

EAST OF THE ROCKIES.

Death-Dealing Work of an Enraged Husband.

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Tom Duffy Kills One of the Suspected Murderers of Chief of Police Hennessy.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.)

TURBULENT RIVERS.

East and North Rivers Made Dangerous by High Wind.

NEW YORK, October 17th.—Never before in the memory of the oldest mariner along the water front have the East and North rivers been so dangerous and boisterous.

At 9 o'clock this morning, when the tide was at about its height, the river about the Battery and bay was so far as the eye could see, was as fierce and choppy as any stormy sea ever witnessed along the coast.

Only the largest and staunchest vessels ventured out. Later the wind moderated.

At Paterson Scott Nixon, a brakeman on the Lackawanna Railroad, while on the roof of a freight car, passing down the spur near Getty avenue, was carried off by the wind and seriously injured.

The gale in the bay, aided by a strong ebb tide, caused a collision between the tug boat James A. Garfield and the freight boat Amos C. Barstow.

The tug boat James A. Garfield and the freight boat Amos C. Barstow, the Garfield went to the bottom, John Stead and John Lyons were drowned, while seven others of the men on the tug were rescued by the Barstow's crew and the crews of other tugs.

AN ENRAGED HUSBAND.

He Kills His Wife's Paramour and the Latter's Brother.

CHARLOTTE (N. C.), October 17th.—News of a double killing in Allegheny county has been received in this city.

A prosperous young farmer, discovered intimate relations existing between his young wife and Marshall Halsey, Dixon, on returning home, saw his wife leaving the house. He got a rifle and followed her.

She went into the woods to meet Halsey, Dixon shot the latter dead.

Charles Halsey, the elder brother of the man who was killed, was found and pulled his revolver, but persons interfered, saying he would have to fight fair.

Ten paces were off and the men emptied every chamber of their revolvers at each other.

Halsey in a few seconds fell dead. Dixon was not touched. He has not yet been arrested.

NOT A SUCCESS.

A Colored Fanatic Who Would Kill and Restore Life.

COLUMBIA (S. C.), October 17th.—Primus Jones, colored, was killed Sunday morning at Sumter, S. C.

A protracted meeting was being held by the negroes, and the greatest excitement prevailed. At first it was reported that Primus had been offered a sacrifice to the Holy Ghost because of his incredulity.

The coroner held an inquest, and the testimony showed that in a perfect frenzy of fanaticism Jones had seized the Rev. A. H. Durant, a negro pastor, and Richard Campbell, a prominent member of the church, because the deceased had expressed doubts about the supernatural power of the Holy Ghost.

The finding of the jury was that Jones was murdered by Campbell and Durant. The jury was composed of colored men. The prisoners are in jail.

HIGH STRIKE.

A Colorado Mining Town Goes Wild With Delight.

TELLURIDE (Col.), October 17th.—Telluride is ablaze with excitement. The flags are flying and men are cheering. The great Sheridan tunnel has struck a vein and developed a body of ore of very high grade.

The tunnel was commenced in November, 1877. It is 3,000 feet long and cost \$200,000. Manager Waters says, calculating on the basis of what the mine has done in the past, that this strike puts \$15,000,000 in the hands of the stockholders.

The ore is a high grade, and is rich in brittle silver and copper, and runs high in gold. Over 1,000 feet is gained in depth. The vein is owned by the Sheridan Company for 5,000 feet and the rest is owned by the State.

The surface has been developed the entire distance, and produced nine-tenths of the silver output of San Miguel county for the past eight years.

PANIC IN CHURCH.

A Disastrous Alarm of Fire—Many Children Hurt.

CHICAGO, October 17th.—At 8 o'clock this morning, when the St. Stanislaus Roman Catholic Church, in the Polish settlement in the northwestern portion of the city, was filled with 1,500 children, the altar draperies caught fire from an overturned candle and a panic ensued. In the wild rush about twenty children were crushed and killed. The fire was extinguished with a slight loss, and the police finally restored order and rescued the wounded. Several of them had scalp wounds and many were broken arms, but it is not thought the injuries are fatal except in perhaps one case.

ORIGINAL PACKAGES.

The Iowa Prohibitory Law Declared Null and Void.

OSCAR RAPIDS (Ia.), October 17th.—Judge Stoddard, of the Superior Court, decided today that the State prohibitory law is null and void so far as the sale of original packages was concerned. The decision was in a case growing out of the seizure of beer brought from St. Louis to a saloon at a brewery agent last June. The beer was seized on complaint of Rev. Mr. Abrams. The brewing company asked for an injunction against Abrams, and also sought to replace the goods already seized. The defendant demurred that a writ of replevin would not lie to a receiver of beer in Iowa. Judge Stoddard holds that the Wilson bill is not retrospective in its operation, and the Iowa law regarding the sale of liquors in original packages is null and void. He grants a perpetual injunction to restrain Abrams from further interfering with the business of the plaintiff.

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IN FOREIGN LANDS.

Balfour Considers Ireland in a Prosperous Condition.

DILLON AND O'BRIEN EXPLAIN.

Irish Influence at Rome—Russian Grain Being Driven from the World's Market.

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IRELAND'S CONDITION.

Balfour Says it is Improving in Many Ways.

LONDON, October 17th.—A meeting of the Northern Conservative Union was held at Newcastle today and attended by 4,000 persons. Among those present were Balfour, Chief Secretary for Ireland, who was given an enthusiastic welcome. A resolution was adopted by the Union welcoming Balfour, and declaring that his ability and energy were a great benefit to the union between Great Britain and Ireland.

Balfour in a speech said the condition of Ireland was improving, prosperity increasing and respectability rising. He stated that the opposition had been unable to disguise the satisfaction with which they regarded anything approaching failure of the action of the Government.

In the evening Balfour was entertained at a banquet, attended by over 1,000 guests, and presided over by Lord Londonderry. Balfour said no arrangement existed among the Gladstonians to what he called the new home rule, but every energy they possessed on the Parnellites carried with a pledge of future policy which it was impossible to recede from.

Balfour went on to say that the Parnellites never debated anything approaching a suggestion of dealing with the real difficulty, the content with this negative attitude. He said that the policy, adopted by three Judges—one of anarchy, which would prove disastrous to Ireland. If, supposing, Morley should come into office, he would receive from all the same amount of crime to deal with that the present Government had, it would only prove that the Gladstonians were the beneficiaries in this disgraceful Parnellites comedy.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

Will the Vatican Take a Hand in the Irish Elections?

LONDON, October 17th.—The Star says it is alleged in clerical circles that the summing of the four Archbishops of Ireland is a mere formality, necessary to the fulfillment of their duty of presenting themselves to the Pope once every five years.

The Archbishop of Dublin, however, does not regard their going as an innocent and harmless affair. The Archbishops are commanded to take with them their senior suffragan bishops to the Vatican.

The Pope's desire to assemble at the Vatican a representative council of the Irish Catholic Church that an important move is pending becomes more significant when it is known that Bishop Dwyer, of Limerick, will be at the Vatican some time before his colleagues arrive.

The Star, continuing, says: The summing of the four Archbishops of Ireland will be the final effort on the part of the Vatican to assist the Tories at a critical time. The elections are near, and prompt measures are necessary to propitiate Lord Salisbury. The Vatican is convinced that it is to its interest to maintain the Tories in power, and feels certain that a Liberal Government would not continue negotiations in relation to the Free Trade Convention.

The advisers of the Pope bitterly resent the refusal of the Irish party to take its policy from Rome.

The party does not concern itself with anything the Pope may do. It has confidence that the four Archbishops will advocate the party's cause independently of the Nationalist situation, and that they may prevent the Vatican from making a last and irrevocable error in its dealings with Irish Catholics. But the coteries of the Cardinal and the Archbishop of all English Catholic Tories are now in the vanguard in the Papal councils, and it will be nearly impossible to defeat their schemes, which will eventually recoil on Tory heads and will not meet the approval of the movement of home rule for Ireland.

GERMAN SOCIALISTS.

Workmen Called Upon to Assist Them—Death of a Delegate.

BREITENBURG, October 17th.—The Hamburg group of Socialists published a manifesto calling upon the workmen of Germany to assist the Government in carrying out its Socialist policy.

In the Socialist Congress at Halle, today, Baumgarten, one of the delegates from Hamburg, was taking part in the debate, and while in the midst of the active exercise, he became very excited, he staggered and fell to the floor dead. The cause was probably heart disease or apoplexy.

A meeting of Socialists was held here last night, at which a resolution was adopted demanding the Socialist Congress in session at Halle to treat the members of the Berlin opposition with respect, and protesting against being called a clique.

GLADSTONE'S SYMPATHY.

What He Thinks of the Reported Jewish Persecutions.

LONDON, October 17th.—Gladstone, replying to an appeal from the editor of the Jewish Chronicle, expresses his sympathy with feelings of pain and horror, various statements made concerning the sufferings of Jews in Russia. The only recommendation is that the press should exercise the utmost moderation in its reports, and then, if the facts be established, to arouse the conscience of Russia and Europe.

In a letter to Scotch correspondents, Gladstone promises that in his speeches during the coming tour in Midlothian he will refer to the question of home rule for Scotland.

DILLON AND O'BRIEN.

Both Will Make a Canvass of the United States.

PARIS, October 17th.—The Siecle publishes a sort of manifesto from Dillon and O'Brien, in which they describe their flight from Ireland, the motives for their action, etc. They say when they arrive in America they will separate, Dillon visiting the principal cities and towns in the North, and O'Brien going over the Western and Southern States.

HOPE OF THE FUGITIVES.

LONDON, October 17th.—The Paris correspondent of the Times interviewed the Irish fugitives yesterday. Dillon expects to raise £100,000 in America, and expects a year's imprisonment when he returns.

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PARIS, October 17th.—O'Brien says he relies for support in his mission to America on the Irish Roman Catholic Archbishop, of Chicago and St. Paul and on the Irish American clergy in general. He also hopes for sympathy from Cardinal Gibbons.

The Bonapartist organ, La Presse, states that it knows that Parnell is angry because of the flight of Dillon and O'Brien, but they emphatically deny that there is any dissension in their party.

RUSSIAN GRAIN.

OSAKA, October 17th.—The marked and steadily decrease in the export trade in Russian grain is attracting the serious attention of the Government. The total shipments from all Russian ports for the first six months of the year are reported to be 257,000,000 poods (one pood is equal to forty pounds, or thirty-six pounds English, and sixty-three poods is considered equal to one ton), against 312,000,000 poods in 1889. Russia is economically awake to the fact that American, Indian and Egyptian grain is driving the Russian product out of the market.

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