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Editorial Notes.

There is a rumor that a Canadian edition of the Marquis of Lorne's works will shortly be printed.

Twenty-five cents a copy will be paid for three copies of the *Miscellany*, No. 2, Vol. I., August, 1876. Address Editor *Miscellany*.

The advertisement of John L. Connelly & Co., wood engravers, etc., will be found on page 100. Write to them for estimates.

Parties having copies of the *Miscellany* of September and August, 1877—Nos. 3 and 4, Volume II.—will confer a favor on the editor by sending them to this office.

La Tipografia Mexicana is the name of a new monthly periodical from the City of Mexico. It is printed partly in English and partly in Spanish. Mr. Ellis Read is the publisher, and he is agent for all kinds of printing material.

A dollar bill (either U. S. or Canadian currency) enclosed in an envelope with a registration stamp on it (costing two cents in Canada and ten cents in the U. S.), and addressed to this office will secure the *Miscellany* for one year.

We are sorry to announce the death, at Manchester, Eng., August 1st, of Walker Speakman, aged 16 years, nephew of William Walker, traveller for Napanee and Newburgh paper mills. The deceased was an efficient shorthand writer—Pitman's system, and a subscriber to the *Miscellany*.

Jno. Riordon, Esq., paper manufacturer, Merriton, Ont., sailed from New York in the SS. "Britannica," July 6th, for England, to bring home his worthy partner in life, who, we are

happy to announce, has been very much improved in health during her stay in Europe. Mr. Riordon is expected to return early in September.

Messrs. John and James Thompson, recently employed as foremen at the Napanee and Newburgh paper mills, respectively, by the Napanee Mills Paper Manufacturing Company, have lately been endeavoring to form a Paper Mill Company at Port Hope, Ont. The trial has failed, owing to there being already in Canada an overproduction of 40 per cent. in printing and other qualities of paper. We would suggest their trying Manitoba.

A pamphlet entitled *Elective Franchise; or, Why Reformed Presbyterians do not Vote at Parliamentary Elections*, has been laid on our table. The question discussed is one of absorbing interest and cannot fail to incite a spirit of inquiry, while the principles advanced, if generally adopted, would work a great reformation in the history of politics. The matter is treated in a strong, practical, plain, earnest, brief and conclusive manner. Single copies by mail to any address 10 cents; 12 copies, \$1.00; 25 copies, \$2.00. Address, R. A. H. Morrow, publisher, 28 Charlotte street, St. John, N. B.

Mr. William Finlay, late practical superintendent of the Windsor, Que., paper mills, owned by the Canada Paper Company, resigned his position, and on May 16th, took charge of the Napanee, Ont., paper mills, for the Napanee Mills Paper Manufacturing Company. We understand that Mr. Finlay is the best maker in Canada of Nos. 1, 2, 3, white, colored and toned printing, also writing papers. His new employers intend manufacturing the five first named qualities, and may congratulate themselves upon securing such a valuable and practical assistant for their already well-established enterprise. Mr. Finlay has had considerable practical experience in the United Kingdom, United States, and latterly in Canada. He served his apprenticeship at Dalsholm, near Glasgow, Scotland, and has stuck, from boyhood up to the present time, to the paper trade. He has been employed in some of the best and finest paper mills in the United States. Previous to coming to Windsor, Que., he was practical manager of the *Inquirer* paper mills in Manayunk, Philadelphia, and on his leaving this mill, the employes presented him with a very valuable gold watch.