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**FURTHER EXAMINATION OF BURKE
AND CASEY:**

At Bow-street, on Saturday, Richard Burke and Theobald Joseph Casey, were again brought up, on remand, the former on the charge of treasonably assisting the large gang of assaulting Irishmen, and the latter on the charge of assaulting Inspector O'Sullivan, of the detective force, in the execution of his duty.

Mr. Giffard, Q.C., and Mr. Poland, instructed by the Solicitor to the Treasury, conducted the prosecution; Mr. J. H. Loe and Mr. W. P. Macdonald, in defence, by Messrs. Meermann and Burdett; for Burke, by Mr. Lewis, of Great Marlborough-street; and for Casey, by Mr. Giffard.

Another person was then placed at the bar. He was a decently-dressed and rather good-looking man, apparently in his early days, with wavy, dark, wavy, brown hair, and ruddy complexion. He had a high forehead, and a pair of eyes which were

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Farrall, a hood criminal, lived with him. He had charged of the house, and paid the rent of the house where they lived. After a seizure of some Greek fish in the back house across the street from the Farralls' home, I was in company with them. Farrall went away or to bed before the seizure. I saw Lawrence receive \$50 as a bribe. Malady came along in 1967 with Captain Rocco. I saw him at the time he was arrested. McCallister, who was convicted of treason in Dublin, Ireland, was also there. A few days before the Chester affair I was at a meeting where I saw Malady, at Liverpool. He was arrested on charges of being a hood criminal. We all had tonight at the meeting to be Chester. I don't know if it was a work after this we had under to go to Nyland. This was at a meeting at the Zoological Gardens, Liverpool.

Cross examined I. I never saw Malady till I met him at Liverpool, in the home of a Fenian, named Gibbons. I never saw him again till I met him at Liverpool. O'Connor, Captain O'Brien and I were in the same room were present when he said that he and Burke were buying arms. Nothing was then said as to the price given, or as to the persons of whom they were bought. I saw Burke at the house of John Burke, of America, and I saw O'Brien, were among the persons who were present. I cannot recollect the names of all the persons present, only the most prominent of them. I don't know Casey at all.

Shaw said he did not wish to ask any more questions.

In re-examination by Mr. Gifford the witness said that Michael O'Brien was the same man who was hanged at Manchester by the name of Gould.

Amyelia Tate, assistant to Mr. Kypko, identified the prisoner as James, whom she had seen in December, 1865. He was known to her as "Red," because of his hair. He was taken to the prison by a constable, and he went to make a purchase of recreation space. He came one morning, saw Mr. Kypko, and purchased 2,000,000 military notes. In the evening he took away 40 revolvers worth £20 each. The next day he returned that night and the very book was taken with him and brought back stowed in the trunk way. The third prisoner, Slaw, delivered a letter to witness for Mr. Kypko; all were done under the direction of the latter.

Mr. Kyriak was recalled and identified the handwriting of the prisoner Hurks in the consignments of clothing and shoes to other railway servants. With regard to two of the letters, he said a slight doubt, though he believed them also to be the prisoner's handwriting. He had very little doubt, however, in recognizing the prisoner (Shaw) as the man who had written the letter. He said he did not remember positively having seen him more than once.

Mr. Gifford proposed that as Mr. Torr had not heard the former evidence of Mr. Kyriak, it should be read over, as, indeed, it ought to be as against Maundy. Mr. Maundy, the clerk and clerk, accordingly read over the deposition of Kyriak.

A man was brought up before the magistrates at Southampton on Friday, on a charge of attempting to assist the Mexican with a private in the 60th Rifles to escape from the army.

THE GOVERNMENT AND FENIANISM.—The *Observer* says:—We are delighted that the Government have no intention of resorting to any power beyond that which is at present placed in their hands for the suppression of the Fenian conspiracy, and that they are not disposed to attempt to suspend the Habeas Corpus Act in any way at least, premature. As we stated last week, the Government have been advised that under the existing law they are not permitted to deal with persons connected with the Fenian movement.

THE CLERKENWELL INQUIRY.—The largest number of the two persons who have died in the Royal Free Hospital from injuries received at the explosion in Clerkenwell,

... First, all the witnesses who saw the fire in the barrel of gunpowder told said that the man was fired at. Next, Police Officer ... who were in custody, was able to give evidence. He described the fire as a blinding shot with a blue flame as far round as his hat. He says he could not put it out because the barrel was too hot. He was then taken out of the barrel itself. He was smoking from the barrel and he was not hurt. He was not and he nearly killed him. Another witness, named ... some, three dozens upon part of Moriarty's evidence, ... Moriarty was actually talking with the ...

DESTRUCTION OF NITRO-GLYCERINE SINK CHIMNEY-SHED.—A discovery was made last week that some time past 91 lbs. of nitro-glycerine have been stored in the dwelling-house of a sinker near to Chester Moor Colliery. It appears that a person of the name of Hutton, contracted to sink a new shaft at the above-named colliery, and to

Mr. work done more efficiently, he obtained a quantity of Mr. Borrell's blasting oil. After a short trial, however, the men employed under the contract objected to work with the oil. Under those untoward circumstances, Hatfield could think of no better place to store his blasting oil than his wife's pantry, where he has continued until the neighbouring inhabitants, on the other day, suspecting its presence, gave information to the inspector of police. He at once communicated with his superior, and received orders to destroy it. On Saturday morning, Inspector

miners, with two or three of his men, proceeded to Walsbridge Fell for the purpose of destroying the oil. The miner was placed on the ground, which is of a sandy character, a potent gun applied, and an explosion at once took place. The report was distinctly heard at Clonmel. It struck a distance of three miles and the effect of the explosion was such as to make a hole in the earth to the depth of 5 feet, and about 3 feet in diameter. The pretty earth was thrown up at a distance of 200 yards. The crater was 20 feet in diameter and 200 yards in length.

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