

Friends of Ireland. Hon. Joe Stanton... The Memory of O'Donnell... Wendell Phillips... Woman...

CELEBRATION ELSEWHERE. BALTIMORE, March 17.—The celebration of St. Patrick's day in this city was more generally observed than for some years previous.

NEW YORK, March 17.—The St. Patrick's day parade took place here to-day, and was witnessed by a large crowd of persons assembled along the entire route.

CHICAGO, March 17.—Between 6,000 and 8,000 marchers were in line to-day in honor of St. Patrick. The column was headed by military organizations and the Clan-na-Gael and Ancient Order of Hibernians, numbering 600.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 17.—In accordance with the general feeling in regard to all festivities of a national nature there was no outside display to-day in honor of St. Patrick. In the morning a sermon at St. Patrick's cathedral was preached by Rev. Father Miller, C. S. R., and high mass was celebrated by Bishop Duhanne.

A FAITHFUL TRUSTEE. A Gentleman whose Record should Make Him Welcome in Any Community.

The New York Times says some very pleasant things concerning the manner in which a prospective citizen of Washington handled some important trusts entrusted to his care.

Mr. William J. Best is the receiver of the National Trust company, the Mechanics and Traders Savings bank, and the German Savings bank of Morrisania.

These were all trusts which were intrusted to him some years ago, and their affairs are still in his hands. Mr. Best was appointed receiver of the National Trust company on Dec. 14, 1877.

Assets to the value of \$91,812.12 remained in his charge to be distributed to the fortunate stockholders. The Mechanics and Traders Savings bank failed in June, 1876, and Mr. Best was appointed receiver on the twentieth of that month.

Assets to the value of \$1,254,677.16 was deposited and \$931,100 stockholders. The assets were converted into cash as rapidly as possible, and a dividend of 50 per cent was declared in January, 1878, on all undivided claims.

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THE WAR OF THE SOUDAN.

Orders as to the Future Advance of the British Forces.

Rumors of Dissensions in the Cabinet and Gladstone's Resignation.

St. Patrick's Celebration and Mr. Parnell's Speech on "Ireland as a Nation."

The French Success in Tonquin—Other Foreign News.

THE SOUDAN WAR.

LONDON, March 17.—Gen. Graham has been ordered not to push his reconnaissance far beyond Handouk. It is not true that Turkish troops are going to Suakin, or that the British government has decided to send an expedition to Sinkiat and Berber.

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CABINET DISSENSION.

LONDON, March 17.—The air is full of rumors of dissension in the cabinet, the resignation of Mr. Gladstone, and a dissolution of parliament. The fact is that Mr. Gladstone is suffering from catarrhal fever and is too hoarse to speak.

There are undoubtedly differences in the cabinet as regards the length to which the British should go in the Sudan war, but not enough to cause a split. The ministerialists are confident that whatever happens Mr. Gladstone will insist upon the final decision of parliament.

Rumors are current in the lobbies of the house of commons that the resignation of Mr. Gladstone and other members of the government has been under consideration at the cabinet council.

Among those by these artists were "The Four Evangelists," "Sunny Pathways," "The Poet Longfellow," and "Willow-Weepers." Fasset also painted portraits of Rev. Dr. Bartlett and Justice Miller.

Mr. Charles Dawson, liberal member of parliament, speaking at a meeting in Glasgow, said that the agitation conducted by Mr. Parnell in parliament, and by Mr. Davitt outside, had resulted in a gift of \$5,000,000 to Ireland.

A banquet was given in London in honor of the day. No loyal toasts were offered. Mr. Parnell in proposing the toast, "Ireland, a Nation," urged Irishmen not to depend upon any body of Englishmen, but to rely upon themselves.

He said that Ireland's future was promising; that the time was near at hand when an Irish parliament would send a message of peace to the English parliament.

Mr. A. M. Sullivan, ex-member of parliament, said there would be no truce or peace with England until Ireland was endowed with the institutions which alone could make the Irish race what its genius intended it should be in the economy of the world.

CATTLE IMPORTATION.

MANCHESTER, March 17.—A meeting was held at the L. W. hall here to-day to protest against the restriction placed upon the importation of foreign cattle.

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THE TONQUIN WAR.

PARIS, March 17.—The latest advices from Bac-Ninh report that the French forces, while pursuing the Chinese and Chinese, captured the Phuaung fort. Three men were killed and several wounded.

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The State Allotment of United States Money. A decision was rendered by the supreme court of the United States yesterday in the important state claim case which stands on the original docket as No. 16 ex parte the Commonwealth of Virginia.

1. That the act created no debt or legal obligation upon the part of the United States to the states accepting its terms, and only made a provision for the deposit temporarily with the states, subject to recall by the government, of a portion of the surplus revenues of the United States.

2. That the original act authorized the deposits to be made out of the surplus revenue in the treasury on the first day of January, 1837. The act of Oct. 2, 1837, postponed the deposit of the fourth installment until Jan. 1, 1839, and when that time arrived that installment could not be deposited, because the condition of the treasury at that time did not admit of its being done.

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subcommittee think a bill will be reported making the regulations relating to the treatment of army and navy officers apply to the officers of the revenue marine. A bill providing for the purchase by the government of the steamship "Staten Island," to be used as a United States hospital, was ordered to be favorably reported to the full committee.

WASHINGTON ARTISTS.

A Fine Display of Paintings at the Art Club Reception Last Night.

The exhibition of the Washington Art club opened last night at the Carveron building, and will continue until the twenty-first instant. From 7 until 11 p. m. the rooms were crowded with invited guests, among them many who are prominent in social and official circles.

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THE SUPREME COURT.

In the supreme court yesterday the following business was transacted: No. 1015, The County of Otsego, plaintiff in error, vs. John T. Baldwin, and No. 1233, John T. Baldwin, plaintiff in error, vs. The County of Otsego.

No. 239, Wm. Walsh, appellant, vs. J. D. Mayer et al., and No. 507, J. D. Mayer et al., appellants, vs. The United States for the southern district of Mississippi. Decree reversed and cause remanded, with directions to render a decree for the complainant below.

No. 430, The United States, plaintiff in error, vs. Rudolph W. Urie et al. In error to the circuit court of the United States for the eastern district of Missouri; and No. 532, The United States, plaintiff in error, vs. Jas. M. Sutton et al. In error to the circuit court of the United States for the western district of North Carolina. Judgments affirmed.

No. 211, Eliza Stevens, plaintiff in error, vs. E. E. Griffith. In error to the supreme court of the state of Tennessee. Decree reversed with costs, and cause remanded with instructions to affirm the decree of the chancery court of Monroe county, so far as concerns the claim of the plaintiff here. Eliza Stevens, Opinion by Mr. Justice Field.

No. 235, Allen Campbell McArthur et al., appellants, vs. David H. Scott, administrator, etc. Reversed and remanded on April 7. No. 5, Original, Ex parte. In the matter of Lee H. Sanborn, petitioner. Petition for writ of mandamus dismissed.

Motions to advance were submitted in cases Nos. 723 and 724, Johnson Hascoed, complainant, vs. John J. Southern et al. and Amos D. Williams, No. 1237, Jesse Seligman, appellant, vs. George A. Walker et al. No. 1192, Henry W. O. Ely et al., plaintiff in error, vs. William H. Robertson, collector, etc., and No. 874, The United States, plaintiff, vs. David Waddell et al.

The other business transacted yesterday was as follows: No. 234, Jane C. Hitz, appellant, vs. The National Metropolitan Bank. Argument concluded.

No. 255, Leonard Covell, plaintiff in error, vs. Sarah Heymann. Argued. No. 256, Barzilla Stephens, plaintiff in error, vs. The Monongahela National Bank of Brownsville, Pa., and No. 257, Barzilla Stephens, plaintiff in error, vs. The Monongahela National Bank of Brownsville, Pa. Argument commenced.

The admissions to the bar yesterday were Chas. O. Wheldon, of Lincoln, Neb.; J. S. Lathrop, of Champaign, Ill.; W. C. Belcher, of Maryland, and C. E. Boyle, of Uniontown, Pa. Adjourned.

THE OLD, OLD STORY.

Waiting for a Letter That Never Comes.

"No, marm; no mail this morning." It was the clerk at the general delivery window at the city postoffice who spoke, yesterday morning, to a woman who had asked for a letter.

The woman was below the medium height, slightly built, with a face, pinched face. She wore an old faded drab dress, with a plaid shawl over her shoulders, while streaming behind an old straw hat was a gray veil.

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