

SHOT DOWN ON THE STREET.

Three and discussed the attempted assassination in ominous whispers. ... To a reporter Ross said: 'I was a pro-meditated affair, and the woman was simply the engine by which the dynamite work was accomplished. She had no private revenge to gratify—no relatives of hers had been injured in the English explosions. It is the work of the English government, whose policy has always been to assassinate men they could not otherwise reach. She is an agent of the British government, and she is Irish. This woman came to me and said she was Irish, but that her husband did not sympathize with the cause of Ireland. She was called in by her husband's agent, who said the London explosions were not good, and wanted a horrible sacrifice of life, to be made in the name of the British government. I told her that I was not engaged in that business, and I received no money for such purposes, but only to help the Irish cause. She then said that she would be sacrificed in London. I had been to see my printer at 10 o'clock, when I started out in my carriage, and she followed me. She was an agent of the British government employed to assassinate me. ...

ON DONOVAN ROSA GETS A DOSE OF HIS OWN MEDICINE.

The Methods of the Assassin Advocated by Him Are Put in Practice Upon Him by a Handsome Young Woman Who Shoots the Irish Agitator.

At twelve minutes after 3 o'clock Monday afternoon Jeremiah O'Donovan Rossa, the notorious Irish agitator, was shot by a woman on Chambers street, near Broadway, New York. At that hour the streets were full of people, making their way toward the Brooklyn bridge and uptown, and the excitement over the shooting, although the man was recognized by very few, was intense. The first shot fired took effect in O'Donovan's body and he fell to the sidewalk. The woman continued to shoot until she had emptied her five-chambered revolver. Only the first shot took effect. ...

THE ASSASSIN AT A HANOVER WOMAN.

A great crowd of people had followed the wounded man down Chambers street and blocked up the roadway in front of the hospital after the door was locked behind O'Donovan and his escort. ...

HUNTING FOR THE BULLET.

Rossa had been placed on a cot in the same ward as Captain Phelan, who was situated by Richard Short in O'Donovan's office over three weeks ago. O'Donovan was within eight beds of Phelan. ...

NEWS OF THE SHOOTING IN ENGLAND.

The first intelligence of the shooting of O'Donovan was received on the morning of Tuesday in London and sent on the "tickers" to the clubs at midnight. The news spread with wonderful rapidity throughout the city and caused the wildest excitement among the people. ...

THE TOBACCO MARKET.

THE LOCAL TRADE SHOWING A LITTLE MORE LIFE THAN USUAL.

Sales of New Tobacco.—The White Vein in its Effect on the Quality of the Weed.—The New York and Philadelphia Markets.—General News. ...

GREAT EVENT IN CEDAR GROVE.

The Inhabitants of Eastern Lancaster County Excited Over a Mock Trial.

CEDAR GROVE, Feb. 2.—The mock trial, held under the auspices of the Cedar Grove Literary Society, on Friday evening, was one of the most successful affairs of the kind held in the eastern end of the county for a number of years. ...

THE PRIVATE SECRETARY.

A Good Audience Delightfully Entertained at the Opera House.

The play bill at Fulton opera house this week presents a most attractive and unusual during the present theatrical season. The opening last evening of three successive first class entertainments proved that this order of amusements will still receive popular patronage, and that a season of high quality is being put on the stage. ...

Beauty on the Stage.

John Hollingshead, the London theatrical manager, in an interview printed in the Pall Mall Gazette, says: "I contented me not to personate a handsome man, but a man of a profession unless he, and particularly she, has physical beauty. I want in a woman a pretty face, a sympathetic voice, a lissome figure, a good presence. With a man it is the same. A handsome man should be successful in his profession. Beauty is a much larger element than one of Mr. Gladstone's secretaries, and a lively time, too. A few years ago, I used to see a young man with a pair of small eyes (hazel for a choice), small feet and hands, hair, color indifferent (red, barred), and a very unimpressive figure. He was an unexceptionable tailor, and there you are. A fashionable young man may rise to the rank of a peer, but a man of a sequence; none whatever, 'good manners much more valuable.' 'I have laughed till the tears rolled down my cheeks at Mr. Hill or Mr. Paulton, but do you consider the explanation of the difference? It is that it is quite a different matter. A low comedian needs no physical charms, indeed, they would rather ruin his progress in his profession. A handsome man, however, is often worth a fortune to a man. No, a surprising gain to a low comedian are exceptions to my rule." ...

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