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HIS VIEWS ON IRELAND.

TEMPLE, November 11.

The following is the letter which appeared in the London Times and Dublin Freeman, created so great a sensation in England and the Continent, and sadly scared the Marquis of Lansdowne.

Sir—As you drive along the main road of the Lansdowne property, in the neighborhood of Kenmare, the appearance of the dwellings presents a marked improvement upon those in neighboring estates—for example, of Lord Ventry, Lord Bantary, and of Trinity College.

I had noticed, too, accounts widely differing in the public Press of the management of this estate. In the Daily Telegraph, for instance, on the occasion of his leaving the Government, it was written—

In Lord Lansdowne's Ministry have lost a statesman of promise, whose accession is all the more important on account of his cause. For generations the Lansdowne estates have had a high fame as models of management.

In your own column on the other hand, about the same date I read—

Ordinary Englishmen the Marquis of Lansdowne only presents a splendid and great. While ingenious he has deserted his party. Irishmen better understand the motives of a man who has inherited the traditions of the most carefully managed estate in all this alllicted land.

I cannot admit either of these statements but I must admit that I failed to see any signs of "English comfort," and so far as the sentiment of the country is concerned the language of the Freeman's Journal is certainly more accurate. For other reasons this state was interesting.

The management of these large estates is in the hands of Mr. Townsend Trench, son of the late Mr. W. Stewart Trench, to whom he succeeded. It is difficult to say how far the judgement of the community, over whom their powers as land agents are exercised is just or reliable.

At least 5,000 people must have died of starvation in the county of Kerry. They died on the roads and they died on the fields; they died on the mountains and they died in the cities. They died at the relief works; they died in their houses, so that the streets and villages were left almost without an inhabitant, and at last some few, despairing of help from the country, crawled into the towns and died at the doors of the residents and outside the union walls.

He adds, in another place, that the rates of transportation of these emigrants would amount to a sum less than it would cost to support them in the workhouse for a single year. That is one point of view of the question. I do not doubt that this was a scheme approved of by the then Lord Lansdowne from humane motives; its execution was grossly faulty.

It is curious that the present agent seems to have denied strenuously the extent of distress on the Lansdowne estate in 1879-80, and to have refused to act upon any of the several relief committees established in the neighborhood.

any distress in the district; indeed, so far as has been able to ascertain, the first occasion on which he admitted its existence was in April, 1880, when he applied to the Mansion House Committee for funds to promote a new emigration scheme.

One land agent said to me that when he saw the distress coming he told his noble master that it would be the best thing that had ever happened for the landlord; they would have the tenants at their mercy.

It can hardly be doubted to whom this language refers. I hope it may be shown to be the result of some gross misapprehension. The lady by her public appeals collected a sum of about £15,000, which was in great part expended in South Kerry.

The people came crying to me for it; in fact, on his estate there were tenants who could do no personal business on the date of the meetings of the committee asking me for God's sake, to give them supplemental orders for meat.

He added that of these tenants many were living upon the produce of the seed potatoes supplied by charity. He added further that Lord Lansdowne had brought some fine seed of potatoes to Kenmare, which had been sold for cash at something below the market price; that these were wholly insufficient to sow the land; and he finally added—

My belief is that were it not for the relief given by our committees a great number of the Lansdowne tenants would have died. This emphatic testimony certainly received corroboration in several other quarters. Compared with other estates which I visited, the rents, tested by Griffiths' valuation, are not the highest.

On last election day a tramp, old, dirty and ragged, was begging for food in Saratoga St., N. Y. The woman of the house refused him, because he was so suicidal. She gave him ten cents. Next morning he was found in a neighbour's carriage house nearly dead. He died the same afternoon.

Consumption has well been compared to a worm in the bud, that saps vitality from the fairest flower. It steals the rose bloom from the cheek and robs the vital spark from the stalwart and the strong. Heygard's Pectoral Balsam "nips the worm in the bud."

A writer in the St. James' Gazette says that the death of the Lord Chief Justice of England reminds him of a story that Lord Dalling told when he was yet Sir Henry Bulwer. "I remember," Sir Henry said, "when I first met Mr. Disraeli. It was in a company of five ambitious, confident, young men—nobody then, but all of whom (if you can allow me to say so much of myself) have come to distinction since.

SOME PEOPLE SUFFER TERRIBLY from late sippers; but sometimes they are forced into them. All such should carry a bottle of BROWN'S HOUSEHOLD PANACEA and family Liniment, and take a few drops after eating. It warms the stomach, nerves it to its work, and saves much inconvenience and suffering.

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FASHION NOTES. Beaded bonnet crowns are all the rage. Leopard sets are worn by young ladies. Sealskin sacques remain the popular fur wrap.

White toilets are in best taste for evening dress. Silver and blue fox are among the favorite fancy furs. Heavy satin de Lyon is the best material for a fur-lined circular.

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Legal Notices.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, Superior Court, No. 1487. Nellie McCaw, wife of George Bruce, agent of the City of Montreal, Plaintiff, vs. the said George Bruce, Defendant.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, Superior Court, No. 1488. Cecile Seney, wife of Ernest Cyr, plasterer, of the City of Montreal, Plaintiff, vs. the said Ernest Cyr, Defendant.

CANADA, Province of Quebec, District of Montreal, In the Superior Court. DAME EMILIE LACROIX, of the City and District of Montreal, wife of George Pelletier, leather cutter, of the same place, duly authorized a *curator in justice*, Plaintiff, vs. the said GEORGE PELLETIER, Defendant.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, Superior Court, Dame Emilie Provost, wife of Jean Olivier Langrin, cutter, of the Parish of St. Constant, Plaintiff, and duly authorized a *curator in justice*, Plaintiff, vs. the said Jean Olivier Langrin, Defendant.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, Superior Court, Dame Marie Octavie Mathilde Azide Valliquet, wife of Leon Larue, of the City of Montreal, Plaintiff, vs. the said Leon Larue, Defendant.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, Superior Court, Dame Clothilde Lapin, of the City and District of Montreal, wife of Napoleon Benoit, Plaintiff, and duly authorized a *curator in justice*, Plaintiff, vs. the said Napoleon Benoit, Defendant.

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