

No. 11.

The RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DERBY to GOVERNOR-GENERAL THE MARQUIS OF LANSDOWNE, G.C.M.G.

MY LORD,

Downing Street, March 13, 1884.

WITH reference to your Despatch of the 30th of January last,* on the subject of Irish emigration to Canada, I have the honour to transmit to you the accompanying copy of a letter† addressed to me by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland enclosing a copy of communications received by Mr. Tuke's committee from Mr. Spence, the Secretary of the Ontario Emigration Department.

I shall be glad to be informed by telegraph of the views of your Government with respect to the suggestions made by the Lord Lieutenant.

The Marquis of Lansdowne.

I have, &c.
(Signed) DERBY.

No. 12.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL THE MARQUIS OF LANSDOWNE, G.C.M.G., to the RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DERBY. (Received March 31, 1884.)

(Telegraphic.)

Dominion Government will give no assistance to emigrants of pauper class; policy otherwise unchanged.

No. 13.

COLONIAL OFFICE to the CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE LORD LIEUTENANT OF IRELAND.

SIR,

Downing Street, April 2nd, 1884.

WITH reference to the letter from this Department of the 13th ultimo‡ on the subject of the emigration to Canada of paupers from Ireland, I am directed by the Earl of Derby to transmit to you, for the information of the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, the accompanying copy of a telegram§ which has been received from the Governor General of Canada in reply to the Despatch addressed to him on the 13th ultimo|| requesting to be furnished with the views of his Government with respect to the suggestions contained in your letter of the 7th ultimo.†

The Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant.

I am, &c.
(Signed) EDWARD WINGFIELD.

No. 14.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL THE MARQUIS OF LANSDOWNE, G.C.M.G., to the RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DERBY.

(Received April 14, 1884.)

MY LORD,

Government House, Ottawa,
March 31, 1884.

WITH reference to your Despatch of the 13th of March|| and enclosures upon the subject of Irish emigration to Canada, I have the honour to inform you that after communication with my Ministers I addressed to you this day a telegram§ to the effect that the change in the arrangements of the Government of the province of Ontario announced by Mr. Spence in his letter to Mr. Hodgkin, of February the 13th,¶ would not affect the policy of the Dominion Government in regard to the promotion of emigration during the present season, and that these arrangements would continue in force except in regard to emigrants of the pauper class.

* Not printed.

† No. 10.

‡ Not printed.

§ No. 12.

|| No. 11.

¶ Enclosure in No. 10.