

BALLYBAY.

AN IRISH TALE OF THE PRESENT DAY.

CHAPTER XX. THE RISING.

At last the remonstrances of MacIlwaine and the Ballybay men seemed to have had its effect, for arms began to arrive.

Many of the brotherhood were ready to weep with joy when the case containing the so-longed-for treasure was exposed at a private meeting in a public-house friendly to the cause.

At last the case was opened, and the general disappointment may be imagined when it was found to contain but a dozen rifles.

"Of what use are these?" asked several of the men, angrily, when case after case of pikes was taken out.

However there was no use in mourning; and the conspirators set to work learning as best they could how pikes could be made useful in fight.

Meantime the condition of things in Dublin was equally unsatisfactory. The chiefs of the party knew still that the organization was utterly unprepared—that there were no arms, that but few persons were yet properly drilled, and that England was now freed from embarrassment, and therefore never better able to stamp out a rebellion. But of these things the rank and file knew nothing or would know nothing. They wanted fight and wanted it at once.

The leaders, conscious of the general feeling, were in a state of perplexity. To calm the general impatience they had over and over again to make promises in which they did not themselves believe.

One scene among many will illustrate the state of feeling.

John Bryan was a tall, muscular man; young and strong at 65; grey-eyed, grey-haired, large-limbed, and strong-boned—a man ready and eager for desperate enterprises. He was the Centre of one of the country districts, and his district, it was remarked, was particularly eager for the conflict. Suddenly John disappeared from his home, and, when next seen, was in a gunshop in Dublin.

A friend met him as he was coming out. "Hallo! John, what have you been doing there?"

"Buying a revolver."

"For what purpose?"

"To shoot a traitor," said John, decisively, and walking rapidly away.

John went straight to the house of the conspiracy.

The Chief received him with great politeness and with great calmness; he owed much of his enormous influence to a Napoleonic impassivity.

"I want to know," said John, standing up "straight as a rush," and utterly ignoring the polite invitation to take a seat; "I want to know when the rising is going to take place?"

The Chief looked at John for a few seconds straight in the face. Then he said in a quiet voice—

"I believe Mr. Bryan, you are a carpenter?"

"Yes, sir; and get me a better if you can."

"You see this table that stands between us? Could you make as good a table as that?"

"Of course I could."

"Could you make it without tools, Mr. Bryan? Answer me that."

Bryan said nothing.

"You could not, Mr. Bryan," continued the Chief, "nor can I make a revolution without tools."

"By G—, sir, you're right, said John. "Look here," and he took out a revolver.

"I brought that here for to shoot you; but, by G—, sir, you're right."

And, without another word, John left the room and took the first train home.

When he got there, people remarked that he made no allusion whatever to his recent excursion.

All malcontents, however, were not easily managed as John Bryan. And at last the Chief had to name a certain day for the rising.

A deputation went over to Dublin from England and a meeting was held.

Among the members of the deputation were many remarkable men—men capable by their talents and energies of doing great things, if fortune had but cast their lot in another country, and if they had not been born to a heritage of weakness and retarded defeat.

The Chief or the conspiracy and several of the Dublin leaders strenuously took up the other side; but their arguments were overruled, and the meeting broke up with the resolve that the appeal to arms should be immediately made.

The next few weeks must have been to many Irishmen the most glorious weeks of their existence, for their hopes were still high, and their hearts were throbbing with the anticipation of great events.

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Up to the last report, \$508.03 had been collected as the McDougall Memorial Fund. The deceased minister, who perished last winter in a northwest snowstorm, had rendered signal services to the State in his negotiations with the Indians, who placed the most implicit confidence in his promises. The fund referred to is being raised under the auspices of the Methodist Church alone.

The Presbyterian Synod in England, connected with the Established Church of Scotland, is in the throes of dissolution. All its members but three have resolved to join the English Presbyterian Church. The three dissentients have intimated their intention of going over to the Church of England. Dr. John Cumming is one of the latter.

France has taken a noble forward step in education. The Government has decided to organize a first class university at Paris, Lyons, Bordeaux and Nancy, each of which shall have an independent status, and also to adopt the obligatory principle. This is a virtual adoption of the Prussian system, and when carried out will place France in the first rank of modern European nations.

The Hamilton Field Battery, under the command of Capt. Smith, commenced their annual drill in the city on the 26th of June.

Comment to Luther is to be erected at Guelph, Germany, his native town. The Emperor has given 8,000 marks toward it.



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Guelph, May 21st.

PIANO TUNING.

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NOTICE—Cane Bottomed Chairs re-seated in the very best manner by Mrs. Darby. Residence near Geo. Lewis' Packing House, No. 28, Farquhar at rear of Drill Shed. Orers promptly attended to. a1s-dty

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THOS. GREET, Manager

Guelph, Jan. 20, 1876.

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Guelph, 29th, May 1876.

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1 Case Eoru Nets and Laces,

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