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YOUNG ALWARD'S DEATH.

The sincere sympathy of this community will be extended to Mr. Alward, legislative librarian, and the surviving members of his family on the tragic death of his son by drowning at a New Hampshire pleasure resort. The fatality, accompanied as it was by the loss of thirteen other young lives, is one of the worst of the kind recorded for some time, and many families are thrown into mourning as a result.

Young Alward was recognized as a very clever student with a bright future before him, and his sad death is a great blow to his family. They will have some consolation however in the fact that he lost his own life in trying to save others. He was a strong swimmer and no doubt could have reached safety had he not joined in the effort to rescue the helpless young ladies of the party. New Brunswick has lost a talented son by Mr. Alward's death, and his family a dutiful and loving son and brother.

LATE MR. RANDOLPH'S BEQUESTS.

The will of the late Hon. A. F. Randolph which is published to-day, fully bears out the previous intimation that the deceased gentleman had generously remembered several deserving public charities, besides liberally providing for members of his family, other relatives and employee.

Mr. Randolph's largest charitable benefaction is to Victoria Hospital to which he donated largely during his lifetime, but he has not forgotten the Baptist denomination to which he belonged, nor the men who served him so faithfully in his business and around his home.

That he was able to accumulate so valuable an estate, is testimony to his industry, energy and business ability, and his disposal of a large portion of it to worthy objects, bears further evidence of the large hearted liberality which marked his career.

A COMMODORE'S MISSTATEMENTS.

An editor on his holiday jaunts should be careful to remember that truth is always best. Commodore Stewart of the Chatham, World, who is travelling in the upper provinces, told a newspaper reporter that the local government's popularity is waning, and that it will be defeated in the general election. Mr. Stewart added that since the last election the government had lost the support of the St. John Globe, a figment of the commodore's imagination, as the Globe opposed the government in the last election. Mr. Stewart is a very bitter opponent of the government and not much importance should be attached to his utterances. The wish with him, is father to the thought.

It is said that the Canadian Provincial premiers in London have discussed the question of securing better terms from the Dominion. An increase has been proposed for all the provinces; and its adoption would mean an increase of half a million per annum in revenue of Ontario, the other provinces in proportion. The maritime premiers, Messrs Tweedie, Murray and Peters, desire that the money from the fishery award should be divided amongst the maritime provinces.

It is announced that wireless telegraph messages will be sent from the Marconi station, Sydney, N. S., to England before December, at a rate much below the present cable rates.

GONE INTO THE GAS BUSINESS.

So it seems that Mr Pitts has permanently withdrawn from journalism, and is on the road selling gas. We shall miss our charming friend and collaborer from the Reporter's columns. We frequently had a good deal of fun with Mr Pitts who could take hard blows and return them, but not always in a way that indicated a malicious intent. We trust it will not be understood that Mr. Pitts' experience in journalism is regarded as his qualification for dealing in gas: rather may it not be accepted that it was while in the political arena Mr. Pitts acquired gaseous qualities which fit him admirably for his new occupation.

Joking aside, we are sincerely sorry that Mr. Pitts is no longer a member of the journalistic profession. While he was very much astray with his political fade, he often amused as well in structed the public, and we doubt if there is another in the business who can take his place.

Mr. Pitts' practical removal from Fredericton is another blow to the Conservative party in this constituency, which in the past few years has lost most of its prominent members, and is now without any newspaper organ.

At present the local administration stands utterly discredited in this constituency and a ticket supporting it could not be elected.—St. Stephen Courier. This sounds very much like what Mr. Ganong told the Moncton convention in 1898, but when the election came on Mr. Ganong's opposition combination in Charlotte was beaten out of its boots. The Courier should go slow on prophecy.

The King continues to make most satisfactory progress, and apparently will be ready to be crowned Aug. 9. A more liberal diet has been ordered for His Majesty, whose appetite, no doubt has been sharpened by his change to the royal yacht.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will remain in London for the coronation, having postponed his trip to Paris till a later date. The Canadian ministers will not return Canada until September.

The report from the grain fields of Manitoba and the northwest is most encouraging. This season's wheat crop promises to be a record breaker.

Mayor Davidson, M. P. P., of Bridgewater, N. S., whose serious illness was reported, is dead, and his loss will be greatly regretted.

Earl Cadogan, lord lieutenant of Ireland, has resigned, but Mr. Balfour doubtless will have no difficulty in filling the position.

Lord Dundonald.

The Earl of Dundonald, who is coming to Canada, in command of the Dominion troops, has had a distinguished military career in the British army. He is not only a first-rate soldier, but his inventions for military equipments, notably the Dundonald gun carriage, have been valuable. Real military distinctions, however, came to Lord Dundonald rather late in life, as he was 47 when the South African war broke out, and had hitherto been chiefly known as a belted earl with a commission in the Second Life Guards, the command of which regiment he relinquished in 1899. He did excellent service on the Nile, where he commanded the detachment of the Second Life Guards—the Camel Corps—which went to the relief of Gordon. It was reserved for South Africa to make the name of Dundonald as much of a household word in the British army as that of Cochrane has long been in the navy. Lord Dundonald married a Welsh lady, an heiress, Miss Winifred Hesketh, who owns a Welsh castle, near Abergele, rejoicing in a name spelled without any vowels at all, unless "y" be counted and admitted as a vowel. Gwyrch Castle is a beautiful place of which Lady Dundonald is a delightful chatelaine.

A Severe Condition.

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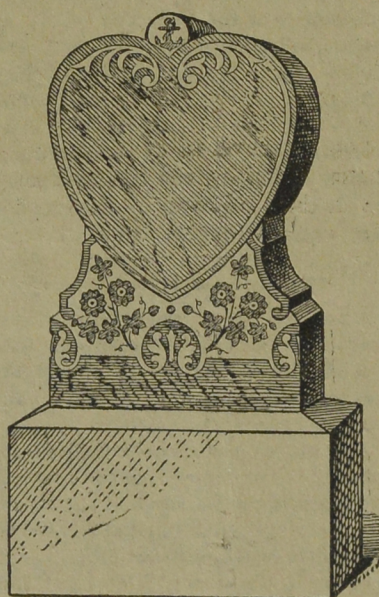
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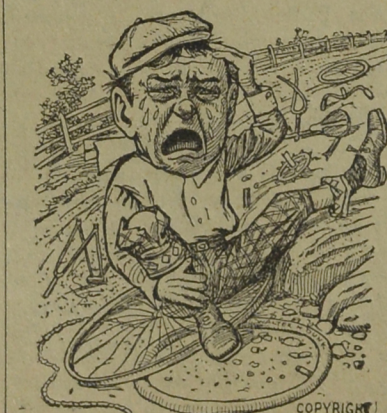
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