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#### SECOND EDITION.

THE COURTS AND THE IRISH.

An Attack on a Crowd-A Large Number of Police Injured.

DUBLIN, Jan. 15.—During the charge of the police at Waterford yesterday upon the crowd, which was accompanying the persons who had been sentenced for participation in the Manchester "martyrs" demonstration, a police inspector and fourteen constables were injured.

DUBLIN, Jan. 15. - John O'Connor, M. F. for South Tipperary, against whom a warrant was issued for offences against the Crimes' act, has been arrested.

DUBLIN, Jan. 15.—Archbishop Croke has donated £50 to the fund for the relief of evicted tenants. In his letter accompanying the donation the archbishop says : "There is no other land, savage or civilized, where such scandalous and unchristianlike scenes could be enacted without a fierce contest and even bloodshed. The sending of crown forces to demolish the dwellings of the poor for the benefit of the pampered few is a

crime that cries to heaven for vengeance." LONDON, Jan. 15. - The Parnell commission resumed its sitting to day. Sir Charles Parnell, counsel for the Parnellites, applied for an order against the Worcester Times, for certain comments made upon the commission. Presiding Justice Hannen said he regretted the repeated applications of his character, which he declared caused more distress to the court than the presecution of the inquiry itself. He appealed to counsel to use their influence to prevent such statements as it was charged the Worcester Times had published. The court, he said, would decide Sir Charles' application later. William O'Brien appeared before the commission under citation. He stated that he accepted the responsibility for the article in United Ireland for which he was summoned, but denied that he intended any disrespect to the court, and disclaimed imputing that the judges were not doing their duty. The court reserved judgment in the matter.

Mr. O'Brien said he did not assume to question their lordships' rulings, but urged that he was entitled to comment upon the seandalous evidence that was being given.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—A conditional writ of habeas corpus has been granted in Dublin for the release of Edward Harrington, who was sentenced to six months' imprisonment for publishing in the Kerry Sentinel reports concerning meetings of suppressed branches of the national league. The writ was granted on the ground that the certificate of publication under the newspaper act was informal. The case will be argued on Fri-

### BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT.

#### An Old Gentleman Sued For \$30,000 Damages-An Interesting Action,

PETERBORO, Jan. 15 .- A breach of promise case is exciting talk among the gossips of Millbrook and vicinity. Mrs. Reynolds, a widow, aged between fifty and sixty years, has brought action to recover \$30,000 damages from Mr. Jamieson, a seventy year old widewer. Jamieson is reputed to be worth at least \$75,000, and has no children. Some years ago his wife died, and about the same time Mrs. Reynolds' husband left her a lonely widow. The two bereaved ones flew to each other's company for sympathy, and it is alleged by the widow that their relations became more than friendly and Jamieson promised to marry. He, however, denies it, and asserts that on one of his calls about three years ago she became amorously demonstrative and broadly hinted that she expected an offer of marriage from him. He promptly disabused her mind of the idea, and in return was ordered out of the house. They never "made up friends" again, and about a month ago Widower Jamieson married an elderly spinster. Legal proceedings were immediately begun, the fair, though perhaps faded, plaintiff claiming that her affections had been injured to the extent of \$30,000. Unless the case in settled it will likely be tried at the next assizes. - No letters passed between the parties concerned, but Mrs. Rey nolds has as a witness a lady who was in the house with her at the time she alleges the promise was made.

### THE PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Spice of the Morning Papers And the Very Latest Telegrams.

Dr. Kruss, a chemist of Munich, has succeeded in decomposing cobalt and nickle, both of which have hitherto been supposed

to be elementary substances. Elmer Sharkey, Eaton, Ohio, has confessed that he murdered his mother last Friday night because she objected to his paying attention to a young lady.

The Italians and Hungarians who are working at the north-west breaker, Carbondale, had a terriffic fight Sunday night, and half a dozen of them were badly cut. Three of them will die.

The police of Tunis have captured a gang of robbers and assassins. Among the members is a man who is believed to have perpetrated the revolting murders of a number of women in the Whitechapel.

### Max O'Netl's Journey.

An attractive part of the great journey of 14500 miles is the jaunt through Ireland from Queenstown to the Causeway, the flying trip through Scotland and the arrival in England. A number of most exquisitely coloured views, done by a new process, will be shown at the opera house to-night.

### Don't Want to be Hampered.

Paris, Jan. 15. - The cabinet has decided not to hasten the discussion of the income tax bill. It is believed that the government has practically adandoned the measure in order not to be hampered in its struggle with Boulangism.

### A Terrible Loss of Life.

SINGAPORE, Jan. 15. - The steamer Phyapeket has been sunk by collision with an unknown vessel; 42 persons were drowned.

# WORK IN THE COUNCIL.

IT WILL BE PETITIONED ON THE LICENSE QUESTION.

The Church People Make an Attack on the Saloons-They Must go if the Influence of Certain Persons Can Prevail-A Committee Set to Work.

At the close of the meeting of the bible society, held in the hall of the Sydenham street church last evening, a conference was held in the interests of temperance.

Dr. Auglin was called to the chair, and stated that many of those present knew of the action that had been recently taken by the temperance workers in municipal matters. Whether that action was wise or unwise time would tell. The motive, however, was a right one. The object of this meeting was to discuss the advisability of having the Christian people, of all denominations, get up a petition for signatures, to be presented to the council praying for the reduction of the saloons now existing in the city. He had learned that such a petition would be heartily entertained by the council.

Rev. Mr. Houston said he had no hesitation in expressing his warm interest in the movement spoken off. Different opinions might have been held by different persons in regard to other temperance movements. But it seemed to him there could be no difference of opinion in regard to this one, for he did not think there was a Christian man or woman in the city who would not rejoice to see the saloons closed or reduced in number. The movement should be carried out, and influence brought to bear upon the city

council in its interest. Mr. A. Chown said the great question of the day was, What good are the saloons ? They are no benefit except to the proprietors. He had learned that articles were being handled in saloons in order to induce people to enter them. He pictured the unhappy condition in which a drunkard and his family were found not far from Kingston by the colporteur of the bible society. He said that in the city there were several bad saloons and they heard many a time that young men were being ruined in them. All the saloon did was to lead young men astray. It had been said that the council had found fault with the temperance people because they did not move in the matter of temperance in a regular way, and he thought the time had come to act and petition the council against the saloons.

Rev. M. Macgillivray agreed thoroughly with all that had been said. He always agreed with practical wisdom. He was one of a deputation that had waited upon the license commissioners with reference to the reduction of the number of saloons in the city. The commissioners were met at the city buildings, and they told the deputation distinctly that their cause was hopeless, because they were to late in acting. The speaker thought that perhaps they might have received a little more sympathy than they got from the commissioners. He would not say much regarding them least he might be doing an injustice. The commissioners admitted that there were too many places in the city where drink could be got, but he thought they did too much apecial pleading on behalf of the saloous. It was reasoned very strongly that it would not do to touch the saloons so late in the season. The greatest reason of all which the commissioners gave for not being able to deal with the matter set before them by the temperance men was the lateness at which they presented their case. The people should not, therefore, allow this reason to interfere with the cause this year. Speeches were not wanted, but an able committee to draft and circulate the petitions, praying for the abolition of saloons or a re-

duction in their number. Mr. A. Chown said the idea was to circulate a petition for signatures in every ward in the city.

Dr. Anglin said that as this matter would involve a great deal of work energetic men should be placed upon the committee.

Rev. F. W. Dobbs said he hoped something would be done to suppress the saloons. They should think, however, about the taverns also.

Dr. Anglin said that persons who would take out saloon licenses have been allowed tavern licenses. The following committee, composed of

clergymen and laymen from the several churches, was then appointed to draft and circulate the petition Chalmers' church-Rev. M. Macgillivray,

Mr. Maxwell. Cooke's church-Rev. Mr. Houston, J. V.

First Methodist church-Rev. Mr. Sparling, Dr. Anglin. Second Methodist-Rev. Mr. Whiting,

W. J. Crothers. Third Methodist-Rev. Mr. Timberlake, Mr. T Carnovsky. Fourth Methodist church-Rev. Mr. Eld-

ridge, B. H. Carnovsky. Fifth Methodist-Rev. Mr. Sparling, J Langdon.

St. John's church, Portsmouth-Rev. F. W. Dobbs, Mr. Hague

Baptist church-Rev. Mr. Walker, Mr. Joseph Bawden.

Bethel church-Rev. Mr. McFayden, Mr. B. W. Robertson. First Congregational Rev. Dr. Jackson, St. Andrew's church-Rev. Mr. Mackie,

### Let all be Treated Alike.

D. Fraser.

OTTAWA, Jan. 15. - The Citizen advocates the distributing of the blue books to the press simultaneously. So far the ministers have kept them back until it was convenient to first publish them in the Toronto Empire. Hou. John Costigan, however, is not in accord with this system, and will give the anhual report of his department to the press irrespective of politics. This is a fitting contrast to the action of such pigmy politicians as Prof. Foster, who gave the public accounts exclusively to the Empire, and put an embargo on the distribution office until they appeared in that paper.

### The Issue of New Stock.

Paris, Jan. 15 .- The first issue of the new shares of the Panama canal company by the Banque Parisenne will amount to 30, 000,000 francs. A second issue will be made only in case of necessity. The new company obtains all the rights and privileges of the old concern, including the right to issue lottery bonds. The original holders will receive 80 per cent. of the net profits after the new companyeshall have been remunera-

### Whipped Right Unto Death.

HELENA, Ark., Jan. 15.—Dan Reynolds, colored, was taken out of his house Saturday night and whipped so severely that he has since died. His assailants, seven of them, are under arrest.

#### PERSONAL MENTION.

People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Attention. Mrs. L. W. Breck is visiting friends in Montreal.

Frank W. Sackett has been elected president of the Oswego yacht club. Rev. J. W. Burke, Belleville, has gone east on a missionary tour. He started yes-

terday. Dr. Herald has purchased two lots on King street, part of the McAuley estate for

Mr. H. Chown, late of this city, is now in San Fransico and is doing a good stove

business. W. H. Peart, of the K. & P. railway com pany, who has been home for a week through sickness, is around again.

J. P. Macdonald, writing master a Smith's Falls, is in the city. He is a graduate of the Dominion business college. Harmon, well-known to baseball men as manager of last year's Oswegos, is giving

sparring exhibitions in New Hampshire. Rev. Dr. Potts prêached educational sermons in Napanee on Sunday. The collection in the Eastern Methodist church was \$125. Mr. Allen, purser of the steamer St. Lawrence, and his wife, arrived from

Watertown last evening. They left to-day for Chicago. Captain N. D. Moore and W. J. Rattle returned this morning from the township of Darling, where they examined the Ural

iron ore mines. Miss Hanorah Devine, daughter of A. Devine, Renfrew, made profession in St. Joseph's convent, Toronto, taking the name in religion of Sister Mary Crescentia.

Herbert E. Edwards, of Carleton Place, has commissioned T. L. Snook, of this city, to look up the Edwards' estate, situated in Broadway, New York city. The claimants firmly believe they can establish their claim to the property.

Sidney Clark, Odessa; J. A. Paul, J. M. Thompson, Newburg; E. F. Sears, Batter sea; John and Alexander Macauley, Railton; Thomas Philip, Perth, and Miss M. Conley, Kingston, entered the Business college yes terday. There have been forty three admissions since Jan. 7th.

#### THE BY-LAW CARRIED.

Smith's Fails Voted the Bonus - Other Places Will Do the Same.

SMITH'S FALLS, Jan. 15.—The by-law granting a bonus of \$25,000 to the Kingston & Smith's Falls railway company was voted on yesterday and carried by a sweeping majority. Mr! Gildersleeve, of Kingston, was here, and to his energy and advice the large vote polled is largely due. The number of votes pelled was 338, and the result was 302 for and 36 against. There is a feeling of satisfaction among the leading business men over the result, and it is confidently expected that the by-law in the different municipalities will carry with equally large majorities.

Mr. C. F. Gildersleeve reached the city this morning. He was enthusiastic over the prospects of the railroad. He believes that there will be no trouble in securing the required bonuses from the townships between the termini. There was a rousing public meeting in Smith's Falls on Saturday night. It was attended by workmen who had spoken against the road, and who, before the meeting was concluded, were convinced of the importance of the connection. Yesterday there was no trouble in getting them to the polls. There are 497 property hold ers in the town. Of these thirty are women. Of the total number 338 cast their ballots. The opponents numbered 36. They oppose bonuses to railways on principle, and, therefore, couldn't help it. Mr. Gil dersleeve has written the reeve of South Elmsley asking him if his council can consider a by law next Monday. As soon as the municipal bonuses are voted a survey will be made and the government asked for

### DOMINION CUSTOMS APPRAISERS.

Gentlemen Appointed With Jurisdiction

Over the Whole of the Dominion. TORONTO, Jan. 14.—The Ottawa correspondent of the Empire says : "An order in council has been passed appointing G. H. Young, Winnipeg; T. F. Blackwood, Toronto ; J. D. L. Ambrose, Montreal ; A. McBeath, St. John, N. B., and A. R. Milne, Victoria, to be dominion customs appraisers, with jurisdiction at all ports and places in Canada, in contradistinction to the customs appraisers appointed with jurisdiction only at ports or places to which they may be designated by order in council. These gentlemen, by virtue of their office, become members of the board of customs, the body which has power, with the approval of the minister of customs, to decide as to what shall be the rate of duty payable on any class of goods imported in the event of the importer being dissatisfied with the rate levied by the collector or appraiser at the port of entry. These five officers have therefore been designated to render aid in determining any appeals which may be made, and it will be seen that they are located in various sections of the Dominion. so as to be conveniently available to carry out with economy the provisions of the law. Their appointment as Dominion appraisers, however, does not exempt them from the performance of their present duties, or en-

#### title them to any additional remuneration. The Fraters Fraternizing.

At the regular assembly of Hugh de Payen's Premier Preceptory, No. 1, Knights Templar, held last evening in the Masonic hall, R.E. Frater William Fitzsimmons, Brockville, Provincial Prior of the Kingston and Ottawa districts, assisted by R. E. Frater J. A. Henderson, deputy grand master, and R E. Frater R. V. Matthews, past provincial prior, installed the officers as follows : Fr. Allan McLean, presiding preceptor ; Fr. W. M. Drennan, constable ; Fr. James Walters, marshal; E. Fr. W. Wad dington, jr., sub-marshal; R.E. Fr. John Kerr, treasurer; R. E. Fr. F. Rowland, registrar ; Fr. E. W. Case, captain of guards; E. Fr. S. W. Scobell, almoner ; Fr. D. W. Allison, Fr. R. A. Irwin, standard-bearers; Fr. E. H. Ball, guard. The annual banquet was held at the British American hotel, where a very pleasant evening was spent.

### Late Local News.

Leave your name for the Carnival Star at Nisbet's corner bookstore. Dorcas society concert Tuesday, Jan.

22nd, with additional attractions. Lake View assembly, K. of L., Ports mouth, hold an assembly in town half on evening of Feb. 14th.

The Philharmonic Society has been fortunate in securing for its next concert on the 29th inst., the services of Herr August Anderson of the Copenhagen conservatory, and a magnificent orchestra. Particulars

# CANNIBALISM IN HAYTI.

#### THE HORRORS WHICH A NEWSPA-PER WRITER DEPICTS.

Sacrificing the Children to Appease the Gods, And the Enemies of the Race-A Scene Which Beggars Description-

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 .- A correspondent

Great Depravity of the Blacks.

of the Herald in Hayti tells a horrible story of cannibalism in the black republic. He says: "The whole subject of Vaudaux, as the word is spelled in Hayti, is a delicate and offensive one to the people. It was forewarned that it is considered bad form to introduce the topic in conversation among the upper classes. I asked for an explanation. The answer given was that voodooism and its occasional concomitant cannibalism prevails everywhere, and Haytians of intelligenee and education are ashamed of it. The late President Solomoa, a mulatto, used to take part in the midnight meetings, but he was a politician, seeking the support of Papaloi. The priest of Vaudaux is called Papaloi. In Hayti at the present time there are over one half the population directly under the sway of the Papalois. The great majority of the believers are of the homeless wing of the society who satisfy themselves with offering to the serpent a white goat, or a rooster. The minority demand the sterner sacrifice of a 'goat without horns,' which is a human being, a child whose life blood is spilled over the altar on which the medium of Vaudaux, a semi-torpid serpent, rests. According to Papaloi's tenets there is no crime that cannot be condoned, no desire which may not be accomplished, no earthly happiness which may not be attained, and no enemy too powerful to be crushed if the faithful believer prostrates himself before the serpent and anoints his head with the blood of a sacrificed 'goat without horns.' . There have been three presidents of Hayti, who have consented to radical measures being employed to check the cannibalistic tendencies of a portion of the population. One of the victims was Clarine Pelle, eight years of age. She was strangled, her head was cut off, the blood was caught in an earthen vessel, and the body was then skinned and cut up in pieces. After the ghastly-preparations had been completed, the party which numbered sixty persons, went to the house of Floreal Pellier, where they placed the human sacrifice on a box containing the serpent, and the ghastly head was held high in the air while the votaries of Vaudaux danced around it to tune of the sacred drum. After the mummeries were ended a pot was placed over the fire, and the head was boiled for soup. The remainder of the body was cooked with the little red beans known in Hayti as Rois Congo. One of the party, Roseide Sumera, a girl of the town, could not await the completion of the devil's culinary preparations and cut a piece of flesh from the palm of the slaughtered child and ate it raw before the others, accompanying her banquet with a grotesque dance. Fourteen of the participants in this affair were publicly shot at Port-au Prince in presence of 15,000 persons. Notwithstanding the graves of the dead cannibals were surrounded by a double cordon of soldiers the bodies of two priests and the Mamamalio were disinterred and carried off by the faithful."

# FISHERMAN DROWNED

William Gilbert Goes Down With His Fish

Shanty Near Baker's Island. Belleville, Jan. 15.—Another accident occurred during the big storm last Wednesday. The victim was William Gilbert, a widower, about forty year of age. Deceased, with a man named Babcock, of Rednersville, had erected a fishing shanty pear Baker's Island, four miles east of Trenton. They left Believille with the intention of fishing together all winter. The big cyclone on Wednesday night broke up the ice, and on Thursday the fish shanty was seen out on the bay on a floe. Babcock got ashore and attempted to rescue Gilbert, but failed. When Babcock got to the mainland the ice was fast crumbling to pieces by the action of the waves. He yelled to Gilbert, but his words never reached him. Sudden ly the ice supporting the shanty jammed itself between two other cakes. The trail shanty was crushed to pieces and disappeared beneath the surface, carrying with it its human occupant. The shattered remains of the shanty were found strewn among the ice, but nothing whatever has been seen of

### the body.

THE NEWS OF STANLEY

It Has Reached Leopoldville-The New Expedition Now Being Formed. BRUSSELS, Jan. 15. - The movement geographique steamer Stanley has probably brought news of Henry M. Stanley from Stanley Falls to Leopoldville. The steamer left the Falls for Stanley Pool on Sept. 30th with Lieut. Kerkhoven and also the vanguard of an expedition charged with forming a camp on the banks of the Aruwhimi. A despatch relative to Stanley left Banam

Dec. 17th. BERLIN, Jan. 15.-Lieut. Wissmann has selected twenty five active service lieuten ants, most of them experienced to travel, to

accompany him to Africa. LONDON, Jan. 15 .- The Chronicle asserts that the government will be informed of Henry M. Stanley's safety long before the expedition led by Thomas A. Stevens can reach the east coast of Africa, and that in the meantime recent letters from Stanley will be published in London. There are ce tain reasons, the Chronicle says, for keeping secret at present the whereabouts

#### of the explorer. The Mahdt's Change of Base,

CAIRO, Jan. 15.—The Mahdi has countermanded his order to the governor of Barber to leave that place with his army for the Upper Nile. It is supposed the Mahdi has taken this action in consequence of defeats sustained by the dervishes in the equatorial provinces.

Mr, Gladstone is Deeply Touched, LONDON, Jan. 15. - Mr. Gladstone, in a letter to the rector of the Naples university, expresses his thanks for the cordial reception given him by the students of that institution. He says their greeting "touch ed his old age with the breath of youth."

#### A Murder And Suicide. Stoux City, Iowa, Jan. 15,-Henry Gillespie, colored, last evening murdered a white woman named Nellie White, who had once been his mistress, and then cut his

throat. Plenty of Snow in Europe. VIENNA, Jan. 15.-Heavy snow storms are reported in Eastern Europe. The railways in Galicia and Roumania are blocka-