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DEFIANT AND DESPERATE

THE PHOENIX PARK MURDERERS BROUGHT TO BAY.

The Car Driver Turns Informer—His Complete Identification of the Assassins—Some Startling Evidence.

DUBLIN, Feb. 10.—Michael Kavanagh, the carman, has turned informer against the prisoners charged with conspiring to murder the officials. The court was crowded when Joseph Brady, Timothy Kelly, James Carey (town councillor), Carman Fitzharris, Lawrence Hanlon, Joseph Mullett, James Mullett, Edward O'Brien, Wm. Maloney, Daniel Curley, Thos. Doyle, Daniel Delaney and Fagan were placed in the dock to-day. There was great excitement when Kavanagh was placed in the witness seat. Kavanagh himself was apparently much excited.

Kavanagh deposed that he drove Brady, Kelly, and two others whom he did not know, to Phœnix park the evening of the assassination of Lord Cavendish and Mr. Burke. James Carey and Daniel Delaney were on the seats at the side of the road in the park. Delaney said they were watching the chief secretary. On the 6th of May last he (Kavanagh) was at the Royal Oak public house in Park Gate street, and was engaged by Brady and Kelly and a stranger. [Brady here uttered a guttural threat.] Kavanagh identified Delaney as another of the men present. He drove four men into the park by the Island bridge gate to the Phœnix monument, along the main road to the Gough monument, and there got down. They said there was no sign of 'Skin the goat," meaning Fitzharris, a car man. Fitzharris shouted "don't call nicknames." Kavanagh then saw Fitzharris with a cab coming from the opposite direction. Four men alighted from the cab. The cab stayed a long way up the road, with the horse's head towards Dublin. Soon afterwards he saw two gentlemen approaching and heard them cry. He saw one gentleman fall. He did not see the other fall, but the four men whom he drove to the park jumped on his car and he drove away. He identified Fitzharris as the driver of the cab. He deposed that he saw Lord Cavendish and Mr. Burke approaching. Somebody among those he drove said the tall man was to be assassinated. Kavanagh said that subsequently he drove by the chapel of Izod round town to Palmerston park. Kelly alighted at the terminus. Brady paid him one pound. He also said after the men he drove to the park had alighted there, he put his nosebag on the horse. While waiting, he heard a person speak to James Carey. Delaney afterwards instructed Kavanagh to look sharp and be ready to start. Upon this, he drove nearer to the waiting group, which included persons he did not know. Lord Cavendish and Mr. Burke were approaching arm in arm. James Carey and Delaney, who had come back on the car from the place where it was waiting, jumped down and joined the group. The witness heard somebody say "It is the tall man." Kavanagh was then ordered to go further away by some of the conspirators. As he did so, he heard somebody repeat, "Mind, 'tis the tall man." As the gentlemen came along Carey or Delaney raised a white handkerchief. While witness was waiting a car-man nicknamed "Nowt" passed, driving a passenger named Nolan towards Dublin. Some bycyclists also passed. Witness thought he only saw one gentleman fall and saw the other, who had an umbrella, lying on the ground. Driving from the scene of the murder, they took to the left, crossed the bridge to the right across the Inchicore road. Delaney directed where to drive. He drove rapidly until he reached Roundtown, three miles from the park. Here Tim Kelly alighted. He then drove round to Leeson park, stopping at a public house near Leeson bridge. Brady then paid and dismissed him. On Sunday morning he met Brady again at Townsend street and received two pounds. Brady afterwards bought him a set of harness. He allowed the car to remain as it was. Some time afterwards he had it painted. His mare was a dark brown. On the night Field was attacked witness was on the College street stand. Joe Brady again engaged him. They drove into Fleet street. Delaney then got on the car and they drove to Hardwick street, where they alighted. They told him to wait. While waiting Kelley and Lawrence Hanlon came up. He said that Fitzharris once told him they were after Judge Lawson. He stated that he became an informer on Thursday. He had been sworn into the society by Kelly. The task assigned him was to drive the boys. He said "Doyle told him Jas. Mullet and a lot of big people were attached to the society." Upon Kavanagh entering into details as to the times he drove the assassins after the murder. Fitzharris called him a liar. Kavanagh said at the gas works Brady and Kelly wrapped some kind of swords in a paper and threw them into a basin He said on May 6, he wore a white hat, but a man on the car not in the prisoner's dock changed with him, giving him a large brown one. [It is believed this furnishes a clue to a murderer not yet apprehended.] Doyle, Patrick Delany, and Fitzharris had no questions to ask Kavanagh.

Kelly's counsel endeavored to shake Kavanagh's evidence by asking questions concerning interviews at the Castle and the money promised him, but did not apparently produce much impression. Kavanagh identified Fagan as one of the associates of the assassins. He said he (Kavanagh) was twice in the park before May 6 with the four men, whom he drove on the day of the murders. Doyle was present when he was sworn into the society. He identified Doyle as having told him that he must the day after swearing drive anywhere they required. Doyle hereupon exclaimed, "It's a lie."

Thirteen prisoners in all are charged with conspiracy to murder Mr. Burke and Lord Cavendish and to attack Juror Field. During the reading of his deposition Kavanagh leaned back in his seat, resting his head on his hand with a dogged expression.

George Motley deposed that he saw Kavanagh on May 6 at Wren's public house, which Kavanagh mentioned.

The crown counsel announced his intention to produce every tittle of evidence corroborating Kavanagh.

Kavanah said Kelly lost a hat when mounted on the car after the attack on Field. The car fled by a circuitous route. In Townsend street Kelly bought another hat. A carman called confirmed the statement, having passed Kavanagh's car in the park. Samuel Jacob deposed to seeing the struggle in the park, a distance of fifty yards away. He saw the assassins mount the car, and one afterwards return and strike the prostrate form. He could not say whether four or five men were engaged. He was unable to recognize any men on the car. Before the arrival of the tricyclists, two men, one after another, came and looked at the bodies and walked away.

Independent witnesses testified to having seen Kavanagh previous to the Phœnix park murders, at the public houses he mentioned.

The case was adjourned until Thursday. Kavanagh's evidence makes it certain Mr. Burke was first murdered and the plot was primarily against him. As the examination progressed the prisoners appeared in sheer desperation. Not one looked towards the court except Hanlon, On Kavanagh identifying Delaney and James Carey, there was such a commotion that the magistrate threatened to clear the court. Brady afterwards recovered his composure and endeavored to smile. Kavanagh said he was so near that he heard one of the victims cry "oh." The tall victim (Mr. Burke) was lying on the road after this exclamation. The other victim was standing with an umbrella in his hands. Kavanagh afterwards saw him lying on the road.

The prisoners evidently feel the game is up. All exhibited a defiant demeanor, except James Carey, who sat motionless, gazing fixedly at the bench. The others moved about and held whispered conferences and sometimes laughed at any incident.

Patrick Delaney is the convict sentenced to prison for attempting to take the life of Judge Lawson. There was no laughter among the prisoners when Kavanagh identified them.

DUBLIN, Feb. 11—Divers are searching the basin of the Grand canal for the knives Kavanagh said he and Brady threw into it. The water will be drawn from the basin if the divers are unsuccessful.

Tom Caffery has been arrested. It is stated Kavanagh identifies him as the fourth man on the car he drove in Phœnix park on the day of the murder. Caffery is a relative of a man already in custody. The crown has accepted the evidence of another approver who will identify the actual murderers of Lord Cavendish and Mr. Burke.

A BLOATED AND RUTHLESS OLIGARCHY.

What Archbishop Croke Says of Ireland's Condition—Mr. Trevelyan Justifies the Government's Course.

DUBLIN, Feb. 10—Archbishop Croke confirms the reports of wide-spread and fearful distress in the counties of Mayo, Donegal, Clare, and Sligo. The country, he says, can never expect peace and plenty until it is rid of the yoke of a bloated and ruthless oligarchy.

LONDON, Feb. 9—The gunboat Redwing has made another fruitless attempt to reach the island of Innis Murray with stores for the relief of the starving inhabitants.

Mr. Trevelyan, chief secretary for Ireland, in a speech at Hawick, Scotland, yesterday justified the prosecutions of the press for the publication of articles attacking judges and jurors which he said were just as much a part of the machinery of murder as the sword-cane or pistol. He defended the policy of proclaiming the meeting of the national league and arresting the reporters at Loughres on the ground that there had lately arisen a class of men living on the criminal agitation and the so-called reporters were such men. Some of them, who had been imprisoned as accessories to murder, were there to advise the people not to disperse.

TURTLE-FED BOORISHNESS.

O'Donnell's Denunciation of the Lord Mayor of London.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—O'Donnell in his letter to the lord mayor criticising his reply to the deputation who requested him to open a fund for the relief of the distress in Ireland says: "The city is welcome to pronounce benedictions upon itself, while it continues to be loathed and hated on the banks of Loch Foyle." He described Lord Hartington as one of the most truculent advisers of every measure of the anti-Irish policy. O'Donnell says he is not concerned to defend the deputation which waited on the lord mayor. The members of the deputation are competent to appreciate the turtle-fed boorishness. When an investigation occurs it will occasion much satisfaction and surprise to ascertain that the public funds which should have gone to solace the widow and orphan never found their way into the pockets of swindlers or into the fair round paunches of the city gluttons.

FENIANS IN ENGLAND.

An Assault on a Police Inspector—Arrest of Another Suspected Phœnix Park Murderer.

LONDON, Feb. 11—At Penitonville Hill, London, to-day a party of Irishmen passed and re-passed Police Inspector Peel, who secured the conviction of Walsh for keeping a fenian armory in Clerkenwell. One of the men struck Peel a violent blow on the jaw and knocked him senseless. Two long knives were found in the man's possession.

A man supposed to have been connected with the Phœnix park murders was arrested in Swansea to-day on the arrival of the Dublin steamer.

The Curse of Ireland.

CANNES, Feb. 11.—Mr. Gladstone, in a conversation with M. Clemenceau to-day, stated the curse of Ireland had been centralization. "I desire," he said, "to decentralize the administrative authority. We are now trying to make the humblest Irishman realize he is a governing agency, and also that the government will be carried on for him and by him."

Another Assassination in Ireland.

DUBLIN, Feb. 11—A servant of Lynch deputy lieutenant of Barna, was shot in the head from behind a wall while unharnessing a horse after bringing Lynch's family home from church. The assassin escaped.

The Snow-Blockade in New York State.

WATERTOWN, N.Y., Feb. 10—The snowfall this winter so far has been 10 feet 8 inches. It has stormed hard since Sunday. Travel on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg road is mostly abandoned. There has been but one train between Watertown and Ogdensburg since the 3d inst. This morning a snowplow with two engines and a hundred men left Ogdensburg, and to-night reached eight miles from that city. They report the snow four to ten feet deep. Until to-night there has been no train from Rome since Thursday. Cape Vincent and Sackett's Harbor roads have been closed since the 3d. The mails are carried overland. With perfectly fair weather it will take several days to open the roads. The Utica and Black River road is open, but has been closed half a week.

CONSTERNATION IN CINCINNATI.

Unprecedented Rise of the Ohio River—Millions of Dollars Worth of Damage Done.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 11—The city is in consternation on account of the great rise in the river. It reached 61 feet 9½ inches this afternoon and is rising two inches an hour. Desperate efforts to save merchandise in the lower part of the city are being made. Advices from above indicate that a heavy rise is still coming. Business men say the damage by the overflow in Cincinnati and city will amount to millions. Thousands of people crowd all the bridges watching the flood. Three feet more water is expected. All the transfer wagons in the city are removing goods. Nearly 10 miles of river front in Cincinnati is under water. Along the landing the flood is up to the second and third storys of many buildings. All the railway freight business and nearly all the express business west and north is stopped. In the city from Pearl street to the river the greatest activity and excitement prevails. The fire department is pumping out Pearl street cellars to enable merchants to save goods. The Cincinnati stock yards are flooded. The stock trains cannot move in any direction. All business will be suspended until the danger is past. It is expected every minute that the gas lights will be extinguished. It is now believed the rise will reach sixty-three feet the greatest on record.

The water supply is in danger. There were no services in some of the churches here to-night on account of the failure of gaslight.

The city of Lawrenceburg, Indiana, is entirely inundated. No spot of ground will be visible in it to-morrow. The people are isolated and cannot be reached by rail and steamers cannot land. They telegraphed to-night for bread. It will have to be conveyed to them by skiffs.

NEW YORK JURIES.

The Same Incomes a Couple of Commissioners Made by not Summoning Prominent Men.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9—Patrick Cunning and Wm. McElrath, employees as commissioners of jurors, have been arrested on a charge of negotiating with bankers, merchants and other prominent citizens to have them excused from being called as jurors on payment of a fixed sum. It is estimated they had from four thousand to five thousand regular customers, from whom it is alleged they yearly received one hundred dollars each. A number of persons have been arrested as accomplices.

[These developments are the result of the summoning of ex-Mayor Oakey Hall, Gen. Grant, Roscoe Conkling, W. H. Vanderbilt and Jay Gould to serve on a jury at the trial of one Maher for manslaughter. Most of these gentlemen sent excuses, and their pleas not being accepted, one or the other gave away the reason they had not been summoned to serve on previous juries.]

THE GREAT GOBBLER.

The Western Union Swallowed Up the Mutual Union Telegraph Company.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10—The Western Union telegraph to-day leased the Mutual Union company for ninety-nine years, agreeing to pay six per cent. interest on its bonds and one and a half per cent. on the stock of the Mutual Union.

[The Canadian superintendent of the Mutual Union says that he does not think the above report to be true, and that it is only one of many that have been floated from time to time for stock jobbing purposes. And even were the Mutual Union leased it would not follow, he says, that the Canada Mutual would be turned over to the Western Union or its Canadian ally the Great Northwestern].

The Beauty's Verdict.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—The jury in the suit of Miss Louise Montague, the $10,000 beauty, against Adam Forepaugh, found for the plaintiff and assessed the damages at $150. It is understood that the jury reached this result by awarding the plaintiff $75 a week for the two weeks which elapsed between the breaking of the contract by Forepaugh and the date of the offer of $200 a week from Coup, a rival circus manager, which the "beauty" declined, because it involved her appearance in the ring.

A Father's Vengeance.

DETROIT, Feb. 10.—Late on Thursday evening a young man named Freeman, residing at Roxand, 14 miles north of Charlotte, was shot in the head by John Day, with whose daughter he had been trying to elope. Freeman had been forbidden the house, and at last determined to elope with Miss Day. Her father hearing of it, followed them on horseback, and overtaking them, shot Freeman in the forehead with a rifle, causing a serious wound, from which he will probably die.

The French-Canadians in New England.

FALL RIVER, Feb. 11—At a meeting of French-Canadians last evening it was unanimously voted that the charges made before the United States Senate Labor committee against French-Canadian laborers in New England constitute a vile slander and a gross insult to two million French-speaking people in the United States, and that an opportunity of refuting the charges should be afforded.

A Destructive Blaze.

RONDOUT, N. Y., Feb. 11—This morning a fire occurred here that was the most destructive that ever happened in this locality. It was caused by the wood work in a barber shop catching fire from an over heated stove. The City of Catskill, a steamer 275 feet long and valued at $75,000 was burned. She was scuttled as soon as she caught fire, but did not sink.

THINGS THEATRICAL.

Coquelin, the great French comedian, is expected to visit America next season.

Tickets for the Humpty Dumpty benefit are now on sale at the Grand opera house.

P. T. Barnum's circus and hippodrome will make a tour of Canada during the coming summer.

Annie Pixley's new play Zara is strongly criticised by New York critics. The play wants freshness. It is a strong rehash of old characters.

Rehearsals of the "Black Venus," a new play, are now going on in New York under the leadership of the Kiralfy Bros., who have bought the right to produce it through the United States and Canada.

REV. DR. WILD ON HELL.

ITS DURATION AND ITS NATURE EXPLAINED.

Man's Responsibility Shown—Justice as Well as Mercy Required—Everlasting Punishment—Restraining the Wicked—A Hell Consistent With God's Mercy.

The announcement of Dr. Wild that he would discourse on the subject of "Hell" attracted an unusually large congregation last evening. The aisles were filled, many were compelled to stand and numbers were turned away.

A number of correspondents were answered, including one questioning the immortality of the soul. This latter was announced as the subject for next Sunday evening's sermon.

THE SERMON.

The text was chosen from Matthew, 25th chap., 46th verse:

And these shall go away into everlasting punishment; but the righteous into life eternal.

The doctor commenced by saying that the acceptance of one truth involves the belief in a chain of others inseparably connected with it; and this is especially true with reference to the fundamental doctrines of the bible. "If I believe in man's immortality I believe in his responsibility. No man can impugn this rotation; no man can talk of hell unless he believes in man's immortality, and that good and evil

ARE TREATED DIFFERENTLY.

The offender cannot be judged by love alone; a judge must be just as well as merciful. He must be wise, just and kind. Analogies were drawn from earthly courts. If these elements are needed in earthly courts, they are required in a greater degree in God's judgment. Earthly courts make a distinction between good and evil. A murderer is punished to the full extent of our power, and he is deprived of life or imprisoned as long as he lives. David preferred to fall into the hands of God rather than into the hands of his fellow-men.

The bible terms for the duration of future punishment were interpreted

AS MEANING EVERLASTING.

The punishment of sin is to be everlasting. What that means I cannot nor dare not tell. Wherever the word is applied it has a meaning in the subject it includes. The word "punishment" in Greek has three meanings, all of which are combined in the text. He explained what punishment he deemed inconsistent with God's character to inflict, and then gave his views to the effect that sinful men would be restrained in the future world from pursuing their vicious courses. The doctor declared his inability to be able to "chop" the words "everlasting punishment" and yet leave the word indicating eternal life untouched. If we accept one, we must the other. Mercy would lead us to wish to be able to do otherwise, but we dare not. The best we can hope is that this "restraint" or "cutting off" of the wicked

MAY CEASE SOME TIME

in some way. This subject must be dealt with as much by judgment as by affection.

A long pursuance in a course of wrong fixes a man in it, and so also in reference to the good. "He that is unjust, let him be unjust still." Illustrations were drawn from nature to enforce this point. There is a limit beyond which an injury to the body becomes permanent. In mercy God prepares a place for the "cutting off" or restraining of the wicked. He is ever merciful, but just. If rewards and punishments are expedient on earth, much more so in the other world. It would be a mistake to free the inmates of our asylums and prisons, and it is more merciful

TO SHUT UP THE WICKED IN HELL

as heaven would be a deeper hell to them! The spirit in the heart is the real torment. The sinful take pleasure in unrighteousness. They roll sin under the tongue as a sweet morsel. In mercy God made hell, as in mercy He made heaven. We try to save a prisoner by putting him in jail, and God is not vindictive, but merciful, in restraining the wicked.

An earnest exhortation was made in closing to all not to risk the future by going on as unbelievers in Christ. No man who believes in Christ can be in danger of hell. All who thus believe in Him are promised an entrance to life everlasting.

THE LOCAL ELECTIONS.

Nominations Made by Both Parties on Saturday.

The following nominations were made for the legislature on Saturday:—

Reform—South Grenville, Mr. John Adams, of Cardinal; West Durham, Dr. W. J. McLaughlin; West Simcoe, Mr. Robert Patton, reeve of Suunidale.

Conservative—South Waterloo, Mr. Thomas Cowan, of Galt; South Wellington, Mr. M. Sweetnam; South Ontario, Mr. John Miller, of Pickering; South Grenville, F. J. French.

Arrival of Her Majesty's Opera.

A special train having on board Her Majesty's opera company, numbering 140 people, steamed into the Union depot at 8 30 last night from Detroit. They came over the Great Western division. The hotels nearly all being full, it took some time to locate them. They were finally distributed among the Queen's, Rossin, Walker, American, and St. James. Mme. Albani arrived in the morning and registered at the Queen's. The opera this evening will be Verdi's charming work Il Trovatore, in which Signor Mierzwinski will be the Manrico, Signor Galassi, Il Conte de Luna, Signor Costa, Ferrando, Madame Scalchi, Azucena, and Madame Fursch-Madi Leonora. The music will be directed by Signor Arditi. It is gratifying to note that the seats for both performances have been well taken up and that full houses such as will reflect credit upon the city of Toronto are secured. From the description that has been given us it is safe to say the opera will be placed upon the stage in a manner that will both surprise and delight our people by their perfection and excellence of detail.

Aldermanic Nominations.

On Saturday at noon nominations were held in St. Lawrence and St. David's wards for the vacant seats at the council board. In the former Mr. J. G. Beard was proposed by Mr. John Malton and Mr. Alexander Beard; Mr. George Leslie jr. was proposed by Mr. W. B. Hamilton and Ald. Pape. In the latter ex-Ald. Thomas Allen was proposed by Mr. James A. Holt and Mr. Wm. Thompson. Mr. John Wiggins was also proposed but withdrew in favor of Mr. Allen, who was declared elected by acclamation.

THE WORKINGMEN'S BATTLE.

Mass Meeting in St. Lawrence Hall on Saturday Night.

The meeting at St. Lawrence hall on Saturday night, called by the friends of Mr. S. R. Heakes, the labor candidate for East Toronto, was very fairly attended. The hall is not centrally located, else no doubt the meeting would have been much larger. One great drawback to large meetings east of Yonge street is the dearth of suitable halls. As it was, the meeting was very enthusiastic and those present, who were apparently nearly all electors, tendered the speakers a good hearing and applauded them in such a manner as to fully demonstrated that they were in hearty sympathy with the candidate. Mr. Thomas Moor presided.

Mr. Heakes delivered an address to the Toronto typographical union previous to his arrival at St. Lawrence hall, and when he arrived he was very warmly received. The chairman's opening address covered the same grounds as at Mr. Carter's meeting on Friday night. Mr. Moor assured the meeting that the labor candidates were not for sale to any of the political parties, as had been stated.

Mr. Hanrahan, of the carpenters' union, congratulated Toronto on the fact that she had such an intelligent class of workmen that among them were to be found gentlemen who were capable of representing them in parliament. [Cheers.]

Mr. Alfred Jury said workingmen generally owed a debt of gratitude to the Toronto trades and labor council for the privilege afforded for voting for a wage-worker.

Mr. Heakes next delivered a stirring appeal to the meeting, and thought it to their interest to support him in the contest, not because it was himself, but because his election meant the triumph of the labor party. [Cheers]. He repudiated the statement that the workingmen of Toronto were trying to stir up strife in the province of Ontario. To the two political parties it was now time to say: "If you are sincere in your promises to our ranks, if you think we have any rights at all, if you think we have stood by you as you gave us to understand, if you are to be faithful to all your reputed past records, now is the time for you to step down and out and let the workingman have a chance." Mr. Heakes then went on to detail how the labor ranks had stood by the politicians, how they had worked out of parliament for their rights, how they had rebelled against gross inequalities in the phenomena called society, how the workingmen of England had knocked at the doors of parliament not until they had secured many reforms and corrected arrogant abuses, but until they had a voice themselves on the floor of the English house of commons. He did not see why the workmen of Ontario could not do likewise. [Cheers.]

In moving a resolution that the meeting having heard Mr. Heakes, that it pledges itself to do all in its power to elect him (which was carried unanimously), Mr. John Armstrong of the typographical union said that the workingmen were willing to let the politicians have 85 of the seats of the local house during the next parliament, but we must have three—the two Torontos and Hamilton. [Cheers.] Mr. John Lewis of the seamen's union seconded the resolution in a speech that was a mixture of common sense, sarcasm and humor. Mr. J. W. Carter was the last speaker and wound up the meeting with a strong appeal to his hearers on behalf of Mr. Heakes.

A Comical Mistake.

Rather a good thing occurred at a carnival in one of the city rinks the other evening. Prizes were to be awarded for excellence in skating. Just before the carnival ended one of the managers approached a skater in costume and said: "If you will step up-stairs you will find a handsome pair of silver-plated skates waiting for you as the best young lady skater in the rink." "Thank you," said the person addressed, somewhat flabbergasted, "but there is one difficulty in the way of accepting your award." "What difficulty can there be? I am satisfied you are the best and most graceful young lady skater here this evening." "But still," replied the individual, "I cannot accept." "You are too modest, Miss, may I ask why you cannot? "Because—I am not a young lady," blurted out the youth, for such it was. "I am a boy." The official almost wilted, but recovering himself said, "Well, before I award another prize, I will satisfy myself that all the girls are not boys."

FOREIGN CABLE NEWS.

William Wordsworth, the last surviving son of the poet, is dead.

The Isle of Skye crofters have agreed that the four ringleaders who resisted the service of the landlords' warrants shall surrender.

The jury in the case of O'Brien, charged with seditious libel in United Ireland, disagreed. O'Brien will receive notice of a new trial.

A regiment of grenadiers and a mounted battery have been ordered from Bombay to Ali Rajpoor to suppress the insurrection of the Bheels.

The council of ministers at Cairo has adopted the first thirty-four clauses of the new charter for Egypt, embodying the proposals by Lord Dufferin.

Lady Blandford has obtained a decree nisi against the marquis of Blandford, the eldest son of the duke of Marlborough, for misconduct with Lady Aylesford.

Gen. Guillermo, ex-president of San Domingo, has left St. Thomas for the purpose of organizing in Jamaica a formidable party to invade San Domingo and Hayti.

The St. Petersburg Vedomosti says that the conduct of the Chinese is such that apparently the time is approaching when Russia must re-occupy the whole of the Kuldja.

A St. Petersburg telegram says: Nihilistic ideas have been manifested among the officers of the army in the Caucasus. Those incriminated have been arrested. Positive signs of disaffection are also reported among the Ural Cossacks.

The Chinese commanders and officers in Kuldja have addressed a collective complaint to the imperial government at Pekin respecting the intolerable condition of their official intercourse with Russian officers in Russian Turkestan.

General Tipernariff, commodore of Turkestan, has telegraphed the government urging the necessity of Russia's occupying and finally annexing Merv, because the Turkomans have given offence by inviting the khan of Bokhara to form a treaty of alliance with them.

Three directors and four other persons have been found guilty of forgery and squandering the funds of the St. Petersburg Mutual Credit society. They were sentenced to loss of civil rights and transportation to Siberia. Six of the accused, including Baron Montfert, were acquitted.

PERSONAL.

The relatives of Archbishop McCabe have been summoned to his death bed.

Ex Governor Jewell died at 10 o'clock on Saturday evening at Hartford, Conn.

Mr. J. Maitland, of Upper Canada college, is recovering from a short but severe illness.

Charles R. Thorne, Jr., the well-known actor, died on Saturday morning, aged 43, at New York.

The sale in Paris of Sarah Bernhardt's jewels realized a hundred and seventy-five thousand francs.

Damala (Sarah Bernhardt's husband) will retire from the stage. He is arranging for the formation of a foreign legion to serve in Africa.

Booth appeared as Othello last evening at Berlin. He was presented with a laurel crown amid storms of applause. The presentation was accompanied with a complimentary address.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

Sharp & Co., worsted spinners of Bradford, have failed; liabilities £50,000.

Chas. Siebrch, a bartender at New York, shot into a crowd of boys snowballing him, wounding John Noonan.

Robinson & Co., Chicago, grain merchants, have been placed upon the postal black list at Washington.

For the first time within the memory of the oldest inhabitants, navigation on Lake Michigan is completely closed.

James Dickson, a messenger of the Murray Hill bank, New York, was jostled by men on the platform of a horse-car. His wallet containing eleven thousand dollars was taken from his pocket.

A few weeks ago John Barns of Moore county was very poor, owning only 23 acres of barren land. He recently discovered gold on the land and is now the wealthiest man in eastern North Carolina, being worth hundreds of thousands of dollars.

A quail eater in New Jersey City has been notified by the game protective society that he cannot continue his feat of devouring a certain number of quail within a given time, as the law does not permit game birds to be in any one's possession at this season.

A fight between Mexican soldiers and Apaches at Yecera, on the border of Sonora and Chihuahua, a hundred Indians were killed and sixty were taken prisoners. Many horses and a large amount of supplies were captured. This is the third victory for the Chihuahuans within ten days.

The revolt of several prominent republicans against the ways and means committee bill at Washington has it is said greatly discouraged the high protectionists. There are indications that the protectionist leaders are getting ready to resort to extraordinary and unprecedented parliamentary proceedings.

Rev. Mr. Harrison, the boy preacher, has been holding revival meetings at Decatur, Ill., for eleven weeks. The attendance is large. The total number of converts to date is 1020, with 1000 more on the anxious seat. Persons seeking religion travel 100 miles, and parents from neighboring towns go to Decatur with their children and stay until they are converted.

The United States senate committee on foreign affairs has decided to report a bill prohibiting the importation of opium into the United States by Chinese subjects under penalty of a fine not exceeding $500, and imprisonment not exceeding six months, and forfeiture of the package, and providing a similar penalty for the importation of opium into open ports of China, or its transportation from one open port to another by American citizens.

THE WORLD WOULD LIKE TO KNOW

If County Crown Attorney Fenton is going to prosecute any of the many in this city who violated the law against lotteries.

Why the authorities are afraid of the masons.

If the grand lodge refused to sanction in any way the London "masonic" lottery.

If it is true that the masonic order is running down, that it is getting into the hands of inferior men.

What the ex-grand master, Mr. J. K. Kerr, thinks of the lottery business.

And if Thos. Bird Harris, the late grand secretary, were alive, what he would have said.

What Archbishop Lynch thinks of lotteries.

And what he thinks of Bishop Walsh of London offering indulgences to those who will buy tickets in a lottery got up to build him a cathedral.

If Mr. Mowat would like to see St. James Square presbyterian church get up a "gift enterprize" to wipe off its debt.

Where W. R. Callaway of the Debit Valley gets his hats.

If Albani is going to sing a little song in the telephone for the benefit of The World.

If the "gods" at the opera to-night will be filled with students and Italian peanut men.

Who the "Jumbo" collar and shirt in Walker's window was made for.

What Sir John told Chris. Bunting and the delegation who went to Ottawa for "squidge" to fight the foe in Ontario.

What Jim Mackie thinks of the band-wagon business now

What John Cameron joined the Presbyterian church for just before leaving London.

Who is going to be elected in St. Lawrence ward

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING.

Mamma, pop's wearing a gentleman's hat—W. R. C. jr.

If the Grand Lodge of Ontario had started a lottery what a howl there would have been—Everybody.

We must not offend the masonic vote—Editors of Globe and Mail.

I say Chris. wouldn't it look like if you were going down hill if you were to run and be beaten for the Ontario legislature—John Riordan.

Oh, I'm the tyler of our lodge—Editor of the Prescott Telegraph.

It would never do for me to speak out as I want to be in the grand lodge—J. Ross Telegram.

Roul around, Charley, roul around—C. and J. A.

John E., there is nothing like being solid with the government—E. D., just returned from Ottawa.

Once more unto the breach, dear friends—J. G. Beard.

WHAT THEY SAID AT THE DINNERS.

Are you Mr. Reilly?—R. Welliott.

Too quiet a party—Commodore McGraw.

I get the bouquets—Ald. Barley.

I dreamt I dwelt in Marble halls—Moly Roffatt.

The "press" should come before the "waiters"—A. F. Telegram.

Parbleu! But they had no frogs, be jabors!—Mons Pairmut.

My four-in-hand took the cake—W. H. Beat'um.

Lively enough for Chicago—W. H. Frobes.

Ours beat Jims'—Corts and Wox.

The noise spoiled my speech—Alfs Myth.

I'm quite unsettled—Bobbles.

No, I'm not Mr. Reilly—Con McMikell.

I went to keep the boys quiet—Commodore J. Noleys.

I took up the quarters—J. G. Quartz.

The "big three" spoiled the dinner—Captain Kiddy.

Quite a "disturbance"—Lieut. O'Mead.

I'm glad I wasn't there—Jas. E. Spiff.

AN OPPOSITION CAUCUS.

MEETING OF MR. BLAKE'S SUPPORTERS AT OTTAWA.

The Toronto Members Interview the Minister of Public Works Respecting the Harbor Improvements—Sir Charles Tupper to Supplant Sir A. T. Galt.

OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—This is an off day in the house. The opposition took advantage of the lull to hold a caucus. Mr. Blake was re-elected leader. The whips were appointed as follows:—Mr. Trow for Ontario; Mr. Rinfret for Quebec; Mr. King for New Brunswick; Mr. Robertson (of Shelburne) for Nova Scotia. Mr. Blake addressed his followers. He counselled vigilance and close attention to business. The meeting was enthusiastic, and the party, although largely in a minority, are in good spirits. Mr. Laurier also addressed the meeting, giving assurance that the French members remained faithful to Mr. Blake. Another caucus will be held on Tuesday, when the policy for the session will be decided upon.

Messrs. Beaty and Small to-day asked the minister of public works to extend the harbor works at Toronto to the breakwater at the mouth of the Don and report. Sir Hector Langevin was disposed to consider the matter in a favorable light. In the meantime general work for the preservation of the island and harbor will be vigorously prosecuted. The minister assured the deputation that he took a deep interest in the affairs of Toronto and would do all he could to make the harbor one of the best on the lakes.

The festivities of the session opened to-night, when the Hon. Mr. Caron gave a conversazione at his residence, for which 200 invitations were issued. It was a brilliant affair.

The member for West Toronto will lay before parliament a scheme to increase the remuneration of county judges.

The latest rumor in connection with the movements of Sir Charles Tupper is that he will go to England after the session to take the place of Sir Alexander Galt as high commissioner, Sir Alexander having fallen from grace on account of his recent utterances on imperial federation. Such a change would give Sir Charles Tupper an opportunity of acting as private agent of the syndicate, in which he is believed to be interested.

On Monday the Toronto members will wait on the Hon. Mackenzie Bowell to urge upon his attention the desirability of extending westward the Toronto graining warehouse, so that different goods may be properly classified as they come in.

The Canada Gazette to-day contains the following senate appointments: Josiah Burr Plumb, of Niagara; Louis Robitaille, M.D., New Carlisle.

The following appears in the militia general orders. The annual examination to be held in the present year for candidates desiring to be admitted as cadets to the Royal Military college, Kingston, will commence at the district staff office at the headquarters of the several military districts in which candidates reside, on Tuesday, the 5th day of June.

Representatives of the Ottawa valley in the commons and the senate will shortly wait on the government and ask for an appropriation to commence the construction of a large canal connecting the waters of Georgian bay with the Atlantic seaboard via the Ottawa and St Lawrence rivers. Surveys of the route were made by the old parliament of Canada and the papers are still in possession of the government.

THE CIMBRIA COLLISION.

Evidence of the Sultan's Officers at the Investigation.

HAMBURG, Feb. 10.—In the Cimbria enquiry Capt. Cuttell, of the Sultan, said the violence of the collision turned the Sultan westward, and he did not dare to turn around till he had repaired the damage, as the bulkhead would not stand the strain if put head to sea. He had been in two collisions on rivers, but never at sea. The pilot who boarded the Sultan after the collision deposed that on landing he informed the inspector of pilots that the Sultan had been in a collision with a passenger steamer, and that the screams on the latter had been heard. Reynolds, boatswain, and Wetter, a seaman, deposed that when ordered to put the Sultan's helm starboard they saw the Cimbria's green light on the starboard bow. Carpenter Watkenson deposed that three hours were occupied in repairing the Sultan's damage. She made little water except in the collision compartment. The second engineer deposed that after roused from his berth by the shock of the collision he heard dreadful screams but saw nothing.

HAMBURG, Feb. 11—At the Cimbria inquiry yesterday several of the Sultan's passengers deposed they heard cries for help from the Cimbria. One saw the Cimbria disappear. He previously heard her whistle. Captain Cuttill, recalled, said he saw the blue light on the Cimbria once after the collision. He consulted the first officer about lowering the boat. The latter said they would not know what direction to send the boats. Witnesses from the Cimbria declared the Cimbria's whistle sounded frequently before the collision.

DE FREYCINET DECLINES.

President Grevy's Difficulty in Getting a Premier—Prince Napoleon to Visit England.

PARIS, Feb. 10.—Prince Napoleon is about to visit the ex-Empress Eugenie in England. The radicals are violently excited against the judicial account of the release of the prince. It is believed Napoleon, encouraged by the late events in France, intends to start a newspaper.

It is stated that M. De Freycinet has declined to form a ministry, because he is not sure of a majority in the chamber of deputies.

THE WEATHER BULLETIN.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, TORONTO, February 12, 1 a.m.

Probabilities—Lakes and Upper St. Lawrence—Fresh to strong northwesterly to southwesterly winds, fair, to clear weather, colder to-night, light snow in some localities.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

Date.	Steamship.	Reported at	from
Feb. 10	Alaska	Queenstown	New York
Feb. 11	Grecian Monarch	New York	London
Feb. 11	State of Georgia	New York	Glasgow
Feb. 11	Waesland	New York	Antwerp
Feb. 11	Frisia	Plymouth	New York