Morning Star and Catholic Messenger.

NEW ORLEANS, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30 1877.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

The unclaimed dividends now lying at the Bank of England amount to £3 506,956.

Ten per cent of the population of New York is made up of Hebrews. Yet the Hebrews contribute only about per cent to the criminal population.

The London *Gardeners' Chronicle* says that a bunch of grapes from Lady Charleville's, Kings county, Ireland, 24 inches long and 28 pounds 5 ounces in weight, is the heaviest ever grown.

There are now nine churches in Toledo, Ohio, two French, two German, one Polish, and four English speaking. With the exception of two French churches, they all have excellent schools attached.

A committee of country schoolboys visited Edwin Booth in Utica for the purpose of engaging him to act in their exhibition. Their idea was to appear themselves in "Hamlet" with Mr. Booth in the title role. They offered him $20 and expenses.

It is a curious fact that, notwithstanding the sure destruction, sooner or later, of houses built near the base of Mount Vesuvius, the Italians do not cease to build there. The town of Torre del Greco, containing nearly 10 000 inhabitants, is constructed on the lava streams of 1631.

The culture of coffee in southern California is becoming profitable. The plant grows as vigorously as in the coffee countries of South America, and yields a bean of a strong aromatic flavor. The central and southern portions of the State are the regions peculiarly favorable.

At a public exhibition of strength in the Assembly-room at Wigtown, in Scotland, one Wilson lifted the enormous weight of eleven hundred weight. He also lifted with his teeth, and without the aid of his hands, from the floor, eight 56s on a strong board. The weights did not touch his body.

In an account of the house and the habits of Lord Chief Justice Cockburn, the London *World* cites among the usual guests at His Lordship's lively dinners the pleasant presence of the eminent counsel who has eclipsed his fame as an American statesman by those achievements which have placed him in the front rank of English commercial lawyers, Mr. Judah P. Benjamin, Q QC.

Speaking at Cardiff, Wales, lately, Lord Aberdare, formerly a police magistrate in the centre of the Welsh mining district, and afterward Secretary of State for the Home Department, said that he had not known things so bad for forty five years, and that many persons in South Wales were dying for want of the common necessaries of life. The same story comes from many other manufacturing districts.

In Mexico, Oswego county, N. Y. the merchants formed a protective society against persons who contracted debts and did not pay them. They published a list of the dead beats in the village newspaper. Thereupon the house of the secretary of the association was burned, the President's drug store was set on fire, and the editor was warned that he would have neither house nor office if he published the list again.

A writer in *Chamber's Journal*, who has been looking over the manuscript copies of seven or eight of Charles Dickens' novels in the South Kensington Museum, says that one is struck by the number of alterations and interlineations with which the pages abound. The first emotion is one of surprise that the books that appear so fluent and natural, should have been the result of so much anxious thought, care, and elaboration.

The largest bell in the world is in the temple of Clara, in Kioto, Japan. Unlike the great bells in Pekin and Moscow it is whole, and its tone is as perfect and as sweet as when first suspended. Where and by whom it was cast is not known. Chinese and Sanscrit characters completely cover it; but they are not translatable by Japanese scholars. It is 24 feet high and 16 inches thick at the rim. It has no clapper, but is struck by a sort of wooden battering ram on the outside

The fact that even the most benevolent persons are not always the most harmonious receives new confirmation from the struggles now distracting the management of the Moyamensing Soup Society in Philadelphia. One set of people, who claim to be the regularly elected officials for the distribution of soup to the famished Philadelphians, have applied for an injunction against another set, who, setting up a like claim, are anxious to have the honor of ladling out the liquid comestible. The returns are to be overhauled.

A Russian collects stars as an Englishman would curiosities, and the mania is an expensive one, for it entails a disbursement of fees which are always large, and sometimes exhorbitant. Some Russian Generals and Senators are knights of more than thirty orders, and it is these who affect most to wear no ribbons at all. The custom of going out to evening parties in plain clothes unadorned is one of recent birth, but it is growing apace, and now high class Russians no longer show their stars at the theatre and at private parties, as they did ten years ago. At official receptions they have no choice, but must wear all the stars and crosses they possess, even though their bosoms should resemble a jeweller's shop front in consequence.

One of the half dozen books in the English language which have brought the most grist to the publisher's mill is Burn's "Justice of the Peace." The author was a country curate, who, when he had completed his laborious work, came up to London to find a publisher. The first to whom he went offered $100, and the poor author turned disheartened away; a few days later he went to Miller, an eminent publisher in the last century. Miller consulted a young lawyer who generally advised him on law books, and was told that the book would be cheap at $1 000. Burns cheerfully accepted the offer. Miller made $55,000 out of the book, but had the decency to send Burns five hundred dollars on each new edition making its appearance.

A question of the greatest archæological interest is being discussed in Cologne at the present time, involving the fate of the old fortified wall which surrounds the town. This wall, which dates from the twelfth century, forms, with its numerous towers and gateways, about the most important historical monument of its kind, existing on the Continent. But archæological interests go for nothing against modern civilization, and the Prussian Minister of War, finding its deep fosses and ancient system of fortifications of little use in modern warfare, has offered to sell this wall to the town, and the town is willing to buy it in order that it may be levelled and space thus gained may be made available for building purposes. Meanwhile such a storm of indignation has been raised by archæologists that it is hoped that at all events some portions of the wall and certain of its gateways will be spared.

The sums squeezed out of Ireland by the Protestant prelates in the last century were simply amazing. To take a single instance: The regular road to preferment was to accompany a lord-lieutenant to Ireland as his chaplain. Mr. Charles Agar went in that capacity with the Duke of Northumberland, and, in 1768, when only 32, was made Bishop of Cloyne. Three years later he was Archbishop of Cashel. While holding that preferment he made on a single flue—the bishops released ecclesiastical estates in those days on fines—$200,000, and died worth $2 000,000; almost his last act being to sign a son's appointment to rich preferment. His eldest son, who transferred his money to England, left $3,500 000. Not content with mere temporal honors, the Archbishop obtained the earldom of Normanton. In those times prelates never dreamt of restoring their cathedrals, or any work of that kind. Cashel cathedral remained a ruin while two millions were squeezed out of the diocese.

It is well known that Grant's celebrated Des Moines speech against the Pope and the whole College of Cardinals was conceived in the pious brain of the late representative of the United States at Nineveh and the Garden of Eden. In the absence of Grant, Parson Newman is obliged to hold the fort alone and unsupported. Last week he preached a sermon in Washington, following up the Des Moines idea with a startling proposition. "The Roman Catholics," in the opinion of Parson Newman, "are secretly plotting to turn over the United States to Papal rule." There is only one way to counteract their machinations. Let all "friends of religious liberty" unite in a secret organization, under the leadership of some eminent defender of the Protestant faith, Gen. Grant, for instance, and thwart the insidious designs of the Vatican by opposing cunning to craft.

Twomey has just received a fresh line of groceries.

Next Tuesday the Illinois Central Railroad assumes full charge of the old Jackson Railroad. One of the first great works under the new regime will be the substitution of steel rails for the old iron rails.

Spiced pigs' feet, Yarmouth bloaters and smoked salmon at Twomey's.

Saturday, December 29th, an election for State Senator to represent the Fourth District of New Orleans, in place of the Hon. J. B. Eustis, was held. Mr. Cornelius O'Donnell, a popular young Irishman, is no doubt elected, he being the nominee of the Democratic party and the Republicans having made no nomination. Mr. O'Donnell has for some years filled the responsible position of Secretary to the Screwman's Association, an organization numbering fifteen hundred men. Contrary to an impression which seems to exist in some quarters, Mr. O'Donnell is a well educated gentleman.

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THE BORDER.—Affairs upon the Mexican frontier are more and more troubled. President Diaz appears to have no power to keep the turbulent Mexicans in order. With such a population as that of Mexico it is hard to expect law and order. The country has an area of 761,640 square miles—nearly equal to the whole American territory east of the Mississippi river. Upon that area the total population is only a little over 9,000,000, divided by race lines as follows:

Spanish creoles	500,000
Mestizos (Spanish and Indian half breeds	2 475 000
Aborigines	6'000,000
Negroes and mongrels	25,000

The most authentic census tables show not exceeding half a million of people of pure Spanish descent in the whole country, while fully two-thirds of the whole population is made up by the original tribes of Indians. Of these, there are thirty-five different tribes, speaking as many different tongues. About one-half of them are nomadic savages, like the Navajoes and Arapahoes.

How many persons would dare each evening to say simply 'to God: My God, treat me tomorrow as I have to-day treated such a person whom I have rudely repulsed, whose faults I have brought to light through malice or to parade my wit; as I have treated another to whom, through pride, through aversion, through contempt, I have refused to speak, whom I have avoided, whom I cannot like because he displeased me, whom I cannot pardon, and with whom I do not wish to exchange any civility. And yet do not forget that, sooner or later, God will do unto you as you do unto others.

Though George J. Wagner sold an immense number of shoes and boots during the week preceding Christmas, he has so completely replenished his stock that it is, as it always was, one of the most attractive and cheapest in the city. Remember, corner Dauphine and Ursuline streets.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, TEAS, LIQUORS, ETC. We are not at all surprised to learn that the country business of our friend, Peter Elzardi, Esq., grocer, corner Burgundy and Mandeville streets, is growing very fast. We are not surprised because our friend Pete sells first-class groceries at very moderate prices, and those who purchase of him once are invariably so well satisfied that not only do they become regular customers but make it a point to tell their friends of their satisfactory purchases, and thus secure their custom also for his store. Thus the history of his success in the city trade is being duplicated in his business with residents in the country.

We direct special attention to the card on our fifth page of the large and well known house of Wheeler & Pierron wholesale and retail dealers in clothing and furnishing goods, Nos. 13 and 15 Camp street, opposite City Hotel. Their stock is complete in all details and the prices are extremely moderate. Moreover they are gentlemen of the highest standing in our community, and all who deal with them do so with the most implicit confidence that everything that comes from their store *is exactly what it is represented to be.* Rules for self measurement will be sent to persons residing outside the city on application.

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HUMAN HAIR, JEWELRY, PERFUMERY, ETC. Beyond all question Mr. G. T. Schilling, 159 Canal street between Bourbon and Dauphine streets, has the most extensive and complete establishment in the South in the line of business indicated by the words which head this notice. This we give as our opinion; what Mr. Schilling claims, as well as what he would like readers generally to be specially informed of, will be found in his card, which we publish among the advertisements on the fifth page of to-day's MORNING STAR. Mr. Schilling's prices are always marked down down to the lowest figure, whether for wholesale or retail purchases, and in case any country purchaser thinks the goods sent him are not *exactly* what they are represented to be (something that has not yet happened) they may be returned and the money refunded.

A PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION.—There is a question which interests not only our gentleman friends who have to attend club, society or association meetings (which, by the way, are so frequent in recurrence), but also many of our lady subscribers. That question is the *eyes* and *nose*. The person most qualified to decide thereon is our young friend, Capt. J. P. Roche, optician and jeweler, who presides over the meetings held at No. 93 Camp street. He calls for the near sighted eyes, the weak eyes, etc. He has glasses to suit all sorts of eyes. He is thoroughly proficient in the knowledge and practice of his profession, and can tell at a glance whether you need a strong or a weak glass (of course for the eyes), a convex concave or a magnifying one. He calls for the *nose* in this wise: that it is not only necessary to have a glass suited to the vision, but that it should also be so adjusted as to keep its place on the nose. Combining, as he does, the tact to give the proper glass and make it stay in its proper place, we have no hesitation in recommending him to our patrons. Do not forget the number, 93 Camp street, and the name, Capt. J. P. Roche.

IRISH MAIL NEWS.

SAD STATE OF AFFAIRS IN COUNTY MEATH.

Dublin Freeman Nov. 30.

A meeting of the Tenant Defence Association was held at Navan yesterday. After the transaction of routine business the members conferred together on the subject of the deplorable condition to which the scant harvest of 1876 and the altogether disastrous harvest of this year have brought the tenant farmers of this county. The silence of all public bodies, the still more astounding silence of the press, and the absence of public meetings calling attention to a state of things unparalleled in Ireland since 1847, was remarked upon as something inexplicable. If there be not, it was observed, a general and substantial abatement in the rents next Spring, there will be universal distress, and for many of the tillage farmers nothing save ruin and beggary. It was held to be a certain undoubted public fact that turnips are three fourths short of an average crop. That oats, the bead of which was light and shrivelled, is three-fourths short of an average crop. While with respect to the potatoes it can scarcely be said that there is such a thing at all as a potato crop in Ireland this year. It was further added, as a terrible aggravation of this evil state of affairs that from the low wages and continued depression in the United States our small farmers can hope for little help from their relatives in the Far West to enable them to meet the exactions of the landlords. It was then unanimously resolved:

"That filled with alarm and dismay at the almost total failure of the crops this year, we deem it our solemn public duty to raise our voice on behalf of the impoverished tillers of the soil, and to implore of the landed proprietors, in the name of humanity and justice, to look well and look in time to the miserable condition to which, by a visitation of Providence, the tenant-farmers are being reduced, their means of making rent being scantier far than for the last twenty years; and as this melancholy state of things is certain in no distant future to affect injuriously the traders in the towns and cities, and, indeed, all classes in the community, we would respectfully urge on our excellent press, and on every organ of public opinion, the necessity of calling to it, with the least possible delay, the strongest and most marked degree of public attention."

THE IRISH LANGUAGE.

(Dublin Nation Dec. 8.)

The council of the Society for the Preservation of the Irish Language met on Tuesday, Charles Dawson, Esq., in the chair.

The secretary submitted the following statement of the progress of the movement for the preservation of the Irish language:

"Evidences are not wanting of confidence in the society and its steady progress and growing popularity abroad and at home. Every American mail coming to this country brings good news. The *Irish-American*, which has re-opened its pages to a Gaelic department since the foundation of this society, gives the following information; 'The Boston Philo-Celtic society is preparing to adopt the books in use by the home organization, and work in concurrence with it, like the branch associations throughout Ireland, so as to have a uniform system of education by the Irish people at home and abroad in their mother tongue. In Brooklyn there is a central society, with about thirty branch associations, the working of which will be laid before you soon. Many religious bodies are making arrangements to have Irish taught in their schools.' In one school in Lisburn there are 300 children learning Irish. Many National School teachers are giving instruction in Irish after school hours, and are but too anxious to be granted 'result fees' for that subject. The work of the publication committee is progressing; the 13th thousand of the "First Book" is now in the publisher's hands, and orders held over can be attended to. The Second is well-nigh completion; the copy-book is in the engraver's hands; and the arrangements for the publication of a popular Irish song book are under consideration. A worthy fellow-citizen, R. M Levey, the musical composer, has just published his 2nd volume of the dance music of Ireland, and dedicated it to this society, for which the thanks of the society were voted to him. There is a strong reaction at present in Scotland in favor of the Gaelic. Petitions in favor of teaching Gaelic in the schools are being signed in the Highlands, and will be presented to Parliament by the popular member, Mr. Frazer Mackintosh, M P. Dr. McLachlin states that Gaelic is still spoken by some 200,000 people. A Gaelic class has been opened in Glasgow University, in Aberdeen, etc, and referred to in the *Highlander* of the 1st inst. This journal, in a leading article on the preservation of Scotch Gaelic, says: 'To the same purpose we can quote what is going on in Ireland. It is only a few months since the movement for the preservation of the Gaelic in Ireland was founded, and the desire to master the language has spread like wildfire.' And referring to the question of obtaining from Government 'result fees' for the teachers in the highland schools, it says: 'Let us insist on having the Queen's Gaelic recognized as well as the Queen's English.' Such are a few of the many instances that could be adduced to prove the growing desire to acquire a knowledge of the too long neglected Gaelic language.

THE MAYORS FOR 1878.

The elections for the Lord Mayoralty of Dublin, and the Mayoralties of Cork, Belfast, Limerick, etc., etc., came off on the 1st inst. In Dublin, Alderman Taepy, who filled the office of Lord Mayor for 1877, was unanimously re-elected Lord Mayor for 1878. He is a Catholic, but whilst never shrinking from any work to the help of which his Catholicity was invoked, and never abandoning any of its public duties, he has professed and maintained his religious belief and opinions without offence to any one of that body of citizens over whom he has been called to preside as chief magistrate. The Catholic Corporators of Cork, who are greatly in excess of Protestants in the civic body, did a generous thing on Saturday by electing a Protestant for the Mayoralty of that city. Alderman Greff, the gentleman elected, is not only a Protestant but a strong Conservative. The toleration of Catholic constituencies is not emulated or imitated when Protestants are in the majority. There is scarcely a Catholic in the large corporation of Belfast, and as to the selection of a Catholic for the mayoralty of that city, it would be easier to set the Lagan (the river that flows through Belfast) on fire than to accomplish such a revolution in the religious and political sentiments of its non-Catholic inhabitants.

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