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FAITH HEALING.

DEATHS AMONG MISSIONARIES IN SIERRA LEONE.

Several Would Not Take Medicine and Died in Consequence of Tropical Fever—Official Notice That the Climate is Not Suited to Those Who Ignore the Usual Means of Relief.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 15.—The state department has received from the British minister a letter from the governor of Sierra Leone, inclosing a report from the colonial surgeon at Freetown, Dr. D. Palmer Ross, relative to the case of the nine American missionaries at that place.

Dr. Ross reports that the superintendent of the party, Mr. Kingman, arrived there Feb. 27, 1890, and was followed June 13 by Mrs. Kingman, Miss Dick and Messrs. Helmick, Jaderquist, Codding, Tryce (a negro), Gates and Harries.

It is stated that upon their arrival they began to live in native fashion, eating native food, cooking and washing for themselves, and even collecting their own fuel in the rainy season, hoping thus to gain the confidence of the natives.

On July 9 Mr. Kingman informed Dr. Ross that two of his party had died that day. Upon inquiry Dr. Ross learned that no doctor had been called in to attend the deceased (Messrs. Gates and Harries), the whole party being stanch believers in "faith healing"; that they had taken no medicine and had died of fever.

Dr. Ross, knowing that tropical fever if neglected is apt to assume a virulent form among newly arrived white people, ordered the bodies to be buried as soon as possible and sent the sanitary policeman to see the order carried out and to disinfect the houses, destroy all bedding, clothing, etc., used by the deceased.

That officer reported that others were sick in the house, a fact which the missionaries had not stated, and on the next day Mr. Kingman sent for the doctor to see his wife. She was found to be in the last stage of exhaustion from neglected fever, having been ill for nine days, and in spite of all that could be done she died on the evening of the 11th.

On the previous day Mr. Kingman was found to be ill, but refused to accept medical assistance.

That evening Mr. Tryce, who was also ill, sent for the doctor and consented to be taken to the hospital for treatment, under which he recovered.

On the 11th, Mr. Kingman, though worse, having again refused to receive the doctor, that gentleman informed him that, as the missionaries had by their action originated a malignant type of fever in Freetown, endangering the whole community, he would report the matter to the Governor, isolate the house and advise that the rest of the party be sent back to America. Mr. Kingman then consented to be treated, "solely on the ground that he did not wish to endanger the community," and was, on July 22, 1890, convalescent.

Dr. Ross adds that he understands that these missionaries intend going due east into the interior, guided only by a compass. In view of these facts and of the statement in the Missionary Review that another party of missionaries are expected, the governor of Sierra Leone calls attention to the matter, "as this climate is not suited to those who trust alone to faith healing and ignore the means placed by Providence at their disposal for the relief of suffering humanity."

A SCIENTIFIC SAFE ROBBER.

He Solves a Combination With His Delicate Finger.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 16.—Henry F. Adams recently came to this city from Minneapolis. He had a scheme to rob the Wayne Hotel safe, and told another young man about it. This second young man happened to be a cousin of the hotel proprietor, and he put the latter on his guard. The robbery was to have taken place at 4 o'clock this morning, and two policemen were placed under cover behind the office counter to await developments.

Adams appeared on time and began work. He had no tools, and he was not a mind reader, but had pared the nail of his index finger of the right hand until the blood vessels were exposed. By placing the sensitive wound on the knob of the combination lock, he could distinguish the movements of the tumblers as they fell. For over an hour he worked, while the perspiration dropped in beads from his brow.

At last there was a sharp click and the door swung back. With a sigh of relief he reached into the safe and laid his hand on a package of bills.

The detectives sprang forward and the robber was under arrest.

Telegraphic Flashes.

John Smith, one of the pioneers of Toronto, left a will disposing of property valued at $611,000.

Ottawa assessment has just been completed. It shows an increase of over half a million in assessable property as compared with last year.

The Illinois supreme court has denied the motion to set aside continuance in the case of O'Sullivan, the Cronin convict now confined in Joliet.

It is rumored that the Quebec friends of Premier Mercier will go one better than the Montreal contractors and present him with a purse containing $20,000.

The Dominion mortuary statistics for last month show: Halifax 2 42, Saint John 1 28, Fredericton .41 per thousand of population. Fredericton has the lowest rate of any city in Canada.

The jury in the Stonecutters' union conspiracy case at Montpelier, Vt., was discharged yesterday afternoon after returning a verdict of acquittal of five of the respondents and disagreement as to four. The case will probably never be tried again.

Three indictments were returned by the grand jury in Chicago yesterday against George H. Lipe, son of millionaire Clark Lipe, of Denver, charging him with forging his mother's signature to deeds, purporting to convey about $50,000 worth of real estate. Bail was fixed at $15,000.

Some weeks ago a man was arrested by a Portland, Me., policeman. He resisted savagely. Next morning burglars tools were found at the place where the man was arrested, and it is ascertained he was Frank Ritchie, the notorious thief, who escaped through ventilators from the Massachusetts state prison last January.

The jury at Toronto, Ont., have investigated the death of Andrew Wells, who died soon after stepping from a street car. They found that he had been drinking hard and was discharged from his employment for dishonesty. He got into trouble with a girl and sold his trunk and other articles, he said, to settle it. The jury's verdict was simply that he died of poison.

S. WHITEBONE, in the City Market building, on Charlotte street, does not import Cigars from Havana every two weeks, but he gets them fresh from there every month; so he can sell them at lowest prices. Mr. Whitebone will call on the trade in the city and show samples of new importations.

FIRST EDITION.

FOR CANADA.

A SCHEME TO DEVELOP THE INDUSTRIES AND TRADE OF CANADA.

The Canadian National Association and Its Effects—To be Incorporated—The French Consul General's Letter.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

TORONTO, Ont. Oct. 17.—Business men here are discussing a scheme to establish a Canadian National association for the development of trade. The object of the association is said to be to invite correspondence from various parts of the world, disseminate information abroad with reference to the general products of this country and to gather information as to the manufactures, products and minerals which can be disposed of in foreign markets. The association will be established on a purely patriotic basis. The membership fee will be $1. It is proposed to incorporate and issue debentures to the extent of one million dollars and ask the Dominion government to guarantee the interest on these debentures at three per cent per annum. Three trustees will control the finances and select proper men to visit the various countries which would trade with Canada. The association will be non-political.

The French Consul General.

MONTREAL, Oct. 17.—The Consul General of France at Quebec has written a letter to Vice-Consul Schwob of this city requesting the latter to thank Messrs. Beaugrand, Frechette and Dandurand for the stand they have taken in reference to the reception to the Count de Paris in this city. He says the French government has been kept thoroughly posted in the matter, and states that the citizens of Montreal could not do more than they are doing if they were to tender the Count de Paris an official reception. It is announced that the threatened counter-demonstration by the republicans is off. The projectors applied to two of the principle hotels in the city, but the proprietors refused to let them for the purpose proposed.

AN ALL-PERVADING TYRANNY.

Mr. Lecky Charges the Fenians with Demoralizing the Irish People.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The two final volumes of Lecky's "History of England in the Eighteenth Century," issued to-day, are taken up largely with Irish history.

Mr. Lecky blames the middle men and the farmers for the terrific extortion which has resulted from the system of competitive rents during the last two centuries.

The idea often advanced that the English government had a hand in precipitating the Irish rebellion, in order to assist in effecting the union, Mr. Lecky scouts as wildly extravagant. He acknowledges that the union was accomplished through the instrumentality of corruption. The great experiment of the union, in his opinion, has hitherto been tried under unfavorable and unhappy circumstances, as Ireland has been a field for many violent and contradictory legislative experiments.

Mr. Lecky contends that Ireland was accorded a much larger representation in Parliament than she was entitled to, considering the fact that the majority of the Irish population was disaffected.

The historian, in tracing the rise and progress of Fenianism, says that after the downfall of the Fenian society came the creation of an agrarian organization, the promoters of which were largely paid by the Fenians.

This argarian movement had succeeded in establishing an all-prevailing tyranny. This has been accompanied by perhaps as much mean and savage cruelty and as much shameless and deliberate lying as any movement of the 19th century, and has demoralized the Irish people and destroyed their capacity for self-govrrnment.

Mr. Lecky declares that the Fenians have consented to the agitation for home rule, because this would confer legislative powers upon the National League, and the achievement of home rule would thus become a leverage for attaining their ultimate designs.

The Times says: Mr. Lecky has preserved intact the integrity of the historical conscience.

The News expresses regret that the end of the work is marred with a childish onslaught on Mr. Gladstone, whom Mr. Lecky endeavors to force into connection with Fenianism.

FREDERICTON ITEMS.

Great Meeting of the Government's Friends—The Firemen's Parade—Accident to a Train Hand.

SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.

FREDERICTON, Oct. 17.—Judging from a meeting at the government committee rooms last night the firemen's parade had no attraction for the enormous crowd who were present to hear the telling speeches made by the attorney general, Hon. Jas. Mitchell, Hon. F. P. Thompson, Thos. Coter and others. Mr. Jas. E. Simmons presided. A great many of the country voters remained in town and attended the meeting.

The firemen's parade, torchlight procession and display of fireworks last night was a grand success.

At 7.30 o'clock the city firemen, with those from St. Mary's assembled at the central station, King street, and paraded the following streets, King to York, York to Queen, Queen to Symth, where a halt was made and a display of fireworks took place. The procession then reformed, and continued the march down Brunswick to Northampton, Northampton to Charlotte, Charlotte to Regent, Regent to Brunswick, Brunswick to Waterloo Row, down Waterloo Row to Shore, Shore to Sunbury where another halt was made, and a second display of fireworks took place.

The procession again reformed and continued the march up Charlotte street to St. John, St. John to Queen and up Queen to Phoenix square where the final display of fireworks took place, cloring with a beautiful piece "Good Night." Maroons, Bengal lights and Chinese torpedoes were set off on the line of march.

At the close of the display of fireworks the firemen marched to the central station where some light refreshments were provided. Dave Stockford mounted acted as marshal.

Music was furnished by the band of the Royal School of Infantry.

Robert McMillan, a train hand on conductor Hagerman's train, had his right hand badly jammed while coupling cars in the railway yard on Wednesday.

It was just 8 o'clock last night when the candidates finished speaking at the court house, seven hours, from one to eight.

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THE LELAND HOTEL FIRE.

Fears That a Number of Employees are Beneath the Ruins.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 17.—It is impossible to say how many persons are buried in the ruins of the Leland hotel. Of the guests registered all are accounted for, but of the others who were within the building, of servants and permanent boarders, of those who fell back from the windows into the flames, the accounting is small and it is believed a number are yet beneath the ruins.

O'Brien and Dillon.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

PARIS, Oct. 17.—The Siecle publishes a sort of manifesto from Dillon and O'Brien in which they describe their flight from Ireland, the motives for their action and so forth. They say that when they arrive in America they will separate, Dillon visiting the principal cities and towns in the North, and O'Brien going over the Western and Southern States.

No Criminals Wanted.

ROME, Oct, 15.—The United States government has notified the government here that no Italian emigrants who have been sentenced in Italian courts will be allowed to land at United States ports.

A Church Burned.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 17. — St. Marie's church at West Manchester, with all its contents, was burned at midnight. Loss $12,000.

London Stock Markets.

LONDON, 12.30 p m.

Consols 94 7-16 for money and 94 11-16 for the account.

United State Fours	
Do. do Fours and a half	
Atlantic and Great Western firsts	
Do. do do seconds	
Canada Pacific	77
Erie	22
do. Seconds	
Illinois Central	
Mexican ordinary	50
St Paul Common	60
New York Central	106
Pennsylvania	53
Reading	18
Mexican Central new 4's	
Spanish Fours	
Bar Silver	

SECOND EDITION.

A TERRIBLE GALE.

TWO SCHOONERS TORN FROM THEIR MOORINGS AND DASHED INTO THE BREAKERS.

The Life Boat to the Rescue—The Crews of Both Vessels Placed in Safety—The Captain's Wife on Board One of Them—The Gale Shifting.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

CHATHAM, Mass., Oct. 17.—The schooner Jane L. Newton with a cargo of lumber is ashore near Monomoy life saving station and the schooner Asa U. Pervere of Wellfleet with granite is ashore near Chatham life saving station.

Both vessels were at anchor at midnight when a terrific gale took them, tore them from their moorings and cast them into the breakers.

The crew of the Pervere were taken off in the lifeboat from the bowsprit after perilous work by the Chatham life-saving crew, while the Monomoy life savers safely rescued Captain Atkins, wife and crew on the Newton. The vessels will probably prove a total loss.

The gale is shifting to northwest with every indication of a heavy blow and the possibility of more wrecks in Chatham Bay.

HALIFAX MATTERS.

Drowning Accident—The Ulunda Arrives and is Given a Great Reception.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 17.—Alex. Falcour was drowned this morning. He fell out of his boat. The body has not yet been recovered.

The steamer Ulunda arrived this morning. The wharves were crowded with spectators who cheered the steamer as she came up the harbor. Hundreds of crafts awaited her arrival at the mouth of the harbor and accompanied her to the dry dock. The scene presented there was an animated one. The wharves in the close vicinity were blocked with people, while myriads of boats surrounded the vessel which looked like a hero in the middle of an admiring throng. The vessel was docked this afternoon.

THE SOCIALISTS AT HALLE.

Red Flag Floats from a Big Beer Hall Platform.

HALLE, Oct. 15.—The Pring Karl beer hall, the largest here, was filled last night with three thousand people, who attended a "commers" given to the delegates to the Socialistic congress.

The red flag, which for ten years had been under the ban, floated from the platform.

Tableaux vivants, representing "The Struggle of Labor Against Capital," "The Protection of Labor" and "The Dismissal of Bismarck" were presented.

Herr Beck of Zurich explained that when he was exiled from Germany he secretly carried the flag that was on the platform from Kassel to Zurich.

Thereupon a discussion of the attitude of Switzerland toward the German socialists was stirred up, several members indulging in violent tirades.

A resolution was adopted at to-day's session of the congress declaring that it was the duty of the constitutional govment to remit the penalties under which the victims of the Socialist law are suffering.

SOUSA'S PROPOSED POLICY.

Cannot Recommend Sanction of the Convention with England.

LISBON, Oct., 15.—In the Cortes today Senhor Sousa, the new prime minister, outlined his proposed policy.

He said he was unable to recommend the sanction of the convention of England, but did not desire to prevent the execution of the clauses already sanctioned. The government identified itself with the national sentiment on this question, and would willingly accept modifications which, while preserving the dignity and interests of the nation, would facilitate the restoration of harmony with our old ally; but he feared, if the Zambesi reports were true, it would be harder than ever to arrive at an equitable agreement, which Portugal always sincerely desired.

The leaders of various parties made short speeches, in which they gave assurance of an attitude of good will toward the government.

The new ministry is not satisfactory to either party. It is believed that it will collapse after having arranged a settlement of the present crisis in public affairs.

SHOCKINGLY TORTURED.

Armenian Prisoners Maltreated in Constantinople Prisons.

VIENNA, Oct. 15.—A Constantinople despatch states that arrests are being made, and that many of the prisoners have been shockingly maltreated and tortured.

The Armenian recently arrested for attempting to murder an arch-priest in Constantinople was to-day found dead in his cell. It is alleged that his death was the direct result of the tortures inflicted upon him.

The officials at Van Armenia, are still arming the Turks, and outrages upon the Armenians there are of frequent occurrence.

JEWS APPEAL TO GLADSTONE.

He Writes a Reply and Gives Them Advice.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Oct, 17.—Gladstone replying to an appeal from the editor of the Jewish Chronicle, writes to that paper as follows:—

"I have read with feelings of pain and horror the various statements made concerning the sufferings of the Jews in Russia. The only recommendation that I can give is to invite the active exertions of the press to first sift the reports and then if the facts be established to rouse the conscience of Russia and of Europe on the subject."

Four and a Half Per Cents.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct 15.—The offers of 4½ per cent. bonds to the treasury today for redemption under the circular of the 9th inst. aggregated $235,350.

To Avenge a Massacre.

LONDON, Oct., 16.—Two British vessels have been ordered to Vitua, East Africa, to avenge a massacre of Germans.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

ARRIVED.

Hyannis, 15th inst, schr Carrie Walker, Fall River for St John.

New York, 15th inst, schr A P Emmerson from St John; ship Beethoven from London.

CLEARED.

Boston, 16th inst, schrs Rick, Sullivan for Metaghan; Daniel Brittain for St John; Keses for Arichat; Morien for Cow Bay; Percy H Reed for Bear River.

THIRD EDITION.

LOCAL MATTERS.

LATEST GLEANINGS BY THE GAZETTE'S REPORTERS.

Partridge Hunters—McKinley and the Lime Burners—The Steamer Loanda, etc., etc.

DOCKED.—Nearly all the coal laden vessels, which arrived yesterday, have been docked.

GOOD PROGRESS is being made with the sewer which is being laid in St. John street, Carleton.

FAIR WIND.—Brigt Clare sailed today for Richmond, Va. A number of other vessels also took advantage of the fair wind.

BARK SYLVAN was towed off Wilson and McLaughlin's blocks this morning and taken to McLeod's wharf where she is to load.

THE OUANGONDY.—The ferry steamer Ouangondy has been on Retallick's blocks, Carleton, for a few days being caulked.

COALED UP HERE.—The West Indian steamer Loanda took four small schooner loads or about 500 tons of Springhill coal while here.

A DUMP CART toppled over on Germain street this morning and one of the horse's legs became entangled in the shafts. One of the shafts was broken.

SHIPPERS of goods by Canadian Pacific Railway (formerly N. B. R.) can obtain shipping receipts at Geo. A. Knodell's, Church street.

WATER TAXES.—People are hustling into the Chamberlain's office lively now to pay their water taxes before the bills are augmented by constable's fees.

FIRE AT CHATHAM.—A passenger from Chatham, N. B., told a GAZETTE reporter that when he left that place this morning the steam laundry was on fire.

STEAMER LOANDA sailed shortly after midnight last night for the West Indies. She had a good cargo of freight included in which was quite a variety of goods for the exhibition to open at Jamaica on the 28th inst.

EVENING WEAR.—Macaulay Bros. & Co. will tomorrow make a special display (in their millinery room on the second floor) of this season's importations of novelties for evening wear, comprising elegant silk costumes, broche and fancy silks, gauzes, etc., an inspection solicted.

A GROCERS' MEETING was held in Bostwick's hall last evening to talk over the question of forming a grocers' union. Another meeting will be held some evening at which it is expected a union will be organized with a view to promoting the interests of grocerymen.

MCKINLEY HARD ON THE LIME BURNERS.—The duty on lime exported to the United States having been increased to about 14 cents per barrel under the McKinley tariff will affect our lime burners here to a considerable degree. To compete for the trade they have found it necessary to lessen expenses by cutting down the wages of the men employed about the kilns 15 cents a day. A reduction of 1 cent a barrel has been made in the wages of the coopers.

PARTRIDGE HUNTERS bring in discouraging reports from nearly all sections of the country in regard to the scarcity of game. It is said that partridge have not been so scarce for a good many years as they are this season, and opinions are expressed that messures should be taken to have the birds protected from sports-men for a few years, so that they may have a chance to become more nuherous.

Can This be Possible?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE GAZETTE:—

SIR:—The writer in speaking to a lady, said to be quite a prominent amateur musician of this city, asked why such a small audience attended the concert given by the Ariel Quartette and Mr. Thomas on Tuesday and Wednesday nights, and the sole reason she knew, was, "that the persons who engaged the company belonged to a different faith from the majority of amusement seekers in St. John."

Could bigotry, provincialism and sectarianism go further than this? Is the love of that most divine of arts, music, restricted by the narrow guage views of any sects or creeds? If so, it is not to be wondered at that St. John is so far in the rear in matters artistic.

Whoever the speculator was that brought this really first class organization to St. John he may have the satisfaction of knowing that although his financial gains were small, his artistic triumph was the greatest seen here for many a long day, and the entertainment was one which will long be remembered by those who heard it, but by none more than a music-loving STRANGER.

St, John, Oct. 17, 1890.

SUICIDE OF HUSBAND AND WIFE.

Their Baby was Also Found Dead, Having Probably Been Murdered.

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., Oct. 15.—The news of a double suicide and what was probably a murder drew an excited crowd today around the house on Hale street where Gabor Showdash and his wife resided.

The man and his wife had a long quarrel yesterday, after which he went to his work. The woman whom he had charged with infidelity (though wrongfully, it is said), brooded over the affair. She soaked some matches in hot water and drank the stuff. She suffered terribly, and her moans attracted the attention of a little girl who informed her mother. Everything was done for the woman that could help her, but she died last night.

Showdash, when told of her death, shot himself in the head. He lingered until this morning, when he died.

The babe was forgotten in the excitement, and when found was dead. It is supposed that the mother gave it some of the poisonous stuff.

The family were Poles. An inquest will probably be held.

Reforms in Siberia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 15.—The Russian government will introduce a reformed judicial system in Siberia and Russian possessions in Central Asia.

Archdeacon Farral Accepts.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Oct., 17.—Archdeacon Farral has accepted the position of chaplain of the House of Commons.

Many Socialists Arrested.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Numerous arrests of Socialist workmen continue to be made at St. Petersburg and Moscow.

LADIES UNDERSKIRTS
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