The Opposition to Parnell Increasing—His Own Constituency Going Against Him.

ea Auction House in gns—Texas Wholers Embarrassed.

, Dec. 3.—The Rittenring Mills have failed, \$800,000. The assets newhat less. The fail bout by the embarrass. ses and the low price

vool market. of the largest and beste woolen trade in the organized in 1876 by own, Charles H. Am-Clark. William Barour Flax Spinning com-pointed receiver. The the Rittenhouse com-tork are Ammidown & of his house is Edward and it is reported that i commission firm commission firm and onally are heavily in-ure of the Rittenhouse business of the manu-has been poor for a long nills have lately been dily.

lec. 3.—The evening at the regular auction ay Richard M. Montnced that their firm uidation, owing to the Addition, owing to the agencies, and had been to fa receiver. It was I that a stock company, ichard M. Montgomery mission company, will ganized. Montgomery were entirely satisfied nents. George S. ents. George S. Coe, American Exchange ecciver. Richard M. are the largest auction

x., Dec. 3. — Brady grocers, have failed. 0: assets, \$80,000. THE STRAITS. the Breakwater to be-Work Vigorously

the Port Crescent In-, arrived in town last San Francisco, by the purchase additional that the construction of the breakwater may be all possible expedition tion during the winter, weed on the work were beon the work were he for room, so that they as to the number of oy advantageously. It t, that by the spring difficulty in the way of more men. The clear-and the right of way t Crescent and Chehalis vigorously, upon the contractors' camps nen. Instructions irom Tacoma from Tacoma the right of way, and this would be

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HE COLONIST. 4.—Inspector Fenn, en here, but they were ing residence in this before Commissioner ed here that those ar-misled Commissioner identity in order to be impossible to stop ng Chinamen into this e narrowness of the ence of custom house

utz, manager of the vement company, left ictoria, and thence he to purchase some late l machinery for the ock, to be used in the

n the Grand Trunk to ard at Lachine. .—A switchman at the at Lachine this mornat Lachine this morn-stern express for the train, and switched is Before the mistake engine had jumped into ge car lang between ater, and the rear cars rack. Engineer Kosh sundoubtedly drowned. ed in the river and gers were injured.

New York. 3.—Fire this evening milding at 55 Leonard 00 worth of damage, are Sampson & Co, Iacobus & Carlisle, dry is, Frank & Son, \$25.

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M'CARTHY VS. PARNELL. public will be made col not be made so long as The Split in the Irish Party—Fifty
McCarthyites Against Thirty-one
Parnellites.

Sunday Afternoon's Meeting in Phoenix Park - Timothy Healy Burned in Effigy.

their opponents rested on their arms to-day, after the exciting events of yesterday. Nearly all the members attended church in the morning, and Parnell secluded himself

anxious to force an appeal to the country as soon as possible, and claim that their antagonists are afraid to submit the issue of their conduct to the people.

It is stated on the

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

The Irish Members Now Divided Into Two Parties in the House of Commons.

oth Sides Préparing for a Rou Campaign—Healy's Ability as a Parliamentarian.

ament Will he Dissolved About Easter—The Government
Rushing Legislation.

ondon, Dec. 8.—There is now little about Easter. The government means before that time to have passed the Land Purohase bill, the bill for Irish County Government and the Tithes bill. These three
measures, it is hoped, will go far towards
allaying the existing discontent on both
sides of St. George's channel. The Land
Purchase bill is making rapid progress and
the County Government bill will be pushed
through with equal celerity. There is
practically no opposition to the Tithes bill,
except in the Tory ranks, and that does not
make itself heard, except in grumbling.
The collection of tithes under the present
system is very unpopular, and is the cause
of many collisions between the authorities
and the people, especially in Wales, where
many of the farmers are dissenters and object to being taxed directly for the benefit
of the clergy.

THE SPLIT IN THE PARTY.

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O'Brien for the Reunion of the Party.

The Vacancy in North Kilkenny wil be Contested by Both Parties.

Campaign in Prospect—Corman Mahon Wanted to Challenge Parnell.

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A BIG ROW

A Winnipeg dispatch announces that a big row is brewing between the Canadian Pacific and grain dealers. The railway is accused by many grain buyers of giving a big reduction on rates to the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, which is companied by road magnates, and the Orilivies. Both firms are the biggest grain dealers in the country. These two firms are paying eded. I seem that all other dealers have been forced to retire from companient by the prices they are paying. It is claimed that the road must be giving a rebate to the firms amed, as otherwise they could not pay the prices they are paying. It is claimed that the company is being influenced by the Dominion pay is being influenced by the Dominion of Overnment, which is bound to see that the price paid for wheat in Manitoba is as high as that paid in Minnesota and the Dakotas.

The Butterfield Libel Suis.

London, Dec. 9.—The trial of the American companies' promoter, G. W. Butterfield, on a charge of publishing libels against the analysis of the Financial News, was continued to-day. Widow Koppell, on cross-examination as to her evidence against Marks, yesterday, admitted that he had no documentary evidence to prove that Marks and ever promised to marry her. She had signed receipts for sums of money without knowing the nature of the documents. She supposed that she had been intoxicated at the object is political, and that the company is being influenced by the Dominion of the Carlon of the American companies' promoter, G. W. Butterfield Libel Suis.

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THE NEW PORTS OF ENTRY.

basis as Port Townsend, in so far as their standing as ports of entry is concerned. The collector at Port Townsend ruled that vessels from Seattle and Tacoma must report at Prot Townsend, which is the beadquarters of the district. This was an annoyance, and caused some delay in business. Under the secretary's interpretation, vessels will be allowed to clear at Seattle and Tacoma without stop.

King Kalakana's Propesal.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS.

BY ATEMANTIC CABINE.

Modus Vivendi Concluded With Portugal in Regard to African Territory.

The Persecution of Jews in Russia-Letter of Sympathy from Card-inal Manning.

ang of Incendiaries Burning Build-ings in Berlin for the Sake of Plunder.

Dr. Koch's Experiment

VIENNA, Dec. 9.—A combination has been formed by several insurance companies not to insure the property of the Jews on the grounds that dealings with that class shows no profit, owing to the frequency of fires affecting their property.

BERLIN, Dec. 9.—A religious revolution on a small scale is reported from Prussia, near Konigsberg. A very popular PROVINCIAL NEWS.

Mayor Oppenheimer Re-elected by a Handsome Majority at Vancouver—The New Council.

Mayor Brown Secures a Second Term in Westminster—Rumors of a Contest in Nanaimo.

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