

HOSPITALITY TO CLERGYMEN.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 2, 1867. To the Editor of the Evening Telegraph— A clergyman whose private circumstances prevent him from the unpleasant necessity of receiving the hospitality of strangers, asks the use of your columns for a brief reply to your article of last Monday. I have no defense to make of the discourtesy of which you complain. I deny, however, that it is in any respect a clerical. A gentleman is such, whether his coat be black or blue; and the reverse. But I wish to correct the mistakes of your account of the letter, which you can see by applying at my office. The author did not speak from his own experience. He had only "heard" that "Philadelphia hospitality is not very attractive;" and he asks, on that account, that his friend shall secure for him "some quiet boarding-house;" nor does he say one word of his expenses being paid by others, which is the main point of your charge against him. I will remark upon your general assault upon the clergy for receiving hospitality from strangers, and "denouncing" it. The average salary of a country minister is below \$300, and the unfortunates for whom hospitality is demanded. You probably have some idea of the average families; and as you are living in the usual way, you can form some faint notion of how much money a minister with \$300, and a wife and four children, can spare to pay a bill for a week's lodging at the Continental. It is very well to talk of paying our own expenses when we have money to spare. If we wear threadbare coats and empty pockets—if we are educated gentlemen, set apart by the respect of the community for a holy service, to whom to dig or to steal is impossible! But you say their congregations should pay for them. I need only ask if it is likely that a congregation which is unable to give a minister more than \$300 annually, should be prepared to pay the cost of his visit to the city, at the present rates?

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THE ITALIAN WAR.

Prussia Has Pledged Her Support to Italy.

The Fenian Warren Found Guilty of Treason.

By Atlantic Cable. LONDON, Nov. 2.—The French army has entered the city of Rome.

The Italian reserves have been called out. It is reported that Prussia has pledged her support to Italy, and the close relations between Prussia and Italy are causing much anxiety.

Menabra publishes a note justifying the Italian advance into the Papal territory, and saying that the dignity of Italy and the French violation of the September Convention required such action by the Italian Government.

General Warren, the Fenian prisoner, has been found guilty of treason and felony.

The Obsequies of Ex-Gov. Andrew. WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 2.—The bells of this city were tolled from 12 M. to 1 P. M. to-day, and flags were displayed at half-mast, in respect to the memory of Ex-Governor Andrew.

Boston, Nov. 2.—The manifestations of mourning for the death of Ex-Governor Andrew, whose funeral took place to-day, were very general in this city and throughout the State.

Ship News. New York, Nov. 2.—Arrived, steamship Hermann, from Southampton.

HEARINGS AT THE CENTRAL STATION.—Before Alderman Bellier at 1 o'clock to-day, John McManus, John Hurst, and James McLaughlin, were charged with cutting the throats of several persons.

Joseph A. Furth, a victualer, residing No. 1718 N. 11th street, testified that two of his horses had had their throats cut, and one of them had known the defendants; had had a conversation with McLaughlin about the case; he slept in the stable of Charles Hiley, over a horse that had its throat cut; he told witness that he saw the defendants there, and knew their voices; witness had had a difficulty with Hurst.

Detective Webb testified that he arrested the defendants and a conversation with McManus and Hurst; they both said they were home on Monday night, the 28th of October.

Officer Mearns testified that he saw McManus and Hurst on Monday, the 28th, in the neighborhood of Tenth and Carpenter streets, at 12 o'clock at night, with two young men.

The hearing was being continued when our report closed.

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