothing must be done prematurely. He wants the workmen to be sure they are right, and then to go shead. A trades' conference in New York has determined to have a grand parada of the streets on the first of May, and on that day to demand that thereafter eight to be presented by Hon. Mackenzile Bowall.

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If Parson Downs is to be believed, clerical circles in Boston must be in a bad way.

In a recent address he said: "Dr. Boston must be in a bad way."

ing public, and that have become synony-mous with fair dealing and good govern-ment, that of the Hartford Fire Insurance ens. "The old Hartford Rise," as it is almost affectionately termed, now entering on the last 25 years of a century of honorable business, is indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fine indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fine indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fine indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fine indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fine indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fine indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fire indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fire indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fire indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fire fire indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the earliest record of the fire fire indeed a company with a history. In its archives is to be found the fire fire fire in the feeling is dull and weak; sales 14,500 blush; sales 308.800 bush in the report is 15,000 bush spot; No. 2 sec to 46.000 bush sale; sales 14,500 bush; sales 308.800 bush interest 250.800 bush sale; sales 14,500 bush; sales 308.800 bush; sales 308.00 bush; sales 308.00

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AN IRISH

By William J. D.

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