

the train, after which they returned to town. Nothing, however, occurred till they reached the Waterside end of the bridge, where they were met by a party of the Muff Glen, who passed some of those in the front of Mr. Ferguson's party, which consisted of about eight or nine young men and a dozen girls, and attacked those in the rear with bludgeons, and knocked them down, at the same time shouting for Muff Glen. Mr. Ferguson then saw a party coming across the bridge, which he at first thought was a party of constabulary, but which, as they approached proved to be about 50 or 60 of the same mob. Seeing themselves likely to be surrounded, Mr. Ferguson's party felt that their only chance of escape was to drive their first assailants back. Several shots were exchanged, and some hand-to-hand encounters took place, but at length the Muff Glen men were driven into Waterside Street, and Mr. Ferguson's party took refuge in the house of a man named Buchanan, adjoining the end of the bridge. Here they erected a strong barricade, and, though the mob attacked the house, and broke several of the windows, the party remained safe until the arrival of the Mayor and Captain Keogh with a force of constabulary and a troop of Carabiniers, who escorted them over the bridge. In the meantime, a number of those for the same train, who had not been fortunate enough to get along with the escort, were made to suffer for the want of such protection. Every one of them who passed over the bridge was chased by the mob and beaten in some cases in a most inhuman manner. A young man, who resides about a mile from the Waterside, was returning home with his sister when he was set upon by about twenty, who struck him with sticks on the head and shoulders, knocked him down, and kicked him several times when he was on the ground. In another case a man named Cassidy, from Ballymoney, was set upon and beaten most brutally. He was removed in a very weak condition to the house of a friend at the Waterside. These are two out of several cases of a somewhat similar nature in which persons were attacked by this mob which occupied the bridge. About five o'clock, their conduct was such that the Mayor when he arrived on the spot with a troop of Carabiniers read the riot act and ordered the bridge to be cleared. The Carabiniers charged and soon dispersed the mob, and put an end to the disgraceful scenes which had been enacted on the

bridge for about a quarter or half-an-hour. On the Carlist Road an attack was made by another mob on the escort of police and Carabiniers which conducted Mr. Ferguson and his party from the Waterside. A large volley of stones was thrown at them, and also at Captain Keogh, who rode up after them. The Carabiniers charged down the Carlist Road and up Hawkin's Street, twice, and made several arrests. The mob consisting largely of women, groaned Captain Keogh and the military, and also the Mayor. These were the only disturbances of a serious nature that occurred till ten o'clock, though large numbers of people kept moving about the streets and solitary individuals on their way home were attacked. Mr. Augustus Gregg, a son of the Town Clerk, was attacked while passing through Waterloo Place, and was obliged to seek shelter by flight. Several most respectable ladies, who happened to have some crimson ribbons on their necks, were also molested. In William Street, the house of a man named Farleigh, where some of the Carabiniers were billeted was attacked by a mob. The Carabiniers rushed out with their sabres and charged them. A party of police came to their assistance and dispersed the mob, but not till they had done considerable damage by stone throwing. One man was arrested in the act of throwing a stone at the sub-inspector. A man was injured during the *molee* that ensued. During the remainder of the night no disturbance took place, but the police in large bodies, kept possession of the streets. The number of arrests made during the day and night was forty.

This morning an attempt was made to renew the disgraceful scenes of the preceding evening. While a man named Campbell, the station-master at Trillick, and some friends from Glasgow were on their way to the railway station, they were attacked by a mob of about 100, and badly beaten. Two ran into the goods shed and took shelter in the office, to which the mob followed them, but a policeman who guarded the door prevented their doing further injury. One of the others was knocked down with stones, and the fourth escaped over a wall. One of the party was arrested. During the day nothing worthy of notice occurred, and though towards evening a large number of persons were on the streets, no riot or disturbance took place.

DERRY, Sunday.

At half-past eleven last night a serious riot occurred at Bishop's Gate. A number of the opposing parties met, and stones and