

DEATH MESSENGER

Well Known People Called to Join the Great Majority.

UNEXPECTED DEATH OF MRS. A. R. WETMORE SR.

Was Due to an Attack of Bronchitis.

MISS SOPHIA PERLEY SUCCUMES TO AN ATTACK OF PLEURISY.

Mrs. Louise U. Wetmore, widow of the late Hon. A. R. Wetmore, judge of the supreme court, passed away at the residence of her son-in-law, T. Carleton Allen, on Sunday afternoon after a very brief illness from an attack of bronchitis. She had been in the enjoyment of her usual good health up to Thursday when she was out calling upon some friends. She was taken ill on the following day from the effects of what was thought to be a slight cold, but which latterly developed into bronchitis resulting in her death. Her condition though serious had not been looked upon as alarming prior to Sunday morning when she took a bad turn and sank quite rapidly until the end, which came peacefully shortly before two o'clock in the afternoon.

The deceased lady was a daughter of the late Thomas Lansdowne of St. John, a former sheriff of Kent county, and was in her 76th year. She removed to this city in 1870, after her husband's appointment to the supreme court bench, and has since made her home here, occasionally making extended visits to her daughter at Port Arthur, Ont. A family of three sons and four daughters survive her. They are; George L., divisional engineer of the C. P. R. North Bay, Ont., A. Rainsford, chief engineer of the Board of Public Works, Fredericton; John W. claims agent of the C. P. R., St. John; Mrs. Allen, wife of T. Carleton Allen, clerk of the peace, Fredericton; Mrs. Holden, wife of Dr. Charles Holden, St. John; Mrs. Fitzgerald, wife of Judge Fitzgerald, Port Arthur, and Mrs. Widder, wife of F. D. Widder of the Bank of Montreal staff, Amherst, N. S. Frank G. Lansdowne of Sussex, and Mrs. Charles Kinnear of St. John, are brother and sister of the deceased. (John W. Wetmore and Dr. and Mrs. Holden arrived from St. John, Saturday evening, in response to a telegram apprising them of Mrs. Wetmore's illness.)

The late Mrs. Wetmore was a lady possessed of many good qualities, and was held in high esteem by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. She had many friends in this city and elsewhere, who will be greatly shocked to learn of her demise.

The funeral will take place from Mr. Allen's residence, Church Street, at three o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. Services will be held at the Cathedral and interment will be made at Forest Hill cemetery. John G. Adams will be the officiating undertaker.

Sophia Isabel Perley.

The death occurred at her home on George street Saturday night, after a brief illness, of Miss Sophia Isabel Perley, a well known and highly respected lady. She had been in failing health for some time, but her death was due to an attack of pleurisy, for which she had been under the doctor's care for several days. The deceased was a daughter of the late George A. Perley, and had been a resident of this city all her life. She conducted a boarding house on George street for a number of years and in that as well as in other matters with which she had to do, gave evidence of being possessed of more than ordinary shrewdness and business ability. For some time after the death of her father she acted as agent for the O'Dell estate, discharging her duties in a diligent and painstaking manner. She acquired a good fund of practical knowledge in regard to the preparation of legal documents and her advice and assistance was frequently sought by friends.

The late Miss Perley lived a consistent Christian life, and in her quiet unostentatious way did much good in the community. Her life was characterized by many acts of kindness to the poor and needy and her death will be mourned by all classes. She is survived by two sisters, Miss Charlotte Perley of this city and Miss Alice Perley of Boston, who arrived home by the noon train today. Dr. Harrison, chancellor of the U. N. B. is a cousin. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10.30 o'clock, with services at the house by Dean Partridge.

Interment will be made at the Hermitage, John G. Adams undertaker.

Mrs. Odbur Morgan.

Mrs. Morgan, wife of Odbur Morgan, who lately removed here from Caverhill, died at her home, Church street, Saturday, after a few days illness from pneumonia. She was 77 years of age and in survived by a husband but no children. The funeral took place this afternoon, from her late home to the Pickard burying ground. Rev. F. C. Hartley conducted the services and John G. Adams had charge of the arrangements.

Mrs. Michael Sullivan.

George Stack, of Acton, arrived at Harvey Station Friday evening from Kingman, Maine, bearing the sad news of the death of his sister, Mrs. Michael Sullivan, which occurred there on Thursday. Mrs. Sullivan has been ill from consumption for some time. She was the youngest daughter of Timothy Stack, of Acton, and had many friends who will regret to hear of her early death. She leaves an aged father, a husband and child to mourn their loss, also five brothers and one sister. Her body was brought to Cork for interment.

Mrs. Wm. Scott.

Mrs. William Scott, died at her home on King street, Saturday afternoon, after a lingering illness from consumption. She was 36 years of age and is survived by a husband and one child. The remains were taken to Newmarket, where the funeral will take place tomorrow morning, Rev. Father LeBlanc officiating.

Mary E. Murray.

The death occurred this morning at her home on Needham street of Mary Ellen, the 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murray. She was a victim of lung trouble and her death was not unexpected. In addition to her parents she is survived by two brothers and three sisters. The funeral will take place at nine o'clock on Wednesday morning, with services at St. Dunstan's church.

Mrs. Susan Smith.

Word was received last evening at Harvey, of the death of Mrs. Susan Smith

which occurred yesterday morning of paralysis at the residence of her father David V. Brown at Wilmet Settlement. Deceased formerly resided at Harvey and was twice married, first to George Elking-ton who died about 16 years ago, and afterwards to John Smith of Charlotte county, who died a short time ago. She is survived by two sons and three daughters of her first husband.

Potter Palmer Dead

Chicago, May 5.—Potter Palmer, for nearly half a century one of Chicago's most prominent business men, and reported to be worth \$25,000,000, died last night at his residence on Lake Shore Drive.

Private McCullough, of the Guards reserves, an Irishman of 6 foot, 10½ in., is now the tallest man in the British army.

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TO

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THURSDAY,

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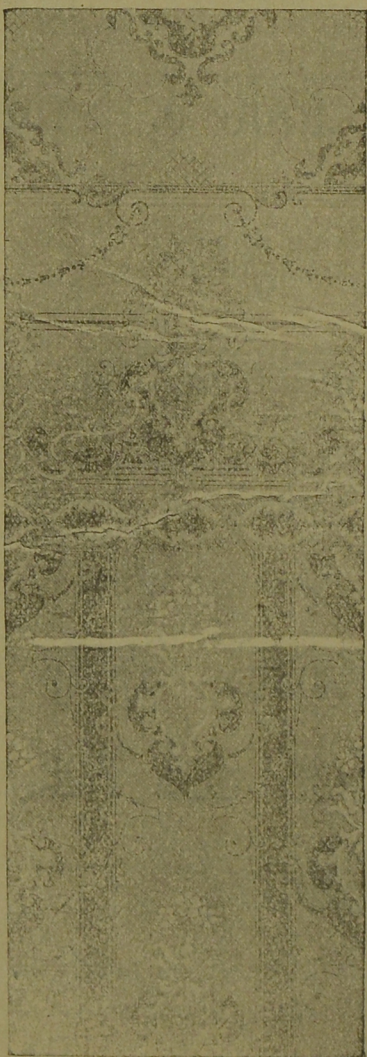
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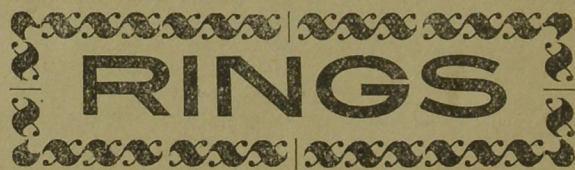
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	Assets.	Surplus.
1893	\$6,453,309.56	\$229,292.86
1894	6,597,336.30	359,783.12
1895	6,797,391.05	435,113.55
1896	7,039,323.43	507,348.19
1897	7,236,555.75	548,321.09
1898	7,544,227.02	574,224.75
1899	7,991,042.63	576,807.50
1900	8,482,038.00	586,040.24
1901	9,013,082.63	607,932.00
	Premium Income.	Total Income.
1893	\$ 964,201.08	\$1,261,930.51
1874	989,552.73	1,296,145.86
1895	1,040,240.77	1,353,713.38
1896	1,107,779.45	1,421,686.70
1897	1,182,965.15	1,525,630.16
1898	1,278,649.29	1,665,430.85
1899	1,444,862.27	1,833,919.16
1900	1,575,176.25	1,959,882.01
1901	1,735,036.06	2,165,141.94
	Notices of Death.	Amount of Insurance in Force.
1893	\$456,000.	\$35,914,417
1894	452,628	36,312,041
1895	498,969	36,932,148
1896	418,436	38,086,849
1897	604,811	39,943,575
1898	571,316	42,222,364
1899	600,206	46,054,820
1900	594,110	50,191,853
1901	685,472	52,945,044

From the foregoing tables it will be observed that more than two and one-half million dollars have been added to the Assets during the period outlined, that the Premium Income has increased seven hundred seventy thousand dollars, that the surplus to policy holders has increased nearly three-fold and that over seventeen million dollars more insurance is now in force than at the beginning of the term designated.

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