

POLITICAL PRISONERS.

How Irish Nationalists are Abused in English Penal Institutions.

Under the recent British Crimes Act, many Irishmen—notably a number of Irish members of Parliament—have been sentenced for political offences, and committed to prison.

Mr. Gladstone and his adherents declare that such treatment of men who have been found guilty, not of social crimes, but of inferior and purely political offenses, is not in accordance with the practice of civilized nations.

It is quite true that civilized nations in modern times have been in the habit of making a clear distinction between political and other captives; and even a London paper, friendly to the present Tory Cabinet, declares that, in the treatment of the imprisoned Irishmen, "England stands on a level, not with the advanced nations of the world, but with the most backward States."

After the civil war in this country, the Confederate statesmen who were captured—notably Jefferson Davis—were held in mild confinement, lodged and fed well, and kept entirely separate from the ordinary criminals.

It is a fact, moreover, that, in their intercourse with each other, modern nations deal with the cases of political prisoners as if they stood on a different footing from felons. The extradition treaties provide for the return of fugitive forgers, thieves and murderers, from the land whither they have escaped, to that in which they have committed their crimes.

The instance of the late Marshal Bazaine, who has just died, after a troublous career, at Madrid, is in point. Tried and convicted of high treason, he was at first sentenced to death. His sentence was then commuted to imprisonment for twenty years in the fortress of Sainte Marguerite, famous as the prison of the Man in the Iron Mask.

It sometimes happens that, out of friendship, a nation will give up to another a political refugee. But this rarely happens. Switzerland is to-day a secure place of refuge for Russian conspirators and offenders against the Czar's crown; and England has for many years been the asylum of Italians, Russians, Poles and Frenchmen who have been guilty, at home, of political offenses.

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

Paper treated with a mixture of camphor oil and linseed oil becomes waterproof.

Girls are beginning to look toward dentistry as a field where their wits and industry may win a fair reward.

The vanilla bean grows wild in Mexico, and, fresh from the forest, sells at ten or twelve dollars per 1,000.

With Edison's new phonograph tubes are fitted to the compositors' ears and connected with the instrument, which is set to talking or stopped by a pedal arrangement.

In the ordinary sixteen candle-power incandescent lamp, according to Prof. Ernest Merritt, only from four to six per cent. of the energy actually expended is available as light, the remainder being wasted as heat.

A noted French scientist has reached the conclusion after numerous experiments, that the most brilliant displays of the aurora borealis occur at an elevation of not more than thirty-eight miles, while a pale glow may possibly be produced as high as eighty-two miles, but that no auroral discharge is possible at a height of 124 miles.

Oil of peppermint in vapor diluted even to a part in 100,000 will kill cockroaches in an hour, they dying in convulsions. One drop of the oil placed under a bell-jar covering a cultivation of cholera bacilli will kill both bacilli and spores in forty-eight hours.

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Concussion of the brain is scientifically defined as "being, in a physiological sense, a sudden and more or less complete arrest of the brain's mental and physical functions, brought about by external violence. In every case of injury to the head the brain is made to vibrate more or less forcibly. When the vibrations are feeble the injury to the brain structure thence resulting is but slight; when they are severe the mischief may be great."

A new insulating material has been produced in France, composed of one part Greek pitch and two parts burnt plaster, by weight, the latter being pure gypsum raised to a high temperature and plunged in water. This mixture when hot is a paste, and can be applied with a brush, or cast in molds. It is amber-colored, and can be turned and polished. Its advantage is its endurance of great heat and moisture without injury to its insulating power.

The edition for 1889 of the sterling Medical Annual, known as Hostetter's Almanac, is now ready, and may be obtained, free of cost, of druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the United States, Mexico, and indeed in every civilized portion of the Western Hemisphere.

White Elephant of Stam, Lion of England, Dragon of China, Cross of Switzer, land, Banner of Persia, Crescent of Egypt—Double Eagle of Russia, Star of Chili, the Circle of Japan, Harp of Erie.

To get these buy a box of the genuine DR. C. McLANE'S CELEBRATED LIVER PILLS, price 25 cents, and mail us the outside wrapper with your address, plainly written, and 4 cents in stamps. We will then mail you the above list with an elegant package of oleographic and chromatic cards.

FLEMING BROS., PITTSBURG, PA.

An honest man is able to speak for himself, when a knave is not.

A "PUT AND CALL."

Many men of many minds; Many pills of various kinds.

For Coughs, Colds and Throat Disorders, use "Brown's Bronchial Troches" having proved their efficacy by a test of many years. Sold only in boxes.

Good reasons must, of force, give place to better.

"A Word to the Wise is Sufficient." Catarrh is not simply an inconvenience, unpleasant to the sufferer and disgusting to others—it is an advanced outpost of approaching disease of worse type.

As we multiply experiences, many apparent contradictions become reconciled.

In General Debility, Indigestion, Consumption and Wasting, Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites is a valuable food and medicine.

None are such accomplished dissimblers as those who find dissembling difficult.

FOR CLEANSING, PURIFYING AND beautifying the skin of children and infants and curing torturing, disgusting, itching, scaly and pimply diseases of the skin, scalp and hair, with loss of hair, from infancy to old age, the CUTICURA REMEDIES are infallible.

CUTICURA, the great Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Beautifier, externally, and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, the new Liver Purifier, internally, cure every form of skin and blood diseases, from pimples to scabies.

Sold every where. Price, CUTICURA SOAP, 25c; RESOLVENT, \$1. Prepared by the FOSTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO., BOSTON, MASS.

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

Dr. Richardson, of London, who has given great attention to the subject of human food, says that "neither the teeth nor the digestive system of man is adapted properly for animal food, nor for a purely vegetable diet, but for one of fruit."

JACOBS OIL

For Bruises and Burns. Fresh, Strong, Convincing Facts.

Best Remedy. East Providence, R. I., June 18, 1888. I am the owner of the Barrow Store Co., and applied your St. Jacobs Oil to many bad burns of the head and face, and always with best results.

Ladder Well, Salavento, Texas, June 21, 1888. Fall from ladder, bruised and sprained my back and wrist, suffered five days, was cured by St. Jacobs Oil.

W. J. Scher's Luck, Detroit, Mich., June 9, 1888. Having had sprains and bruises on my back and wrists, I applied your St. Jacobs Oil and was cured.

ADDING McBEAN & CO. SAWER & CHIMNEY PIPE. ARCHITECTURE, TERRA COTTA.

THE VAN MUNCISCAR PRIVATE DISPENSARY. Nos. 133 and 134 Third Street, Portland, Oregon.

A WALKING ADVERTISEMENT. SEAL OF NORTH CAROLINA. PLUS CUT SMOKING TOBACCO.

Every man that smokes a pipe is a walking advertiser of the merits of "Seal of North Carolina Plug Cut" Smoking Tobacco.

DR. PIERCE'S NEW BELT AND SUSPENSORY. For all cases of Nervous and Chronic Diseases of both sexes.

PIANOS. 1st Promotions, \$25,000 in use, 20 years Established. New York, N. Y.

DR. SPINNEY'S NERVOUS REMEDY. Dr. Spinney & Co., 183 First St. Call or Oregonian.

PIANOS. 1st Promotions, \$25,000 in use, 20 years Established. New York, N. Y.

DR. SPINNEY'S NERVOUS REMEDY. Dr. Spinney & Co., 183 First St. Call or Oregonian.

PIANOS. 1st Promotions, \$25,000 in use, 20 years Established. New York, N. Y.

DR. SPINNEY'S NERVOUS REMEDY. Dr. Spinney & Co., 183 First St. Call or Oregonian.

PIANOS. 1st Promotions, \$25,000 in use, 20 years Established. New York, N. Y.

DR. SPINNEY'S NERVOUS REMEDY. Dr. Spinney & Co., 183 First St. Call or Oregonian.

PIANOS. 1st Promotions, \$25,000 in use, 20 years Established. New York, N. Y.

My Poor Back!

That "poor back" is held responsible for more than its share of the sufferings of mankind. If your dog bites a man who kicks it, do you blame the dog? On the same principle the kidneys utter their protest against nervousness, impure blood, and resulting constipation.

These force them to do extraordinary work in ridding the system of the poisons which are the result of effete matter retained in the blood. Then the sufferer says the back aches; the kidneys are diseased. "Not yet," but they will be unless the nerves are strengthened, the blood purified, and the constipation removed. These are the causes of kidney troubles, and Paine's Celery Compound removes them quickly.

With its tonic, purifying, and laxative effect, it also strengthens the weak kidneys, making it almost infallible in curing all diseases of the nerves and kidneys. If your hopes of cure have not been realized, try Paine's Celery Compound; it gives perfect health to all who complain of "their poor backs." Price \$1.00.

WELLS, RICHARDSON & CO., Proprietors, BURLINGTON, VERMONT.

DELICIOUS BISCUITS OR WHOLESOME BREAD. USE DWIGHT'S COW-BRAND SODA OR SALERATUS.

Z. T. WRIGHT, General Agent for the Pacific Coast, Portland, Oregon.

ADVANCE ENGINES THRESHERS AND POWERS.

I especially request those contemplating purchasing either an Engine or Thresher next season to look up the record of the ADVANCE. It is the only machine ever sold on the Pacific Coast that has given entire satisfaction.

Also deal in Laundry Machinery, Marine Engines. All kinds of Brass Goods, Inspirators, Injectors, Oilers, Reapers, Mowers, Chemical Fire Extinguishers, and Engines, Oils, Belting, Hose, Wrenches, Etc.

THE ONLY DEALER ON PACIFIC COAST. That ships Bells!

PRICES GREATLY REDUCED. All sizes in stock from 40 pounds to 1,200. Send for REDUCED PRICES.

Remember it is a pleasure to show goods or answer questions. If you cannot call write.

MOORE'S REVEALED REMEDY. PROMOTES DIGESTION. STIMULATES THE LIVER.

PREVENTS CONTAGIOUS FEVER. CURES ALL MALARIAL DISEASES.

CURES CHILLS AND FEVER. CURES ASTHMA AND RHEUMATISM.

PURIFIES THE BLOOD. REGULATES THE BOWELS.

PORTLAND, OREGON.

RETAILERS CAN ORDER FROM SNELL, HEITSHU & WOODWARD.



INFANTILE Skin & Scalp DISEASES cured by CUTICURA Remedies.

FOR CLEANSING, PURIFYING AND beautifying the skin of children and infants and curing torturing, disgusting, itching, scaly and pimply diseases of the skin, scalp and hair, with loss of hair, from infancy to old age, the CUTICURA REMEDIES are infallible.

CUTICURA, the great Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Beautifier, externally, and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, the new Liver Purifier, internally, cure every form of skin and blood diseases, from pimples to scabies.

Sold every where. Price, CUTICURA SOAP, 25c; RESOLVENT, \$1. Prepared by the FOSTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO., BOSTON, MASS.

DR. RICHARDSON'S PAIN EXPELLER. KIDNEY PAINS, Backache and Weakness cured by DR. RICHARDSON'S PAIN EXPELLER. Instantaneous pain-subduing plaster. 25c.

J. R. GATES & CO., PROP'S. 417 Sansome Street, San Francisco, Cal.

BUY THE BEST. TAKE NO CHANCES. MEXICAN SALVE THE GREAT HEALER.

Cures Cuts, Sores, Salt Rheum, Boils, Pimples, Felons, Skin Diseases, and all ailments for which a salve is suitable. For taking out soreness and healing it acts like magic. 25 cents a box, at all drug stores.

STEINWAY, KAWANIS, PRASE & BACH. Grand, Upright, and Square Pianos. Burdett Organ, best instrument ever made. Stock of Sheet Music and Books. Hands supplied at KAWANIS & BACH'S. 25c.

WELL DRILLS FOR EVERY PURPOSE. Sold on Trial!

Investment small, profits large. Send me for mailing catalogue and full particulars. Manufacturers: GOULDS & AUSTIN, 107 & 109 Lake St., CHICAGO, ILL.

WEAK, NERVOUS PEOPLE. DR. PIERCE'S NEW BELT AND SUSPENSORY. For all cases of Nervous and Chronic Diseases of both sexes.

DR. SPINNEY'S NERVOUS REMEDY. Dr. Spinney & Co., 183 First St. Call or Oregonian.

Ferry's Seeds. D. M. FERRY & CO. are the only ones to be had in the world. D. M. FERRY & CO.'S SEED ANNUAL. Will be mailed FREE to all applicants, and to all who send for it. Address: D. M. FERRY & CO., Detroit, Mich.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION. SPECIAL OFFER TO NEW SUBSCRIBERS. A \$2.50 PAPER FOR ONLY \$1.75 FREE TO JAN. 1, 1889, and for a full year from that date. This offer includes the ILLUSTRATED SUPPLEMENTS, the PREMIUM LIST and FOUR HOLIDAY NUMBERS.