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THE IRISH SITUATION.

A new era of Fenian scares seems to have been inaugurated in England. The latest rumour is that a number of men have been detailed to destroy public buildings in various cities.—Outrages like that perpetrated in Liverpool are calculated to do immeasurable injury to any cause. It is noted as a curious fact that during the recent disturbance in Ireland very few Fenians appeared on the scene. When they did they were unable to shoot straight. "Buckshot" Foster has managed to place himself again in a ridiculous position before the country. During the squabbling in the House of Commons some weeks ago, he taunted Mr Healey, the young but irrepressible member for Waxford, with the violence of his speeches, and expressed his belief that Healey would not dare to repeat them in Ireland. This challenge was regarded as mean and undignified coming from a Minister exercising autocratic power. Healey, however, resolved to answer the challenge, and in the course of a speech made at Swords, near Dublin, he delievered a withering attack on the Government and especially on Mr Foster. This speech has set all Ireland laughing at the Chief Secretary. In the course of his remarks Mr. Healey quoted the old Williamite ballad slightly altered for the occasion. "There was an old prophecy found in a bog, that Ireland would be ruled by an ass and a dog, and now the prophecy's come to pass, for Bourke is the dog and Foster's the ass." Healey concluded by stating that he had come over to Ireland in answer to Mr Foster. He challenged the secretary to cross the Channel and meet him on equal terms in France. This invitation has added the ridiculous character of the situation as Healey is boyish in appearance and is very short-sighted.

CORRECT PHASES OF THE CASE.

A London correspondent writing to New York says: Mr. Gladstone's speech on the English land question indicated his readiness to accept modifications in the existing system of tenure. He condemned limited ownership, but suggested an important change in the system of restrictions on the transfer of land. He thought, however, that American sympathy had more influence in creating the present depression of landed property than the artificial disabilities of the south of Ireland, the opinion generally expressed is, that the time between this and the passing of the Land Act is critical for the peace and prosperity of that part of the country. Landlords everywhere are forcing executions and evictions, in order to get arrears of rent, which it is expected they will be deprived of by one of the most important of Mr Parnell's amendments. The evictions, coupled with the arrest of many popular leaders, have been the sole cause of the recent violent acts at Skull, Skibbereen and elsewhere. The fear is that the people may resort to more extreme measures. That the resistence will ever lead to more than rioting no one believes. There is much gross exaggeration in the newspaper accounts of the riots. This is because English and Irish papers depend for news in the small towns of Ireland on local correspondents, whose only hope of getting their telegrams published is that they shall be spicy.

DIREFUL HOPES.

[*Bystander.*]

Evidently *Bystander* does not think much of a political party which cannot distinguish itself unless the leading men opposed to it are ill. Reviewing the political situation, *Bystander* says;—"In the meantime, the great organ of the Reform, not of the Liberal, party, as it is unprovided with principles, and there is at present a dearth of the scandals which are its familiar food, is reduced to a precarious subsistence on the maladies of its opponents. It joyfully proclaimed that Sir John Macdonald was suffering from Bright's disease; but, the pleasant dream being dispelled, it is compelled to fall back, in a tone of subdued hope, on a disease which makes less short work of the wicked. It must almost regret that it pronounced Sir Charles Tupper's illness a feint since it is thereby precluded from visiting the iniquities of that human fiend with a creeping palsy or a cancer in the stomach. In Mr Pope's constitution, however, the seeds of decay have happily been observed, and the faithful may hope that a similar mercy will soon be vouchsafed them in the case of Sir Charles Tupper. What is the policy of the Liberal leader, who has superseded the nominees of the *Globe*, and whom the *Globe* would at once strike if it dared, we cannot at present say, but we may be sure that it is something better than climbing to power on the coffins of opponents."

A FIENDISH ACT,

A diabolical gunpowder plot, intended to work wholesale murder, was discovered in the Chicago Stove Works in Chicago on Friday evening, happily in time to prevent serious consequences. The plot was designed particularly to kill two moulders named Lafleur and Sessions, who were pouring molten iron into moulds when they discovered a mould that had apparently been tampered with. They were just ready to raise the ladle and fill this particular mould, when they decided to make a closer examination. This they did by scraping away the sand from the inside of the mould. This process revealed a paper bag, which contained about two pounds of gunpowder. This hellish plot is believed to have been got up by a number of malecontents who are now on a strike. The effects of the explosion would have been frightful, as a large number of men were standing near, waiting an opportunity to fill their moulds, and the white-hot iron would have been thrown in every direction.

DISTURBANCES IN RUSSIA.

A St. Petersburg despatch says:—The greatest discontent prevails among the peasantry, particularly in the south. The announcement that the relief measures have been postponed indefinitely has rendered them furious. It is said the Russian Executive has permitted the peasantry to rob and murder the Jews, in the hope that their rage would exhaust itself, but the cry is for more blood. Agrarian riots have broken out in Kharkoff, and other southern districts. The government buildings were fired and arsenals robbed. It is reported that the peasents are everywhere rising.

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Lady Hill, the widow of the late Sir Rowland Hill, K. C. B., died May 27, at her residence at Hamstead, London, in her 85th year. Sir Rowland and Lady Hill were playfellows from a very early age, and, as shown in the "History of Penny Postage," recently published, her earnest and intelligent co-operation and assistance were of the utmost value to her husband in his struggle to effect the postal reforms with which his name is associated.

AN EXPLORING PARTY MASSACRED

News has been received at Aden that an Italian exploring party which started from Assab Bay, Abyssinia, consisting of a subaltern officer, ten sailors, and four soldiers, had been massacred in the interior. The particulars are not known. The Italian Government has received news confirming the report of the massacre. The party were sent out by the Government. Among the victims was a lieutenant.

GLADSTONE'S SPEECH.

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BLAKES ECONOMY.

[*Mail.*]

Mr Blake is dubbed by the Welland *Telegraph* the man of lofty pretensions and paltry achievements, and the description fits a man who entered a government as a great Reformer, and was only able to announce at the end of his term of office that he had saved a few dollars in cab hire.

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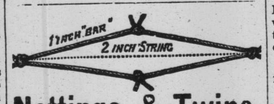

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