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DEATHS.

FARRALL—At his late residence, on Monday, Feb. 21st, Patrick Farrall, aged 51 years.
Funeral from his late residence, 12 Clare street, on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

LENG—On Saturday morning, Feb. 19, after a short illness, Jane Tool, beloved wife of George Leng, aged 53 years.

MERNAGH—At his late residence, on Sunday, 20th Feb., Chas. Mernagh, of the G. T. R., aged 31 years and 9 months.
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THIS MORNING the pressure is low over lake Superior and off our Atlantic coast, and high over the southern, western and northwestern states. Heavy snow has fallen along the Nova Scotian coast, and in the St. Lawrence and gulf a little snow has fallen, but elsewhere the weather has been fine. The probabilities for the lower lake region are fresh to brisk southerly to westerly winds; fair to cloudy mild weather, with light falls of snow in some localities followed by fine and colder weather tomorrow.

ALLEGED EXTORTION.

It is understood that an information will this afternoon be laid against the doctor called in to attend Dr. Tuck who died suddenly at the American hotel on Friday morning, the charge being that he extorted money from deceased.

THE FUNDING BILL.

Something Like a Financial Panic Prevailing—Threatening Letters.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—A Washington special to the Sun says that threatening letters have been received by many members of congress about the funding bill from national bank officials. Something that verges on panic has been created by the number and importunity of the demands that the funding bill be defeated. Banks declare they will be forced to wind up and retire their circulation, thus producing a contraction of the currency which will be very disastrous. The advocates of the bill say that a large part of the national bank circulation is secured by four per cent. bonds, and therefore the funding bill can have no effect whatever upon it. It is held that the banks will realize larger profit on their circulation when secured by bonds at three at par than by bonds at four at a premium. It is reported that Hayes yesterday said he should approve of the bill as it stands. Carlisle predicts that the efforts of the banks to produce a stringency in the money market will not only be a failure, except so far as the temporary effect on Wall street is concerned, but will result in a popular cry against the national banks which congress will not be able to resist.

The Tribune says that Controller Knox stated that if the national banks should withdraw fifty million legal tenders, the secretary of the treasury could use his ten or twelve million surplus to purchase bonds for the sinking fund and under-funding bill. He could also use fifty million in coin to buy called bonds, but this could not be done within thirty days. Knox said he considered the funding bill as bad and mischievous as any bill which has passed congress since the first legal tender currency legislation was proposed. Its passage would be disastrous to the business interests of the country.

It is believed at the treasury that the threatened surrender of the circulation will be checked as soon as the banks can be convinced that they can conduct their business with as much profit on the basis of 3 per cent. bonds at par as with 4 per cent. bonds with premium of a ¾.

BOSTON, Feb. 22.—The bankers here have forwarded a large number of protests against the passage of the funding bill as it stands. It is believed many country banks will have to suspend unless they can raise the rate of interest on their loans. While the bankers find objectionable features in the bill, they do not generally question the success of the loan.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 22.—Nine tenths of the executive officers of the national banks throughout the northwest condemn the refunding bill, and the most disastrous consequences are predicted.

Illness of Noted Men.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—The Herald's Washington special says that Senator Matt Carpenter is very ill. Bright's disease is feared. He will not be present at the reorganization of the Senate.

The illness of Wm. H. Vanderbilt is reported as resulting from a surgical operation for the relief of hemorrhoids. It is said not to be serious.

A Derelict Vessel.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 22.—The French bark Fannie, with a cargo of petroleum and a crew of twenty-one, which sailed for Havre on September 30th, has not been heard from. She is probably lost.

Ohio to the Front Again.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—A World's Columbus despatch says Governor Foster stated yesterday that he had been unofficially informed that he would be tendered a cabinet position, and would accept.

Drowning of Prominent Citizens.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 22.—Three prominent citizens of Lawrence county upset in a boat on Lindsay bay on Sunday. Thos. J. Carney and Samuel E. Hinsley were drowned.

Every Man His Own Surgeon.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 22.—A negro boy, partially paralyzed by a shot in his foot years ago, recently cut his foot off with a penknife and scissors. When found he was insensible. The stump was wrapped up in a rag and paper bag. The boy began to improve forthwith.

3 O'Clock Edition

A RESPECTABLE WIDOW LADY WISHES A situation as housekeeper or nurse to invalid; good references can be given. Address Box 400, World office.

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THE BAKERS TO STRIKE.

They Have All Given a Week's Notice to The Employers—The Dough Raises Quick Enough But the Wages Never—A Bread Famine Imminent.

The bakers of this city have long been complaining of the wages paid them and now they feel themselves strong enough to strike. Accordingly all the union bakers gave their employers a week's notice on Monday morning that they would quit on Saturday night. A union man informs our reporter that there are over eighty bakers in the union. All outside bakers as they come in are met by the union men and induced not to take their place when they go out. The case of the bakers is put forth in the following letter, of which the writer thereof says an insertion was refused in the Telegram:

SIR,—As there is a bakers' union in this city at present in a flourishing condition, and as a few of the very narrow-minded master bakers are opposed to it, I think a few words in defence of it may not be out of place. Thanks to kind Providence that there are so few of that very narrow mind in the city who are anxious to grasp the trade of the whole city for themselves. There are a few of them who request their employees—better termed slaves—to perform a sort of drudgery known only to those of the craft who have gone through the mill, and for a remuneration that would be laughed at in these days of grace. It is an undeniable fact that this is the age of progression, therefore we at least are determined not to be last in the van of progress. As we have left nothing undone in the past to grieve over, our firm determination will be to try and keep pace with the age of progress. Bakers are at present compelled to work 14, 16, 18, and 21 hours

FOR ONE DAY'S WAGE.

Their day's work begins at 12 p. m. and work until they have finished whatever amount of work their master chooses to call it, be it a day or a day and a half. I would like to know by what rule a master can feel himself justified in compelling his men to work twenty-one hours any day in the week for one day's pay. The wages they receive runs from $4 to $10 per week. If journeymen bakers took into consideration for a moment the wages they receive and the hours they work, they would easily discover that they were not as well paid for their labor as corporation street sweepers are, who never had to serve one hour's apprenticeship. No so with a baker, who has had to serve from three to five years for what, seemingly, is nothing more than to be placed below par with navvies, laborers, and hod-carriers. Such a state of things, I hope, will not long exist. Therefore we have

BANDED OURSELVES TOGETHER

with a determination of keeping our energies firmly united for the purpose of self-protection, a right inherent in all classes where a concentration of action is necessary.

A MEMBER OF THE UNION.

LATER CITY NEWS.

An oil painting, by Forbes, of Mr. David Blain, contained in a finely carved frame, is displayed in Mason & Risch's warerooms. The first auction sale in Parkdale took place yesterday. Mr. A. O. Andrews, auctioneer, sold out household furniture. The sale was well attended and proved a success.

John Wooley was to-day charged before Mr. Denison with keeping liquor for sale at the place on York street known as Brown's den. He pleaded for an adjournment, which was granted.

The case of Ed. J. Armstrong, the young man charged by Wm. Smith, his former partner, with embezzling $20, came up to-day in the police court. After hearing some evidence that did not materially effect that given the other day the defendant was committed for trial.

In the police court to-day Thos. Givins and Thos. McLean were charged by Jas. McCausland with assaulting him in a church at the corner of University and Elm streets. The former was fined $10 and costs or thirty days, and McLean was fined $5 and costs or twenty days.

5 O'Clock Edition

SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

He is Reported Considerably Better To-day—The Crisis Believed to be Past.

(Special Despatch to the World.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 22.—Sir Charles Tupper is reported considerably better to-day. It is believed that the crisis is past, and there is a general hope of speedy recovery, though it is feared that he will not be able to participate in the proceedings of the house again his session.

THE AMERICANS to-day celebrate the natal anniversary of "the father of his country," otherwise known as George Washington. Trinity church chimes in New York are ringing out Yankee Doodle and the Star Spangled Banner in honour of the event. The New England society of this city hold a ball to-night in the Rossin House.

Canadian Despatches.

Some one fired through a window at Nordheimer's hall, Montreal, while Mrs. O'Donovan Rossa was reading last night.

Wm. Quinn, a pilot, jumped into the water at St. John, N.B., with the intention of committing suicide. He repented, however, and swam fifty yards to a post, where he clung until he was rescued.

John Jamieson was severely injured by being drawn in by a mill chain at Cushing's mill, Fairville, N. S.

Testimonial to a Clergyman.

MONTREAL, Feb. 22.—The presentation of the testimonial to Rev. Dr. Wilkes, which consists of $8000, will be made at a public meeting here on 24th inst.

Perished With Their Business.

NEBRASKA CITY, Feb. 22.—A large livery stable was burned yesterday. The keepers, John Jackson and Frank Otto, were burned to death.

Seventy Peds.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—The seventy pedestrians who started last night in the twenty-four-hour go-as-you-please race, for the amateur championship, dwindled to eighteen at the end of the thirteenth hour. At noon the score stood: Saunders, 89; Buckley, 77; Lawson, 73; Gorman, 70; Carr, 70.

Birlaington's Washday.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Washington's birthday was celebrated in the usual manner. The banks, exchanges and public offices were closed. Business down town was almost suspended. Services of an appropriate character was held in many of the Episcopal churches, and the chimes of Trinity rendered patriotic airs. Several regiments of the national guards held reunions.

United States Legislation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—In the house of representatives Rice reported back the joint resolution providing a joint committee to investigate the alleged false and fraudulent proof and statistics used before the Halifax fisheries commission. Referred to committee of the whole.

The house passed the bill appropriating $10,000 for the continuation of the experiments in connection with the manufacture of sugar from beets.

The senate passed a bill to appeal the tax on bank deposits.

Cable Chat.

ATHENS, Feb. 2.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday a royal decree was submitted calling to arms all men above twenty-five years of age who have served three months in the army, also empowering the government to admit foreign officers into the Greek army, providing they become Greek citizens.

BERNE, Feb. 22.—Droz, previously vice-president, has been elected president of the Swiss confederation in the place of Auderwert, deceased. Bavarec has been elected vice-president, and Hoffman, a radical, succeeds Auderwert as member of the federal council. The changes do not affect the policy of the government.

PARIS, Feb. 22.—On the second ballot for the election for a member to the chamber of deputies from the department of the Arne yesterday, Fauconniere, the Bonapartist, who recently turned republican, polled 3800 votes, the republican candidate 5000, the legitimist 3500. Fauconniere therefore loses his seat.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—The royal commissioners appointed to examine into the parliamentary elections, Sandwich, where Chas. H. C. Roberts, Conservative, was in August unseated, have reported that corruption extensively prevailed there. Roberts was elected to the seat made vacant by the elevation of Knatchbiell Hugessen to a peerage.

THE WAUBUNO CASE.

The Waubuno case will probably be tried again to-day at the assizes. It is said Mrs. Fisher is backed in her action by a number of parties who have prospective suits in view. One of the parties so interested was a member of the jury which sat upon the case at the last hearing.

THE COMING STRIKE.

This afternoon a reporter called on Mr. Geo. Coleman, master baker of King street, to hear what he had to say about the coming strike among the journeymen bakers. Mr. Coleman said that he had just heard of the strike from one of his employees, who had given him due warning of the coming trouble. He said that the principle result of the strike would be an inevitable rise in the price of bread. Should all the journeymen strike this rise will be a very serious one, and will cause much inconvenience in the city. Their chief complaint, as he has heard, is that in some shops the men are asked to work at night, and that the wages are too small for the work done. He said that he had heard that the journeymen were forming themselves into a union, and would probably hold out for some time.

OSGOODE HALL NOTES.

In common law chambers to-day, before Mr. Justice Galt, came up the case of the Queen v. Frawly. This was a conviction under the liquor license act against the prisoner with hard labor. Mr. Ogden moved for a certiorari on the ground that to convict with hard labor is ultra vires of the statute. Hodgins, Q.C., for the attorney-general, shewed cause. Judgment was reserved.

In the same court in the Queen v. Connors Mr. Leonard (Jones Bros. & Mackenzie) obtained an order for writs of habeas corpus and certiorari for the purpose of reviewing the proceedings on the conviction of the prisoner, who is now in the central prison.

The term sittings of the court of chancery were concluded this morning.

THE NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Mr. Cumberland Explains the Proposed Changes—The New Rolling Stock.

Before the railway committee this morning a large number of railway men put in an appearance. The first bill was one legalizing the issue by the Hamilton and Northwestern railway of £56,000 sterling in "joint working and equipment bonds," according to an agreement with the Northern railway by which the latter undertakes to issue similar bonds to the amount of £134,000. The principal opponents of the measure were the city of Hamilton and shareholders resident in that city. Mr. Bethune appeared for the bill and Mr. F. Mackelcan for Hamilton.

Mr. Cumberland dwelt on the necessity for the changes, and said the cost of changing the guage of the track, of the locomotives, of the rolling-stock now in their possession, would be $149,000; for fifteen new locomotives, $173,750; for 100 box cars, $55,000; for 100 flat cars, $44,000; mail and baggage cars, $15,220; changes at Collingwood, $16,000; changes at Allandale junction, $10,000.

Mr. Hunter—As there is a story in circulation that $150,000 of the proposed amount is to be divided among the directors, an opportunity should be given Mr. Cumberland to deny or explain this rumor.

Mr. Cumberland denounced the imputation as a slander, and said only those would make the charge who, if they had the opportunity, would be corruptionists themselves. (Sensation.)

The preamble of the bill was carried by a vote of 22 to 1, the only opponent being Mr. Gibson of Hamilton.

A PHYSICIAN IN TROUBLE.

To-day a rather remarkable charge was laid by the relatives of the late Dr. Tuck, who died so suddenly at the American hotel on Friday, against Dr. Riddel of this city. Hearing that the charge was for extortion, and that it was alleged Dr. Riddel had charged too much for his services in attending Dr. Tuck—$5—a reporter called upon the doctor to learn what he had to say about it. It was the first intimation he had of the affair, and appeared not only astonished but indignant. He stated that his professional services had been called into requisition by a gentleman named Hewitt when Dr. Tuck took sick, and that he had been with him for three hours in his professional capacity. He had enquired before making out his bill if the friends of Dr. Tuck were wealthy, and was informed that they were. He then made out his bill for $5. The reason he asked the question was that he was often called on to attend people whom he did not know, and if their friends were in poor circumstances he made his charge in proportion. He added that the charge was not too exorbitant, but if they wanted the money back he was willing to give it to them.

COUNTY COURT.

Non-jury sittings of the above court were held this morning before Judge Mackenzie. There were only five cases on the docket.

Cooper v. Cornish was an action on a promissory note. Verdict for the plaintiff for $393 89. No defence.

Gault v. Fraser—Action on five promissory notes. Verdict for the plaintiff for $227 71.

McLean v. Sillers—Action on promissory notes. Verdict for plaintiff for $225 23.

Muttlebury v. Adams—Action on a promissory note for $19,000 and interest; Mr. W. G. Murdoch for the defendant, contended that the plaintiff ought only to get division court costs. Mr. Hodgins, for plaintiff, argued that as the interest brought the amount up to $201 he was entitled to costs. Verdict for the plaintiff for $201. Question of costs reserved.

LATEST CITY NEWS.

Mr. Bain, barrister, is slowly but surely recovering.

The receipts at the custom house yesterday were $19,473.06.

The driver of hack No. 25 took an epileptic fit in his cab on Victoria street, opposite Lombard street. After his struggle had subsided he was taken home.

Americans are buying hay straw all along the lake shore east of Toronto and are paying $7 a ton for it. The ruling price in the Toronto market lately has been $5 and $6 a ton.

The friends of Mr. Farror, who is about leaving for New York, had invited him to a banquet at the National club to-night, but he was compelled, owing to sickness in his family, to decline.

This morning Mr. James Hagarty, J.P. of Morriston, near Guelph, was walking over a crossing at the corner of John and Front streets, when he was knocked down by a team and had his leg broken. Mr. Hagarty was in the city on business.

Judge McKenzie to-day gave judgment in the case of Sato et al v. Hubbard. His honor's decision was that bill of costs by a law firm would not take precedence of judgment obtained by judgment creditor. The law firm in question was Beaty, Hamilton & Cassels.

Three men created a disturbance on Jarvis street last night. Two of them were very drunk and were throwing sulphurous threats at each others heads. They arrived at the point where the combatants deliver stunning blows at long range distant, striking the "invulnerable air," when the soberest of the three assumed the role of mediator, and had the usual experience of that unfortunate character—both the others turned on him. One bloody nose, however, was the only result.

To-day Richard McQuiggan, a fresh milkman, was charged by Mrs. Harrington, of Queen street east, with using insulting language to her. Mrs. Harrington reluctantly repeated some of the expressions used by McQuiggan, which were most grossly insulting. The defendant seemed to enjoy the evidence. The milkman, who is a Riverside man, was called to testify in his own defence. He said that he wouldn't swear that he threatened to do beforehand what he did on that occasion. He denied using insulting language. His worship fined him $2 and costs or twenty days.

To-day a woman named Mary Paisley and her little boy, a lad of nine years, were placed in the dock at the police court, charged with vagrancy. The wretched pair had been sleeping in a back shed in a lane for some time back, and their appearance showed the effects of such an existence. They were emaciated and ragged, and presented a pitiful appearance. The woman said she had a husband in Eglington, and it was plain that she had left him with her child, for what reason did not appear. As she was evidently a respectable woman, and was trying to get work, the pair were let go.

The jury in a Chicago lawsuit, on their way back to the court with a verdict of $600 for the plaintiff, passed close by the plaintiff's chair. He stopped one of them, asked what the decision was, and received the information which he could have gained in the regular way by waiting a few minutes. The judge reprimanded him and the juror, and set aside the verdict.