

CONSPIRACY.

made an application to-day, in connection with the alleged dynamiters' attempts for the arrest of Melville, whose name is in evidence. An application is made against them, and to the effect that Sir James Ingham at

EXPLOSION OF THE S.S. CASTLE.

Received a later telegram from Cape Town, which states that the Castle, which was having struck at Cape Town, Dec 27, is now stopped; ship is now at Cape Town. The Natal will be taken by the Melrose and Flor-leave for England to-day."

BALL ACCIDENT.

A young man belonging to the 1st Battalion, died at the age of 19. It appears that he was killed by his head being forced against the iron cord being fractured.

CHOLERA.

Cholera in London last week was slightly. The epidemic is rising rapidly.

ROBBERY.

A Mission Agent, was recently arrested, charged with stealing from a firm of solicitors.

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St. Petersburg, Thursday. The Emperor has decided upon the re-organization of the Maria flotilla.

Eggs—Hen eggs, 18s to 18 1/2 per doz.; duck eggs, 12s to 12d per doz.

IRISH BACON—Green middles 5s/- to 0/1 per cwt; smoked do, 6s/- to 0/0; shoulders, 4s/- to 0/0; pigs' heads burnt, 2s/- to 0/0; do scalded, 2s/- to 0/0; hams, £4 10s to £5. Blitches, 9d per lb.

Pigs—Supply fair. Bacon pigs, 30/- to 00/-; demand steady. Berwicks, 37/- per cwt.

AMERICAN BACON, 40s to 45s per cwt; smoked, 9s to 10s per lb; Canadian, 7d per lb; Hams, 9d per lb.

HAY AND STRAW.—There were 74 loads of hay, 11 of straw, and 1 of rye reed in market yesterday. Rye hay, 63s 8d to 80s; upland, 40s to 68s 0d. Oaten straw, 52s to 62s per ton. Rye reed, 56s. 1 load wheaten straw, 53s; 3 loads wheaten reed, 64s to 65s per ton.

MANGOLDS—There were 1 loads of mangolds in market to-day, which sold at 16s per ton.

TURNIPS—There were 5 loads of turnips in market this day, which sold at from 16s to 17s per ton.

POTATOES—28 loads potatoes in market. Wholesale, 3d to 3 1/2d per stone.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

CORK BUTTER MARKET, this day.—Ordinary—1sts, 130s; 2nds, 118s; 3rds, 85s; 4ths, 65s. Kegs—1sts, 00s; 2nds, 000s; 3rds, 77s; 4ths, 58s. Mild cured firkins—Superfine, 00s; fine mild, 117s; mild, 102s. Do. kegs: Superfine, 00s; fine mild, 000s; mild, 00s. In market—310 firkins, 35 kegs, 20 mild.

LONDON CATTLE MARKET, This Day—280 beasts' dull, 2s 4d to 4s 10d; 410 sheep, quiet, 3s 4d to 5s 4d; 50 calves, 3s to 4s 10d; pigs, 2s 4d to 4s per 8lbs. 30 English milch cows, £15 to £22 per head.

DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET, This Day—To-day's market was of holiday character both as regards supply and demand. Good beef sold at from 55s to 60s per cwt, and other sorts in proportion; sheep also sold at former top prices. Few exporters attended. Pigs in small supply and very poor trade.

FAIRS OF MUNSTER—DECEMBER.

Friday 23—Clare: Kilkishen. Cork: Skibbereen.

Saturday 24—None.

Monday 26—Cork: Anngrove, Ballinspiddle, Ballyfeard, Fermoy, Rostellan.

Tuesday 27—Limerick: Kilmore. Waterford: Kilmac-thomas, Kilgobenet. Tipperary: Newport.

Announcements of Births, Marriages, and Deaths not exceeding 5 lines (which must in all cases be duly authenticated), are charged 2s 6d. each. For every additional line, 6d.

BIRTH.

Polden—Nov 20, 1887, at Chittagong, East Bengal, the wife of Surgeon Polden, M.B., T.C.D., Indian Medical Service, of a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

Money and Pocklington—December 14, at St. Mary's Bryanston-square, by the Rev. G. W. Barnard, Captain G. A. Money, 18th Bengal Lancers, to Constance Mary, daughter of the late Lieut-General Pocklington.

DEATHS.

Morton—Oct 28, at Duncan-street, Dunedin, New Zealand, William Morton, aged 70 years.

Morton—Dec 17, at Lower Mount-street, Dublin, Elizabeth Georgina, eldest and beloved daughter of John and Anne Hall Morton, Provincial Bank House, Limerick; deeply and sincerely regretted.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Mayor has sent fifty pairs of blankets to the Ladies' St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Society, for immediate distribution amongst the poor of the city.

The Rev Chancellor Gough Gubbins thankfully acknowledges £3 from Alexander Shaw, Esq., Roxboro' House, for Kilpeacon charities.

I beg to thankfully acknowledge, for the use of the inmates of the Corporation Widows Alms House, Nicholas Street, five tons of coal, and also the sum of £5 (per Mr

JOHN HILL, Esq., D.P.

IN AID OF
MASONIC ORPHAN

WILL BE HELD
THE HAVERGAL

Glentworth-street, I
On TUESDAY, 27th DE

PROGRAM

Processional March,—"Victor
Orchestra.

During which Masonic Proc

PART I.

Reading, "The History of Fre
Mr Robt Gibs

Quartette... "The Happiest L
Song..... "Unless,"

Song..... "Non è Ver
Mr C B Barring

Song..... "Non è Ver
Miss J Chris

Entr'acte—Gavotte "Mignon,
Orchestra.

Song..... "My Lady's Bow
Mr Godfrey Ge

Song "Una Voce," (Il Barbie
Miss J Wormlei

Piano Solo..... "Tarantella
Master R Ho

Recitation

Cornet Solo..... "The Brid
Mr C H Gubl

Song "Oh, Oh, Hear the Wil
Mr W Evar

PART II.

Overture..... "Strade
Orchestra

Song..... "The Bay of I
Mr J Hews

Song..... "The Storm F
Mr F P Ho

Song..... "The Better L
Miss J Chri

Selection..... "Rosamund
Orchestra

Song..... "Carrier Jo
Miss J Wormlei

Quartette..... "My Native
Reading... "Barney Maguir

Song..... "None can Fly"
Mr J Alt

Piano Duet, Overture "The
Miss Wormleighton a

Song..... "Killalob
Mr C H Gu

March..... "The French J
Orchestra

God Save the

Doors Open 7.30. Maso
Doors Closed 8

Orchestra—Messrs Hare,
Hook, Bernard, Macnal