

News of the World.

The news from Ireland is somewhat alarming. In the County of Fermanagh both the National Leaguers and the Orangemen had announced meetings to be held on the 15th inst., and the prospect for a collision was so obvious that the authorities issued a proclamation forbidding both assemblages. The Orangemen signified their acquiescence and gave up their proposed meeting, but the Leaguers plighted the district with notices declaring their intention of holding their meeting despite the official prohibition, the Government sending some thousand soldiers and constables into that section of the country.

Orangemen, in obedience to the proclamation of the Government, abstained from assembling at Garriestown. The Nationalists assembled to the number of 4,000. The meeting was interfered with, however, by a magistrate, who, at the head of a force of cavalry, infantry and police, read the Government's proclamation forbidding the meeting. Wm. O'Brien, member of Parliament and editor of the United Ireland, advised the people to respect the law. The crowd thereupon dispersed.

It was reported on the Paris Bourse on Thursday that Admiral Courbet had been defeated in Tonquin, La France professes to have similar news. La Liberte positively contradicts the report. It is generally believed, however, that the French forces have commenced to advance. A man has been arrested on the Bourse, on the charge of spreading alarmist news.

A member of the Chamber of Deputies states that Admiral Courbet's position in Tonquin is critical.

The Chinese troops were being concentrated at Canton to keep back the Black Flags, when the French drove them from Tonquin.

On Friday afternoon a young man, 18 years, who forced his way into the reception room, asked for M. Ferry, holding a revolver pointed ready to fire. An official seized and overpowered him. While he was held he shouted, "Vive la Republique, Sociale, vive la Commune." The revolver was loaded. Thirty cartridges were found on his person. He gave the name of Currien. He stated that the murder of French Ministers had been agreed upon at a meeting of a secret society at Lille. He regretted that he had not been successful. Currien has been found to be insane.

The London Standard's correspondent at Vienna says a monster trial will begin in Hungary shortly, the prisoners being one hundred and eleven persons accused of participating in the recent anti-Jewish riots. To prove the guilt of the prisoners fourteen hundred witnesses are to be called.

A great sensation has been caused among the French colony in Egypt owing to China having bought the arms and cannon which were accumulated during the military regime.

The Will of the People the Nihilist organ, at Petersburg of Nov. 7, states that the sentence of death passed by the Nihilist Central Committee on an informer was carried out in October. The paper contains two letters from convicts in Siberia, which give horrible details of the savage treatment received by prisoners there at the hands of the Russian officials.

A despatch from Hong Kong says three thousand French reinforcements have arrived at Annam and will be sent to Hanoi immediately. It is expected an advance will be made on Sontang in a fortnight.

The boring of the tunnel through Arfbarg, Eagle's Mount, a branch of the Rhilian Alps, has been completed.

President Arthur, through the Secretary of the State, has presented a gold watch valued at \$100 to Ezra C. Roach, master of the British barque Brazil, of Yarmouth, N. S., in recognition of his services in rescuing the crew of the American schooner Nellie Belle at sea, April the 2nd, 1879.

The thermometer ranged from 8 to 40 below in the North-West on Wednesday night. Snow also fell in various portions of Michigan, the fall reaching in some instances twenty inches.

A story is published in Chicago in an apparently authentic form, to the effect that the body of Abraham Lincoln has been secretly removed from the sarcophagus at Springfield to prevent the possibility of any further attempt by grave-robbers.

The Legislature of Olympia W. T. has passed a bill giving women the right to vote at all elections in Washington Territory, and the Governor will sign it.

A passenger and freight train on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway collided on Friday afternoon near Streator. Four persons were killed and several others injured.

A construction train on the West Shore Railroad near Rochester, N. Y., ran off the track down an embankment, on Thursday morning. Thirty laborers were injured, many perhaps fatally.

The storm on Monday morning in Chesapeake Bay scattered the oyster fleet in every direction. The sloop

Annie Gertrude, belonging to Deal's Island, capsized off James' Point and her crew of eight men were drowned.

A bold train robbery was perpetrated twenty miles South of Laredo, Tex., on Tuesday night. The train was thrown from the track by the removing of a rail. The accident killed a train hand. Forty masked men then attacked the train and compelled the conductor to surrender some \$8,000 in the express car.

The tug Milwaukee and a schooner in tow have been sunk in the gale and eighteen lives lost.

Notices.

THANKSGIVING COLLECTIONS FOR THE INFANTS' HOME.

Table with 2 columns: Church Name and Amount. Includes Chester Baptist Church, J. F. Kempton, Upper Canard Baptist Church, etc.

CONVENTION FUNDS RECEIVED.

Table with 2 columns: Church Name and Amount. Includes Tanook Church, Hebron Church, Estate Mrs. W. A. Powers, etc.

G. E. DAY, Yarmouth, Nov. 19th, 1883.

RECEIVED FROM WOMEN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES.

Tracadie, Miss Rachel Jordan, \$2.00. Notice—Mrs. C. H. Martell, of Central Onslow, has consented to act as Mission Agent for Colchester County, on behalf of the Central Board of W. M. A. Societies for N. S.

M. R. SELDEN, Treasurer. Halifax, November 20th, 1883.

THE YEAR BOOK.

The Baptist Year Book for the Maritime Provinces is now ready for distribution. Orders will be received at the Baptist Book Room, 104 Granville Street, Halifax, and at the Visitor Book Room, St. John, N. B. Price 10 cts.

J. PARSONS, Chairman of Committee. Nov. 10th, 1883.

BAPTIST BOOK AND TRACT SOCIETY.

Mr. J. B. Leard has been appointed agent for the above Society on P. E. Island, and is empowered to collect for the Capital Fund and Colportage Fund, and to work in the general interests of the Book Room. Pastors of churches and Superintendents of Sunday Schools, and all lovers of our Baptist Zion, are earnestly requested to lend a helping hand to Bro. L. in his arduous work.

On behalf of Committee, GEO. A. McDONALD, Sec'y. Halifax, Nov 5th, 1883.

REV. J. H. ROBBINS has removed to the United States, and has become pastor of a church in Vermont.

ERRATA.—Rev. D. G. MacDonald writes: "In your report of my speech on Bible work please make the following corrections for 'Metanos' read Metano. And for '\$5,000' sent to India by the American and Foreign Bible Society within two months' after its organization, read \$15,000. Of this amount \$5,000 was sent to print the Burmese version of Dr. Judson, \$2,000 for reprinting Dr. Marshman's Chinese versions, and \$1,000 each for Karens, Shans, Siamese versions."

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HALIFAX BAPTIST CHURCH DIRECTORY.

GRANVILLE STREET CHURCH.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Pastor, Rev. Alex. McArthur. Sabbath School in the Spring Garden Vestry at 2.45 P. M. Prayer-meeting in the same place on Wednesday evening at 7.45.

NORTH BAPTIST CHURCH, GOTTINGEN STREET.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Pastor, Rev. J. W. Manning, No. 268 Robine St. Sabbath School at 2.30 P. M. Prayer-meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.30.

DARTMOUTH BAPTIST CHURCH.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 3 P. M. Prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30. Pastor Rev. E. J. Grant.

TABERNACLE, NORTH BRUNSWICK ST.—

Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Pastor, Rev. J. F. Avery. Sabbath School at 2.30 P. M. Prayer-meetings on Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7.30. AFRICAN BAPTIST CHURCH, CORNWALLIS STREET.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath School in the vestry at 3 P. M. Prayer-meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. Rev. H. H. Johnson, Pastor.

Asleep in Peril.

BY DR. T. L. CUYLER.

Sin is an anodyne. The Word of God teaches us that every sinner's state is not only one of guilt, but a state of moral slumber. Every unconverted man is—in God's sight—asleep. Natural sleep locks up the physical senses under its spell, and if the sleeper dreams he actually regards his visions as solid realities. So is it with the sinner; he does not recognize his fearful guilt; he no more sees himself in the mirror of God's Word than man who is fast asleep can see himself in the looking-glass held before him. He is blind to the terrors of the wrath to come, and to the claims of God and the alluring offers of heaven. You may set before a sleeper the most magnificent picture of Raphael, or the most terrific productions of the pencil of Doré, and they are both no more to him than a dead blank wall. So have I, and other ministers of Christ, set before impotent sinners, a hundred times, the joys of true religion and the certain, inevitable doom of sin; yet we produce no impression upon them, because they are under an illusion. They feel no danger because they feel no guilt. They excuse their own sins with plausible pretenses and self-justifications. If they do admit their sinfulness they cling to their sins; some with a promise of repentance by-and-by, and some under a vague hope that God will "not be too hard on them," or will give them another chance in another world. Nearly every impotent man or woman is a dreamer. They delude themselves with the idea that they are in no danger—and yet all the while they are like the sleepers at the mast-head, liable to be hurled off into the abyss of eternal ruin!

"II," said the eloquent Addison Alexander, "you know what it is to be aroused by a heavy crash from a pleasant dream, what will it be when the long dream of life is dissolved by the blast of the trumpet of God? It is related by a man who was on board a steamer that blew up that when the explosion occurred he was fast asleep. His first sensation was a pleasant one, as though he had been flying through the air. He opened his eyes, and he was in the sea! May there not be something like this in the sinner who dies with his soul asleep, and imagines himself soaring toward the skies, but awakens amid the roar of a lashing tempest upon the ocean of God's wrath!"

This is tremendous preaching; would to God that we heard more of it from the pulpit of our day! Never was it more needed; for multitudes are rocked to slumber at the mast-head by the opiate of unbelief. Some doubt the inspiration of God's Word, and so are not disturbed by its threatenings. Some doubt the existence of a hell. Some are lulling their consciences to sleep by lying promises of future repentance. Some are so absorbed in the money making or the pleasure-seeking of this life that they have shut their eyes to the idea of eternity. I care not, my impotent friend, what may be the cause of your slumber, or what may be the anodyne that Satan has used to drug you. Sin is a mocker. You are under its spell. You do not realize your terrible guilt in rejecting the Saviour, or your terrible danger in risking a "wrath to come." You cannot sleep much longer. Death will soon loose your frail hold on shroud or spar, and hurl you off, as from mast-head, into the bottomless deep! When you awake it will be too late; it will be an awakening to shame and remorse and everlasting contempt.

THIS IS RELIABLE.—R. N. Wheeler, merchant, of Everton, was cured of a severe attack of inflammation of the lungs by Hagar's Pectoral Balsam. This great throat and lung healer cures weak lungs, coughs, hoarseness, bronchitis, and all Pectoral complaints.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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HARPER'S PERIODICALS.

Table with 2 columns: Periodical Name and Price. Includes Harper's Bazar, Harper's Magazine, Harper's Weekly, Harper's Young People, Harper's Franklin Square Library.

The volumes of the Bazar begin with the first Number for January of each year. When no time is mentioned, it will be understood that the subscriber wishes to commence with the Number next after the receipt of order.

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W. M. SMITH, Deputy of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, 31st October, 1883. 1 ins.

TENDERS.

Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, at Ottawa, and endorsed "Tender for Advocate Harbor Light," will be received up to the 23rd November next, for the construction of a Small Framed Lighthouse Tower and an Oil Store on the Beach at Advocate Harbor, Bay of Fundy, in the County of Cumberland, N. S. Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms of tender procured, at this Department, Ottawa, at the agency of this Department, Halifax, and at the Advocate Harbor Post Office.

W. M. SMITH, Deputy of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, 31st October, 1883. 1 ins.

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ST. LAWRENCE CANALS.

Notice to Contractors.

The letting of the works at the upper entrance of the CORNWALL CANAL, and those at the upper entrance of the RAPIDE PLAT CANAL, advertised to take place on the 18th day of NOVEMBER next, are unavoidably postponed to the following dates:— Tenders will be received until TUESDAY, the FOURTH day of DECEMBER next. Plans, specifications, &c., will be ready for examination at the places previously mentioned on and after TUESDAY the TWENTYETH day of NOVEMBER.

For the works at the head of the Galops Canal, tenders will be received until TUESDAY the EIGHTEENTH day of DECEMBER. Plans and specifications, &c., can be seen at the places before mentioned on and after TUESDAY the FOURTH day of DECEMBER.

By Order, A. P. BRADLEY, Secretary. Department of Railways & Canals, Ottawa, 20th October, 1883. Nov. 7 till Dec. 15, 1883.

PROSPECTUS.

Government of Canada Loan for \$4,000,000, 4 per cent. Currency Bonds.

The Minister of Finance for the Dominion of Canada is authorized to receive tenders for a loan of \$4,000,000 currency bonds, bearing interest from the 1st November, 1883, at the rate of 4 per centum per annum, payable half-yearly on the 1st May and 1st November of each year, at his office in the Finance Department, Ottawa.

This loan is issued under the authority of an Act of the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, passed during their last Session, (46th Victoria, cap. 2, sec. 4.)

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J. M. COURTNEY, Deputy Minister of Finance. Finance Department, Ottawa, September 21st, 1883.

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