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LORD CHURCHILL AT LEEDS

HE OUTLINES PORTIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY.

An Answer to Four Hundred Addresses at Bradford—The London Times on His Lordship's Speech—A Winter of Hard and Heavy Work Ahead.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—In a speech at Leeds last night Lord Randolph Churchill said: "Official accounts reaching the Government of the social condition and prospects of Ireland are of an encouraging character. There is a good harvest and a marked recovery in prices, and from all we can learn rents are being fairly paid throughout the country. Landlords have helped greatly to lessen the difficulties of the crisis. The Irish tenants have also co-operated in a signal manner toward restoration of order. Of course," he continued, "I cannot speak with absolute confidence of the future, nor say whether we shall be able to pass the winter without calling upon Parliament for a measure to assist in the execution of the law, but on the whole I think Ireland is not in nearly so bad a state as might reasonably be expected. People are rapidly appreciating the full significance of the last appeal to the electors, and will gradually shape their political and social action in accordance therewith. On the questions of foreign affairs I have nothing to add or detract from my Dartford speech. I have been during my holiday isolated from the knowledge of official affairs, not as some silly hysterical people supposed in close contact with European statesmen." Three things he was able to state with certainty; "first, the Government did not intend to grant Home Rule to Ireland; second, it did intend to deal with local government in Ireland; third, it did not mean to be hurried or hasty in that dealing." He asked that earnest attention be given to his remarks. On procedure, he said: "I wish to fully and frankly admit that I have changed my mind on the question of the power of closing debate. When both the great parties of the state firmly opposed the repeal of the Union and Parnellite obstruction the Conservatives looked upon the cloture as a startling and unneeded innovation. They may have been wrong, but what we now deal with is an absolute change in the state of affairs, since the Radical Separationists deliberately tolerate and assist the obstruction tactics of the enlarged body of Parnellites pledged not to allow any legislation until Home Rule is granted. We therefore feel certain of your support in changing our minds with the altered circumstances." He concluded with an earnest appeal to the country to assist the Government in their high purpose of enabling Parliament to carry out the will of the people. He sat down amid vociferous cheering.

In Answer to 400 Addresses.

BRADFORD, Oct. 27.—Lord Randolph Churchill was presented with 400 addresses at Bradford to-day in the hall in which the Conservative conference was held. The hall was crowded. When he, accompanied by his wife, entered both were greeted with prolonged cheers. Lord Randolph said he looked forward to a winter of hard and heavy work. The Government were resolved to submit to the country real, genuine measures in accord with the reforming and progressive spirit of the age. Referring to the addresses he had received he said they embodied a real and living political spirit which could not fail to guide the future of the country. The vastness of the deputation who were present at the conference realized Lord Beaconsfield's prediction for the future of the Tory party and the hold it ought to have on the masses of the people.

The Thunderer on the Speech.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The Times commenting on Lord Randolph Churchill's speech says: Exultation over the nervous prostration of the Gladstonians is very well in moderation, but it rather weakens some of Lord Churchill's own arguments. It is less called for when the Gladstonians are giving evidence of their vitality by their preparations for a counter blast. At Leeds Lord Randolph failed to avail himself of chances at his command for useful departure from lines laid down in his former oration at Dartford. It is unfair and unwise to assume that the bulk of the Liberals will adopt or abet the tactics of the Parnellites. Despite the vagueness of Lord Randolph's proposal for a remedy we do not think the application of cloture by a bare majority will commend itself to the Government.

The Procession Forbidden.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—It is stated that Col. Sir James Fraser, Chief Commissioner of the City Police, has issued orders forbidding the procession of unemployed workingmen of London, which it was proposed by the Socialist leaders should march through the streets at the same time as the Lord Mayor's show.

Col. Sir Jas. Fraser, Chief Commissioner of the City Police, has written to the Democratic Federation that no procession except the Lord Mayor's will be allowed to pass through any street of the city on that day. The workingmen point out that they have as much right as any other body of citizens and it is believed the commissioner's order will be disregarded.

The Duke of Cumberland Compromised.

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—Since the arrest of Dr. Dedekind, a leading Guelphite, his Wolfenbuttel residence has been searched. Papers were found which compromised the Duke of Cumberland in the providing of funds for conspirators in Brunswick and Hanover. There have been further arrests of Hanover accomplices of Dedekind. The plan of the conspirators was to blow up with dynamite the residence of Count Gortz Wresberg, the Prime Minister of Brunswick.

The Imperial Family of Germany.

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—Emperor William to-day received several military reports, worked three hours, received Count Herbert Bismarck at 4 o'clock and gave a large dinner party at 5. The Emperor proposes to attend a hunt on Saturday at Aubertustock. The King of Saxony, the Duke of Saxe-Altenburg and other princes will accompany him. Crown Prince Frederick William will return to Berlin on Nov. 7. The Crown Princess and family remain in Italy for the winter.

Work Still to be Done in Burmah.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Advices from Rangoon say the rebellion in Myingyan is increasing. The mail for Yemethen has been looted and the native escort killed. The British have organized forces to attack the rebels in the Memboo and Myingyan districts next week. Officials of Burmah say that it will take four years to subjugate the country and that a large army will be necessary.

Faction and Sectarianism.

BELFAST, Oct. 27.—At the unveiling of a statue of the Poet Davis in this city to-day Mr. Sexton, replying to an address on "Young Ireland," referred to the recent riots in Belfast and observed that if the writings of Davis were better understood the downfall of faction and sectarian bitterness would be accomplished.

The New Zulu Republic.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Sir A. E. Havelock, Governor of Natal, has informed the Legislative Council of that colony that the English Government has declined to consent to the absorption of Zululand. The Council proposes to decline to vote supplies unless the Government explains the Home Government's relations with the new Zulu republic.

Tough on Justin McCarthy.

DUBLIN, Oct. 27.—Mr. Lewis, in a farewell address to the Londonderry Loyalists, says he regrets handing over his seat in Parliament to one who, whatever his personal qualities may be, has been received and enlisted in America by Fenian dynamiters and advocates of murder.

England Will Not Be Asked to Evacuate.

PARIS, Oct. 27.—The Siecle, in an article similar to that in yesterday's Temps, declares that there is no question of calling upon England to evacuate Egypt. The Paris and France severely criticise the views expressed by the Temps.

The Fate of Revolutionists in Honduras.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 27.—Advices from Puerto Cortez, Honduras, state that on Oct. 10 General Eldago, Lieut.-Col. Juda Indalicio Garcia, Commander Miguel Cortez, and Lieutenant Gabriel Loyono were taken from prison at Comayagua and shot in accordance with the sentence pronounced by court martial.

$400,000 in an Old Skirt.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Hannah Sands, an old lady living at Rye, Westchester County, was supposed to be very poor and died last fall. Search among her effects brought to light $400,000 in money and bonds sewed up in an old skirt.

THE BARTHOLDI STATUE.

Entertainment of the French Delegates—The Poet's Tribute.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The members of the Produce Exchange tendered a grand reception to the French delegates to-day. M. Bartholdi made a few remarks in English, and M. De Lesseps and one of the members of the Chamber of Deputies spoke in French. The Glee Club of the Exchange sang the "Marseillaise" when the delegates made their appearance in the gallery.

A Poem by Whittier.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The following poem by John Greenleaf Whittier, entitled: "The Bartholdi Statue," will appear in the Independent, Thursday:

The land that from the rule of kings,
In freeing us, itself made free,
Our old world sister, to us brings
Her sculptured dream of Liberty.

Unlike the shapes on Egypt's sands,
Uplifted by the toil-worn slave;
On Freedom's soil with freemen's hands
We rear the symbol free hands gave.

O, France, the beautiful, to thee,
Once more a debt of love we owe:
In peace, beneath thy fleur de lis,
We hail a later Rochambeau.

Rise stately symbol; holding forth
Thy light and hope to all who sit
In chains and darkness; belt the earth
With watch-fires from thy torch relit.

Reveal the primal mandate still
Which chaos heard and ceased to be;
Trace in mid-air th' eternal will,
In signs of fire "Let man be Free!"

Shine far, shine free, a guiding light,
To Reason's ways and Virtue's aim,
A lightning flash the wretch to smite
Who shields his license with thy name.

Men's overcoats, odd sizes, worth from $8 to $12, selling at $5 this week, at Petley's. 24

VIOLENT PROHIBITIONISTS.

An Illicit Whisky Seller Either Murdered or Scared into Suicide.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 27.—James M. Hampton of Craig, Neb., has been running what is known as a temperance billiard hall. The prohibition people believed he was selling liquor, and have been trying to catch him. A few days ago they swore out a warrant for his arrest for selling liquor without a license, and Monday night the sheriff with a posse of men and about 150 armed prohibitionists surrounded the building. There was great excitement and threats of burning the building were made. Suddenly the door was burst open by the mob and Hampton was found on a sofa with a bullet through his heart. There is great excitement over the affair. The whole trouble is ascribed to the agitation of the prohibitionists, who are very violent at that place.

SACRAMENTAL WINE.

The Bishops Declare that the Use of Unfermented Grape Juice is Unwarranted.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 27.—In the House of Deputies of the Protestant Episcopal Convention this morning a message was received from the House of Bishops declaring that in the judgment of the bishops the use of the unfermented juice of the grape in the sacrament is not warranted by the example of our Lord and was an unauthorized departure from the practice of the Catholic Church; and that the mixing of water with the wine used was not objectionable, provided it be not done ritualistically until authorized by a change of the Rubrics. The message did not require any action by the deputies.

Grand Duchess Cooking Ranges, best in the world. Wheeler & Bain, 179 King-street east.

A Wreck Off New Jersey.

NANASQUAN, N. J., Oct. 27.—During a severe northeast storm that raged along the Jersey coast the barkentine John Sherwood, Kenebec for Philadelphia, struck the outer bar at 4 a.m., forty-five minutes afterwards the spars fell and she broke in two and began to go to pieces and the crew of seven except the captain sought safety in the after house. The crew subsequently reached the beach on top of the cabin, the surf being too heavy for a life boat. The captain was on the forward house which also clung to the wreckage. The life saving men shot a line near the captain, who seized it and was hauled ashore through the surf in an exhausted condition. The vessel and cargo are a total loss.

Scotch Fingering 2c per skein or $1 per lb. Umbrellas worth $3.50 for $2. Great bargains in Dry Goods and Millinery at 113 King-street west. Jas. C. Farley clearing four bankrupt stocks.

Improvements in Telegraphy.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Oct. 27.—Two patents have been issued this week to Lucius J. Phelps of New York, on duplex telegraphy. Under these inventions it is claimed that the same wire used for telegraphing to or from moving trains may be duplexed, thereby enabling it to be used as an ordinary Morse circuit between stations and simultaneously used for telegraphing to and from moving trains.

Men's and boy's waterproof coats, all sizes in stock, at Petley's 24

CABLE NOTES.

A state of seige has been proclaimed at Sofia.

The frequent arrests of Germans in France as spies is interfering with travel.

Cabinet Councils will be resumed by the British Government on Nov. 6.

Le Temps says M. Billot, French minister at Lisbon, will go to St. Petersburg.

Petroleum of excellent quality has been discovered in the Hartlepool collieries.

The Federal Government proposes to purchase all the railways in Switzerland.

King Otto of Bavaria is suffering from a violent attack of insanity. The worst is expected.

The Pope has sent his benediction to Jamie, the son of Don Carlos, who is dying at Munich.

Floods in the Rhone Valley have suspended railway traffic, destroyed several bridges and caused other serious damage.

The French, by opening roads and erecting buildings, are believed to be preparing for a permanent occupation of the New Hebrides.

The Republique Francaise says General Boulanger, French Secretary for War, will ask a credit for the army of 392,000,000 francs.

A pro-Russian meeting which had been called to take place in Sofia, and which Gen. Kaulbars had promised to attend, has been prohibited.

Portugal has authorized the landing at Mozambique of the French-Madagascar cable. Mozambique will become a station of the new line.

The steamship British King which arrived at Philadelphia from Liverpool yesterday, brought 307 Mormon converts. They will proceed to Salt Lake.

The seat for Londonderry awarded Justin McCarthy just turns the party scale in Ulster, giving the Nationalists 17 as against 16 Unionists.

Judgment in favor of the Egyptian Government has been rendered in the case against Lawson, Ismail Pasha's agent, for seizing the Ismaila palace.

The International Meridian Conference opened at Berlin yesterday. Minister Von Gossler presided. Dr. Foerster of Berlin was elected president.

Cardinal Jacobini has protested against a clause in the French Education Bill providing that education in schools shall be entrusted exclusively to the laity.

The Austrian Reichsrath has rejected a motion of Herr Stingl, a member of the Austro-German Club, for the conclusion of a customs treaty with Germany.

The dock laborers at Ghent struck work yesterday. While parading the streets carrying red flags they came into collision with the police and several were wounded.

The political friends of Lord Hartington are urging him to postpone his departure for India, as they fear a winter session of Parliament will be called, when his presence would be necessary.

A protocol has been signed renewing diplomatic relations between Servia and Bulgaria. It provides for a treaty of commerce and for the reference of several disputes to a joint commission.

The press bureau of St. Petersburg yesterday summoned all editors and instructed them to adopt a pacific tone, hoping thereby to restore confidence on the exchanges and improve the financial situation.

Fourteen moonlighters have been arrested at Milltown, near Tralee, Co. Kerry, on a charge of raiding the house of Mr. Haggard, a magistrate's secretary, on August 11. Four other moonlighters, including the doctor of the district of Milltown, are awaiting trial for firing upon the police the same night.

A criminal action has been taken against Charles Hogarty, President of the Kilcoe branch of the National League, and Daniel McCarthy, Secretary of the Skibbereen branch, for inciting the people to boycott the Roaring Water Bay regatta. Daniel O'Leary, a bellman, is also being proceeded against on a charge of proclaiming the boycott.

Best quality Wilton, Aubusson and Axminster carpets at cost price this week, at Petley's. 24

THREATENED BY RUSSIA.

EXTREME MEASURES TO BE METED OUT TO BULGARIA

If the Conspirators Against Prince Alexander are Punished—Precautions Against a Coup d'Etat at Sofia—The Climax Approaching.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 27.—The Official Messenger says the Anarchy which prevails in Bulgaria prevents Russian consuls from protecting the lawful interests of Russian residents. After Gen. Kaulbars had left Varna several Russians were arrested on illegal pretexts. Two Russian cruisers were therefore despatched to that place.

SOFIA, Oct. 27.—Gen. Kaulbars has notified the regency that if the conspirators against Prince Alexander be punished the Russian Government will have recourse to extreme measures.

The regents suspecting that it is Gen. Kaulbars' intention during their absence at Tirnova to assist the Zankoffites in Sofia to form a new ministry, have taken precautions to cause the arrest of all suspected persons, and have ordered the troops to be in readiness to suppress revolt. A state of siege will be proclaimed in the event of a coup d'etat being attempted.

The Position of M. Karaveloff.

SOFIA, Oct. 27.—M. Karaveloff refuses to go to Tirnova because of a fear of being insulted or assaulted. He argues that it is useless to convoke the Sobranje in face of Russian opposition. The Sobranje, he says, has no right to depose him from the regency and declares that if it does he will retire under protest.

A New Triple Alliance.

PESTH, Oct. 27.—Nemsot, the semi-official organ, dwells upon the advantages that would accrue to Italy by close alliance with Austria-Hungary on the Balkan question. Other papers comment upon the isolation of England, and suggest the advisability of an alliance between Austria-Hungary, Italy and England.

No Russo-Turkish Agreement

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 27.—It is officially denied that any agreement has been entered into by Turkey and Russia with regard to Bulgaria. The Porte has asked the withdrawal of the Russian men-of-war from Varna.

Boys, look here; a bankrupt stock of Carnival Suits at 113 King-street west. Jas. C. Farley offering tremendous bargains.

SPROULE THE MURDERER.

A Discovery that he is Heir to a Great Estate in Boston.

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Sproule, the American under sentence of death at Victoria, B.C., for murder, and whose execution is to take place on Friday next, turns out to be one of the heirs to quite a large estate in Boston. Neither Sproule nor any of the other heirs knew of the property to which they had been entitled for a number of years, until it was discovered and brought to their attention by G. A. Smyth, who is now administrating upon the estate.

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Items of Interest Received by Mail and Wire.

Gen. Booth and his staff were at Woodstock on Tuesday.

Snow fell yesterday morning in the suburbs of Montreal.

J.C. Pankhurst proposes to start a new paper in Aylmer, Ont.

A poultry show will be held in Guelph Jan. 4, 5, 6 and 7, 1887.

Hon. Edward Blake will deliver an address in the rink at Guelph to-day.

Burglars have been busy at Ashburnham, Peterboro, but with little result.

The net earnings of the Montreal Street Railway last year were $71,228.78.

The new Presbyterian church at Fort Qu'Appelle was destroyed by fire Monday. Loss $2000.

Under the new municipal act in Manitoba, municipalities are prevented from bonusing railways.

Both Col. Jas. Brown, ex-M.P., and Ald. W. H. Biggar have declined the Reform nomination for West Hastings.

On Wednesday, Nov. 3, Sir Richard Cartwright will address the electors of North Wellington and South Grey at Mount Forest.

The C.P.R. are negotiating to obtain running powers over the Central Vermont road to connect with New York and southern points.

At the reform nomination at Roslin, Mr. S. B. Burdett, barrister of Belleville was nominated for the Commons for East Hastings.

James Hinchcliffe, aged 24, a machinist employed at the Hamilton Bridge and Tool works, had his legs crushed yesterday by a large piece of iron falling on them.

A man named Melville, who for fifteen years has driven a fanning mill wagon for Marshall Campbell of Chatham was thrown into the road and killed the other day.

Samuel Clissold, the St. Thomas counterfeiter, was taken to the Kingston Penitentiary yesterday by Chief Fewings and Constable Metcalf to serve a ten years' sentence.

The Conservatives of Welland have nominated Dr. John Ferguson, M.P.P., and Alex. Fraser of Thorold as their candidates at the next election for the Commons and the Legislature.

The Northwest Council has passed a resolution asking the Dominion Government to bring on the elections for the Commons immediately. Nicholas Flood Davin has already put canvassers out.

The employes of Geo. Barrington & Sons, trunk manufacturers, Montreal, struck work yesterday on account of the firm introducing at considerable expense some valuable labor-saving machinery.

The parsonage at Melbourne, near Richmond, Que., occupied by Rev. J. Fuller, officiating for the rector, Rev. A. J. Balfour, absent in England, was burnt down on Monday. Loss $2000; insurance $1625.

A lad complained to the Brantford Chief of Police that his parents were always fighting. He wanted his father arrested but would not swear out an information and the police consequently declined to act.

The St. Thomas W. C. T. U. have decided to vigorously oppose the Scott Act repeal movement. They will hold a meeting in the Opera House on Nov. 4, which Mr. S. H. Blake has been invited to address.

While driving from Shannonville to Belleville yesterday morning Herbert McDonald, aged 14, son of a fisherman at Point St. Anne, was thrown from his wagon and instantly killed by his head striking the wheel. His team ran away.

S. J. McCall, who has absconded from Owen Sound, was accountant for the Dominion Grange Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and not for the Grange Trust Limited. His bondsmen are good for $4000, which will more than pay for the defalcation.

At a meeting of the legal profession in Guelph on Monday the Law Association of the County of Wellington was formed, with the following officers: President, A. H. Macdonald; Vice-President, James Watt; Trustees, Messrs. John Jacob, Elora; W. H. Kingston, Mount Forest, and Kenneth MacLean, John A. Mowat and Hugh McMillan, Guelph.

$6.75 will buy fifteen yards of good black gros grain silk at Petley's. 24

An Unprosperous Cigar Partnership.

"Sandy" Burnstein and George Michael were plaintiff and defendant in a suit in the Assize Court. Mr. Burnstein and Mr. Michael formed a partnership in June, 1883, for the sale of cigars, "Sandy" was to furnish the experience and Mr. Michael the capital. The copartnership was not a prosperous one, and when they wound up there was a wide difference of opinion as to how they stood. Mr. Burnstein's suit was for $5000 damages for alleged distress on his household effects. Mr. Bigelow and Mr. Ritchie, Q.C., were the opposing counsel, and the case was not finished when the court rose.

Heavy black gros grain silks, worth from 75c. to $1.25, selling at 45c., 60c. and 75c., at Petley's. 24

Coca Bola Piano.

Few people in Canada but are now familiar with the high reputation of the "Dominion" pianos and organs, a reputation not forced up by artificial means, but built up on the only true basis; that of the intrinsic merit of each individual instrument, each one, whether purchased by rich or poor, high or low, being in itself a perfect masterpiece of art, skill and music. For sometime at his warerooms, 68 King-street west, Mr. Joseph Ruse has been preparing an especially attractive stock of pianos and organs for this season of the year. Among several car loads received recently is a beautiful upright grand in Coca Bola wood, with extra carvings and a novelty in the way of a music rack, which extends nearly the full length of the instrument. This piano will be on exhibition for a few days and will itself amply repay a special visit to these rooms where all will find a genuine welcome extended. x

REVE D'OR THE WINNER.

Result of the Race at Newmarket for the Dewhurst Plate.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The race for the Dewhurst Plate for 2-year-olds, 7 furlongs, was run at Newmarket to-day. Ten horses started. The race was won by the Duke of Beaufort's chestnut filly Reve d'Or, by Hampton—Queen of the Roses, Douglas Baird's chestnut colt Enterprise, by Sterling, second, and the Duke of Westminster's chestnut filly Freedom, by Bend d'Or—Freia, third; time 1.35.

General Notes.

Not having been signed by Boston, there is a chance that Thomas Poorman (formerly of Guelph) will next year play with the Louisvilles.

It is announced that Beard, who made a great record at short for Nashville last summer, has signed with Syracuse for next season at a salary of $2000. At that rate the Stars ought to be very speedy.—Rochester Union.

The college football championship series was opened at New York yesterday afternoon by a game between the University of Pennsylvania and the Wesleyan Football teams at the Polo Grounds. The university men won by a score of 14 to 0.

Harry Gilmore, the champion light-weight, leaves for Montreal to-day to establish a boxing class. He has already been promised a number of pupils, and every admirer of true pluck and manliness will wish him the utmost limit of success.

Chris. Von der Ahe of the St. Louis Browns has determined to press charges of using abusive language and threats against Manager Barnie of Baltimore. It is alleged that Barnie told Latham he would not use his fists against him, but would break his neck with a bat.

The attendance at the games of the New York club in New York during the summer was 250,000; the attendance at Chicago, 125,000; at Detroit, 100,000; at Boston, 125,000; at Brooklyn, 100,000; at St. Louis, 150,000 for the two clubs; at Philadelphia, 200,000 for the two clubs.

Sailor Prince, the winner of the Cambridgeshire is the property of Mr. W. Gilbert. The horse is by Albert Victor (son of Marsyas by Orlando) dam Hermita by Hermit out of Affection by Lifeboat out of Rose d'Amour by Wild Dayrell. Sailor Prince though now 6 years old, had hitherto done little to distinguish him in the crowd of milers and selling platers amongst which he has been running. His light import enabled him to come from the extreme rear to the front over a short course in which a good start generally goes far towards victory. The result of the two great English Autumn Handicaps has been encouraging to the takers of long odds against outsiders.

During the six championship games with St. Louis Chicago made 38 hits with a total of 59 bases, while St. Louis made 49 with a total of 78. The Chicagos earned 11 runs out of 28, and St. Louis 10 out of 38. The American Association players made 22 errors, exclusive of the batteries, while the Chicagos made 32. O'Neil made 2 home runs and Kelly Gore and Pfeffer 1 each. Two-base hits: Dalrymple 1, Carruthers 2, Bushong 1, Ryan 1, Burns 2, Welch 2, Foutz 1, Comiskey 1, Anson 1. Three-base hits: Williamson 1, Robinson 1, Burns 1, Dalrymple 1, O'Neil 2, Caruthers 1, Hudson 1, Latham 1. Stolen bases: St. Louis 6, Chicago 3. O'Neil the Canadian, with his 2 home runs and 2 three-baggers, was the slugger of the series.

Ladies' costume cloths at 10c., 12 1-2c., 15c., 20c. and 25c. per yard and up, at Petley's. 24

UNDER SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES.

Death of a Woman at the Turkish Bath Institute.

MONTREAL, Oct. 27.—Mrs. Mary Ward, a widow aged 42, died at the Turkish Bath Institute to-day under suspicious circumstances. Before she died she claimed to have been drugged and outraged. Dr. Crevier pronounces the story false, but admits that when at his house he had given Mrs. Ward morphine to afford her relief. Mrs. Crevier attended her and when she became worse on Friday night she expressed a desire to return to the institute. Dr. Crevier informed her that such a step in her state might result in death. However, she insisted on going. Dr. and Mrs. Crevier, early on Saturday morning, were accompanying her in a cab, when, at the head of Beaver Hall Hill, she jumped out of the cab, screaming and saying that she had been betrayed. She died this morning, remaining conscious up to the last, but could not give a clear account of herself since she left the institute. Dr. McBean, manager of the institute, has reported the occurrence to the authorities, and an inquest is being held.

If you want a nobby overcoat or suit for your boy, go to Petley's. 24

An Octogenarian Killed on the Track.

HAMILTON, Oct. 27.—Robert Wade, one of the oldest employes of the Great Western division of the Grand Trunk Railway, was killed this morning. He attempted to cross the track between two cars, when he was caught between them and thrown down, the upper part of his chest being crushed by a wheel of the car. He was 80 years old on Oct. 14. He had been employed in the blacksmith shop of the railway here for 30 years. Half a century ago he came from Norfolk, Eng., to Canada.

Three Vessels Wrecked on Superior.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 27.—A telegram from Port Arthur reports a heavy storm on Lake Superior. The schooner Pride of America was seen off Princess Bay flying a flag of distress. She is thought to have since been wrecked. The steamer Glasgow is also reported wrecked. The steamer A. Neff was wrecked in Montreal Channel, but no lives were lost.

Three Times Married.

MONTREAL, Oct. 27.—The man named John Trenholme, alias John Brown, who is charged with bigamy has left here for parts unknown. In doing so he has left, so it is alleged, in all three wives, a young one here, one with eight children in Sherbrooke and one with two children in Manitoba.

Citizens should remember to buy Toronto-made stoves, and thus furnish employment to their fellow-citizens, by buying at Wheeler & Bain's, 179 King-street east.

An Illicit Still Seized.

BRUSSELS, Ont., Oct. 27.—A. Cavan, Collector of Inland Revenue, Stratford, seized an illicit still to-day in the township of Howrick, and had two of the proprietors arrested and sentenced to two months' imprisonment and a penalty of $400.

A Postmaster's Wife Suicides.

LISTOWEL, Ont., Oct. 27.—Mrs. C. W. Watson, wife of the postmaster at Molesworth, committed suicide yesterday by hanging. She had been sick for some time, and is supposed to have been deranged when she committed the rash act,

Broke From Her Tow and Sank.

OWEN SOUND, Oct. 27.—During Sunday night's gale the schooner Lady Dufferin broke loose from her tow, the steam barge Wm. Hall, near Cabot's Head and sank. The vessel and cargo are a total loss. No lives were lost.

King Hot Air Furnaces for perfect comfort and economy. Wheeler & Bain, 179 King-street east.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

The locomotive engineers yesterday re-elected their present officers for another term.

Fifty quarantined cattle were slaughtered at Chicago yesterday. All the meat was pronounced sound.

An epidemic of virulent diphtheria is raging in Dearington, a suburb of Lynchburg, Va. A number of deaths have occurred.

Two freight trains collided yesterday near Cedar Lake, Ind. Both engines and a number of cars were smashed or destroyed by fire. Two train-hands were killed.

The Case School of Applied Science at Cleveland, O., completed and opened a year ago at a cost of $200,000, was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. Insurance $75,000.

In the aldermanic chamber at New York yesterday Mayor Grace bestowed the freedom of the city of New York upon M. Bartholdi and other members of the French delegation.

The youngest Knight of Labor is a baby 3 or 4 weeks old, who was taken to the Richmond, Va., convention by its mother, and who was made a Knight and presented with a gold watch.

At Knoxville, Ill., Harry Nelson, a 2-year-old child, was clubbed to death by a woman called "Crazy Hannah," in whose charge he had been placed and from whom he was shortly to be taken.

A ship with refrigerating compartments belonging to the Anglo-American Fresh Meat Co. of London has arrived to take the first cargo of fresh beef to London from any Texas port. She will carry 300 tons on the initial trip.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union in session at Minneapolis on Tuesday evening, by a vote of 252 to 38, pledged its influence and sympathy to the prohibition party. The number of local unions now is 4681, with a membership of 924,890.

A Popular Actor.

It is a constant source of wonder how Mr. Jos. Murphy can draw such houses as he does in a small city like Toronto. He has as strong a hold as ever on our theatre-goers, and his sterling plays, like quinn the shirtmaker's Llama underclothing, are universally pronounced the choicest gems.

DONT WANT A COMMISSION.

THE RAILROAD MEN OPPOSED TO SUCH A COMBINATION.

The Testimony of Nine Witnesses Yesterday—Special Rates Would be a Worse Move Than the Scott Act—Toronto as a Complaint Book.

Sir Alexander Galt and his fellow-commissioners examined nine witnesses yesterday on the question of the advisability of appointing a permanent railway commission. The representatives of the railways who attend every sitting seem pleased with the outlook. They don't want to be governed by a commission and most of the grain and lumber merchants are their champions.

Out of yesterday's nine witnesses only three favored the commission scheme. These were W. H. Knowlton and James Young, commission merchants, Toronto, and Thomas Long, general merchant and Mayor of Collingwood. Mr. Knowlton would like to have the rates fixed by the railways and adjusted by a commission. Notwithstanding what others said he thought that the farmer got mighty little benefit from the granting of special rates. Mr. Young thought the tariff rates were too high. He complained of the G.T.R. having a monopoly on the Esplanade, preventing a free movement of the freight of other lines. He says he has a car waiting ten days on the Northern because it could not get access to the Esplanade. Mayor Long wanted a commission because the railways did not always give fair play. Rates between points where there was no competition were higher than between points with competition, and he was once refused a special rate because there was no competition. He complained of shippers not being able to get a car load rate unless the car was to be filled with one kind of goods. Again, if grain was lost in transit the railway was not responsible.

The first of the anti-commissioners was J. C. S. Peckham, Superintendent of the Georgian Bay Lumber Company, who preferred the present system to interference by a commission, which, however, might do in transhipping difficulties. A chief grievance to small shippers was that lumber shipped to local points was carried by weight, which was only guessed at and which in winter included snow and ice; while the charge for carrying lumber to be exported was calculated by measurement.

Kenneth Chisholm, grain and flour merchant, Brampton; James Scott, lumber merchant, Waubaushene; John B. Smith, lumber merchant; Chas. J. Smith, coal and wood merchant, and Nicolas Weatherston, grain and flour merchant of Toronto were the others who knew of no necessity for the appointment of a commission. Mr. Chisholm thought that special rates were in the interest of all, that a fixed tariff could not be worked, and that no favoritism existed. The only matter in which Mr. Scott thought a commission would be of use was in the settling of disputes regarding land. It would be hard to get from a commission prompt decisions regarding special rates. Mr. C. J. Smith said that matters were best left with the railways. Rates had been reduced so that now he sold for $4 a cord wood that brought $8 and $9 ten years ago. He knew of no favoritism. Mr. Weatherston said that "to take from the railways the power of granting special rates would be a worse move than the Scott Act." The only thing that a commission might deal with was the settling of land disputes. As to giving a commission power to fix and adjust rates, he said that Toronto alone could keep it busy with trivial complaints. Mr. John B. Smith complained of lumber being carried by weight.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL AT MIMICO.

Annual Meeting of the Association—Election of Officers, Etc.

The annual meeting of the Industrial School Association was held in the Mayor's office yesterday afternoon, these members being present: Mayor Howland (in the chair), E. A. Meredith, J. L. Hughes, John Langton, B. Jones, G. E. Gillespie, W. Anderson, R. C. Steele, W. C. Wilkinson, S. Alcorn, W. J. Macdonell, James Lobb and W. H. Huston. The Board of Management presented their report, stating that the buildings at Mimico are completed and that all that is required to enable the school to go into operation is the furnishing, for which some $4500 is required; that W. J. Hendry, late headmaster of Jesse Ketchum School, has been appointed Superintendent, and that it was expected that the citizens of Toronto and of the province would voluntarily subscribe the amount needed for furniture.

The officers elected were: President, Vice-Chancellor Proudfoot; Vice-Presidents, Mr. S. Alcorn, Goldwin Smith, Dr. Daniel Wilson, Hon. G. W. Allan, Hon. Wm. McMaster, Judge Jones (Brantford), Sheriff Jarvis, John Macdonald, Daniel McLean, Walter S. Lee, Verschoyle Cronyn (London), F. W. Gates (Hamilton); Auditors, John Langton, Wm. McCabe; Solicitor, Wm. B. McMurrich; Treasurer, Beverley Jones; Secretary, W. H. Huston; Board of Management, W. H. Howland (Chairman), G. McMurrich (Chairman Board School Trustees), James L. Hughes (Inspector City Schools), W. C. Wilkinson (Secretary Public School Board), H. P. Dwight, Robt. T. Gooderham, Hamilton Cassels, E. A. Meredith, Wm. McCabe, John Langton, George E. Gillespie, James Hedley, Warring Kennedy.

The Secretary was instructed to convey the thanks of the Association to Mrs. Cameron and Mrs. Pollard for their magnificent donation of $6000 and $500 respectively.

The Chairman announced at the close of the meeting that he had just received a check from S. Alcorn for $500, leaving only $4000 to be raised. He also stated that there was urgent necessity of the school opening at once, as he was besieged with applications on behalf of the neglected boys for whom the school is intended to serve as a home.

Just opened a large lot of best quality linoleums and floor oil cloths, selling at bottom prices this week, at Petley's. 24

THE PEOPLE WANT A NEW PARK.

A Lovely Location in the Ravines of Rosedale—An Aldermanic Pointer.

Superintendent Englehart of Mount Pleasant Cemetery declares one of the finest sites for a park in America exists in and about the Rosedale ravines. "Now," said Mr. Englehart to The World, "what is the use of trying to fix up that old Tannery Hollow crossing with a stone wall. The crossing over Yonge-street should be supported by embankments on either side, the creek should be transformed into a sewer, the brickyards should be removed, the ravine from Avenue-road should be transformed into a park away round past the Reservoir grounds north to our cemetery, and you have a grand park naturally, which, with a little ornamentation, could be made a beautiful summer resort."

If the representatives at the Council Board from North Toronto would pay heed to Superintendent Englehart, and he is a landscape engineer of great ability, they could easily solve the problem of where the citizens's outing place will be, now that Queen's Park is all but abandoned to brick and mortar. The ravines with their wooded slopes are well adapted for park purposes, the locality is the most central that can now be had, and the situation is romantic in the extreme. Mr. Englehart thinks no ordinary wall will suffice to bear the strain at Yonge-street over the hollow. He thinks the cheapest way would be to fill the hollow in on either side the road and make a gently sloping ascent to the proposed park. Already the citizens of North Toronto and Deer Park are filled up with his idea, which, to say the least of it, seems a feasible one. At all events the people want a park, and a park they must have.

Contracts for the Firemen's Winter Clothing

Ald. Piper, the veteran of the Fire and Gas Committee, at yesterday's meeting filled Chairman Maughan's usual position. There were present: Ald. Shaw, Jones, Johnston, Allen, Fleming, McMillan, Carlyle (St. Andrew's) and John Woods. Lambeth lamps were recommended for Bloor and Gwynne-streets and for Alexander-street and an additional electric light for Dundas-street. On Ald. Shaw's motion, a new bell striker was recommended for the Yorkville Fire Hall. The City Commissioner will see to it immediately that the sleeping and bath rooms for the boys in that division are at once put in order. The contract for firemen's winter clothing was awarded to Petley & Petley at $10.50 for coats, $2.25 for vests and $5.85 for pants. Tenders were also received from J. J. Follett at $10.50, $2.25 and $6, and from C. Martin & Co. at $11, $2.70 and $6.

Rush! Boom! Bang!

—This cold damp snap in the weather has put the stove buyers on pins and needles and the stove sellers in a perpetual hurry-scurry. At 179 Yonge-street the largest number of stoves were sold yesterday of any day since the season started, but it's no wonder the "Warrior Cooking Range" is away ahead of any cooking stove ever yet brought before the public. The Hall stoves are perfect. Strathern is taking the lead in Toronto for housefurnishings and stoves, etc., etc. x

POLITICS IN AND AROUND THE CITY.

A little bird whispered to me last evening, notwithstanding that it was raining hard, that Sir Richard Cartwright has his blue eyes on South Wentworth. It has often been said that Dr. Springer would not again seek reelection in Old Wentworth of the southern part. Sir Richard is going into the constituency to speak, and will begin at Stoney Creek on Nov. 5. Next day he speaks at Smithville. Sir Richard intends to introduce himself in Wentworth at least, and there may be something in the little bird's predictions.

The City Reformers are already beginning to brighten up their armor. Dates and places have been announced for meetings of all the ward associations except St. Matthew's. Parkdale and St. Mark's associations will meet to-night. Delegates to the three city conventions will be chosen.

The Hamilton Reformers held a preliminary nominating meeting last night, at which there was plenty of enthusiasm displayed.

Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. A. S. Hardy and Mr. M. C. Cameron, M.P., took part in the inauguration ceremonies of the Seaforth Young Liberals' Club yesterday. Sir Richard will address his own constituents of South Huron at Londesboro' to-day, at Zurich on Friday, at Hensall Nov. 1, at Varna Nov. 2.

Mr. Blake will receive the homage of the Guelph Young Liberals' Club at the Royal City to-day.

Mr. Erastus Wiman has concluded his telegraph business in Toronto and leaves for Chicago this morning.

I wonder if the "Tabernacle" revivals have anything to do with the empty theatres this week. Some people say it is the bad weather.

Mr. James E. Smith gave a dinner party at the Albany Club yesterday in honor of his old friend Erastus Wiman. There were present: Gov. Robinson, Ald. John Turner, W. H. Barrett of the New York Times, D. R. Wilkie, W. G. Falconbridge, Q.C., A. R. Boswell, Wm. Douglas, Q.C., of Chatham.

Hon. Wm. McDougall is in the city. He is reticent about the political situation.

ONONDAGA.

GOOD-BYE, TORONTO.

The Revivalists Take the Noon Train for the West—A Big Farewell Meeting.

Revivalists Jones and Small were bidden an affectionate farewell at the Rink yesterday morning by the Methodist ministers of the city and a large audience. They were also made the recipients of $2500, part of which, however, goes to the conductor of the choir and the soloist. Complimentary speeches were the order of the day. Rev. Hugh Johnston said he felt like hugging Sam Jones. Mr. Gooderham said the people had been set thinking and they should be kept thinking. Rev. Manly Benson thought it was indeed "a great awakening" to get so many people to such an early meeting. Rev. Dr. Potts said the most handsome donation of all was that of Mark H. Irish of the Rossin House, who had boarded the revivalists free of charge. Rev. Dr. Briggs buttered the daily press for the liberal reports published. Rev. Dr. Starr said that although he was a Mail man, the Globe had given longer reports. Rev. Dr. Sutherland said that instead of keeping the people thinking they should keep them doing something. Nothing like work and practical results. Rev. E. A. Stafford spoke of Rev. Sam Small, who had helped him over at the Metropolitan. Rev. Dr. Potts in referring to Mayor Howland's absence spoke highly of his many estimable qualities. Rev. Sam Jones thanked the committee for the liberal way they had treated him. He had come without any stipulation and they had surprised him. He promised to use the surplus for the glory of God. Rev. Sam Small also thanked the Christian ministers and people for their kindness, and a few handshakes ended the meeting.

The quartet left town on the noon train, leaving many weeping friends behind.

Sam Jones goes at once to Cartersville, Ga., for a few days' rest. Sam Small left for Albany and Buffalo, where he is to deliver lectures. Prof. Excell will visit his family, now in Pennsylvania, and Prof. Maxwell will visit his in Cincinnati until Nov. 7, when they re-unite at Omaha for a series of meetings.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Ingomar" at the Toronto Opera House—Attractions for This and Next Week.

Owing to bad weather "Ingomar" was witnessed by only a small audience at the Toronto Opera House last night. The beautiful Greek play is worthy of a better presentation. Miss Marie Prescott had in Parthenia a character for which she is well suited, and she played it with a pathos, tenderness and archness that, with her charming face and her figure clad in the chaste costume of ancient Greece, delighted the audience and won her several recalls. But she had not the support that either she or the merits of the play deserve. The acting of those who took the minor parts was below the standard and there was too much prompting required. Even Mr. R. D. McLean, Miss Prescott's leading man, who played Ingomar, and who certainly has ability of no small degree, had to be prompted. "Czeka" will be presented to-night and "Pygmalion and Galatea" to-morrow night.

The Rochester Union and Advertiser speaks of the popular comedian, Roland Reed, who appears at the Toronto Opera House next week, as follows: "Roland Reed as Dick Smyth, the irrepressible, in the amusing comedy of 'Cheek,' delighted a large audience at the Grand Opera House. Mr. Reed is one of the most intelligent, painstaking and capable of comedians and his efforts never fail to please. 'Cheek,' though not new, was presented with all the freshness and vivacity imaginable and elicited enthusiastic applause."

Mr. Joe Murphy will present "Shaun Rhue" for the balance of the week, with a matinee on Saturday, at the Grand Opera House. This is undoubtedly Mr. Murphy's best play, at least it has always been the most popular with his Toronto audiences.

In a recent interview with Mlle Rhea, a reporter asked the actress if many plays were sent her for perusal, to which she replied:

"Dozens, and every new author who writes one tells me that he has written just the role for me, a role which will fit me like a glove. But when I come to read his drama, I find that I cannot get into the role at all. And what droll subjects some men choose for plays. Not long since a man sent me a play (we will call it so, anyhow,) founded on the story of the Jeannette expedition. The first act took place on the vessel in which the explorers crossed. In this act was a cabin boy whom the superior officer beats. The boy jumps overboard and is drowned. I was to play the boy. The second act takes place in the Arctic regions. There are twin sisters in it, natives of the Arctic regions. One sister is dark, the other light. I was to play the sisters and change the color of my face each time I came upon the stage. The two sisters love the same man, an officer connected with the expedition. The dark one thinks the officer does not love her, so she goes out among the icebergs and freezes to death. That would make my second dying scene. The climax was not very dramatic, but novel. In the third act the men of the expedition are starving to death. By this time the light sister has concluded that the officer does not love her either. What does she do? This is where the author shows himself a genius. She sacrifices herself for her lover and saves the men the trouble of drawing lots to see which one shall be eaten up. When no one is near she makes a hole in her throat with a fish bone and bleeds to death, after having previously left a note for the officer, telling him what she has done, and explaining where her body will be found in case he is hungry. Could human love go further than that? And would not this role be magnificent for me? The author told me he was sure the play would create a sensation. I am sure of it, too."

October Orange Blossoms.

Rev. Dr. Thomas' handsome Baptist Church at Gerrard and Jarvis streets was the scene of an interesting wedding ceremony yesterday. Mr. R. McK. Haldimand of Montreal led to the altar Miss Jennie G. Paterson, only daughter of Mr. Peter Paterson, hardware merchant, of this city. Rev. Dr. Thomas officiated. The bride was handsomely attired in cream-colored satin with pearl ornaments. The bridesmaids were Miss Ida Walker, in lavender-colored silk and crimson plush, and Miss Mabel Bright, in pink satin and pearl ornaments. The groomsmen were Mr. D. L. Haldimand (brother of the groom) of Toronto and Capt. Fred. English of Montreal. The wedding breakfast was partaken of at the residence of the bride's father in Church-street. The presents were handsome and numerous. The honeymoon is being spent in New York.

The American Hotel.

—The proprietor of this well-known house is offering special rates to families and others for the winter season. The accommodation is first-class in every respect and the table equal to any in the city. Anyone looking for comfort at reasonable rates ought to call at the AMERICAN. dx.

SUFFER LITTLE CHILDREN

SECOND DAY OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Some Interesting Addresses—Statistics for Ontario and Quebec—Teaching the Scriptures—The Necessity of Training Children From Their Infancy.

HAMILTON, Oct. 27.—The second day of the Sunday School Convention opened with a paper being read by Rev. John McEwen, of Lakefield, formerly general secretary, on the "Training of Teachers." Mr. McEwen believed, like Dr. Burns, that more attention was given to works on the Bible than to the Book itself, and he found as a result that a great many were without any intelligent idea of the construction of the Bible.

Rev. Dr. Schauffler of New York, editor of the S. S. Teachers' Quarterly, was introduced by President Rutherford. Dr. Schauffler spoke on "The Great Teacher," and asked the Convention to endeavor to realize what impressions were felt by the hearers of the Saviour. The first impression would be that of the authority with which he spoke. His words were, "Ye have heard such and such, but I tell you it is so and so." He taught dogma, and the Sabbath School teacher, so long as he stands on the Word of God, teaches with authority, and without any fear of the doubt of the authenticity of the Pentateuch and the higher sort of criticism and "isms" that are inoculating the people of the United States, and which came in all forms from that pest-house of misery—Germany.

The secretary pro tem., Mr. J. J. Woodhouse, presented his annual report. He stated the liabilities, $730.21, left over from last year, had been discharged. He gave the following as the Sunday School statistics of Ontario and Quebec:

	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars.
Episcopalian....	655	5,308	50,822
Presbyterian....	908	7,044	65,845
Methodist........	2,058	19,804	154,686
Baptist..........	295	(say) 2,216	20,756
Congregational..	61	777	6,637
Total........	3,977	35,149	298,746

The receipts during the year were $2,337.13, of which the Hamilton Association contributed $62.50. Toronto personal contributions amounted to $857. The disbursements left $10.56 on hand.

Alfred Day of Toronto was appointed General Secretary and J. J. Woodhouse, Toronto, Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer.

Dr. Schauffer gave a practical talk on "Teaching the Scriptures," illustrated by blackboard work.

At the evening session delegates from various counties promised $2000 towards the assembly during the coming year. Of this $1200 was promised definitely. Toronto is pledged for $500, York $150, Halton $50, Middlesex and London $75, Peel $100, Wentworth $50, Hamilton $150, London $100, St. Catharines $30.

Rev. Dr. W. J. Hunter of Wesley Church, Hamilton, addressed the convention on the necessity of cultivating Christian beneficence in the schools.

Rev. Dr. A. F. Sutherland of Toronto urged the instruction of the children in divine truth from the earliest infancy, that they might be brought into church membership when grown up.

The remainder of the evening was devoted to the answering of questions.

Men's overcoats properly cut and well made, selling at $5, $6, $7.50, $9, $10 and $12, at Petley's. 24

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Read J. F. Thomson & Co.'s advertisement of St. George-street property.

The Court of Revision yesterday reduced the assessment of St. David's Ward by $9000.

The Eighteenth Anniversary Social gathering of the A.O.U.W. at Temperance Hall last night was a pleasant and successful affair.

Mr. Fred. Felitz has been appointed agent, with office at 40 East Market-square, of the Hamilton Vinegar Works Company.

There will be a church parade of the Governor-General's Body Guard on Sunday next from the Old Fort to St. James' Cathedral.

There will be a meeting in Richmond Hall, Richmond-street west, to-night, to form a Young Men's Prohibition League. The Mayor will preside.

Magistrate Denison yesterday sent Kenneth Mann to the Central Prison for a year for having committed an aggravated assault upon Mrs. Margaret Ryan.

Chief Ardagh received $50 yesterday from the Canada Rubber Company as a recognition of the brigade's service at the Elliott fire adjoining the company's building.

Six months in the Central for vagrancy was the sentence imposed yesterday upon Duncan McAllister, the bogus missionary, ("just returned from China") and temperance orator.

Andrew Harkness, said to be a "capper" for unlicensed groggeries, was sent to the Central Prison yesterday for four months, for snatching a purse from J. M. Harrison.

James Armstrong's, alias Allen's, only excuse to Col. Denison yesterday for stealing five watches from Jeweler Waldt, was drunkenness. He was sent to the Central Prison for nine months.

A deputation of prominent citizens yesterday urged Mayor Howland to again draw the attention of the City Council to the dangerous railway crossing in King-street west.

Mrs. McAdam, living at 32 Lisgar-street, dropped dead on the sidewalk near her home yesterday morning, shortly after her husband had gone to work. Hemorrhage of the lungs is supposed to have been the cause.

Cassimir Witpowski pleaded guilty in the Police Court yesterday to having assisted his brother Louis in burglarizing the store of Misses Brydn & Walker, Yonge-street, in April last. He got two years in Kingston, where he will meet his brother.

The Inman Line under the new management is to have its fleet increased, and extensive improvements made in the present boats. Mr. Barlow Cumberland, the Toronto agent, says new vigor will be imparted into the entire service.

Among the building permits granted yesterday were three to J. E. Thompson for three pairs of semi-detached two-story dwellings on Maitland-street, $8'00; two three-story brick stores, Yonge and Shuter; six brick stores and dwellings, King and Brock, $15,000; Granite Curling Club, new brick rink on Church-street, $4000.

Macdonald Bros. have opened a carpentering, cabinet-making and upholstering establishment at 3 Elm-street. They have just fitted up Knights of Pythias Hall on Queen-street east, and also refitted and upholstered the Sons of England rooms in Shaftesbury Hall. Both are enterprising and reliable young men, who will carefully look after all work entrusted to them.

Detective Reburn yesterday accepted service of two writs issued at the instance of James Granery and Bernard McCarthy, employes of P. Burns, who each claim $10,000 damages for "assault, false imprisonment and malicious imprisonment." The other parties to the suit are Mayor Howland, Charles H. Symons and the Corporation of the City of Toronto.

—Hotel men and liquor dealers are requested to attend this morning at 11 o'clock the auction sale of wines and liquors at A. O. Andrews' rooms, 151 Yonge-street. x

PERSONAL.

The Marquis of Lansdowne will sail for Quebec to-day.

Herr Wuchtel, the singer, is worse. He is suffering with congestion of the lungs.

Mr. W. B. Ellison, Secretary of the Canadian Club, New York, is visiting friends at St. Thomas.

Lord Randolph Churchill will not attend the Lord Mayor's banquet at the Mansion House on the 29th, he having been invited to a birthday party to be given by the Prince and Princess of Wales at Sandringham.

The Dead.

General Wichmann, commander of the garrison at Breslau, is dead.

Lord Monkswell is dead at the age of 69.

Big drives in best quality carpets, at Petley's. 24

The Growth of the Queen City.

From the Port Hope Guide.

Toronto is absorbing everybody and everything.

Mostly Fair.

★ *Toronto and vicinity—Moderate to fresh winds, mostly fair; not much change in temperature.*

Steamship Arrivals.

At Cape Race: Nestorian from London.

At Queenstown: Arizona from New York.

At New York: Pieter de Coninck from Antwerp; State of Pennsylvania from Glasgow.