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Who is that blowing his nose?—demands the poor vicar, looking daggery in the direction of the sound. Clarissa, who is the nearest to him as he makes this observation, just says herself from laughing aloud.

no reason in the world why you should be grumpy, because you are in love with the girl. I don't want to interfere with you.

REVIEW OF BOOKS. THE O'HART'S Irish Pedigree. The third edition of this celebrated work, so long expected, has at length been given to the world, by the author, John O'Harte, of Bingsend, Dublin.

of the race and its glorious traditions. We may add, though not by way of advertisement, that this magnificent work can be procured through Saddle & Co., Montreal, for three dollars and a quarter (\$3.25), or from the author, direct, Bingsend, Dublin, as also that it has the full approval of Sir Bernard Burke, Ulster King-at-Arms, and the greatest authority on genealogy and heraldry now living, and that Queen Victoria has accepted Mr. O'Harte's pedigree of herself as authentic.

SKOBELOFF'S SPEECH. An address upon Russia's internal condition. The German press indignantly reproaches William says the provocation must stop—Energetic measures talked of.

and I call upon you all to bear witness that neither I nor any one of us is or can be speaking on this occasion under any abnormal influence. We live at a time when even Cabinet secrets are badly kept, and what is spoken on this occasion will of necessity be divulged, so that extra caution would not be amiss.

Lord Alfred raises his brows. "She has a magnificent voice, and is very beautiful," he says, evenly. "Yet—do you know? she reminds me somewhat of Harriet."

CHAPTER XVII. "There was a sound revery by night."

So Doran returns to town, and stops there until the annual hunt ball, of which he is a steward, summons him back to Fillingham.

FOR SICK HEADACHE AND SEA SICKNESS.—Take a teaspoonful of Perry Davis Pain-Killer in hot water, sweetened with loaf sugar, every hour till relieved.

IN NORMAL CONDITION. I have one thing more to say to you, gentlemen. But allow me here to exchange my beaker with wine for a tumbler with water,

now in stock.

New Advertisements. There is no excuse for suffering from CONSTIPATION and a thousand other diseases that owe their origin to a disordered state of the Stomach and Bowels, and inaction of the Digestive Organs, when the use of DR. HENRY BAXTER'S MANDRAKE BITTERS will give immediate relief, and in a short time effect a permanent cure.

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CATHOLIC CALENDAR.

- THURSDAY, 2.—Feria. FRIDAY, 3.—Most Holy Crown of Thorns. Saturday, 4.—St. Casimir, King and Confessor. Ember Day. Coronation of Pope Leo XIII, 1878. Bp. Lefevre, Detroit, died, 1869. SUNDAY, 5.—Second Sunday in Lent. Epist. 1 Thess. iv. 1-7; Gosp. Matt. xvii. 1-9. MONDAY, 6.—Feria. Bp. Reynolds, Charleston, died, 1856. TUESDAY, 7.—St. Thomas, Aquinas, Confessor and Doctor of the Church. SS. Perpetua and Felicitas, Martyrs. WEDNESDAY, 8.—St. John of God, Confessor.

It is now said that General Skobelev's speech to the Serbian students was delivered for the purpose of affecting the money market of Europe. Few, however, will credit this. General Skobelev's character does not warrant such belief.

The boom in Manitoba still continues; there is, in fact, an actual corner in land. Lots are sold to-day for sums which one-fourth of them will bring to-morrow, and one-tenth a week hence.

Was the action of those responsible, directly or indirectly, for the misfortunes caused by the Union Generale, is considered one ceases to be established that France, in the darkest period of her history, military or financial, under the Monarchy, Empire or Republic, has always had command of the money markets of the world.

The tactics adopted by certain parties to injure the trade of the Messrs. Fogarty & Brother and James McCreedy & Co., well-known and well established boot and shoe manufacturers of this city, are of the most despicable nature.

Michael Davitt, Apostle of the Land League, is now one of the members of Parliament for Royal Meath, instead of A. M. Sullivan, who resigned through ill-health.

He attended to his parliamentary duties, which were, of course, defeated upon which Patrick Egan, Land League Treasurer, will obtain the seat, except indeed Mr. Gladstone has him arrested. But no matter what occurs, a follower of Gladstone will not sit in Parliament for Meath.

We extract the following from an editorial in the Connecticut Catholic, which we take as an evidence of the vigour with which Mr. Daly is pushing his work in the New England States. The Canadian Government is evidently very anxious to settle up their Northwest territory, and seem determined to use every available means of bringing about the desired end.

The Toronto World, one of our most brilliant exchanges, is very seldom wrong in its editorial statements.

It is not yet been charged against them. It is far more likely that Skobelev is a prophet than a money changer.

It may be some source of consolation to the Irish suspects in their prison cells, that the man who has placed them there is not happy.

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It is a great mistake to suppose that the embracing of two depositions, uncle and nephew, be it never so sincere, can affect the friendship or hatred existing between two great and ambitious races to any extent.

Sir Hector Langevin's bill for the reform of the Civil Service has been read the second time, and it will soon become the law of the land. So much the better; it is time the Civil Service be reformed.

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THE QUEBEC TELEGRAPH AND THE HON. MR. FLYNN. We do not precisely know what reason our brightly contemporary, the Quebec Telegraph has for abusing Hon. Mr. Flynn, nor do we care much.

THE BUDGET SPEECH. One thing plainly evident—no matter by what influence it has been brought about—is that the country is prosperous. We will not do the Liberal party the injustice of supposing that they would, for the sake of party advantages, have it otherwise.

THE LETTERS OF NORA. The Treasurer of the fund for the publication in pamphlet form, once more thanks the subscribers who so generously and so promptly responded to his call.

We would request correspondents to write only on one side of the paper; if they do not follow this advice their contributions will be of necessity delayed.

We would respectfully request the Quebec Telegraph to cease howling about Government situations. It is undignified, and it has no authority to speak as it is speaking.

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Prince Leopold's marriage will be celebrated between April 26 and May 3. Preparations are in progress at Windsor Castle for the reception of a number of visitors, and every corner will be occupied.

CITY AND SUBURBAN

Mr. Arthur... of the Courrier de Montreal, was married on the 21st inst. to Miss Leda B. de Vaux, of Three Rivers.

Mr. William Powell of Cobble Hill... near Reddick, Worcester, is a son of the late Chief Justice of the Province of Ontario.

THE SMITH DIAMONDS RECOVERED. Our readers will remember the great Melvin Smith diamond robbery of a few months ago.

CATHOLIC CLUB. At the last regular weekly meeting of the Catholic Club there was a large attendance.

ST. ANN'S T. A. & B. SOCIETY. On Ash Wednesday of every year the St. Ann's Total Abstinence and Benevolent Society hold a general anniversary meeting.

FATAL SHOOTING AFFRAY. This afternoon about one o'clock a terrible tragedy occurred in David Jones' saloon on the corner of McGill and Notre Dame street.

At this juncture the weapon went off, and the bullet struck a white man named John Hayes, who was near by.

A paper has been discovered in the archives of Venezuela, dated 1780, which gives an historical summary of early projects for piercing the Isthmus of Panama.

Of the 300 members of the Irish House of Commons in 1783, only 72 were returned by the free election of the people.

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by one of the combatants, the man whose hand caused the fatal result is guilty of murder in the first degree and must die the death of a felon.

The jurors do say and declare that on the 25th day of the month of February, 1882, in the city of Montreal, in the District of Montreal, within the Province of Quebec.

Another of the pioneers of Hemmingford passed away on the 17th of last month in the person of Mr. Arthur McAleer, in the 82nd year of his age.

ATMOSPHERE AT THE TABLE. It is impossible to estimate properly the immense influence which is exerted upon a household by the atmosphere of the family table.

Everybody knows that food digests better when in agreeable company. It was something more than a pleasure which made a friend remark that he could not have his wife and child pass the summer away from him.

Among the signatories to the requisition to the Lord Mayor of London to call a public meeting on behalf of the persecuted Jews in Russia, were Cardinal Manning, the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Earl of Shaftesbury, Mr. S. Morley, Dr. Darwin, and Professor Tyndall.

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CATHOLIC NEWS

The Redemptorist Fathers of Quebec have commenced holding missions in the adjoining parishes.

A collection of Latin poems by the Holy Father, Leo XIII., will shortly be published.

The Roman Catholic Church is steadily gaining in England, says the Liverpool Catholic Times. There is no "break in the steady flow of conversions."

Fr. Heneberry has induced 60,000 Roman Catholics in the Austrian colonies to become totalitarians, and according to a Victorian journal, not more than one per cent have broken their pledges.

The Berlin Germania says that Herr Von Schlozer, the German representative at the Vatican, and Cardinal Jacobini, the Papal Secretary of State, held a conference twice a week.

Successful. One acolyte of the apostolic vicariate of Nebraska will be ordained sub-deacon, and ten sub-deacons of the arch-diocese of Quebec will be ordained deacons.

The following are the names of the officials of the new Roman Catholic Ecclesiastical Court just established in Quebec for the trial of Church matters: Official, very Rev. M. Cyrille, E. Legare; Assessor, Mgr. J. O. Daziel, Rev. J. Andrieu, Rev. E. Bourque, Rev. M. G. Methot; Promoter, Rev. M. H. Tetu; Chancellor, Rev. M. C. A. Marois; Vice-Chancellor, Rev. M. C. A. Marois.

Cardinal Jacobini, Pontifical Secretary of State, has written a letter to the Archbishop of Toledo, in which he says: "Considering the fears which have been aroused in various quarters as to the presence of a great number of pilgrims in Rome and the dissensions in many dioceses in regard to the formation of committees, the Pope desires to substitute regional pilgrimages, which would arrive in Rome successively, for a national pilgrimage."

Six Fathers of the Redemptorist Order, who devote themselves to preach missions, will arrive at Halifax, N. S., on 10th March, to give, by request of the Archbishop, a series of lectures and instructions to Catholics of that city.

Rev. Mr. Neream, of St. Sulpice, Montreal, has arrived in Quebec to give evidence before the Commission appointed by the Archbishop on the proposed beatification of Mgr. Laval.

The Oblate Sisters of Providence (colored) of Baltimore, have suffered a loss in the death of their foundress, Sister Mary Elizabeth Lange, which occurred on Friday morning, February 23, at St. Francis Academy, Chase and Constitution streets.

The New York Sun thus very concisely and very fairly explains what an agnostic is:— "An agnostic is a man who does not know whether there is a God or not, whether he has a life or not, whether there is a future life or not; doesn't believe any one else knows more about these matters than he does, and that it is a waste of time to find out."

The Rev. Father Scully of Cambridge, Mass., is a severe condemnor of church fairs. "They demoralize our girls," he says, "more than do our lowest theatres, for girls, armed with their church fair book, go forth under religious and parental sanction where they please and when they please, entering even barrooms to solicit chances and votes.

M. Leon Taxil, editor of two journals of Montpellier, "Le Midi Republicain" and "L'Anti-clerical," commented the publication of an infamous romance, referring to Pius IX., which was denounced promptly as a tissue of calumnious falsehoods by the "Union Nationale" of Montpellier.

"Sister Margaret" Haughey was buried in New Orleans last week. She was of Catholic faith, and devoted her life to the benefaction of others, winning the love of people of all sects.

Brooklyn, which has been named the city of churches, is becoming a city of theatres. At least three churches have been changed into theatres within a short space of time, which shows that theatrical managers have concluded that people who patronize the religious circuses of Brooklyn's favorite sons, Beecher and Talmage, do not want religion.

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May laws and to authorize the expelled priests to return to their parishes if the Pope would consent to fix his future residence at Frankfurt. He promised that the city should be neutralized, as in the time of the German Confederation, and offered the Pope its temporal sovereignty, with a subsidy of many millions per annum.

We learn that one of the projects with which the Holy Father is occupied at present is the creation of missions of the Greek rite. The Greek Church counts not fewer than ninety millions of souls, and though separated from the Western Church for many centuries by heresy and schism, still her liturgy and institutions conform to the spirit of the Catholic Church.

ROME, Feb. 25.—The Council of Cardinals yesterday, the Pope presiding, decided that Catholics in Italy cannot, compatibly with their religious duty, take part in political elections.

ARCHBISHOP TASCHEREAU ON FALSE STATEMENTS. The following is an extract of a letter addressed by the Secretary of the Archbishop of Quebec to the local press:— "I am also instructed to ask you to warn the public to be on their guard against news which some English papers of Montreal and Quebec publish under provincial affairs now pending at Rome.

THE HISTORY OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN OREGON. LATER OF THE ARCHBISHOP OF QUEBEC TO THE MOST REV. ARCHBISHOP BLANCHET—BISHOP OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN OREGON.

When the "Historical Sketches of the Catholic Church in Oregon" were arranged in book form, one of them was sadly bound and gilt on the edges, and sent to Quebec with the following lines written on the first blank page:—

The young and grateful Church of the great mission of Oregon, on the Pacific coast, one of the youngest of the numerous daughters of the old and venerable Church of Quebec, Canada, respectfully begs to tender this little volume of the history of the Catholic Church in Oregon to her dearly beloved and most honorable and venerable mother, the Holy Church of Quebec.

ANSWER TO THE FOREGOING, TRANSLATED FROM THE FRENCH. Quebec, Canada, Dec. 29, 1878. Mgr. F. N. Blanchet, Archbishop of Oregon—My Lord—The Church of Quebec, whose solicitude formerly extended itself over nearly all the septentrional America, is always happy to contemplate the rapid progress of the Churches which owe her their existence.

THE SEASON IN THE NORTH.—In the Orkney and Shetland islands the winter has been an exceptionally mild and open one, and particularly favorable for sheep, upon which the large stockholders expect to make a good profit.

PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENCE. (From our own Correspondent.) OTTAWA, Feb. 22. The estimates for 1882-3 were brought down yesterday. The total amount asked for, chargeable to the consolidated fund, is \$27,205,453.36, as compared with \$26,419,670.68 last year.

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SCOTCH NEWS

REDUCTION OF RENTS IN DUMFRIESHIRE.—The tenants on the Murraythwaite estate have received intimation that a reduction of 10 per cent, to be given in the shape of lime or artificial bone manure, will be made on the year's rents due at Martinmas last, and payable on the 10th inst.

EMIGRATION FROM THE CLYDE.—During the month of January 990 emigrants left the Clyde. Of the total 898 were for the United States, 61 for Australia, 24 for New Zealand, and 13 for all other places.

SUSPICIOUS DEATH AT PERTH.—On Sunday morning John Minally, 33, laborer, was found dead in the house of a woman named Susan Ritchie, at 170 High street, and in consequence of certain circumstances discovered by the police, Ritchie, and another woman named Elizabeth McNabb or Ritchie, have been taken into custody on suspicion of being concerned in the death of the man.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT AT CARMYLE.—On Wednesday a serious accident happened to a man named John Murphy, residing at Parkhead, in No. 4 Bogleshole Coal Pit, the property of James Dunlop & Co., Clyde Iron Works.

A Committee of the Market Gardeners met in Edinburgh on Tuesday and unanimously resolved, after hearing opinion of counsel read, to present a petition of suspension and interdict against the Edinburgh Town Council in respect of their action in letting the Waverley Market for the purpose of the Fisheries Exhibition.

ROYALTY THEATRE.—ENGAGEMENT OF MRS. LANGTRY.—Recent paragraphs in the Glasgow papers have referred to the likelihood of Mrs. Langtry coming on an early date to the leading cities of England and Scotland.

SHOCKING DEATH OF A SIGNALMAN.—About ten o'clock on Tuesday morning the dead body of James Nicol, signalman, employed in the service of the North British Railway Company, and residing in Shettleston, was found on the rails at Parkhead Station.

DOWNERS.—A RIGHT OF WAY QUESTION AT CORNBELLS.—Some excitement and activity is being occasioned among the inhabitants of Cornbell and its neighbourhood by the operations presently being carried on by the Kinneil Iron and Coal Company.

At 12.30 the orator of the day, Senator Blaine, was announced. His advent was the signal for another round of applause. The ceremonies were then opened by a short prayer by the chaplain, F. D. Power, of the House, after which President Davis addressed the assemblage.

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CATHOLIC NEWS FROM EUROPE

[From Liverpool Catholic Times.]

AN ABSURD CONSPIRACY.

The Figaro has revealed to the world an absurd conspiracy of which the Catholic Times has already spoken. It is no secret that the French Government is anxious to tamper with the nomination of bishops, and secure the appointment of ecclesiastics who have lost the confidence of their bishops and the Holy See.

THE NEW BISHOP OF SEBZ.

The consecration of Mgr. Tregaro to the see of Sebz took place in the basilica of St. Anne at Yannes. The consecrating prelate was Mgr. Beol, Bishop of Yannes. Mgr. Is Coq, Bishop of Nantes, and Mgr. Eugenio, Bishop of Bayeux, were present.

A VENERABLE DOYEN.

News reaches us from Aire of the serious illness of the Doyen, Monsignor Soot. Though suffering from indisposition he officiated on Christmas Day at the midnight and day High Masses, preaching also for the third time at Vespers.

ROMAN EVENTS.

There will take place in a few days in Rome a most interesting sale of a rare and precious collection of autographs that will afford a tempting bait to amateurs of that kind.

THE SPANISH PILGRIMAGE.

The local papers report that the Vatican intends the hall above the vestibule of St. Peter's, where the recent ceremonies of canonization and beatification have taken place, to be henceforth used for this grand religious office of the Church in the stead of the Sixtine chapel, which decision has been taken in view of preserving Michael Angelo's masterpiece of the Last Judgment, the fumes of incense, and the heat occasioned by the lighted tapers, being very injurious to the coloring of the fresco.

CANDLEMAS DAY AT THE VATICAN.

On Candlemas Day the Holy Father admitted a privileged number of the faithful to his private Mass to receive Holy Communion from his hands.

THE SITUATION IN GERMANY.

A telegram from Berlin announces that the German Government will not wait for the decision of the votes in Parliament to send a negotiator to Rome in extraordinary mission. The choice will probably fall on Herr Schloesser.

ST. PAUL'S BASILICA.

The solitary road leading to St. Paul's Basilica, outside the walls, is henceforth to be lighted up at night with petroleum lamps, forty in number so as to render that country

REVELATIONS OF AN EX-KEEPER OF SING SING.

FRIGHTFUL SIGHTS ARE TO BE SEEN IN THE INTERIORS OF CONTRACTORS' SHOPS.

New York, Feb. 23.—E. H. Campbell, ex-keeper of Sing Sing, publishes a statement declaring that the prisoners in the interest of contractors. He states that but little religious or moral instruction is provided for the convicts.

SHOT THROUGH THE HEART.

AN BRIBING SON AT LENGTH COMES TO A MISERABLE END—THE VICTIM OF PASSION AND DRINK—AN INFAMOUS LIFE CLOSED IN AN INFAMOUS MANNER.

DETROIT, Feb. 18.—A tragedy occurred in what is known as the Potomac quarter of Detroit, last evening, under circumstances that bring grief and shame to an old and honored family. The scene of the affair was the saloon of Charles McAuley, Franklin street.

TERRIBLE SLAP IN THE FACE.

remarking, "If you are too damned high-toned to drink, take that." Suiting the action to the words, Patton drew a revolver, and the stranger, so-called, drew his with unusual quickness and fired. Patton cried, "You have done me up," staggered against the wooden partition of the bar-room, and slowly sank to the floor with his revolver in his hand.

AN EDITOR IN LUCK.

St. Jacobs Oil cures rheumatism; of this I am convinced. For years I suffered with rheumatism in my left shoulder and right arm, and last fall I was incapable of attending to my duties, and lay many a night unable to sleep on account of terrible pains.

THE AROTCIO EXPLORERS.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 21.—Lieut. Harber and Master Schultz were introduced to General Ignatieff, General Anoutchko and the Minister of Marine to-day by Mr. Hoffman. They had a most hearty reception everywhere.

IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT.

New York, Feb. 23.—An agreement was signed here to-day, by which money transfers can be effected between the United States and Canada almost instantaneously by telegraph.

HYMNREAR.

At St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto, Monday morning, Mr. George S. Unwin, son of the late Lieutenant-Governor, laid to the altar Miss Ada Rutherford, fourth daughter of Mr. E. H. Rutherford.

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HISTRIONIC.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 21.—A Catholic priest, Dr. George Leeming, late of Australia, made his debut as an actor here on Monday evening in "Othello." He assumes the name of Sidney Clifford. He is not a great success, and it is expected he will be silenced by the Archbishop.

AN HISPANO-PORTUGUESE ALLIANCE PROPOSED.

Lisbon, Feb. 22.—Barbosa introduced a resolution in the Chamber proposing an alliance of Spain and Portugal, on the ground that united nations need fear no foreign aggression.

THE ENGLISH COTTON TRADE.

MANCHESTER, Feb. 22.—One of the largest meetings of cotton masters ever held took place yesterday. The chairman dwelt on the serious position of the trade caused by declining prices and increasing stocks.

THE GRATTAN CENTENNIAL.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 23.—The Land League last evening celebrated the Grattan Centennial. Rev. A. J. Chambers (colored) made a fervent address. He said that the time will come when all England's dependencies will rise up against her, and her shores will be invaded by armed men intent on redress of Ireland's wrongs.

THE EGYPTIAN EMBROGLIO.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The correspondent of the Times at Constantinople says the Porte has received authentic information that Italy and the three Empires, on the initiative of Austria, are preparing a reply to the Anglo-French note concerning Egypt, strongly reasserting the principle contained in the communication to Assim Pasha, Minister of Foreign Affairs, by the dragomans of the Russian, German, Austrian and Italian Embassies about a fortnight ago, that their Governments desired the maintenance of the status quo in Egypt, any modification of each would require the assent of all the great Powers.

A GOOD FILTER.

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SCOBELLEFF'S SPEECH.

In noticing the disavowal of Gen. Skobelev, which appears in the Messenger Official, it should be observed that Russian statesmen and the Emperor himself have been less astonished than annoyed by his sensational speeches at St. Petersburg and Paris.

THE RISING IN THE SOUDAN—THE EGYPTIAN TROOPS UTTERLY ROUTED.

Cairo, Feb. 23.—Private despatches have just been received from Khartoum concerning the successful slaying in the Soudan of the so-called El Medhi, the Messiah of Islam. A few months ago El Medhi—so to call him by his proper name, Sheikh Mohamed Ahmed—turned up near Lomeh, on the White Nile, and for the second time defeated the Egyptian troops sent against him; and killed one hundred and twenty of them.

and killed Kalkien and the Shilluk King

and his entire suite. Fashoda would also have fallen had not Zeigle Pasha with nine hundred Egyptian troops arrived by forced marching from Kordofan just in time to strengthen the fortifications—that the Medhi prudently declined to attack. With the exception of a few fortified stations the Medhi is master of the whole country, and is backed by all the Bagara tribes, numbering about a thousand fighting men. They are armed with double-barrelled muskets, and their chief weapon is a remarkably long and admirably made lance. They remain a standstill in the Soudan until the arrival of reinforcements from Cairo, which have been imperatively demanded. The present Egyptian army, however, is by no means anxious to serve its country in the field, where, whenever it has done so, it has always justified Colonel Morden in the conclusion that it is utterly useless for anything except internal commotion.

THE U.S. SARDINIAN'S VOYAGE.

HALIFAX, N.S., Feb. 21.—A passenger by the steamship "Sardinian," transferred to her from the steamship "Bolivia," gives the following account of the voyage of the latter up to the time of leaving here.—We left Halifax on Saturday January 28th, and on the following Thursday, about 10 a.m., when we were about half way across the "Sardinian" lost her rudder and under-keel. There was a stiff breeze and high sea running, so nothing could be done that day. On Friday a chain cable was run out astern in lieu of the rudder, but this did not answer. Then a temporary rudder of spars was rigged. On Saturday the wind came round to the east and the spar answered very well. That forenoon we passed the "Fotherald" bound for New York, and asked them to report us and say we would continue as near as possible to the line of the New York steamers. We were then steering eastwardly, and going at ten knots per hour. About midway we passed the "Celtic," and also asked them to report us. Towards evening the wind changed, and for the next five days we drifted about unable to do anything. On Thursday we sighted the "Nederland," bound to Antwerp, and asked them to take us in tow. This they declined to do, as they had positive orders not to take any vessel in tow, but they offered to take the passenger, and sent a boat alongside for the purpose. Captain Dutton then gave the passengers the option of going on in the "Nederland," and about twenty cabin and steerage passengers availed themselves of the offer. The rest of us, as we were in the line of boats bound eastward, remained on board, hoping to get a chance to be towed or to have the passengers transferred to a steamer which would take us nearer our destination. The following Tuesday we met the "Bolivia," and asked for assistance, which was promptly given. All the cable we could manage were got out from both ships, but as the two ships were about the same size we were quite helpless and the "Bolivia" had a couple of days before met with an accident which disabled her engine, leaving her unable to back her engines. The cables all snapped like pipe-stems as soon as any strain came on them, caused by the heavy sea which was running at the time. Captain Dutton then told us passengers there was nothing to be done but to transfer them to the "Bolivia" as it was impossible to say when they might get to land if they remained on the "Sardinian." We all were transferred to the "Bolivia" except Mrs. Doull and her children, who were too sick to leave the ship in the heavy sea, and Mr. Bigby.

THE NIHLIST TRIALS.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 23.—The great Nihilist trial was resumed on Tuesday afternoon. Only two of the 23 accused persons made their appearance. All the prisoners are dressed carefully and neatly. The women are in black, and the men have all clean linen on. The defendant looking most refined of the defendants is Tregoni, by whose name the trial has been somewhat called. His face is very pale, by contrast with his well trimmed black beard, and his appearance is altogether aristocratic, though to justify his nickname "Mildred" he is short in stature and wears eye-glasses. Kaitochkin is the most melancholy of the party. His companions, who cannot forget that he once belonged to the police, shun him. He sits alone, his head bowed as though with shame. His looks are haggard. He wears blue spectacles. Jakinoff is a vulgar, red-headed virago. The other women, Lsbedoff and Terentieff, are hideous. Terentieff's face is monstrous. Lieut Soukhanoff, who is dressed in civilian's clothing, is a pale, short-sighted, malevolent-looking individual. Emilianoff, with his scant hair and uncouth manner, suggests the country priest. He utters to himself the whole time. Isaacoff is a well built fellow, with shaggy beard and has an unhealthy complexion. Aroustchik and Friedeneshon are half-civilized Jews. Teterka has a wild beast's face, a fierce beard and sunken eyes. The women interrupted the proceedings continually by coarse jokes and untimely laughter, though the gendarmes did their best to prevent them. Questioned as to their religion some answer that they are Orthodox, some Free-thinkers others Armenians. Before the indictment was read Terentieff, Mikhaloff, Emilianoff and Lsbedoff protested violently against the continuation of the trial, and the President was obliged to order them to be silent. During the intervals between the adjournment, and the reassembling of the court, the case was excitedly commented upon and the general opinion seemed to be that most of the prisoners would escape capital punishment. Gen. Ignatieff is known to be anxious for lenient verdicts, but a higher power than Ignatieff appears to be on the death sentence being passed on three of the prisoners, of whom Soukhanoff is one. On the trial being resumed on Tuesday afternoon, the prisoners were examined first separately, one being brought into court at a time, then in groups. There are nine groups altogether. The first person questioned was Barankoff. When first questioned in regard to the murder of Gen. Mesentzoff, he made a full and frank confession, admitting his guilt; and explaining minutely how the crime was committed. On the 23d of August (the 15th Aug. new style) 1878, said Barankoff, the ground was carefully reconnoitered. The next day the scheme was executed. He provided himself with a dagger and revolver. After stabbing Gen. Mesentzoff he ran back a few steps and fired off his revolver, not with any wish to hit Gen. Mesentzoff, but to frighten him and to allow himself to be taken to the carriage. The shot, however, frightened the horse and it started off at a gallop, forcing the prisoner to run some way after it. An accomplice dragged him bodily into the carriage and the whole party escaped. Barankoff said that personally he had no grudge against Gen. Mesentzoff, but that he was stirred to vengeance by his indignation at Mesentzoff's order for the torture and corporal punishment of the prisoners in the fortress.

THE TRUE WITNESS FOR 1882

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Another death is reported in London of a lady who had taken an excess of "anti-asthma" medicine. The nostrum is supposed to act as a slow blood poison.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The ratable value of London is just twice that of Ireland.

Whatever you have to do, do it with all your might. Many a lawyer has made his fortune by simply working with a will.

There are only thirty staunch Parrells in the British Parliament. Hugh O'Donnell, M.P. for Dungarvan, is to be leader during Mr. Parrell's imprisonment.

"Do bees think?" is the conundrum that is bothering the pates of entomologists. The action of bees is so sudden that it is impossible to believe that they think. If they considered—but never mind.

A "Patient's" rhyme young man, A bore sublime young man, A "print my effusion," Get out with confusion.

In double quick time, young man De Manrier has made a pleasant sketch of "Life in Iowa," of which Captain Norton is the hero and his Irish wife the good fairy.

Among the laborers pictured in the new settlement are Lord Hobart and the two brothers of Lord St. Vincent. Several Irish landlords are said to be about to follow Captain Norton's example.

A correspondent writing from Jamaica to a leading London paper, says that the hill climate of Jamaica is almost perfect. Society is very sociable, and living, except butchers' meat, excellent and very cheap.

Watkins would not buy a keg of beer for his acquaintances on his wedding day, though required to do so by the usage of East Carondelet, Mo., and in spite of a positive demand by the thirsty crowd.

Two factory girls had been sentenced to four months' imprisonment for drunkenness in Lowell, Mass. They were young, and their case excited sympathy in court.

The judge, jury, and counsel in a Philadelphia will case went to the house of a scientist and put a suspected signature under a powerful microscope, in order to examine the ink in connection with that of the body of the document.

Mr. Guilford Onslow and other friends of the Ticbhorne claimant visited him at the Portsea prison a few days ago. The convict is reported to be in good health, and although depressed as to the prospects of release, rallied considerably when informed that efforts were intended to be made on his behalf in Parliament by one or two members who had hitherto taken no active interest in his case.

Parties getting up clubs are not obliged to confine themselves to any particular locality, but can work up their quota from different towns or districts, or it is necessary to send all the names at once.

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DESPERATE ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE. Buffalo, Feb. 22.—William Crawford, a single man, 47 years old, made a desperate attempt to commit suicide this morning.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL. Superior Court, No. 2008. Filomena Scott, of the City and District of Montreal, wife of James Carter, all the same place, hotel-keeper, Plaintiff, against the said James Carter, Defendant.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL. Superior Court, No. 1070. Dame Felouise Goyard ditte Balle, of the City and District of Montreal, wife of Antoine Yon, builder, of the same place, has instituted against her said husband an action for separation as to property.

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IRISH HOME RULE.

Text of Mr. Gladstone's Remarks on the Subject-The Effect Upon the Public Mind.

New York, Feb. 22.—The Herald's correspondent says: Mr. Gladstone's speech on Home Rule is regarded in England as one of the most important that has yet been made regarding Ireland in the British Parliament. "We attach great value," said Mr. Gladstone, "to the extension of the franchise to the establishment of a central authority for the local government in Ireland. We believe that one of the great evils under which Ireland labours is the want of local administration and a more central system of authority."

WIT AND HUMOR.

Rhymes for the season: A little heat that can't be beat, the widow open wide, a little breeze, a little sneeze, and you're the doctor's pride.

A careless printer made a dancing-master's card of thanks read: "I offer my respectful thanks to all who have honored me with their patronage."

On a rainy morning a small boy who has exhausted all his excuses for not putting in an appearance at school, opens the door, and says to the astonished teacher, "Sir, may I say I can't come to school to-day—it's raining too hard."

Smithers: "Why, Swellington, whatever are you doing with two hats?" Swellington: "Idea of my own, dear boy. In this country a fellow is always lifting his hat. What are the consequences?—disreputable titles, cowing in the head. What's the remedy?—a bowing hat."

AN INVITATION. We are entitled and bound to ask a clear and explicit explanation as to the mode in which that vital matter is to be determined. Who is to say what purposes are Imperial? Who is to determine the circumscription within which the Irish authority is to have a final voice?

PROPOSED TARIFF CHANGES. The following is a full list of the tariff changes proposed: THE FREE LIST. To be added to the free list: Anatomical preparations, beer, brass in sheets, Britannia metal, pigs and bars, celluloid, in sheets, China clay, chloralum, coffee, green, except by Act 42, Vic., cap. 15, fowls, for improvement of stock, iron sand or globules and dry matter for peat, iron sand or globules and dry matter for peat, iron sand or globules and dry matter for peat, iron sand or globules and dry matter for peat.

THE DILEMMA. It is that so, am I really to understand that it is the proposal of those members of this House who take the view I am now referring to that personal authority of a sovereign in this country is to decide the question of what subjects are to be referred to the Parliament of Ireland and what subjects are to be referred to the Imperial Parliament of this country. If that is the doctrine held, then I say you are immediately involved in a dilemma more hopeless than any that has presented itself to you, because on the one hand the subjects are to be decided on the authority of responsible Ministers or on the other hand by a personal will or whim. If the decision is to be determined on the authority of responsible Ministers—the responsible Ministers of Great Britain or the responsible Ministers of Ireland, who are to exist under the plan that is now proposed, (hear, hear) evidently you can't refer to the responsible Ministers of Great Britain the power of drawing a distinction which involves the most vital and delicate and practical parts of the subject. Then, if in the highest and nicest matter of government you are going again to set up personal responsibility of the sovereign apart from the advice of responsible Ministers, you are at once proposing a revolution in this country more profound than you need bring about by the establishment of any form of government whatever (hear, hear.) I express for myself, and I am sure for my colleagues, that we are most favourable to the introduction of a rightly understood principle of local government in Ireland, and most desirous to promote it.

THE IMPRESSION CREATED. These pregnant and quite unexpected declarations of the Prime Minister created a profound impression in the House, and a still more profound impression outside of it. The entire press of the United Kingdom has rushed headlong into the question. The Times says the declaration is historic and permanently rejected. Some of the Irish journals distribute the whole speech and call it rather a challenge than a confession. The

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

FINANCIAL. TRADITIONAL OFFICE. TUESDAY, FEB. 28, 1922. Money loaned on stocks at 5 1/2 per cent. Sterling Exchange bills were quoted at 107 1/2 to 108 1/4 for round amounts, between banks, 109 1/4 to 109 3/4, and 110 1/4 to 110 3/4, demand. Currency drafts on New York were drawn at 116 1/2 to 117.

Despite the lowering of the Bank of England rate, the bullion gained by that bank on balance to-day was \$30,000. The stock market here was inclined to weakness this a.m., after the sharp upward moves of the last few days. Montreal at noon was 1/4 weaker at 20 1/2 bid; Ontario was steady at 6 1/4 bid; Merchants was 1/2 better at 133 bid; Commerce was unchanged at 145 bid; Montreal Telegraph declined 1/2 to 124 1/2 bid; Gas fell 1/2 to 17 1/2 bid; Richelieu was about steady at 68 bid, and City Passenger rose 1/2 to 135 1/2 bid.

Morning Stock Sales.—195 Montreal, 208 1/2, 313 do, 208, 108 do, 208 1/2, 30 do, 208 1/2, 60 do, 208 1/2; 225 Merchants, 133, 10 do, 132 1/2, 40 do, 133; 100 Commerce, 145; 65 do, 144 1/2; 55 do, 144 1/2; 25 do, 144 1/2; 250 Ontario, 61 1/2; 50 Richelieu, 68; 25 do, 67 1/2; 50 do, 67 1/2; 25 do, 68 1/2; 35 Montreal Telegraph, 125; 331 do, 124 1/2; 10 City Passenger, 135; 50 do, 136; 225 Gas, 17 1/2; 25 Ontario Investment, 134; 10 Coal, 42.

Hope and Temple, stock brokers of King street, East Toronto, assigned to-day to J. R. Wilkie of Toronto. The suspension of J. R. Wilkie has been news to the short Montreal Merchants and other stocks which have recently been on the upward move here. This p.m. local stocks fell 1/2 to 3/4 cent.

COMMERCIAL. WEEKLY REVIEW—WHOLESALE PRICES. The spring trade is not yet fully inaugurated, but there has been a fair amount of business transacted during the week, and its volume has increased, and continues to increase steadily. The business for the week has been comparatively favorable with that of the corresponding period last year, as in fact has the business of the year so far. All markets are firm, and remittances from town and country satisfactory.

Dry Goods.—More Western dealers have been in the city during the week and as they were very free with their orders for spring goods the trade has been fairly brisk. A yet larger number of buyers is expected next month and a rushing business is anticipated. Payments are on the whole considered satisfactory, although several renewals are being sought by country dealers. Prices rule steady with but little prospect of fluctuating.

HOOPS AND SHOES.—Manufacturers continue as busy as they possibly can be with spring goods, and most of them have already orders enough to keep them engaged well into the summer months. Most of the travellers have returned to the city after most successful trips. There are no changes in the prices. We quote: Men's split boots, \$1.50 to 2.25; men's kip boots, \$2.50 to 3.25; men's calf boots, \$3 to 3.75; men's kip bregans, \$1.50 to 1.40; men's split do, \$1.10 to \$1.20; men's buff congress, \$1.50 to 2.25; men's buff and pebbled bal. \$1.75 to 2.25; men's split do, \$1.35 to 1.75; shoe packs, \$1.10 to 2.10; women's pebbled and buff bal. \$1.00 to 1.50; do split bal. \$1.00 to \$1.10; do prunella bal. \$1.00 to \$1.50; do interior bal. \$1.00 to 1.50; do do, 50c to 70c; do buckskin bal. \$1.00 to 80c; Misses' pebbled and buff bal. \$1.00 to \$1.15; do split bal. \$1.00 to \$1.00; do prunella bal. \$1.00 to 90c; do do, split bal. \$1.00 to 90c; do do, prunella bal. \$1.00 to 75c; infants' cacks, per doz m, \$3.75 to \$6.50.

IRON AND HARDWARE.—There is no change to report in the local iron market and there has been a steady demand for bar iron. English advices report an easier market in Britain owing principally to buyers holding off. The general hardware trade has been fairly busy during the week, filling orders and forwarding in the country districts. We quote as follows:—Siemens, \$3.00 to \$25.00; Gartshore, \$26 to \$27; Summers, \$26 to \$27; Langloan, \$26 to \$27; Eglinton, \$23.50 to \$24.50; Carbonyl, \$24.00. Bar per 100 lbs \$2.00 to \$2.35; Canada plate, per box: Hatton \$3.50; other brands, \$3.50; Tin Plates, per box, charcoal C, \$6.00; Coke, 10, \$6.50; Tinned Sheets, No. 26, charcoal, \$11.00 to 11.25; Galvanized Sheets, No. 28, list, \$7.50 to \$7.75; Hoops and Bands, per 100 lbs \$2.50 to \$2.75; Sheets, best grade, \$2.00 to \$2.75; Roller Plates \$3.00; Dupla Sheet Iron per lb, 12 1/2c. Lead, pig, per 100 lbs, \$5.00 to 5.25; do sheet, \$5.50 to \$6; do bar, \$5 to \$5.75; do shot, \$6 to \$6.75; do cast, per lb, 12c; do Spring, per 100 lbs, \$3.75; do Tire, \$3.25 to \$3.60; do Sleigh Shoe, \$2.25 to \$2.50. Pig Tin, 28c to 30c. Ingot Copper, 20c to 21c. Sheet Zinc per 100 lbs, \$5 40 to 5 75; spelter, \$5.25 to \$5.75. Horse Shoes, per 100 lbs, \$4.75 to \$5.00. Proved Coal chain, \$ inch, \$5.50 to \$5.75; Iron Wire No. 6; per bd, \$1.85 to \$2.00. Out Nils:—Prices, net cash within 30 days or 4 months note, 10 d to 60 d; Hot Out, American or Canada Pattern, \$2.50 per keg; 8 band 9 d, Hot Out, do, \$2.10 per keg; 6 d and 7 d, Hot Out, do, \$1.10 per keg; 4 d and 5 d, Hot Out, American Pattern, \$3.35 per keg; 3 d, Hot Out, do, \$4.10 per keg; 3 d, Pine, Hot Out, \$3.60 per keg; 4 d to 5 d, Cold Out, Canada Pattern, \$3.10; 3 d, Cold Out, Canada Pattern, \$3.60.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—A moderate amount of business is being done both with the finer drugs and heavy goods. A quiet tone is expected here in sympathy with dullness prevailing in England. The prices of all leading staples are unchanged, but an unusual steadiness is noticed in the finer goods. We quote bio-carb soda, \$3.12 1/2 to \$3.20; soda ash, \$1.50 to \$1.62; bio-chromate of potash, 13c to 15c; borax, 15c to 16c; cream tartar crys-

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET—FEB. 28.

A very fair business was transacted in reasonable quantities and there was quite a run on the fish market. There were no important changes in prices and very few, maybe, expected to occur within the next few weeks. There was a steady demand for fish, but no important changes in prices and very few, maybe, expected to occur within the next few weeks.

MONTREAL HORSE MARKET. There has continued to be a very good demand for horseflesh and numerous sales are reported. Among the sales, the particulars of which have come to light, we notice two dark brown horses, 6 and 7 years old, weighing 1,200 and 1,250 lbs. respectively; for \$260; a fine bay mare, 6 years; 1,100 lbs; for \$160; a pair of bays, 6 years; \$230; a chestnut, 7 years, 1,300 lbs; for \$150; a bay horse, \$170; 1 black horse, \$175, and 1 bay colt, \$150.

Purchases were made here this week by the following parties: C. H. Hanson, Lowell, Mass.; A. E. Austin, Meriden, Conn.; Seth Ford, Wells River, Vt.; White & Thompson, Catskill, N. Y.; B. Cooper, Boston; M. Hicks, Holyoke, Mass.; R. F. Chase, Baldwin, Me.; J. Huesey, Dover, N. H.; Thos Kirby, Utica, N. Y.; C. W. Smith, Athol, Mass.; Jones & Mashier, North Hatfield, Mass.; Thos Stanley, Providence, R. I.; Jas Donaghy, Philadelphia; Peter Panst, Abertus, Penn.; W. S. White, Catskill, N. Y.; Richard Etting, Ellenville, N. Y.; S. D. Kutz, Kutztown, Penn.; Jas Frey, same place.

MONTREAL CATTLE MARKET—FEB. 27. There was a splendid supply at Viger market this morning, no less than 220 head of cattle, 40 calves and some sheep being offered for sale. Of the cattle 175 were from the West and the remainder from the lower country districts. The demand was anything but brisk; and although some of the dealers state that they had been willing in some cases to sell at a loss, a large number of cattle and calves and nearly all of the sheep were left over at noon. The cattle which were sold by weight realized from 3c to 5c. Mr. J. H. Hopper sold eleven good steers at \$55. Mr. Benoit sold a few splendid cattle for \$60. Mr. Martineau's sale was a dozen or so small steers at \$35, and four larger ones at about \$55. Mr. Bonner sold some two dozen nice fleshy cattle for between \$45 and \$70. Most of the calves, which were small, were sold by weight, and realized from \$3 to \$12. From \$6 to \$10 each was given for the sheep. At St. Gabriel Market there were sales of cattle at 4 1/2 to 6c.

MARRIED. DEBUSSIERE-ROACH.—At Fort Hope, Ont., on Sunday the 19th inst., Mr. Louis Gaudard de Bussiere of Bowmanville (formerly Montreal) to Miss Maggie Roach of Bowmanville, Ont. Quebec, Kingston, and Chicago papers please copy. 422

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