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FROM EUROPE.

Disturbance Among the Tenants in Tipperary, Ireland—Police Resisted—Fete Day in France—The French Loan—Disturbance in Turkey.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, August 15.—Despatches have just been received from Ireland giving particulars of deeds of lawlessness which occurred yesterday near Tipperary. It seems that while a great landlord of that region named Scully was serving the usual notices on his various tenants he was shot and killed by some unknown person. A strong body of police soon after made their appearance on the scene, and attempted to arrest the culprit. The police in turn were attacked, and two of them shot dead and four mortally wounded. Several arrests were subsequently made. At last accounts quiet had been restored.

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NEW YORK CITY.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

New York, August 15, 1868.

IMPORTS.

The foreign imports for the week aggregated \$4,312,839.

MORTUARY.

The deaths for the week numbered 643, one hundred less than last week.

THE CATTLE DISEASE.

It is not believed here by the health authorities that the cattle plague is at an end, as the period of incubation of the disease extends from ten to thirty days, and it is feared it will again make its appearance in a few days. Fifty-four infected cattle have been discovered since their arrival on the Hudson river. One of the Health Board has gone to inspect and have them slaughtered.

ATTEMPTED ABDUCTION.

Mrs. Merritt, who was, but recently rescued from an insane asylum, where she was forcibly placed by a madman, was assailed by two men on Thursday evening while going to her home in Hudson City, who attempted to force her into a coach standing near, but she only escaped, and citizens coming to her rescue, the abductors fled in hot haste.

ROW AT A PRISON.

Wm. Rooney and a gang of rowdies assaulted a pious party on Thursday afternoon at Staten Island. While endeavoring to defend themselves from the roughs, two men were shot, one in the forehead and another in the arm and neck, by Rooney. The latter was to-day arrested and held for trial.

YACHT RAN DOWN.

One of the outward bound steamships this noon ran down a pleasure yacht, which were about a dozen ladies and gentlemen. The yacht was sunk and four persons were rescued by passing boats. Several are supposed to have been drowned.

ATTEMPT TO LYNCH.

Bergeron, a negro, has been committed for trial for rape upon a white child in Hudson. A mob tried to obtain possession of the child, but finally left him at the jail in charge of the authorities.

MISSIONARIES SAILED.

Rev. Messrs. Farnelle, Pierce, Inell, Wheeler and other missionaries destined for the East Indies sailed to-day in the steamship Erin for Liverpool.

NEW YORK FOR CALIFORNIA.

New York, August 15.—All disposals of recruits at the regular army depot at Governor's, Bedloe's and David's Islands, in this harbor, are under orders for the military division of the Pacific. Officers who accompany these detachments will remain in that Department. As the reduction of the army by casualties and expiration of service is being very rapidly proceeded with, recruiting offices will soon be reopened to fill up companies reduced below the minimum by the Government's orders. A large lot of old subdued stores and war material accumulated here will be sold by the Government in a few days.

EPISCOPAL MEMORIAL.

Rev. Mr. Tyng and his friends have in circulation for signatures, a memorial to the General Convention of the Episcopal Church which meets next October, to repeal the canon under which he was tried and condemned for making a parish and geographical division of territory, or so modify it as to apply only to unauthorized attempts to form new parishes, or to intrusions upon actual parishes by other ministers of the church. Another memorial asks for a simple repeal, leaving the whole matter to be governed by the preface to the ordinal in prayer-books.

DANGEROUSLY STABBED.

At nine o'clock last evening Jacob Stillwagon, who keeps a German boarding house at 615 East Fourteenth street, was dangerously stabbed by John Seibert, an intoxicated laborer, who mistook the house for a saloon and who was engaged at being reeled a glass of lager, and being expelled from the premises on becoming noisy. Seibert was arrested.

THE BREKERSLAYERS.

The breakers last night commenced the organization of a Co-operative Association, shares at ten dollars each, to erect buildings themselves without being controlled by contractors.

ALL RESCUED.

All the parties in the pleasure boat which was run into and upset yesterday by the steamer City of Baltimore, outward bound, were rescued.

CANADA.

The Express Robbery—Extensive Fire in the Woods—The Cattle Plague.

TORONTO, August 14.—The city is greatly excited over the arrests made last night, and stating "revelations are looked for. The names of the passengers arrested are Moore and his wife, J. A. Morton and his wife, E. Thompson, J. Williams, of St. Catharines, Mrs. Sturge, and a boy named Brown, the crime with which they are charged is robbery of the Merchants' Union Express Company on the Hudson River Railroad in July last. A witness in hand, the Chicago detective, had these in hand. A writ of habeas corpus has been applied for by Hon. E. D. Cameron and Hon. McManis, who have been engaged for the defendants. Large sums of money and bonds were found on the women.

ONTARIO, August 14.—The Minister of Customs has dispatched a special agent to investigate the extent of the cattle plague in the United States.

RIVERS AND WEATHER.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 15.—No arrivals or departures outside of the regular packets. The America arrived from St. Louis. The weather is clear and warm. River falling 9 feet 4 inches in the channel and for passing steamers.

LOUISVILLE, August 15.—The river continues to fall rapidly. No arrivals or departures outside of the local packets. St. Louis, August 15.—Arrivals—Marbleburg, Glasgow, from Omaha. No departures outside of the regular packets. The weather is clear and warm. Weather cloudy and warm with light drizzle.

DROWNED AT ATLANTIC CITY.

ATLANTIC CITY, August 15.—A man named John Reynolds was drowned in the surf here to-day while bathing. The body was recovered. This is the second case of drowning which has occurred here this week.

LOUISIANA.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

New Orleans, August 15.—An act regulating public education in Louisiana has been made the special order in the Legislature for Friday. Section 1st provides that schools shall be open to all children between the ages of five and twenty-one, without distinction as to color or previous condition. The bill provides for a Board of Education, to consist of the Lieutenant Governor and six persons appointed by the Governor, to be confirmed by the Senate. The State Superintendent also is to be elected by the Directors of the six general districts into which the State is to be divided, to be confirmed by the Superintendent. The Superintendent is empowered to make without appeal all controversy or disputes arising under this law. It also invests him with other extraordinary powers. It requires all teachers to hold certificates from the National Government and kindness to all men regardless of race or color.

Section 2 provides for compulsory attendance of children between eight and fourteen, without fixed employment, in such school as may be provided by the board of education. The expense of the parents or guardians, or in case of poverty, at the expense of the school fund, is to be borne by the board. The act provides that in addition to poll tax, a special tax of one-fourth of one per cent. be levied on all taxable property in the State. Section 3 provides that the State Superintendent is to interpret all doubtful provisions of this law.

An informal meeting was held last night in the Governor's office between prominent members of both parties. All conceded that the danger of collision was imminent. The Democratic gentlemen expressed the opinion that the best and only way to avert the crisis was to stop the system of aggressive and oppressive legislation now in progress; that the Democratic and Conservative elements of the country expected to accomplish nothing by a legal and improper for the State government to deny the wishes of the people; that if the Governor would sustain him, and if the people were to force him to do so, the preservation of peace would be necessary for the present.

Governor Warmoth stated he was authorized to say in behalf of the Republicans that there was nothing in reason that the Republicans can do to prevent the bill from being passed. He promised that measures of party policy would be abandoned, and that the Government would be managed for the benefit of the people, and not for the purpose of securing the election of a particular party.

Another meeting will be held in a few days when it is believed some practical solution of the mutual desire for harmony will be presented.

California Means.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

SAN FRANCISCO, August 15.—The United States steamer Sagara, bound for San Francisco, was destroyed by fire last night. The fire broke out in the engine room, and spread to the cargo hold, which was filled with lumber. The ship was completely destroyed, and the crew were rescued.

Suppressed Wife Murderer.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, August 15.—A woman who died last week in Clarkstown, West Chester county, and was buried in Greenwood cemetery, was found to have been murdered by her husband. The body was found in a state of decomposition, and the cause of death was ascertained to be a blow on the head.

Base Ball Matches.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

BUFFALO, August 15.—A baseball club of Buffalo beat the Excelsior Club of Rochester yesterday. Score 19 to 10.

ST. LOUIS, August 15.—A baseball match yesterday, between the Morrisania Club and the Empires of this city, resulted in the defeat of the latter. Score 36 to 11.

Suicide of a Bigamist—Killed by a Train.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

BOSTON, August 15.—In Leacoin, New Hampshire, a man named Robert, charged with bigamy, committed suicide by hanging himself yesterday in jail.

A man named Rafferty was run over and killed by a railroad train in East Cambridge last night.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

—On Monday next the opening of new routes to Boston over the Hoosier route will be inaugurated by the Troy and Boston Railroad.

—John D. Stiles has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for Congress from the district comprising Lehigh and Montgomery counties, Penna.

—A. H. Jones of Duquoin county, has been nominated for the Legislature, for the Seventh District of North Carolina.

—Wm. Topple started to walk fourteen miles in two hours at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on Saturday. He walked eight miles in one hour and four minutes and was released from his engagements.

—The Auburn correspondent of the N. Y. Herald says that Secretary Seward has stated that he could not consistently support Seymour, and it is believed he will support the Republicans.

—Mr. Abbot, of North Carolina, has collected the facts with regard to the foreign investments in that State. He finds that ten millions of dollars of northern money has been invested there since the war.

—Whitmore, Chairman of the Convention of the party, to meet at Columbia on the 24th of September, to nominate a candidate for Governor.

—The new Mayor of Montgomery, Ala., appointed by the Governor, was inaugurated on Saturday. The City Council also met on Saturday. The City Council is composed of many of the city officers are colored men.

—A St. Domingo letter of the 25th inst., states that the revolutionaries there, who were within three miles of Azua, had been defeated and were retreating towards the north. It is said to have forced the British Consul to open his mail in order to search for revolutionary documents.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

Financial—Falling off in Imports—Attempted Suicide—Internal Revenue Receipts—Arms for Southern States—Applicants for Supervisors—Death of Mrs. Senator Trumbull.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, August 15, 1868.

FINANCIAL.

The fractional currency printed for the week was \$902,500; shipments, \$245,651, including \$100,000 to the Assistant Treasurer of St. Louis, and \$175,651 to the National Bank currency fund. \$17,839 amount in circulation, \$299,908,870; fractional currency destroyed, \$472,700.

INTERNAL REVENUE.

Director Denner, of the Bureau of Statistics, has issued his monthly report for June, 1868. The value of the total imports for the month was \$33,112,906, against \$31,922,915 the same month in 1867, \$7,105,127 in May, 1868, \$34,375,097 in April, 1868, and \$39,229,125 in March, 1868. This shows a decline in the amount of imports.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

J. A. Brigham, late Deputy Collector of Richmond, attempted suicide, caused by disappointment in not being reinstated.

INTERNAL REVENUE.

The reports for July 14th to date are twenty-five millions eight hundred and thirty thousand dollars.

ARMS FOR SOUTHERN STATES.

A special Washington dispatch states that soon after the adjournment of Congress requisitions were received at the War Department from the Governors of several of the Southern States for arms to equip the State Militia, it seeming to be understood that the Secretary of War could fill the requisitions from the provisions of the act of 1776. Secretary Scholfield has, however, notified applicants that arms could not be furnished under the act mentioned, as further legislation would be necessary before arms could be furnished.

APPLICANTS FOR SUPERVISOR.

Over two hundred applications have already been filed for the office of Supervisor under the act of 1867. The applicants are from various parts of the country, and are mostly men of business and high standing.

DEATH OF MRS. TRUMBULL.

Mrs. Trumbull, wife of Senator Trumbull, died this morning. Arrangements are being made to convey the body to Springfield, Illinois, probably by special car.

WASHINGTON TOPICS AND Gossip.

Mr. Everts is now preparing an opinion relative to the right of the President to appoint Collectors for New Orleans and Alaska. It is believed that Everts will decide that the offices can and should be filled during the recess of the Senate by the President.

It is expected that an open rupture will occur between Mr. Stanton and Mr. Everts, as it is known that the latter does not agree with the Attorney General on many points. He especially dislikes the opinion in the following column.

General Blair telegraphs from Fort Sanders that he cannot come East for some weeks.

General Kautz is ordered to accompany General Rosecrans to Mexico, as Military Agent. He will do what he can to accomplish two years ago.

Commissioner Rollins will return on Monday.

Minister Rosecrans will not sail for Mexico before October, as he does not wish to leave before the yellow fever season. The Buffalo Club has elected General Rosecrans to represent an entire new line of policy with reference to Mexico.

St. Louis has always been a hotbed of the pro-secessionist influence in that country. It is known that Mr. Seward and the President have always been about the Mexican question, but the influence of the former has hitherto prevailed. Mr. Rosecrans is a strong exponent of a more active policy, and his selection and instruction by the President is a clear indication of the policy which is to be pursued in that country.

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TENNESSEE.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

Nashville, August 15.—Last night about twelve o'clock a party of masked horsemen, about fifteen in number, rode into Franklin, Williamson county, and broke open the door of the store of a Prussian named Bierfeld, a radical. Bierfeld, as soon as he saw the masked horsemen, fled in haste. He was fired upon and fell dead, pierced by five bullets. Lawrence Bowman, colored, Bierfeld's clerk, was also shot and killed. Bierfeld's body has been brought here for burial. Who the maskers were, or whether they were supported by any one, is not known. The affair occurred just after the close of a circus, and many people were in the streets, some of whom interfered but could not prevent the shooting. It has created intense feeling in Franklin, and is denounced by all classes.

Accident on the Oil Creek Railway—Five Persons Killed—Fifteen Injured.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

TREVILLE, Pa., August 16.—On yesterday afternoon a collision occurred on the Oil Creek and Allegheny River Railroad, near Roseville, between a passenger train and a freight train, which resulted in the death of five persons and severely injuring others. The names of the killed and wounded are as far as ascertained: Michael Forry, Patrick Garvey, Michael Elliott.

Consecration of Bishop Becker.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

BALTIMORE, August 16.—The consecration of Rev. Thomas A. Becker, as Roman Catholic Bishop of the new See of Wilmington, took place at the Cathedral to-day. The ceremonies were most impressive. The Cathedral was densely crowded and thousands were unable to gain admittance. The Bishop of Baltimore, and the Archbishop of Baltimore, acted as consecrator, and the Very Rev. H. B. Cusky assisted.

Frank Blair's Strategy.

Our contemporaries of the Republican faith are being considerably exercised over the brutally stupid letter of Gen. Frank Blair, which proceeded him the nomination of Seymour for the Presidency. Such indignation is a great waste of a good man's energy. Frank is harmless. The really dangerous man is the one leading the ticket. Frank means to do nothing but back the ticket to understand it, and so enforce his meaning.