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blood.  
The Times thinks General Grant will not abandon the campaign. Such a confession of failure would throw a blight on his own reputation, and would injure the President himself in electoral schemes. There is a general feeling that this campaign is the great trial of the war, that the capture of Richmond is the test of the ability of the North to make any permanent impression on the South. If, the fourth year of the war, the largest army ever assembled under the Federal flag, retires beaten after tremendous losses, the North may be expected to lose heart in the great contest, and, perhaps, to turn with anger on its rulers. We believe, therefore, that the campaign will continue unless the danger to Washington be so great as to demand a return of the main body of Grant's army.

#### THE CONFEDERATE CRUISER FLORIDA.

On July 28th news was received at Bahia that the Florida, in company with the steam cruiser Electric Spark, had just captured the Federal merchant ship Infican, bound from California to New-York, having \$70,000 in specie on board, and an extremely valuable cargo. The Florida took out the treasure, and a portion of her cargo and her crew. The vessel and her cargo, valued at £20,000, were then set fire to and destroyed.

#### THE IRISH VICEROYALTY.

The Times contains a letter from Mr. Heygate, M.P. for the county Derry, suggesting the abolition of the office of Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and proposing that the £21,000 a year be still expended in Dublin in keeping up the Castle, the Viceregal Lodge, and general appearance of Royalty. Her Majesty would thus have a suitable residence and establishment whenever she found it convenient to visit Ireland.—Should her Majesty think fit to depute at any time the Prince of Wales or any member of the Royal family to represent her at Dublin, the same advantage would be at his disposal. This plan, by giving to Ireland a more immediate interest and connection with the Royal family, would largely increase the spirit of loyalty to the Throne, and produce a most beneficial effect, not only upon Ireland generally, but upon the material interests of Dublin.

#### THE GREAT FIRE AT HULL.

The destruction of property amounts from £50,000 to £70,000. The premises of the Thompson, Mackay and Co., Carver & Co., and Faulkner & Co., railway carriers, together with the carriers' shed and seed warehouse which was used as a wool market, and which belonged to the North Eastern Railway Co., are completely destroyed. The contents of these warehouses were 300 bales cotton, 50 bales wool, large quantities of hemp and flax, foreign fruit, bacon, and tobacco. In addition to this loss, 40 trucks, which were mostly laden with general merchandize, and machinery, were also consumed.

#### GENERAL NEWS.

PARIS, 16TH.—The fete passed off successfully, and the Emperor was warmly cheered.

SAN SEBASTIAN, 15TH AUGUST.—The Northern Spanish Railway was inaugurated yesterday. The King presided at a banquet and was received with enthusiasm.

SAINT JOHN'S, N.F., 6TH.—The "Margaret Stephenson" has returned from the survey. Hearts-Content, Trinity Bay, has been selected as a landing place for Atlantic Telegraph Cable. The "Great Eastern" can anchor within one mile of it.

New rules for the Inland Pattern and Sample Post are to come into operation Sept. 1st.

#### MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

(From the Daily News.)

In the discount market yesterday there was a very moderate demand, and short paper was readily taken at 7½ per cent. Many bills, however, are at present kept back in anticipation of an early reduction in Bank rate. The charge for six months' paper is nominally 8 per cent., with a very small supply offering. There was a rise of 3 per cent in the Confederate loan on the news by the Europa. Messrs. Schroder and Co., have announced payment of half-yearly dividend, 1st September next in Confederate 7 per cent cotton loan. It is, at the same time, notified that the second half-yearly drawing for the redemption of an amount equal to 2 per cent of the amount of the loan then unredeemable by cotton, will take place in London on same. Letters from Hobart Town refer to the stoppage of Messrs. T. D. Chapman & Co., a highly respectable house.

LIMITED LIABILITY.—The Sheepbridge Coal and Iron Works, situated at Barlow, near Chesterfield, the property of Messrs. Hankey and Fowler, have been transferred to a Joint Stock Company, formed privately through the agency of Messrs. Chadwick, Adam, McKenna, and Co., with a subscribed capital of £500,000. The whole of the property is taken by valuation. The large mill at Lower Heys, Macclesfield, which has been built several years, but not fitted with machinery, has just been bought through the agency of Messrs. Chadwick & Co., by a number of capitalists from Manchester. These parties have formed themselves into a joint-stock company, and subscribed a capital of £100,000 as first instalment for the present purchase, it being intended to acquire

swore that the report was correct to the letter; his oath was confirmed by another reporter in this city, Mr. GILES; also by Mr. BEAUCHAMP, a member of the legal profession, who was present at the meeting, and many other respectable witnesses could be brought forward ready to prove the same—on oath.

Now in the face of such evidence I cannot see how the Rev. Mr. Waller can imagine that his objections against the veracity of the report can have any weight with the public, who are already well acquainted with all the facts. The truths of the case were of course elicited on the trial by cross-examination, and were duly reported in the leading journals. Like the Yelverton case it has gone past redemption, and no private letter nor criticism can alter the opinion of the public on the subject.

The Proprietors of the LIMERICK CHRONICLE are now undoubtedly placed in a most disagreeable position by the issue of the case, and have thereby incurred expenses for which they are not conscientiously nor morally responsible; and it is to be hoped that the Rev. Dr. Collis, on whom the Rev. Mr. Waller bestows in his letter such a florid eucoumion, will, under the circumstances, act in a manner conformable with his character "as a christian and a clergyman."

As, in your last publication, you did not hesitate to insert the letter of the Rev. Mr. Waller, which was decidedly opposed to the interests of the proprietors of the CHRONICLE in the matter, I hope you will have no objection to insert this, which is merely the expression of the feelings of the major part of the community on the subject.

I remain, dear sir,  
Your's truly,

PUBLIC OPINION.

#### FUNERAL OF THE LATE THOMAS BALL, ESQ., J.P., MONDELLIHY HOUSE, ADARE.

The remains of the above much lamented gentleman were removed for interment on Saturday morning from the residence of his father, the Right Honorable Mr. Justice Ball, in Stephen's Green, Dublin. The funeral cortege left Stephen's Green at half-past 8 o'clock, for the Metropolitan Cathedral, Marlborough-street. On the arrival at the church the body was received by the Very Rev. Mr. Murphy, Administrator of the parish, and seven attendant clergy with cross bearers and acolytes, and removed into the church, when the solemn office for the dead was commenced, after which the procession again moved to the vaults under the church, where the concluding service was chaunted by the clergy; the benediction pronounced the body was deposited in the family vault. The funeral procession was very large. Among those present we noticed—Judge Ball, the Rev. Anthony Ball, Alexander Ball, Esq., and David Sherlock, Esq., Q.C, chief mourners. A long line of carriages followed, in some of which we noticed the following gentlemen wearing scarfs and hat bands—The Right Hon. Chief Justice Monahan, the Right Hon. Lord Chief Baron Pigott, the Hon. Mr. Justice O'Brien, the Very Rev. Dr. Curtis, S.J., Upper Gardiner-street; Gamaliel M. Fitzgerald, Esq., Limerick; J. D. Corrigan, Esq., M.D., Merrion-square; David Sherlock, Esq., Stillorgan; Thomas Kelly, Esq., Monkstown; F. Bennett, Esq., Thomastown, King's County; Edward Dunne, Esq., Mountrath; Captain Smyley, and William Smyley, Esq., Upper Merrion-street; Thomas A. Farrell, Esq., Moynalty, county Meath; Thomas Farrell, Esq., Fitzwilliam Place; John O'Brien, Esq., Raban Lodge, King's County, and many others whose names we did not know. The funeral arrangements were carried out in a satisfactory manner by Messrs. Geraty and Rourke, Lower Baginbally-street.

At the Liverpool Assizes, on Saturday, in the case of the Queen v. Jones and another, which excited an intense interest before Lord Chief Justice Cockburn and a special jury, the parties were indicted for enlisting seamen in the service of the Confederate States, contrary to the Foreign Enlistment Act. The facts were proved by witnesses, and the jury after a short consultation found a verdict of guilty. The defendants were bound over to appear to receive judgment when called upon, themselves in £500, and two sureties of £100 each.

The Royal mail steamer China arrived at Queens-town on Sunday, and, having embarked the mails, passengers, and latest telegrams, proceeded at 4 p.m.

The telegrams bring intelligence from New York to the 5th instant, when the price of gold was rising. It had mounted on that day to 260½, in consequence of information that Generals Thomas, Early, and Breckinridge, with 35,000 men, had occupied Hagerstown, with an apparent intention of moving upon Washington.

The ruthless war in America is occasionally diversified with some of those courtesies which prove that humanity is not wholly extinct. In front of General Butler's lines only one shot was fired during three weeks, and that was from a rebel soldier, who, as punishment for violating the tacit truce, was made to march up and down in front of the breastwork, within 50 yards of the Federal lines, bearing a heavy log on his shoulder. The Federalists abstained from firing as long as he was thus exposed.

First-Class, with seniority from July 25:—Mr Jeffrey Grant (acting), Mr John Austen Cawley George Edward Milline Keey (acting), Mr G Brewer (acting), Mr Wm Bremner, Mr John F lin, Mr Wm John Hancock (acting), Mr E Highman Willey (acting), Mr James Torkington George Alexander, Mr Wm Robson Henry (acting), Mr Joseph Stocker (acting), Mr Henry ting, Mr Francis Horatio Donnison (acting), Wm Childs Archbold, Mr John Bolas, John Hall (a) (acting), Mr Chas Mill (acting), John Davies Wood (acting), Mr Wm Vincent (a) Mr Wm Stewart, Mr J Reith (acting), Mr G S (acting), Mr J Connolly (acting), Mr R Gre David Crichton (a), Mr R Samuel Kiernan, J Ekroyd (acting), Mr Isaac Hall, Mr J Etheri Mr J J Conway (acting), Mr T Hunter (acting), Wm Moore (acting), Mr Augustine Kedward (a) Mr W Harris (acting), Mr Wm Strachan (a) Mr Henry Collier, Mr Wm Blake Rock (a) Mr Henry Brown, Mr Wm Henry Keats (a) Mr Wm Jones, Mr Thomas Wm Johnson, M Dinwoodie, Mr James Richard Jackson (acting), Edward Conley, Mr. Robert Philips (acting), John Plowright, Mr Stephen Vincent Bul (a) Mr Edward Williams (acting), Mr Thomas Dearden, (acting), Mr John George Cox (acting), John Jenkins, (acting), Mr William Thomas (acting), Mr John Dumop, Mr James Leg Andrew Gibson, Mr Charles George Muller Mr Charles Boddington, Mr. James Wilson right.

One of Captain Blakely's monster rifled gun factured for the Russian Government, has at Woolwich to be subjected to proof at the gov practice range. The weapon is of 11 inch bore ing 23 tons, and the truck upon which it was was drawn by 20 horses. On arriving near wharf at the Royal Arsenal, in consequent soft condition of the road and the great weight, one of the axles of the truck broke as it sank several feet into the soil, where it mains, but the gun will be removed to the range.

The Ordnance Select Committee are about to resume their experiments with the 7½ ton guns, rifled on the Lancaster, French, and S They have been waiting for shot of a wind than that in favour with most inventors judging that projectiles which cannot be lost a year's exposure to oxidation and knockit are not well fitted for foreign service. The A and Whitworth Committees are also expected to resume their wonted activity in a few days; Shoebury will again resound with the incessant caused by competing guns.

It has been generally supposed that the "season," as it is termed at Shoeburyness, is at an end; but we are informed that, in the next few days, a most important experiment will take place—viz. the firing at the Warrior target at a range of 2,000 yards by the 600 pounder, with steel shell.

It is said the further manufacture of it coated shot for the Armstrong breech-loader stopped, as it is in contemplation to convert into muzzle loaders, firing non leaded shot as the 70 pounders now in process of conversion breech-loaders are finished.

INHUMAN ACT AT THE CURRAGH.—Our has been called to the fact of nothing but transpired relative to the late inquiry in with the camp, as to the disgraceful and inhuman in which an unfortunate woman named E treated. From what we can learn it appears about a month since this unfortunate was tempted to go within the lines of the camp she was found by some fiends in human took and placed her in a barrow, leaving hanging over the wheel. They then proceeded to wheel her outside the lines, and in doing became entangled in the wheel of the barrow although attracted by her cries, still no assistance rendered to her until the hair was torn from her head, as described to our reporter, she was speaking "scalped." The poor creature in Kildare Infirmary under the care of Dr through whose skill, we believe, she is recovering trust that some active steps will be taken for the discovery of the perpetrators of the vile deed.

Rev. Augustus C. L. Coghlan very thickly acknowledges £5 from "Friends in Bath," in aid of the Limerick Branch of the Limerick Protestant Society.

Rev. Augustus C. L. Coghlan very thickly acknowledges a donation of five pounds from O'Brien, Esq., Cahirmoyle, for the Limerick Protestant Orphan Society.

The Lord Bishop of Cashel, attended by the Rev. James Lorenzo Hickey, Esq., arrived at Cashel, at the Cathedral, Cashel, on the 1st inst., when his lordship held the ordinary diocesan service of Cashel and Emly. The diocesan choral service on the occasion, and a large number of the clergy and laity. His lordship, in excellent health, returned to Killough Ca