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A. S. Feast, T. Breadon,
W. Sunley, Jno. WATSON,
A. WATT, A. Strowger,
Jas. Nichols, skip
—11. —10.

Mr. Watt paid for the oysters at Ellis's Hotel, and a second game was played in the afternoon, Mr. Watt and his men wining by 12 to 8. They took oysters a second time, and all felt much better.

Incendiarism Again.

An attempt, and a most villianous at tempt, was made on Thursday night to set fire to Day's Block. The door that opens on the stairway leading from the Market Square to the second flat was observed by constables Nichols, and Congalton to be open, at half past eleven o'clock, and in returning past it shortly after twelve they discovered that it was shut, and saw a light shining through the glass above it. This they knew to be contrary to the general order of things, and they pushed open the door. At the height of seven steps up the stairs there had been on the right hand side for a long time a small hole in the wall (which is of studding, with lath and plaster on both sides) and from this aperture the flame was pouring out. Mr Bunyan was Figure 19 (19 cm) and the state should be made asked as much location asked as the state should be made asked as much location asked as the state should be made asked as much location asked JUST received, a large lot of FANCY GOODS, all kinds, suitable for PRESENTS for Christmas & New Year's She has the LARGEST and BEST ASSORTMENT in town of Stamping for Braiding and Embroidery.

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LIVETPOOL & LONDON & Globe Halth on the side of the studding next Mr.

Day's bookstore were burnta-nearly through, and the margins of a few books on one of the shelves slightly soorched and shriveled; besides this, and the slightly soorched and shriveled; besides this, and the slight own of some of the lath and plaster on the stairway to make sure that no traces of fire remained, nothing suffered injury. No person was discovered in, or near the building, by the Constables.

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The Canadian Dairymen's Associa-

The first annual meeting of the Canadian Dairymen's Association will be held in the Town Hall of Ingersoll, on Wed mesday and Thursday, the 5th and 6th February, in reference to which the fol-lowing circular has been issued:

[CIRCULAR.]

The Executive of the Canadian Dairy. men's Association are desirous of making the annual Convention of the Society of the greatest possible advantage to the lairy interests of the country. With this the annual convention of the society the greatest possible advantage to the dairy interests of the country. With this object in view, we have selected and noted below the principal subjects that will be presented for the consideration of the Association and the societies and convention will be selected. object in view, we have selected and noted below the principal subjects that will be presented for the consideration of the Association. Ample opportunity will be afforded to members to introduce such other pretinent topics as they may choose, but the greater portion of the time will be to thank Mr. Gow, M. P. P. for an early copy of this Bill.

DIPTHERIA.—We are sorry to learn that this terrible disease has been very prevalent for some time past in Paisley Block, and adjacent sections of Guelph Township. It has proved fatal in a number of cases, and in some families two and three children have died of it.

NEW CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—The opening services in connection with this church will (D. V.) be continued on Sabbath next, when it is expected the Rev. Dr. Jennings, of Toronto, will preach. On Monday evening, the 20th inst., a teameeting will be held in the Lecture room. Several eminent speakers will deliver addresses on the occasion. See advertisement.

Curling Match.

A curling match took place on Thursday morning in consequence of a challenge between Mr. A. Watt, and Mr. John Watson, to curl for the coysters, each to choose whomsoever he should think proper on his side. The following is the

The Land Grant Resolutions.

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Resolutions to be moved by the Hon.

Mr. Richards in Committee of the Whole.

1. That in the opinion of this House, free grants of public lands to actual settlers would tend more rapidly to develop the agricultural resources of the Province, and that it is expedient that authority should be given to provide for such grants, under regulations to be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not inconsistent with the following resolutions.

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2. That such grants should be confined to lands lying in the townships between the Ottawa river and the Georgian Bay, to the west of a line drawn from a point opposite the south-east angle of the townships of Palmerston; north-westerly along the western boundaries of the townships of north Sherbrooke, Lavant, Blithfield, Admaston, Bromley, Stafford and Pembroke, to the Ottawa river, and to the north of the rear or northerly boundaries of the townships of Oso, Olden, Kennebec, Kalador, Elzavir, Madoc, Marmora, Belmont, Dummer, Smith, Ennismore, Somerville, Laxton, Carden, Rama, and of the river Severn; and the townships in the districts of Nipissing and Algoma; and in the townships hereafter to be surveyed in the said districts, and in the county of Simcee.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

TORONTO, 16th January.

Hon. J. S. McDenald introduced a Bill founded on the resolutions adopted by the house with regard to a provincial duty on avern keepers.

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On motion of Hon. J. S. McDonald, the Bill to authorise the publication of an Ontario Gazette was read a third time and

passed.
On motion of Hon. J. S. McDonald, the Bill respecting the appointments of Magistrates and Coroners was read a third time

and passed. Coroners was read a third time and passed. On motion of Mr. Fergusson, the Bill to amend and consolidate the Acts imposing a duty on dogs, and for the protection of sheep, was read a second time and referred to a committee.

sheep, was read a second line and referred to a committee.

Mr. Rykert inquired what time the Commissioner of Agriculture proposed to proceed with his Bill. It was one which was anxiously looked for. The members of the different Agricultural Societies would soon hold their customary meetings, and ought, before long, to have an idea of the Government measure.

Hon. Mr. Carling replied that the Bill would be distributed this afternoon or tomorrow, and he had ordered copies of it.

would be distributed this afternoon or to-morrow, and he had ordered copies of it to be sent to the secretaries of the differ-ent Agricultural Societies. Hon J, S. McDonald, seconded by Mr. McKellar, moved that when the house adjourns, it stands adjourned till Monday next at three o'clock.

Grant's Life before the War.—The new life of General Grant, written by Colonel Radeau of his staff, thus sketches the ante-war life of the now foremost man in the country:—"Thus, when the civil war broke out, Grant was a private citizen, earning his bread in an insignificant inland town. He was of simple habits and tastes, without influence and unambitious. Having never been brought in contact with men of eminence, he had no personal knowledge of great affairs. He had never commanded more than a company of soldiers and although he had served under Scott and Taylor, it was as a subaltern, and without any opportunity of intercourse with those commanders. He had yoted for a president but once; he knew no politicians, for his acquaintance was limited to army officers and western traders; even in the town where he lived he had not met the member of Congress, who represented the district for nine successive years, and who afterward became one of his most intimate personal friends. Of his four childrent he eldest was cleven years old. He lived in a little house at the top of one of the picturesque hills on which Galena is bullt, and went daily to to the warehouse of his father and brother, where leather was sold by wholesale and retail. He was thirty-nine years of age before his countrymen became acquanted with his name."

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Carlyle on Diorens.—Mr. Carlyle, say the papers, has been made a Justice of the Peace for his native country of Dumfries, in Scotland. It is more interesting to know that of late he is in much better health and spirits. Much relieved, reports one friend who saw him on Monday, by the clearing of his smind in the Niagara article. He is further reported as saying that he never saw nor heard of anything so extraordinary in its way as the picturesque-dramatic power of Mr. Dickens in his readings. Mr. Dickens in his readings. Mr. Dickens in some characters, said his philosophic observer, costumes his mind with a completeness that is absolutely perfect. This puts into my head to tell a little story which I long since heard. How one evening the great novelist was reading, I think, the trial scene in Pickwick, to an audience of rank and fashion, and all that in London. Presently rank and fashion began to have their attention drawn to an explosive merriment in one part of the hall. On the front sat atali man blue eyed and grey haired, who ever and anon swung his steeple-crowned felt hat forcibly down on his knees, bursting into inextinguishable laughter as the gods on Homer's Olympus when they beheld limp-footed Vulcan halting round the circle as cup-bearer. Rank and fashion was inclined to be shocked at this unconventingnal mirth, but by and bye the whisper wefur round that he of the steeple hat was no other than Thomas Garlyle of Chelsea, and for the rest of the evening Mr. Dickens had but a divided attention from his reverently wondering audience.—London Cor. N. Y. Tribune.

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BY TELEGRAPH

Despatches to the Evening Mercury.

Further Fenian Arrests.

The Pope's aid Besoughtto Throttle Fenianism.

ARRIVAL OF THE REMAINS OF MAXIMILIAN AT TRIESTE.

GREAT PREPARATIONS FOR THE FUNERAL.

THE EASTERN DIFFICULTY

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

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Copenhagen, Jan. 16th—It is reported that efforts of Chamberlain Constansen, in negotiations with the United States to secure certain privileges and exemptions for merchants of St. Thomas, have been defeated by Secretary Seward.

Toulon, Jan. 16th—Admiral Farragut, whose fleet arrived here this week, was received with every attention by the city authorities, and was superbly entertained by the officers of the French navy at this port. The U. S. squadron sailed to day for Naples.

Brussels, Jan. 16.—Intelligence of the death of Maximilian was for the first time communicated to his widow four days ago.

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London, Jan. 16—The official returns of the Bank of England show that the amount of specie in vault has increased £26,000 stg. during the week.

London, Jan. 16—The police at Manchester have arrested a man supposed to be the Fenian Deasy. Two Americans, Barrett and O'Neil, strongly suspected of Fenianism, have been arrested at Glasgow. Papers found on them strongly implicate them. The motion to try Shaw, Burke and Casey in London, instead of Warwick, is likely to be granted.

Trieste, Jan. 16—The fleet bearing the remains of Maximilian entered the harbor of Trieste this morning. The frigate Moveare was immediately boarded by an Archduke, who covered the catafaque containing the corpse with wreaths of flowers. Great preparations are made for the funeral.

London, Jan. 16th—It is reported that Lord Bloomfield, British minister to Austria, and Lord Clarendon, have gone on a mission to Rome, to request the Pope to use his influence with the inhabitants of Ireland for suppression of the Fenian agitation.

London, Jan. 16—The aggressive po-

agitation.

London, Jan. 16—The aggressive pelicy of the Russian government in the Eastern question causes much alarm in Turkey. The Northern Post of St Petersburg, declares that Russia does not desire an extension of territory. Her only aim is to secure the safety of Christian subjects of the Porte. The St. Petersburg Gazette asserts that both England and France have urgod the Suftan to make extensive military and naval preparations in the Mediterranean.

American Despatches.

Annexation of St. Thomas to the U. S.—Heavy Robbery—The War in St. Domingo-Santa Anna at his old tricks .- Prize Fight-Duel in New Jersey.

FRIDAY EV'NG, JAN. 17, 1868.

Signs of Peace in Europe.

A short time ago when the Emperor Napoleon opened his parliament by a speech of guarded phrase it was doubted whether peace was so firmly established in the Empire as he assured first his audience of legislators, and secondly the world at large that it was. The recommendation to push through the bill for the re-organization of the army as speedily as possible together with the known fact that Chassepot rifles were being turned out by thousands left an impression on nearly all who read the speech that the wound which the Emperor's pride had received from the bold and clever Bismarck had not been completly cicatrized. The bill alluded to the precise terms of it, but it is model-

was reiterating his declarations of peace, Bismarck preserved an ominous silence. Whatever the former might and it was only very recently that he has thrown off the cloak of taciturnity and condescended, in a speech lately delivered at Berlin, to give the assur ance that the relations between Prussia and France were of a pacific character and that war between them of the above Company appeared in "this year was a phantom." The Wednesday's Globe, intimating to the words of a man like Bismarck carry policy holders that, as the letters they with them much more force than had received from England were 'not with them much more force than those of Napoleon. He does not possess such an amount of duplicity as be,' one of the Agents was about to the latter, and it is believed that when sail for that country, and would send he says war or peace he means exactly particulars by cable as soon as he ar the North German Confederation, at attention among insurers in this town or on the last day of the old year, with interest the following extract speaking as follows:—"The King of from the Reporter or London Mone-

notifying to me the new functions with

act together on the Roman question, so far as to restore relations between the kingdom of Italy and the States of the Church to the exact status created by the September convention be-tween Italy and France." This is perhaps not exactly what Italy would have expected from Prussia, but that

consequences of war need be immediately dreaded.

Born to be Drowned.—Mr. Stephen Britt, for many years harbour-master of the port of Rye, was drowned recently by the upsetting of a boat in that harbour. He was the last survivor of a family of six sons, every one of whom had died from drowning,—three at sea, one at Rotterdam harbour, and one, eight years old, in a well. This strange fatality so powerfully impressed the mind of the last-remaining, Stephen, that he abandoned going to sea, and relinquished run the command of the harbour steam.

cond attempt at inc within five days, and the efforts of villainy being directed towards the destruction of the best business portions of the Town, are sufficient to strike us with dread. While such lawlessness is permitted to creep around beneath the shield of midnight darkness, who can go to bed indulging the hope that he shall not be penniless in the morning, or who can promise himself (for we know not what next may be attempted) that his own roof shall not fall upon his head, and he perish in the flame which a monster's brand had in the name which a monster's brand had kindled? It were useless to speculate upon motives when fearful facts stand before us. It is of the smallest possible practical importance whether the deeds we speak of were committed by a malignant misanthrope, who has resolved to be revenged upon the world for some fancied injustice, or by some avaricious fiend for the sake of plunder. In either case the effect would be the same, and no cause could be advanced as a palliation of the Terrible eviden ces that there is a has been passed. We do not recollect | Cataline in Guelph have been revealed to the precise terms of it, but it is modelled somewhat after the law which regulates the military service of the male population of Prussia, and will put France in possession of a milion and a quarter of fighting men. Of course it will be some time before this force can be rendered thoroughly effective. The recruits whom the new law will bring to the aid of the regular army must be drilled; but after that has been done Napoleon will have a force at his disposal second to none in Europe in point of numbers, and perhaps it will be numerically superior to any other. He has thus resolved to maintain an armed peace, an expensive luxury indeed, but one rendered necessary by the peculiar circumstances of France as she has been placed by the peculiar disposition of her Emperor.

During all the time that Napoleon was reiterating his declarations of the male propulation of Prussia, and will the whole and things, even to crime, and the wicked shall not go unpunished. The public safety, and apparently the very existence of the Town demands an extra and unremitting vigilance on the part of the authorities. Had the fire broken out of the fire for the authorities. Had the fire broken out of the authorities. Had the fire broken out of the authorities. Had the fire broken out of the authorities. us during the week, but there is an end decisive test. doubt our Municipal Fathers will prove themselves equal to the occasion, and give no rest to their eyes, nor slumber to their eyelids until they have devised some plan say the latter kept his own counsel, likely to be effective in discovering the perpetrators of such horrid crimes, or at least of promoting the security of life and property in the Town.

Western Insurance Co. of England.

A notice from the General Agents of the above Company appeared in what he says. Furthermore we find rived in London. The discussion of the newly accredited representative of this subject has engaged considerable an audience given him by the Emperand and western policy holders will read 200,000 WHITE BRICK FOR SALE AT Prussia eagerly desires to maintain tary Times, of December 21st, 1867. and develope more and more the rela- It is of importance that the public New Congregational Church tions of good feeling and confidence between France and the Confederate tertained by responsible parties in This desire is, at the same England regarding the position and time, conformable to the sentiments of prospects of this Company, and policy sincere friendship which the King en- holders should at once be in a position OPENIG SERVICES tertains towards your Majesty's per- to know the value of their securities. son, and the orders of the King pre in order that they may not sustain; scribe to me to fulfil my functions in greater loss than the amount of a year's premium should a fire occur whilst Whereto the Emperor replied:-"In they may be actually uninsured :-

whereto the Minjeror prince. Western Nasuranset Company which you are invested, as the representative of the Confederation of the North, you renew the assurances of the friendship of the King of Prussia. I thank you for it. On my part, I embrace the opportunity with pleasure to confirm the good understanding existing between the two Governments. I beg of you to be the interpreter of my sentiments to the King."

This alone is a strong indication that a spirit of harmony once more reigns between two mighty powers, whose quarrel if unsettled would deluge the plains of Europe with blood, and produce results that none can foreshadow. But there is a still stronger ground for the belief that the feeling of animosity has fled, for a late cable despatch informs us that they are "to act together on the Roman question, for for a target and the reporter of the state of the Confederation of the Now Church, of the surface of the Confederation of the Now Church, of the patients of the surface of the Confederation of the Now Church, of the patients of the surface of the Confederation of the Now Church, of the patients of the surface of the Surf "WESTERN INSURANCE COMPANY

[We are sorry to learn that Messrs. James Massie & Co. were insured for \$8000 in the above Company, on their stock destroyed by the late fire, which amount they are certain to lose.- ED. MERCURY]

have expected from Prussia, but that is another point altogether, on which we have no design to speak at present. Whether Italy's hopes from Prussia will be disappointed or not, the co-operation of the two great continental Powers is indicative of a continuation of peace in Europe. Since their passions being soothed, no very direful consequences of war need be immediately dreaded.

MONTREAL OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.—The Montreal Gazette says:—We notice that the Montreal Ocean Steamship Company is building energity called the "European" and "Abyssinian." It may not be generally known, but it is nevertheless a fact, that the Messrs. Allan prenow the largest steamship owners on the continent. Their Liverpool line may now be said to comprise eleven was a fact, that the Montreal Gazette says:—We notice that the Montreal Ocean Steamship Company is building energy to be respectively called the "European" of the continent. Their Liverpool line may now be said to comprise eleven the continent. Their Liverpool line may now be said to comprise eleven the continent.

THE VOTE ON TUESDAY .- The Toronto correspondent of the Hamilton Times says the vote on Tuesday night last on the investment of the surplus funds of the Province in Dominion stock-for that is what the re jection of Mr McKellar's amendment mounted to-was not, as the Leader and other organs of the Government assert, a triumph of the Ministerial party over the Oppostion, and therefore a test of the Ministerial strength -because some of the most determined opponents of the Government in the House voted with the Government It is true the vote was not wholly divested of a party character, but still there was not enough of that element in it to justify the tone assumed by the Leader. The Government, I have reason to know, do not consider the decision of the House as indicating anything more than its opinion on that particular measure. They are perfectly aware that the relative strength of parties has not yet been put to a

Two thousand miles of gas pipe underlie the streets of London.

The ice bridge has formed across the St. Lawrence at Prescott, and is crossed by heavily laden vehicles.

There is less travel on the rafl-ways at present than at any previous period during the past year.

Numerous petitions against the incorporation of the Licensed Victuallers' Association continue daily to be presented. Eight of the South Carolina rebel Generals are now practising law in that State; two are teachers, and one has taken orders in the Episcopal church.

The four per cent. discount on silver movement is about to be tried by the merchants of London. Three days is the extent to which the rule will work.

New Advertisements. BRICK FOR SALE.

JAMES MORISON.
Guelph, 17th Jan, 1867. d2w2

GUELPH.

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FOUND on the floor of Messrs James Massie & Co's Store, yesterday, a sum of money,—
The owner can have it by proving property and
paying expenses. paying expenses. Guelph, 15th Jan, 1868.

CARD OF THANKS. WE beg to tender our thanks to the Directors of the Lancashire and Gore Mutual Insurance Companies for the prompt settlement of our claim for the loss by fire at the Alma Block, and also for the honorable and courteous manner of the Inspectors while examining our statement was theories.

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T. J. DAY.

Guelph, 11th January, 1868. dw

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AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

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lage of Morriston, in the said County,

Wednesday, 26th Feb., 1868
at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all
the right, title and interest of the said Insolvent,
in that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Village of
Morriston, Township of Puslinch, County of Wellington, Province of Ontario, composed of Village Lot number Right, on the East side of Queen
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CTRAYED or Stolen from the Fair ground on Fair Day, a White Cow. Had small horns, and was in good condition. Any person returning her to the owner, or giving such information to me or at the Mercuricy office as will lead to her recovery will be rewarded.

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FRIDAY EV'NG, JAN'Y 17, 1868

The Maiden's Choice

OR, THE LAIRD OF BIRKENCLEUCH. A Tale of the Covenanters.

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'What is their quality and what their ofence? inquired Sir James, stroking his chin
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Sir James, however, tidi as he said he would—he read the Captain's report in the light of the information supplied by Bir Gilbert Barton, and without showing that he knew more than his officer had just communicated, he stood for some moments as if musing, then he shook his head dubiously.

If fear Allan, he observed, "your zeal has carried you rather far in this business. You had sufficient ground for supposing that Marine as your search was fruitless, we lack evidence against Elliot and his bride, whose first until hours you so roughly disturbed. I will, however, examine the prisoners—give orders that they be brought into the great hall immediately.

Walter from the grated window over the entrance, had observed the arrival of the horsenan, and by his appearance judged him to be Sir James Turner. He therefore a precent some such summons as was now brought, and was prepared for the interview. It was with a bold, lofty, stern demeasour that he entered the arched chamber in which he he had he he had he was the highest military official in the district and therefore the guardian of individual register with a bold, lofty, stern demeasour that he entered the arched chamber in which he district and therefore the guardian of individual registers and inferties, he was resolved to take very different position from that he had assumed towards Charlie Allan.

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his sergeant to take prisoner mysen and my wife.'

'I have received Captain Allan's report,' returned Sir James. 'It seems he has good reason to believe that you have harboured and concealed an outlaw hamed M'Kail'.'

'Suppose I had, there was a legal way of proceeding against me. But Captain Allan had liberly from me to search my premises; he did so, and found no trace of the man he sought. There is, therefore, not the slight-est excuse for the commission of the out-rage.'

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'Captain Allan, no doubt, acted to the best of his judyment. The present, as you must be aware, is a time of disaffection and incipient rebelion. The troops are here for the purpose of suppressing it, and it cannot be expected that the work can be done without occasional roughness and arbitrary proceedings. If you are a friend of the Government you will not regret having suffered inconvenience by an act that ha! for its object the restoration of order and loyalty in the country. If you are not a friend to the Government, then you cannot complain.

'Sir James Turner,' said Walter, firmly, the people of Scotland are under the idea that their personal and individual freedom is sacredly respected; but if such treatment as we have been subjected to is sanctioned, this idea is a delusion. If the people, whether high or low, are at the mercy of those who are governed by their own unholy passions, then you can only expect that disloyalty will rapidly increase. But, sir, I demand from you our instant liberation—aye, demand it as our right. You can deal with the author of this outrage as you see fit. He is worthy only of my contempt.

'By heaven, Sir James, this touches my honour if exclaimed Allan, as, pale with rage, he laid this hand on his sword.

'Forbear, I command you,' said Turner, imperiously... 'For you, Mr. Elliot, you and your lady are free to depart, but I warn you that it is considered you have covenanting sympathies, and unless you clear yourself from suspicion by conduct different from what you have hitherto pursued you will be made to suffer more than a few hours' imprisonment. You are now at liberty to depart.

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Water drew himself proudly up. 'I do not feel constrained to thank you, sir, he remarked, 'for an act of bare justice, in circumstances when I might well demand ample reparation. But I camot go without making some reply to the words you have taken it upon you to address to me. Know this, Siz James Turner, that I claim to act from duty and convictions as well as you've any one. and I have as good a right to warn you as you have to warn me. Know also that I will be true to my convictions whatever these may be, and when rulers are mad enough to seek to destroy the conscience of a people, on them be the responsibility of the dire consequences that will surely follow.

And having delivered himself thus, Water tarried on his heel, and, with a lofty independent air, quitted the presence of the man whose oppressions were at the moment leading the people to the verge of insurrection. He made no reply to Walter's during, language, but gave orders to the sergeant.

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double dangerous. And, harkee, y please me much if you can find that him which will justify his imprisonm a fellow of his stamp going at large mischief of the worst kind. You

Thus, it was that Walter and Marion had for the last mile, or two of their journey bean rid of Charle's presence altogether, for he had galloped forward considerably in advance of the troop, and when they entered the courty and of Sanquhar Castle, he appeared only to give a few orders to Jackson, and vanished again without so much as noticing the prisopers.

Little more than half the time appointed for the bivonace had passed when a single borseman was seen coming at a brisk pace along the Dumfries road, and great was the sensation produced in the garrison when the person of the Commander-in Chief was recognised. Captain Allan was hastily sought out and informed of his approach in time to receive him in the court-y-ard.

Sir James Turner acted as if he had come direct from Dumfries, and was ignorant of the Captain's exploit that morning. He greeted him in his usual brusque, abrupt manner.

Good morning, Captain Allan. Didn't expect a visit from me I suppose. I have fiden up to I would be supposed to the company of the land the state of your district!— I the does not bit James, and will not so long as the rebels have the countenance of the land to great the state of your district!— I would be supposed to the land to great the state of your district!— I would be supposed to the land to great the state of your district!— I have brought thus far on the collection bate?

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What is their quality and what their offence? I induded recuming the march, but perhaps your excellency will examine then here?

What is their quality and what their offence? inquired Sir James, stroking his chin to care in fine and a quantizances are invited to a tend without further notice.

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