











THE TRIUMPHANT PROGRESS OF DEMOCRACY IN SHROPSHIRE.

Hitherto this county has remained silent on those great principles of democracy embodied in the People's Charter, and even this can scarcely be credited to the middle and higher classes, that is to say, the agricultural and manufacturing interest in a Parliament. To-day, however, presented a new feature in the political history of this rich and beautiful county. Before I attempt to describe the truly magnificent scene of the myriads who responded to the call, I will first of all refer to the first lecture given in this county on the Charter was delivered by Mr. Mogg, of Wolverhampton, only seven weeks ago. Mr. Child, an engineer, and an able man, has also contributed much to advance the cause. This gentleman was elected by the anti-Owen Law party, in the district of Coalbrook Dale, but had no sooner heard the principles of the Charter mooted, than he resigned, and offered his services to the few who had formed themselves into the National Charter Association, and since he has devoted himself to the study of the Charter, he has become a most eloquent and gentleman in the locality, is lecturing on the principles, and has already displayed considerable ability. And now to resume. Yesterday last was set apart for a great demonstration of the Charter, and was assembled at this place was tremendous. As we proceeded the numbers increased, and from the summit of every height the eye could reach were to be seen groups of spectators. When the procession was approaching Watling Street the band struck up, and the march of the 'Reds' commenced. The march was in a long column, and every thing seemed to inspire the mind with the grandeur and solemnity of the cause. Two bands were engaged for the occasion. As the march proceeded, the numbers increased, and it was estimated that upwards of 20,000 persons were present. At 12 o'clock the procession was in the square, and the speaker, Mr. Mogg, then stepped forward, and in a most eloquent manner, went through the six points of the Charter. He then proceeded to read the preamble, and in a most eloquent manner, went through the six points of the Charter. He then proceeded to read the preamble, and in a most eloquent manner, went through the six points of the Charter. He then proceeded to read the preamble, and in a most eloquent manner, went through the six points of the Charter. He then proceeded to read the preamble, and in a most eloquent manner, went through the six points of the Charter.

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IRELAND.

From The World's Correspondent. Castlebar.—MURDER WILL OUT.—"That 'truth is stranger than fiction' has been most strikingly illustrated by recent events which have transpired in the county of Mayo. The following are the circumstances of the case, as given by the newspaper in the county. The crime was committed on the 15th inst., at a place named Tullaghan, in the parish of Ballyvaughan, in the county of Mayo. The victim was a young man named James O'Brien, who was aged about 20 years. He was a native of the county, and had been residing in Tullaghan for some time. He was a well-to-do man, and was engaged in the cultivation of the soil. He was a very popular man in the neighbourhood, and was much respected by all who knew him.

The murder was committed by a man named Michael O'Brien, who was aged about 30 years. He was a native of the county, and had been residing in Tullaghan for some time. He was a well-to-do man, and was engaged in the cultivation of the soil. He was a very popular man in the neighbourhood, and was much respected by all who knew him. The murder was committed by a man named Michael O'Brien, who was aged about 30 years. He was a native of the county, and had been residing in Tullaghan for some time. He was a well-to-do man, and was engaged in the cultivation of the soil. He was a very popular man in the neighbourhood, and was much respected by all who knew him.

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HOUSE OF COMMONS, FRIDAY, MAY 20.

The House re-assembled to-day for the first time since the Whitsun recess. The Speaker took the chair shortly before four o'clock. The attendance of members was very good. The minutes of the evidence taken before the Newcastle-upon-Tyne Election Committee were brought in, and ordered to be printed.

The Abroad Bill and the South Metropolitan Bill were brought in, and the latter was ordered to be printed. Mr. STAFFORD SMITH moved for a resolution that the Government should not attempt to deny that the country was in a very unprosperous state.

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HOUSE OF LORDS, Friday, May 20.

Their Lordships met to-day, at five o'clock, for the first time since the recess. A message from the Commons brought up several private bills.

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Prof. of a Man's Being Able to Read and Write.—At the Eton Petty Sessions, on Wednesday, the list of persons nominated to serve the office of Overseer for the year ensuing were laid before the Bench by Mr. Magistrate, taking the names of the persons who were nominated, and of one of the lists, enquired of the Magistrate if John So-and-so could read and write? "I should just think he could, your Worship," replied the constable. "But why do you think so? Why, 'cause he looks like a fellow that can't read or write, your Worship?" "Oh, your Worship, that's the very best of the matter," replied the Magistrate, "and the man who married a wife who was a respectable sort of a woman." The reason assigned was conclusive; and the man who married a wife who was a respectable sort of a woman was duly appointed.

WATKINS'S LEGACY TO THE CHARTISTS.

LECTURE II. CONCLUDED.

But the truth is, there are none of us who do as we should be done by, for, if so, should we see such sights, would there be such scenes as appear—

Parliament instituted to inquire into and to correct national evils, never inquired into these things, will not suffer them to be inquired into. Committees are appointed to inquire into the condition of felons in prisons, and into the condition of children in factories and mines, and all this is well and laudable; but no committee sits to inquire into the condition of the outcasts in the streets.

Mr. Robeuck and the Bath Chartists. The following correspondence will be read, no doubt, with interest by the Chartists throughout the country.

TO JOHN ARTHUR ROBEUCK, ESQ., M.P. "19, Gloucester-road Buildings, Swansea, Bath.

TO MR. ROBEUCK, M.P. "Sir, On receiving your letter, I thought proper to write to you before the Council. Feeling, as they do, a kindly interest in the cause of the Chartists, they regret you should have raised any quibble, or doubted the veracity of the person who forwarded your resolution respecting your attack on the supposed author of the National Petition—an attack which they consider to be an insult to themselves, and to the wretchedness which is the foil and food of their splendour.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NORTHERN STAR.

Sir,—By giving insertion to the following correspondence in answer to a memorial from the Brighton Chartists, praying for the release of Samuel Holberry from York Castle, you will oblige the friends of that persecuted victim of Whig despotism in Brighton.

Yours truly, N. MORLING, Sub-Secretary. Brighton, May 22nd, 1842. "London, May 9, 1842.

Sir,—I did not receive your letter of the 7th inst. until my arrival in town on the 10th. I beg you will immediately inform the Association, that I will not lose an opportunity in forwarding their Memorial to the Secretary of State, on behalf of Samuel Holberry, and to urge Sir James Graham to comply with the prayer thereof.

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WONDERFUL ESCAPE.—On Wednesday evening one of the most fruitful occurrences we ever remember to have seen, occurred at a Bridle-path in this town. The procession conducting Mr. Sturge, was turning the corner of Middle-pavement, and many hundreds lined Bridle-path-gate, when a cry was raised of "clear out," and in the distance a horse and light cart in which sat a farmer, was starting along the road, and the driver was seen to have kept his seat well—he pulled with all his might at the reins, but to no purpose—the animal still rode on at full gallop, in spite of the waving of hands and hats to stop him. At the end of Bridle-path-gate, the driver tried to turn him to the left, but without success, and on the driver's head and the shafts with immense force against the front of Mr. Johnson's, the Postern-gate. The crash seemed as if it would dash the cart to pieces, but in the most wonderful manner the driver kept his seat—the horse tumbled himself round and walked very gently, and the cart was uninjured. In turning round, the horse knocked a woman down from the gutter, and drew the cart over her, before he stopped. Accidentally, however, she had her neck broken, and she died in a few minutes. The horse seemed quite stunned with striking his head with such force, and to that may be attributed his quietness afterwards. Never did we see or hear of an accident so appalling, ending as it did with the death of a woman, and the mangled remains of people, thickly collected, and yet only one was hurt. Had he turned into Middle-pavement no doubt many lives would have been lost. The cart had on it James Martin, farmer, Burton.—Nottingham Review.

DISTRESSING OCCURRENCE.—Two Lives Lost.—CHATHAM, May 19.—This day a Jury assembled at the Duncan's Head public-house, New Road, Chatham, to investigate the circumstances attendant upon the death of two men, named Thomas Turner and William Taylor, whose lives were lost on the left bank of the river, on the night of the 11th of the present month. The first witness examined was Robert Taylor, brother of the deceased, William Taylor. He stated that his brother was a bricklayer, and had been employed in making cesspools adjoining the brick-works, on the bank of the river, in the street of the present name. The new cesspool was nineteen feet deep, and the old one nine feet. A stage was erected in the new one, about nine feet below the surface of the earth. On Monday night the deceased, Wm. Taylor and Thomas Turner, went down into the hole and made an aperture, and the sloop run through. Witness remained above. After which witness's brother, with a crowbar, enlarged the hole, and the sloop ran out faster than a race-horse, from Liverpool for New York. She carried fifty-five passengers, among whom was Mr. H. Palmer. She had a fair quantity of fine goods on freight.

Bankrupts, &c. From the London Gazette of Friday, May 20. Thomas Bretell, Roper-street, Haymarket, printer, to surrender May 27, at 12 o'clock, July 1, at 12, at the Bankrupts' Court. Solicitor, Mr. Arden, Red Lion Square. Official assignee, Mr. Belcher.

Forthcoming Chartist Meetings.

DEWBURY.—Mr. O'Connor will lecture at Dewbury on Friday, June 3rd. The chair to be taken at eight o'clock in the evening.

STOURBRIDGE.—A Chartist tea party will take place on Monday, June 6th. Tickets may be had from Mr. G. Gifford, Stourbridge, or Mr. Freeman, Hay-on-Wye.

HOUSE OF COMMONS, Tuesday, May 24. The House went into committee on the Customs' Act (Tariff) and Mr. Miles brought forward a defined proposition with reference to the proposed tariff.

LEEDS DISTRICT.—The usual monthly meeting of this district was held in the Association Room, Woodhouse, on Sunday morning, May 22.

STATE OF THE HOBIERY AND LACE TRADES.—There cannot be said to be any material improvement in any branch of the hosiery manufactures. Silk gloves have a shade better, but not to an extent.

LOCAL MARKETS. LEEDS CORN MARKET, TUESDAY, MAY 24th. The supply of Wheat to this day's Market is larger than last week, other kinds of Grain much the same.