THE SECRET OUT.

Confession of Lynch at Dublin verified in America.

WHERE THE GREAT DYNAMITE PLOT WAS CONCOCTED.

A member of the Emerald Club in New York tells the following story:

"I know Lynch. His story is true. He is a young man, about twenty-five years of age.* He lived in Brooklyn and attended the meetings of the club about once a month. When there was any important business on hand there were sometimes as many as 200 present. The Emerald Club is only one of over a hundred similar clubs scattered through the country, and they all work in union, although they have not the same name. They are simply subsidiary clubs of the Clan-na-Gael Society and sprang from it. John Devoy was formerly on the Executive Committee of the Emerald Club. Dr. Gallagher was not an officer, but was simply a maker of material. There was a split in the club about five years ago and Miles O'Brien and a number of others went out and joined the Land League. They were opposed to the dynamite policy.

"Trouble has continued in the club through the ambition of Devoy, the Breslins and others. They desired to control matters and it was through their bungling that such a man as Lynch was picked out to go on a mission. The money did not come from the Skirmishing Fund, but came from subscriptions. Dr. Gallagher was commissioned to go to London and to select the men he wanted. He picked out his brother and Lynch and sent them over. The box which Lynch threw overboard was an infernal machine. Lynch and Bernard Gallagher were directed where to meet the Doctor in London.

"O'Donovan Rossa is not a member of the Club, but he is also engaged in the dynamite work. Three of the men arrested were acting as agents. These are Auburgh, the leader. Dalton and Curtin. Curtin is probably a true name. Both the others are false names. Some of us believe Lynch was a spy, who worked himself into our secrets and communicated with the authorities when he reached London. Otherwise how could all the men have been arrested so quickly? I know nothing of Whitehead or Dalton, as least by their assumed names. We were not told what name Dr. Gallagher would give them. The club did not pick out the men to go with Dr. Gallagher. Lynch is the only man who went from the Emerald Club."

Patrick Egan said he was not in favor of dynamite; and yet he would not oppose it. He believed the Philadelphia Convention would indorse Parnell, and would, as a body, advocate constitutional agitation, while individually its members would take more active measures.

At a meeting of Fenians O'Donovan Rossa said: "I do not know the witness Lynch. I believe I never saw him and that he never saw me. That is not our method at all—to send out men from this country. It is incredible that a man who had been in the organization only as long as he says he was could have been trusted with so important matters. Our method is not intended to get the United States into trouble at all. If I got any money from you for the cause I should send it across the ocean to be used by men who are fighting England there. All our agents are men who are already in England and Ireland. Now, by sending money in that way, I violate no international treaty. We can do execution enough by legitimate methods. I am quite sure I do not know Lynch and never saw him."

The testimony of Lynch, occasions much comment in Irish circles. At a recent meeting of Irishmen the sole topic of conversation was the action of Lynch in turning informer. He was roundly denounced, and though none of the speakers would acknowledge their connection with the Clan-na-Gael or that Lynch was a member of that revolutionary body. It was admitted incautiously that the Emerald Club, like a dozen other clubs with headquarters in the vicinity, were tributaries of that organization. Thomas Burns was said to be President of the club, but where Thomas Burns could be found none could say; and where Mr. O'Connor, who was said to have introduced Lynch into the Emerald Club, was to be found, was kept a profound secret. A Clan-na-Gael man who stands high in local Irish circles, who has been a constant attempt upon the various Irish meetings, who is a member of the several secret societies, and who has served in a public capacity on numerous occasions, having pledge the reporter not to mention his name in connection with the affair, proceeded to tell the following "I know Lynch," he said, of and he tells the truth. He was sent to Europe by men in this city. The Emerald Club is one of the auxiliary societies of the Great Clan-de-Gael,"

SERIOUS CHARGE.

Mary Ann Dooley, of Chicago, was arrested on the charge, it is claimed, of murdering her mother by poison. About a month ago her mother died under suspicious circumstances. She was supposed to be worth $200,000. No verified will was found, but a copy of an alleged will was unearthed, and investigation was followed by the flight of the daughter and a young man supposed to be a suitor. For some reason the man was not arrested.

The prisoner appeared to be overwhelmed with mortification at the mere fact of being arrested and placed in a cell, and between sobs protested her innocence. "I never poisoned my mother—no, sir. It is wrong to accuse me of such a thing. I always loved my mother. I was her only child. We never had any difference excepting my engagement with John Sessions. My mother did not like him, but I do."

She said further that soon after her mother died an alleged will was produced bequeathing her property to a number of charitable institutions in Chicago, leaving her heir and only child a certain sum on condition of her not marrying a young man mentioned, whom her mother thoroughly disliked.

"Don't pull me around so," said the thief to the policeman. "I have a felon upon my finger." "And I have my finger upon a felon," remarked the policeman.

FUNNY FANCIES.

The New Orleans *Picayune* suggests if a weak young man finds that chess-playing hurts him, he had better buy a chess-protector.

There are two charming lady dentists in Philadelphia, and young men are finding lots of cavities in their teeth and their pocket books.

A recognized medical authority has pronounced promiscuous kissing unhealthy, but he doesn't state whether his wife caught him kissing her pretty sister or the hired girl.

Yankees are now making counterfeit cloves made of wood, and the go-out-between-the-acts young man is doing his best to aid in destroying the forests of this country.

In answer to a query the Chicago *News* states that Elizabeth was the "bonniest" Queen of England. She may have been the boniest; but "bonniest"—bah!

Mrs. Craik says wedlock is a lane that has no turning. Hasn't eh? Well, Dinah Maria Muloch, you dear little thing, will you tell us how the divorce court originated?

Let women be brought up to habits of industry and economy and learn to support a husband, says the wise editor of the Texas *Siftings*, and the tramp nuisance will soon cease.

It is now authoritatively stated that Casabianca did not stand on the burning deck, but skipped over the side of the vessel and out of the way of danger. Gone to meet the tale of William Tell.

The Washington *Post* says that much of the butter sold in that city is fit only for the soap factory. If this is a true statement we don't wonder that some of our statesmen are slippery fellows.

Germantown, Pa., has a person who can eat a pound of soap, a half pound of candles, and drink a pint of lard oil at a single meal. He should be sent to Russia as an Ambassador Extraordinary.

Rev. Dr. Deems says there are a thousand stupid hearers to one stupid preacher. If such be the case the "stupid hearers" in this country must aggregate something like countless millions.

An odd thing in toys is a savings bank with a monkey, which enters each deposite in a book. The inventor caught the idea from seeing human cashiers monkey around deposits before scooping them in.

A colored man in Texas has been sentenced to ninety-nine years in the penitentiary. When his term expires he will hobble through the country and claim that he is the only surviving member of George Washington's body guard.

A woman who lost a finger in the employ of a Brooklyn manufacturer sued and got a verdict of $1,500, and the Louisville *Courier-Journal* recklessly adds, "She did not reflect that while she lost only a finger, her employer lost a hand.

"The Pendleton Civil Service bill has passed," remarked Mr. Wigglesworth, from the interior of his paper. "Well, I'm glad of that," said his wife, "and now I hope our hired girl will have a little more manners.

By the aid of a telephone, a Boston banjo-player was heard a distance of twenty-five miles. There is a great advantage in having an audience at this distance. If the music is intensely aggravating, the listeners can't throw stones and things. Even a rifle won't carry twenty-five miles.

A Washington correspondent asserts that this Winter it is the fashion for young ladies of that city to sit on the floor when they receive visitors. This may be an attractive custom, but they would create a greater sensation if they attempted to sit on the ceiling.

Near the town of Irvine, in Estil county, Ky., recently, a mule belonging to W. E. Park deliberately committed suicide. He put his head through a crack in a post-and-rail fence and having slipped his neck down to a lower place pulled back and choked himself. The cause of the suicide is not known. He had not been drinking and there was no trouble with his family. It is thought by some to have been the result of religious excitement.

The doorbell rang violently and the lady of the house, thinking something must have happened, ran down to the door in a hurry. Uniformed telegraph boy with a message. What could have happened? Was John dead or 'Liza Jane run over by a horse-car? With trembling hand she tore open the message and read: "Shall bring home two to dinner today." "Well, the Lord knows that's bad enough," she said, with a sigh of relief.

One of our Eastern exchanges mentions a case which occurred in a small State and small town of the Pacific Coast, which we think most of our readers will recognize. It is that of a politician who had held an office for several terms. On coming before the Convention for a renomination, he had a close call, but finally succeeded in being renominated, when he volunteered the remark that "it was a cold day when he got left." He was badly left at the general election, and the inhabitants of that locality have experienced a very Artic blizzard ever since.

"Pat, wud yez luk at 'em now?" Mike was gazing intently at a procession honoring St. Patrick's Day in the march. "See, now, the fellows phat drinks the whiskey all on fut, and the fellows phat sell it all aroidin'." Mike grasped a pregnant fact.

SENDING MONEY BY MAIL.

A new law passed by the last Congress provides for a postal note by which smaller sums than $5 can be transmitted by mail for a fee of 3 cents. On money orders for larger sums the same law fixes fees as follows:

For orders not exceeding $10, eight cents.

Exceeding $10 and not exceeding $15, ten cents.

Exceeding $15 and not exceeding $30, fifteen cents.

Exceeding $30 and not exceeding $40, twenty cents.

Exceeding $40 and not exceeding $50, twenty-five cents.

Exceeding $50 and not exceeding $60, thirty cents.

Exceeding $60 and not exceeding $70, thirty-five cents.

Exceeding $70 and not exceeding $80, forty cents.

Exceeding $80 and not exceeding $100, forty-five cents.

The statistics, as given by the Detroit *Free Press*, show that a California stage robber saved $4581 in ten months, but in nine months a Niagara hackman saved $5265.

PRACTICAL JOKES.

Pecks Bad Boy Invents a New Patent Bouquet.

WHICH CAUSES SCENES OF TROUBLE IN HIS PA'S FAMILY.

"Say, do you think a little practical joke does any hurt," asked the bad boy of the grocery man, as he came in with his Sunday suit on, and a bouquet in his button-hole, and pried off a couple of figs from a new box that had been just opened.

"No, sir," said the grocery man, as he licked off the syrup that dripped from a quart measure, from which he had been filling a jug. "I hold that a man that gets mad at a practical joke, that is, one that does not injure him, is a fool, and he ought to be shunned by all decent people. That's a nice bouquet you have in your coat. What is it pansies? Let me smell of it," and the grocery man bent over in front of the boy to take a whiff at the bouquet. As he did so, a stream of water shot out of the innocent looking bouquet and struck him full in the face, and run down over his shirt, and the grocery man yelled murder and fell over a barrel of axe helves and scythe snaths, and then groped around for a towel to wipe his face.

"You condum skunk," said the grocery man to the boy, as he took up an axe helve and started for him, "what kind of a golblasted squirt gun have you got there. I will maul you, by thunder," and he rolled up his shirt sleeves.

"There, keep your temper. I took a test vote of you on the subject of practisal jokes, before the machine began to play upon the conflagration that was raging on your whiskey nose, and you said a man that would get mad at a joke was a fool, and now I know it. Here, let me show it to you. There is a rubber hose that runs from the bouquet, inside my coat to my pants pocket, and there is a bulb of rubber that holds about half a pint, and when a feller smells of the posy, I squeeze the bulb, and you see the result. It's fun, where you don't squirt it on a person that gets mad."

The grocery man said he would give the boy half a pound of figs if he would lend the bouquet to him for half an hour to play it on a customer, and the boy fixed it on the grocery man, and turned the nozzle so it would squirt right back into the grocery man's face. He tried it on the first customer that came in, and got it right in his own face, and then the bulb in his pants pocket got to leaking and the rest of the water ran down the grocery man's trouser leg, and he gave it up in disgust and handed it back to the boy. "How was it that your pa had to be carried home from the sociable in a hack the other night," asked the grocery man as he stood close to the stove so his pants leg would dry, "He has not got to drinking again, has he?"

"O, no," said the boy, as he filled the bulb with vinegar, to practice on his chum. "It was this bouquet that got pa into trouble. You see, I got pa to smell of it, and I just filled him chuck full of water. He got mad and called me all kinds of names, and said I was no good on earth, and I would fetch up in state's prison, and he said it was different with a man. He said when a man played a joke there was a certain dignity about it that was lacking in a boy. So I lent it to him, and we all went to the sociable in the basement of the church. I never see pa more kitteny than he was that night. He filled the bulb with ice water, and the first one he got to smell of his button-hole bouquet was an old maid who thinks pa is a heathen, but she likes to be made something of by anybody that wears pants, and when pa sidled up to her and began talking about what a great work the Christian women of the land were doing in educating the heathen, she felt real good, and then she noticed pa's posy in his button-hole, and she touched it, and then reached over her beak to smell of it. Pa, he squeezed the bulb, and about half a teacupful of water struck her in the nose, and some of it went into her strangle place, and, oh my, didn't she yell! The sisters gathered around her, and they said her face was all perspiration, and the paint was coming off, and they took her in the kitchen, and she told them pa had slapped her with a dish of ice cream, and the women told the minister and the deacons, and they went to pa for an explanation, and pa told them it was not so, and the minister got interested and near pa, and pa let the water go at him, and hit him on the eye, and then a deacon got a dose, and pa laughed, and then the minister, who used to go to college and be a hazer, and box, he got mad and squared off and hit pa three times right by the eye, and one of the deacons he kicked pa, and pa got mad and said he could clean out the whole shebang, and began to pull off his coat, when they bundled him out doors, and ma got mad to see pa abused, and she left the sociable, and I had to stay and eat ice cream and things for the whole family. Pa says that settles it with him.

RUSSIAN FOLK LORE.

Knockhisnoseoffsky was a Nihilist. His motto was Nihil Fit, which he said ovitch meant Nihilist fight or Nihilist have fits, whichever off you chose. He was likewisky a Communist and believed in an equal division of labornisky. He lived in a cellar-off, and manufactured the sudden bombshelloffsky and previous petard, which the Nihilists threw at their beloved Czar. The Czar did not go out much. He was not afraidsky, but only a little carefuloff. His motto was, "Uneasy lies the whatyoumaycallit that wears the thingumbob." When he went out he put on a steel hejilmet and a brasskovitch vest, and got inside a safe with a time lock on it. In this way, guarded by his soldiers, he would take a turn on the piazzainsky, and if not shot off or mangled by exploding shells, would again go in. This was what he called having a high old time. Knockhisnoseoffsky made a patent bombshellsky filled with slugs and nails and other cheerful contents. He waited his opportunity and fired it off at the Czar. It hit him on the combination and spoiled it, so that it would not open. When the Czar discovered this he said: "Djjj!!" and Knockhisnoseoffsky said: "I have settled his hjash. That's the kind of a sjtring beansky I am."

In studying human nature, the student is apt to learn the bad side from his neighbors, and the good side from his own book of life.

Idleness is the first toll gate on the road to hell.

ACROSS THE SEAS.

Lord O'Neill is dead.

Heavy floods are reported from Lower Canada.

All the Nihilists on trial at Odessa have been convicted.

The village of Oakville, Ontario, has been destroyed by fire.

The Queen of England is recovering from her late accident.

The difficulty between France and Madagascar has been adjusted.

The arms for the Hayti revolution were shipped from Philadelphia.

London has been visited by a conflagration, causing great damage.

In the village of Katow, Russia, last week, 500 houses were burned.

The dynamiters threaten to blow up the Parliament House at Vienna.

An explosion in a French coal mine killed seven men and wounded many others.

It is stated that the French Chinese squadron has been ordered to cruise in the Tonquin river.

The French Minister of Finance proposes to refund the National debt from 5 per cent to 4½ s.

British vessels are cruising off Cork, Ireland, to intercept a vessel having infernal machines aboard.

Military bakers at Vienna are to supply the places of journeymen in private shops in case of a strike.

The German, Austrian and Italian Governments propose to make common cause against the Jynamiters.

The eighteen Nihilists tried at St. Petersburg have all been convicted, and six of them condemned to death.

The existence of a society in Ireland, inaugurated for the purpose of killing landlords, has been discovered.

The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows an increase of 4,832,500 francs in gold and 2,800,000 francs silver.

The town hall at Antwerp has been attacked by a mob of workingmen opposed to the establishment of grain elevators.

The treaty between Germany, Italy and Austria is to continue six years and guarantees their respective territories and maritime rights.

Spain is anxious to conclude a commercial treaty with the United States, and particularly desires a reduction of the sugar duties.

The Canadian Government has awarded a French company $40,000 a year for a monthly line of steamers between Havre and Montreal.

Louise Michel has been committed for trial at the next Paris Assizes, charged with inciting to riot. She will conduct her own defense.

The German press is still publishing irritating articles concerning France, which may lead to another rupture between those two countries.

The Parliament buildings at Quebec were almost totally destroyed by fire, the west wing of the building alone being saved in a damaged state.

On account of a threatened strike of bakers at Vienna, the military bakers have been placed at the service of employers, to prevent a scarcity of bread.

Frequent arrests on charge of Nihilism continue in Russia. Fifty persons, from all classes of people, were arrested last week, and twenty will be tried before the coronation.

The eight dynamite conspirators were arraigned in the Bow-street Police Court, in London, and one of them, Norman, alias Lynch, turned informer and revealed the full details of their operations since leaving New York.

PETER COOPER.

Death has been cutting down many of our foremost men since the year began, and now has struck the best known, most loved of all Americans, Peter Cooper, and our people, in all the length and breadth of the land, will to-day feel united as by a common family affliction. The plain, simple, unambitious patriarch who has gone to his rest needed no titles or official honors. He was our best illustration of the truth of those oft-quoted lines of Tennyson:

"Howe'er it be, it seems to me,
'Tis only noble to be good.
Kind hearts are more than coronets,
And simple faith than Norman blood."

It is true, though not generally thought of, that he had achieved enough in the line of his varied activities to have given him a national reputation, but all his triumphs, as an inventor and manufacturer and "Captain of Industry," were long since forgotten as subordinate incidents in a life of wise beneficence, whose steady and growing effulgence outshone all else and made the "brilliancies" of more selfish careers seem as false and tawdry as stage diamonds. In a land and time favoring, beyond all example, all the aggrandizing and ambitious passions and faculties of all conditions of men, one man was enabled by Divine Providence to conquer the praise and love unattainable by other men, merely as the humble, simple, consistent doer of good to his fellows. In a career twice as long as that of our average ambitious workers, he illustrated, with no intent toward the prominence that was as freely given as were his labors for mankind, what good can be done by a single man, if his "eye is single" and his "whole body is full of light" and his works are the outcome of a generous and noble faith. Here, in the midst of our artificial social conditions and in the hurry and whirl of our metropolitan activities, a life as simple, pure and sweet as that of Abraham amid his primitive and pastoral surroundings has been lived, that has sent out its softening and educating influences to the ends of the earth. At any time for over a generation past, if the question had been asked in any part of the land, "Who is the most loved man in America?" the answer, "Peter Cooper," would have been inevitable. It was a continuing and growing triumph of goodness, that will be recorded by the future historian as one of the redeeming features of our times.—[N. Y. Mail.

Don't you think Parson Brown is a man of considerable ardor?" inquired a friend of Mr. Jollie. "No," was the reply, "on the contrary, I inferred from the exhibit made at dinner the last time he invited me to dine with him, that he was a man of very little larder."

Said an actor whose private reputation was none of the best, "They have cast me to a character that I don't like, and I doubt whether I ought to take it or not." "Oh, take it by all means," urged Fogg—adding under his breath, "any character must be better than your own."

People who have always lived on honey become sour.

Society notes: The heir of Mr. and Mrs. Constantine Dude-Smith will give a bawl Thursday evening in honor of the first anniversary of his parents' wedding. Mis Lulu Gilfleury will be married Friday morning in Saint Sebastian's Church. There will be eleven bridesmaids and sixteen ushers. The name of the groom, at the request of the bride's parents, has been withheld from publication. Miss Flora Elsie Clarendon-Jones will shortly lead to the altar Mr. Muykal Pahdee Murrify, son of the late Italian Consul.—[Life.

*The woman who seeks relief from pain by the free use of alcoholic stimulants and narcotic drugs, finds what he seeks only so far as sensibility is destroyed or temporarily suspended. *No cure was ever wrought by such means*, and the longer they are employed the more hopeless the case becomes. Leave chloral, morphia and belladonna alone and use Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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THE BAD AND WORTHLESS

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A NOTED BUT UNTITLED WOMAN.

[From the Boston Globe.]

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