

Admission... The Ottawa despatch to the News says that Hon. Mr. Tilly will probably be knighted before returning to Ottawa, and that Hon. Mr. Langwin will receive K. C. M. G.

Murphy, the great Temperance Apostle, claims to have converted over 8000 drunkards in New York during the last three weeks. The Boston Herald thinks if they were steady drinkers there ought to be a paucity in the liquor business.

The best living student of Irish is Dr. Zimmer, of Berlin, who is only 26. He has taught the language to the majority of the students in this city, and will lecture this winter at the University of Dublin to the old Irish MSS.

We notice that the Government has appointed to the honorable position of a Justice of the Peace for Charlotte Co., a gentleman who is every way worthy of the position. We refer to P. Brawley, Esq.

It is proposed to hold a Billiard tournament in New York at an early date to determine the three ball championship of the world. Cash prizes will be given, aggregating between \$2,000 and \$3,000, the first grand prize to be \$1,000, the winner thereof to be known as the Billiard Champion of the world.

Would it not be advisable for the police to have some means of calling their brother officers to their assistance when they are required? What would policeman Boyle have done on last Sunday morning had not some one come to his assistance? Yet there was a policeman but a short distance away and he had no means of letting him know that his services were needed.

Nearly every paper that we have seen cried out against the number of addresses which the Marquis of Lorne was forced to receive and reply to. And yet nearly all those papers bored their readers with those very same addresses and replies. Are all their sympathies for the Marquis of Lorne? They none for their readers? Discriminate, gentlemen! discriminate.

Canada under the Administration of the Earl of Dufferin, by Mr. Geo. Stewart, Jr., has been received. We have not had time to look through it, but will do so at an early date. It is a book of some seven hundred pages, neatly printed and well bound, and is very creditable to the publishers, the Rose-Belford Publishing Co.

We have been informed that several of the liquor merchants of this city held a meeting the other day and formed a society to be known as the Liquor League. They elected officers and appointed a committee to wait on those engaged in the business who were not present at the meeting, to explain to them the object of the organization and to invite them to become members.

It is reported that the leaders of the Fenian party in the United States have offered their assistance to Mr. Parnell in his efforts for the restoration of self-government to Ireland by constitutional means. Among those who take this sensible view are, it appears, Mr. Clarke Luby, General Thomas Francis Burke, Mr. Devitt, and Mr. John Devey.

Will some one in a position to do so explain to us how it is that a member of the Common Council who owns a very large amount of property in a valuable part of the city, and who is engaged in what is said to be a very lucrative business, is taxed but \$30; while a gentleman who is not in the Council, and who does not own any more property and is engaged in a small business, is taxed over \$200? We have been asked the question and being unable to answer it, we hope some one will come to our relief and answer it for us.

We are by a report of the proceedings of the Common Council that a committee has been appointed by that body to enquire into a charge of partiality preferred against the Chief of Police by policeman Ring. While every member of the force who took the recreation allowed them received their pay, the Chief stopped the pay of this policeman. Perhaps the committee might at the same time enquire whether the Chief himself was docked for the time lost on those little trips to the country and to the United States. It is a poor rule that won't work both ways. We hope the committee, however, will not be too severe on the old man.

At the inaugural meeting of the Law Students Debating Society of Dublin, the question set was the Legal position of Women in England and Ireland, was debated. One of the speakers, whose name is described by the Freeman's Journal as a "deep yet clear, weighty but somewhat dry" advocate, that when the bridegroom the little Londoner, she should not be taken to Scotland.

Timothy Gray, a colored woman, died recently at Savannah, Ga., from an overdose of religion taken at a revival.

pretending to think that we regret to defend what is pleased to call the "Adams-Landry Combination." Has the News proved anything against the "Combination?" Has the News for defence arrived? If the News, or Mr. Willis, has anything to say against the "Combination," let us hear it. It will do us good to know what the News, or Mr. Willis, has to say in defence of the "Combination." The News replies to the Sun that it is not its special business to defend them or anybody else. The News, instead of defending Mr. Willis by answering those questions of ours and proving, if it could, that we were mistaken and that Mr. Willis's political record is not at all dark as some believe it to be, would appear to think its business to defend some imaginary or real charges against parties who compose the "Combination." Why our business, dear News, in this respect more than your own in that matter with reference to which you lately tell the Sun it is not your special business. If not, why not? By not answering, by practicing evasion, the News has not only convinced all that our questions were unanswerable, but has got itself, by its recent utterances, in a quandary. We will watch anxiously how he will try to extricate himself.

WASHINGTON LETTER. [From our regular correspondent.] Washington, D. C., Dec. 2. To a man up a tree it would seem rather early to be propagating sentiment the Speaker of the next House and the Presidential candidates for 1880—yet that is why many of the correspondents are tagging away just now. It is almost certain, without the interposition of some unforeseen event, that there will be no election in March, and that the newly elected Congress will not, therefore, organize a year ago. At present it seems probable that either Randall or Blackburn will handle the gavel, though there is a fair chance for a dark horse. As for naming Presidential candidates for the next race it is a waste of time. There is no telling what a day much less two years, may bring forth, and many of us are liable to see our favorites struck by lightning or sunstroke, or something else before the nominating conventions assemble. However, your correspondent knows all about it, and if the rest of these scribblers don't too foolishly with the subject I shall have to fall to shortly settle the matter.

Official society circles are threatened with a convulsion that may shake their foundations. Senator Bruce, the wealthy and sensible colored Mississippian, who divides the Senatorial honors of his State with the ultra-tongued Lamm, went to Cleveland last summer and married a handsome and accomplished lady of his own race, whom he is to bring here next week. The story of the bride's wonderful beauty and numerous accomplishments has been widely told, and as they are to "keep house" in fine style on Capitol Hill this winter, the question "ought we visit her" is agitating court circles to an alarming extent. It is a requirement of official etiquette here that all the Cabinet ladies and the wives of Congressmen shall make the first call upon a Senator's wife, and the older Senators always make the approach to an acquaintance with the wives of new Senators.

When Finckh came knocking at the door of the Senate Chamber it is well known that one of the influences that kept him out was the fear that Mrs. Finckh might assert her "visiting privileges," and it is asserted that had Bruce been a man at the time his credentials were presented he couldn't have got in. But he is in now and has a wife into the bargain. She is a lady of high personal appearance, education, and is, perhaps better educated than most of the women who intend to snub her in the presence of her society. She was a girl with sufficient wealth to gratify any taste she may have in the way of personal adornment or equipage. It is whispered that she was purchased by her in Europe and would be prized by any one who would be puffed by a very near neighbor to the present defective administration, and that she is a lady of high personal appearance, education, and is, perhaps better educated than most of the women who intend to snub her in the presence of her society.

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no perfect happiness in this world, try my remedy and you will be convinced of the contrary. The fatal liquid sparkles before the half-crazed man and through his dazed eyes he perceives riches, honor, joy and glory. Do you understand now why the Holy Ghost warns us not to look upon wine when it shines in the glass, lest we could not resist the temptation. Adam and Eve fell because they ate an apple—thousands now fall because they drink intoxicating liquors. Has the drunkard learned anything by getting drunk? Yes, he has, and a great deal too. A day comes when he learns that he is a cast-away. A Society has rejected him from its midst. The rumrunner has got hold of his home and all the worldly goods he once possessed. Justice has laid his iron hand upon him and confined him in the almshouse or the Penitentiary there to pass the rest of his days. In the meantime, his wife and children suffer all the pangs of cold, hunger and destitution. He has learned all this through his drunkenness and it remains for him to learn one thing more—the last, but the most frightful of all—the eternal damnation of his immortal soul. The reverend gentleman then advised his hearers not even to listen at the door of a rumshop, lest their ears might be contaminated by the fulsome expressions issuing from those dens of abomination and concluded by exhorting them to attend the temperance meetings, to bring all those with them in whom they take an interest and they would escape the dangers that were strewn in their path. A sober man cannot do anything more agreeable to God and honorable to himself, than to join a society where the golden rule of total abstinence is strictly observed; but for the man who has already a leaning towards ardent spirits, who is conscious of his weakness in that respect, it is absolutely necessary to become a member of some total abstinence organization. Society demands it, Christianity demands it, and God demands it.

Just as the speaker had concluded his remarks the City Cornet Band entered the hall playing, followed by the Father Mathew Association, and they were warmly received by the large audience. The Cornet Band also furnished the audience with a choice selection.

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the dearest drug. They should be arrested for obtaining money under false pretences. If liquor was beneficial to man God would have made it, but he did not, man made it with the assistance of the evil one. Would it not be a grand thing if none of this stuff was to be found or bought, but we cannot hope to see this so long as men think there is any pleasure in it. They would not get any credit by those people who thought this for what they said but would probably make enemies. There was one way to dispose of the evil, which would be something after the style that the Duke of Wellington advised to be adopted in setting the Irish question, take the whole thing body and sleeves and dip it six feet under the earth and put a sod on it. There was another way—by the grace of God, and by prayer. Even if we were in no danger ourselves God tells us we ought to set a good example. If we expect to see anything we must ask God to bless our work and we will be successful. His advice to every young man who had a character at stake was to never put their feet across the threshold of one of those drinking saloons, for "He that loves danger will perish in it. Women could do a great deal of good, for if they made up their minds to have nothing to do with any one who had anything to do with liquor they would see less of it. There was one thing that should be remembered, if any one died drunk there was no hope for them, no use of praying for them, and there could be no grief equal to that of the father or mother whose son had died while under the influence of liquor and they could not go on their knees and say "God have mercy on his soul."

The President closed the proceedings of the evening by stating that the object of their meetings was not to hear themselves talk but to point out the beauty of temperance in contradiction to the evil of intemperance, and if there was a man present who could not see its beauty as it had been touched upon by the several speakers from every standpoint, then he was incapable of seeing or believing the truth when told. He thanked the Carleton-Sherbrooke Band for the assistance which they had rendered in making this rally, as well as the other rallies which they had attended, such a success.

At the close of the President's remarks a large number advanced to the platform and took the pledge.

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ELIZABETH River. He got small boat and...

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TEMPERANCE meeting of St. John's city will be held...

There will be a "Thoughts on the Great Women."