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THE PEN AND PISTOL.

The Editor of the St. Louis "Post-Dispatch" Murders a Prominent Lawyer.

Col. Cockrell shoots to Kill and His Victim Dies in Three Minutes.

The Editorial Room Stained With the Blood of D. W. Slayback.

A Sensation of the First Magnitude in "The Future Great."

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

ST. LOUIS, October 13.—The business part of the city was thrown into a state of high excitement about half past five this evening, by a report that John A. Cockrell, managing editor of the Post-Dispatch, had shot and killed Col. D. W. Slayback, a prominent lawyer and well-known politician of this city. Precisely how the shooting occurred cannot be stated, this evening, as none directly concerned in the matter will make a statement; but Henry W. Moore, city editor, who was sitting at his desk writing, says while Col. Cockrell, John McGuffin, business manager, and Victor T. Cole, foreman, were holding a business conference in the editorial room, Col. Slayback, accompanied by W. F. Clopton, entered the local room, passed on toward the editorial room, the door of which was closed. Mr. Moore turned in his chair as they passed by and observed that Colonel Slayback, as he opened the door with his left hand, had his right hand on his pistol pocket. In less than half a minute after Slayback entered Cockrell's room, Moore heard the report of a pistol. He immediately sprang up. On entering the room he found Slayback stretched on the floor and Cockrell bending over him, apparently wiping the blood from his face. Cockrell asked Moore to send for a physician, which he did, and a few moments later Dr. McKinley arrived, but not until Slayback was dead, having died about three minutes after being shot. Moore, while Cockrell washed his hands and in less than five minutes after the fatal shot was fired, he and McGuffin entered a carriage and drove away. It was said that they went before the courts and surrendered to the chief of police, but subsequent inquiries proved that such was not the case. It is not yet known where he is. Col. Slayback's brother, Charles E. Slayback, president of the Merchant's Exchange, was immediately notified of the sad event. He gave directions for the disposal of the body, which was sent to the dead man's home.

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instant, but I at once entered the room, saw Col. Slayback in the act of removing his coat, and while the coat was on his arm heard him say, "Don't you draw that pistol on me." Simultaneously with the remark Cockrell fired. Colonel Slayback closed with Cockrell and I caught hold of Cockrell at once, forcing his right arm against the window to prevent his shooting again. I could not reach the pistol, but caught Cockrell between the elbows and wrist, and held him so until I saw that Colonel Slayback had been shot. When I released Cockrell I gave my attention to Slayback, eased him to the floor, rested his head on my knee, and held him so until he died. Colonel Slayback did not assault Cockrell until after he was shot, though then mortally wounded. Colonel Slayback showed no pistol, and so far as I know was unarmed.

THE MURDERER.

Cockrell has been in conference with his counsel most of the night, and the latest advice state it was arranged that he should surrender himself to the authorities at 1 o'clock. Whether this was actually done is not known, but it has not been well ascertained himself early in the morning.

Colonel Slayback was one of the best known men in the city. He was a partner of James O. Broadhead, who was a candidate for congress in the Ninth district, and was once a candidate in the same district himself against Erasmus Wells. He was a warm hearted, impulsive man, and in the heat of a political discussion a very free talker, which was really the cause of to-day's sad event. The opinion seems largely to prevail that he was the aggressor in the case, but many attribute the tragedy quite as much to the strong personal journalism of The Post-Dispatch.

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FOREIGN NEWS.

The Coming Conference of Irish Leaders at Dublin a Most Important One.

Details of the Scheme to Organize Under a New Name.

The Government Much Pleased Over the Improved Condition of Ireland.

The Proposed Channel Tunnel Squelched by the Military Committee.

The Egyptian Authorities Gathering up All Prominent Rebels.

The Usual Quantity of General Items.

AFFAIRS IN IRELAND.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

THE COMING IRISH CONVENTION.

DUBLIN, October 13.—It is expected 1,200 to 1,500 persons will attend the national conference next week. The main purpose of the conference will be to establish a new organization to be known as the National League, and provide for the election of a national convention which shall choose the executive of the new league. An account of the expenditures of the Land League fund will be rendered at the conference. The principal object of the new league will be a vigorous agitation for redress of grievances, the abolition of landlordism and the improvement of the condition of laborers. Practical measures will be proposed and a definite policy marked out. Plans will be submitted for the revival of Irish industries and promotion of home manufactures. It is understood a dissolution of the home rule league will be announced at the conference.

DETAILS OF THE PROGRAMME.

Invitations for the national conference next week have been sent to 1,500 persons, including all delegates to the national convention of 1881 and all suspects imprisoned during the administration of Foster as chief secretary. The main business before the conference will be a proposition to found a new national organization, probably under the title of the Irish National League. The conference will be invited to select an organizing committee to settle the details of the new organization. The committee will be empowered to nominate a regularly elected convention, which will choose an executive, to whose guidance the affairs of the league will be trusted. A statement of the balance of the Land League funds now on hand will be submitted to the conference, and a detailed account of the expenditures made to the new executive for audit. Subscribers to Mansion House fund will be invited to membership in the new organization. It is believed the principal object of the Irish league will be prosecution of vigorous agitation for amendment to the land act as preliminary to the abolition of landlordism by purchase. Special stress will be laid on the definition of Haly's clause, so as to secure to tenants the entire value of their past and future improvements, admission of leaseholders to the benefit of the act and advance of the entire purchase money by the state at a low rate of interest, principal to be paid during the extended period. Proposals will also be advocated for purchase of poor rickled estates for the benefit of tenants. The claims of laborers to better dwellings and allotments will be incorporated in the programme. Laborers will be invited to co-operate in obtaining such improvement in the land act as will enable farmers to deal

generously with them. Industrial revival will be assisted by a local organization by fostering the demand for Irish manufactures. Other points of the programme are payment of members of parliament, extension of the franchise, and the establishment of a system of elective county government. It is understood that a deputation from the home rule league will announce the dissolution of that body, and resignation of its functions into the hands of the new Irish league, of which national self-government will be the basis.

THE GALWAY GATHERING.

DUBLIN, October 13.—A largely attended convention of residents of County Galway was held at Athenry to-day, to consider questions of home government, land law reform, Irish manufactures, etc. None of the clergy were present. The police attended the meeting and the number of outrages has decreased, and the rents were freely paid. The postmaster general, in a speech, said the chief danger threatening the liberal party was more likely to come from within. With the settlement of the Egyptian question, and the improved condition of Ireland, domestic legislation would come to the front. Referring to the proposition for the nationalization of land, Fawcett said he could see it was a practicable one.

THE EFFECT OF THE LAND ACT.

LIVERPOOL, October 13.—Lord Northbrook, first lord of the admiralty, speaking here to-night of the beneficial effect of the land act, expressed the belief that the turning point had been reached in the affairs of Ireland. The number of outrages had decreased, and the rents were freely paid. The postmaster general, in a speech, said the chief danger threatening the liberal party was more likely to come from within. With the settlement of the Egyptian question, and the improved condition of Ireland, domestic legislation would come to the front. Referring to the proposition for the nationalization of land, Fawcett said he could see it was a practicable one.

THE ENGLISH IN EGYPT.

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TO DEFEND ARABI.

TUNIS, October 13.—Mr. Broady, an English barrister, left here for Egypt to-day, to defend Arabi Pasha.

ARREST OF NATIVE BUTHERS.

ALEXANDRIA, October 13.—Seventeen natives implicated in the June massacres have been arrested in the interior and brought to Damour.

RECRUITING STOPPED.

BERNE, October 13.—The federal council has prohibited recruiting for Egypt.

DOOMED TO DIE.

LONDON, October 13.—A Cairo correspondent telegrams: One of the principal Egyptian ministers declares neither he nor his colleagues will remain in Egypt unless Arabi and the other rebel leaders be executed. He had complete confidence that Arabi could be proved to have given strict orders to burn Cairo. The trial of the leaders is set for Monday.

SIR EDWARD MALLETS HAS ISSUED A CIRCULAR TO BRITISH CONSULAR AGENTS IN EGYPT REQUESTING THEM TO SEND A LIST OF THE POLITICAL PRISONERS IN RESPECT TO WHOM AND TO STRICTLY WATCH THAT THE KHEDIVE'S ORDER FOR HUMANITARIAN TREATMENT OF PRISONERS IS CARRIED OUT.

A FEAT DENIAL.

Gen. Havelock Allan flatly denies the report that English soldiers slaughtered wounded Egyptians, and gives a satisfactory explanation of the so-called plundering of baggage.

THE BURNING OF ALEXANDRIA.

An officer who acted under order of Suleiman Pasha revealed to-day what he knew of the burning of Alexandria, but the tribunal failed to extort evidence incriminating the leaders of the rebellion.

FILED CLAIMS.

ALEXANDRIA, October 13.—Upwards of 3,000 persons have lodged claims, amounting to \$6,000,000, for losses after the bombardment of this city.

CONFISCATING REBEL PROPERTY.

ALEXANDRIA, October 13.—The Egyptian minister of finance is in possession of a list of landed properties belonging to leaders of the rebellion,

worth £2,000,000. It is believed the property will be confiscated.

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

THE PARTY LASH.

LONDON, October 13.—Northcote sent a circular to conservative members of parliament enjoining upon them attendance at the opening of the session, in view of importance of questions relating to parliamentary procedure and Egyptian affairs.

STANLEY'S LAND.

LONDON, October 13.—The Economist announces that the government is about to protest against the claims of Dabreza and H. M. Stanley to the possession of the territory on Congo river in Africa.

THE WAR IN PERU.

LIMA, October 13.—The report in privately circulated here that five northern departments of Peru have declared for Piorala, and that other departments will follow as soon as it is positively known that the Calderon negotiations have failed.

ANOTHER SHAKE.

PANAMA, October 13.—A slight shock of earthquake was felt at midnight last night; no damage.

THE GYCLONE IN OUBA.

HAVANNA, October 13.—A recent cyclone caused considerable loss of life and great destruction of property. At Herradura three hundred huts and houses, including the greater number of tobacco drying establishments, were demolished; 2,000 palm trees were blown down; 700 houses were destroyed at Comoloya Del Sur. The bodies of fifteen persons drowned by the overflowing of rivers were recovered; many more persons are missing.

THE CHANNEL TUNNEL.

LONDON, October 13.—The committee, under General Sir Archibald Alison, appointed to report on the channel tunnel, consider the exit of the tunnel should be commanded by a fortress of the first class; that the tunnel should also be provided with post-culls and with an arrangement for filling it for a sufficient space with irrespirable gas; that measures should be taken for the demolition of the land portion of the tunnel; for temporary flooding the main tunnel; also for its total destruction by a mine. These arrangements should be controlled by separate parties both inside and outside the commanding fortress. When all this is done the committee admit it would be presumptuous to place absolute reliance upon even the most comprehensive arrangements. A memorandum from Gen. Sir Garnet Wolseley and the Duke of Cambridge, commander-in-chief of the army, are appended, more strongly condemning the tunnel. The Times considers this report has settled the question of the tunnel adversely for a long time to come.

CONFERENCE OF MINERS.

The conference of delegates of Scottish miners advocated restriction of the hours of labor instead of a national or partial strike. The conference adjourned until to-morrow to decide about notices for an advance. The general feeling of the conference is in favor thereof. One hundred and twenty thousand men were represented.

NILSON COMING.

Nilson embarks in the Galia to-morrow for the United States.

CAPTURE OF REBELS.

VIENNA, October 13.—The burglers who robbed Count Andrusky's palace of a large amount of valuable property some time ago, have been arrested.

STURT STOFFED.

CLOMELL, October 13.—The farmers and peasantry assembled and forcibly put a stop to the Carraghmore hunt yesterday.

A SILENT BIER.

CONSTANTINOPLE, October 13.—The porte has informed the Persian envoy that in consequence of its orders Sheikh Abaidullah, the Kurdiah

chief, has given assurance he will cause no further embarrassment on the frontier, but will pass the winter peacefully at Mosul.

NEW MARKET RACES.

LONDON, October 13.—The great challenge stakes were won by Energy, Tristan second, Scabs third. The winner is two years old. The race for juvenile handicap, two-year-olds, at Newmarket, was won by Peticat, Lizzie second, Eau third. Ten horses ran, including Louillard's Touch-Me-Not.

NOTES.

BERLIN, October 13.—Count Von Habsfeldt will probably be gazetted secretary of state for foreign affairs Saturday.

St. Petersburg, October 13.—Police Agent Priano, who had formed friendship with the nihilist committee, was assassinated in the church yard at Smolanski.

A Fetterman Tragedy.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

PORT FETTERMAN, Wyo., October 13.—Richard P. Elgin, bookkeeper for Seagriff Bros., cattle dealers, was shot and instantly killed in the store at this post, at 3 o'clock to-day, by J. H. Copps, a cow-boy also in the employ of Seagriff Bros. Copps was crazed from drinking and shot Elgin through the head without the least provocation. After the shooting, Copps mounted a horse and fled in the direction of the Platte, but being too intoxicated to ride, he shortly afterward fell from his horse and started on foot toward the Platte river bridge, where he met Michael Regan, a cow-boy, coming to the post on horseback. Flourishing his revolver, he ordered Regan to turn back, threatening his life, and saying he had killed George Saargiff and others. Regan started his horse forward, whereupon Copps fired at him, and inflicted a dangerous wound in the groin. Copps was shortly afterward captured by a party of cow-boys, and brought to the guard house, where he now is in irons. Lynching is feared, as Elgin was a general favorite.

Lynched.

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PORT FETTERMAN, Wyo., October 13.—Capt. the drunken cow-boy, who last night murdered Elgin, was taken from the guard house and lynched by a party of cowboys.

The Posey County Mob.

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EVANSVILLE, Ind., October 13.—Probably the last set of the Radmon killing drama took place to-day by the grand jury finding an indictment for conspiracy against Gill, Floyd, and McFadden. They were released under \$1,000 bonds each. The bondsmen of Posey county represent over \$2,000,000. The condition of the four other wounded is not improving. It is possible two of them may die.

The Tariff Commission.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

PHILADELPHIA, October 13.—At a meeting of the tariff commission to-day, C. C. Morse, of Santa Clara, seed grower, spoke in favor of protecting American seed growers, and expressed his regret that the Pacific slope was not represented on the commission. Mr. Oliver informed him that the commission had sent communications to governors of the Pacific states and territories, stating their liability (for lack of time) to visit that section, and suggesting that the commission would like to receive written statements on subjects affecting the interests of the people on the Pacific slope.

An Editor Wanted.

The town of Gads, Neb., wants a live editor to start a newspaper,