

THE EDITOR'S MAIL. THE CASE OF IRELAND.

SIR.—I was much pleased with an article in an issue of The Guardian of last month on "The Case of Ireland."

All lovers of Ireland and all who feel a kindly sympathy with a generous, gallant and misunderstood race will be glad to see that the current of public opinion in Great Britain is turned to consider the real root of the evil, the seat of Ireland's troubles—the land question.

The people of this Island having long suffered under the curse of landlordism are better qualified and are more especially called upon to throw light upon the subject and do what they can to aid in freeing their fellow subjects in Ireland from the evils of a system that has for long years been the fruitful source of oppression, misery and crime.

You, Mr. Editor, were not here to witness the weary struggle of our tenantry to throw off the oppressive incubus of landlordism, or you would, I am sure have perceived the analogy of the cases and have discussed the subject far more ably, how I can hope to do.

The system of landlord and tenant is objectionable under any circumstances—in England where it exists nominally in its worst form—yearly holdings—the injurious consequences are minimized from long usage, from the mutual interest of tenant and owner and from the fact that the latter spends his money in the country, and invests his surplus capital in mines and manufactures, with results that have brought England to the proud position she holds today in the commercial world.

In Ireland, on the other hand, the system, intrinsically evil, became positively disastrous from the fact that the money wrung from the soil by the patient toil of the tenant, was spent abroad by the absentee landlord, thus draining away perpetually the capital which, invested in mines and manufactures and in the reclamation of waste lands would have afforded ample employment with consequent prosperity and contentment, to the surplus population, and prevented that depleting exodus which reduced the number one that when it should have doubled.

To aid in abolishing this baneful system which has kept Ireland so long impoverished should be our aim. This will be best attained not by subsidizing money to maintain men, who, however well intentioned, have, by their display, bitter and vengeful utterances engendered hostile feelings in the minds of the English but by doing our part to influence public opinion, to point out the cause of Ireland's troubles, and the happy results that will follow its removal.

Public opinion in the present day is the motive power; governments were but the agents to carry out its fit.

Gladstone, the greatest politician of his day, had been a statesman would never have introduced a more important and far-reaching measure such as home rule until public opinion was educated up to it. Its action has retarded that desirable object a quarter of a century, but it will come and its advent will be hastened when tenant right is acknowledged, and a long misgoverned and misdealt people become prosperous, happy and contented.

How best to carry out the object in view, I am not prepared to say. Perhaps a meeting to discuss the subject and appoint a committee to embody its views, that I can only call upon some of the many patriotic and valiant Irishmen of the city to take the initiative in the matter.

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That the attitude of such firms as Parke, Davis & Co. toward their work people has not been without its influence upon other large employers of labor is evident. It is patent that the last decade has witnessed radical changes in the industrial life of the times. The things of capital are coming to recognize the fact that not only is the laborer worthy of his hire, but that something more than wages is his rightful due. They are learning by experience that recognition of the rights and needs of labor begets cooperation—and co-operation is the life of business. The far-seeing employer knows that it pays to be just, even generous sometimes—actually pays in dollars and cents.

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Oatmeal, per 100 lbs., 0.90 to 0.00
Oats (black) per bushel, 0.33 to 0.00
Oats (white) per bushel, 0.32 to 0.00
Wheat per bushel, 0.62 to 0.00
Pork, 0.72 to 0.00
Potatoes, per bushel, 0.22 to 0.00
Turnips, 0.15 to 0.00
Beets (table), 0.30 to 0.45
Lamb skins, 0.40 to 0.50
Sheep skins, 0.40 to 0.80
Wool (wash), 0.14 to 0.15
Geese per lb., 0.07 to 0.08
Turkey per lb., 0.08 to 0.10
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MUST NOT SELL PAPERS. TORONTO, Jan. 21.—The question as to the right of news agents in the big downtown hotels to sell to the guests papers, cigars, stamps, etc., on Sunday, has been brought squarely to an issue by the argument of a deputation who waited upon Chief Grassett this week. The decision has been given by magistrate Kingsford, and is against the contention of the news agents.

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