

THE ANGELS' WHISPER.

(From Mrs. Lovell's Songs of the Superstitions of Ireland.) One of the popular superstitions of the Irish is, that when a smile plays over the face of a sleeping infant, angels are whispering with it.

ENGLISH PAPERS.

The Earl of Minto is again spoken of as the successor of Lord William Bentinck in the Government of India. The Admiralty are about to adopt a new method of propelling steam-vessels by quicksilver, instead of the present custom.

The report of the Privy Council on the late fire is to be laid before his Majesty, and subsequently before Parliament. There is no doubt the Council have come to the conclusion that the fire was accidental.

The above article having been written by a Member of Parliament, deserves a degree of attention, of which it would not be worthy, were the writer only Editor of the Vindicator.

Some discussion having lately arisen in several of the French papers relative to the precise period of the birth of Napoleon, the "Temps" has decided the question by giving the following copy of his baptismal act from the register at Ajaccio.

Among the present inmates of Bethlehem hospital, is Capt. Parry, who commanded Lord Byron's ship in the Mediterranean, and subsequently published an account of his Lordship's last moments.

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The Superior of the Charlestown Convent, in her testimony before the Court sitting at East Cambridge on Tuesday, stated that the amount of property destroyed was about 50,000 dollars.

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LOWER-CANADA. Montreal, 11th Decr. 1834. Our excellent watchmen, who have taken a little repose after their most meritorious exertions at the late West Ward election, in protecting the lives, persons or properties of His Majesty's subjects,

he expresses a hope that the incessant troubles and revolutions in these countries will cease. The domestic concerns of the United States occupy the greatest part of the Message.

The war between the United States Government and the United States Bank, which has formed for two years such a prominent feature in American politics, occupies a large portion of the Message.

MEETING OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL ASSOCIATION. The meeting of this Association for the purpose of taking into consideration the Rules and Regulations, took place on Friday evening last at the Albion Hotel.

MESSAGE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. This annual exposé of the affairs of the adjoining Republic was delivered to Congress on the 1st inst. It is, as usual, an able document, and extends to seven columns of the New-York daily papers.

Admissions of Members, and formation of Branch Associations. First.—All persons residing within the Province, who shall subscribe their names to the Declaration adopted by the Association, shall become and be Members of the Constitutional Association of Quebec.

Secondly.—The Executive Committee shall meet every Thursday, and at such other times as may be deemed necessary, either by adjournment or at the call of the Chairman or any two Members; and the proceedings of each meeting shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose.

Thirdly.—The Committee shall appoint its own Chairman, two Deputy-Chairmen, Secretary, and such other Officers, except the Treasurer, as may be found expedient.

SECTION FOURTH. General Meetings. First.—An Annual General Meeting of the Members of this Association shall be held on the first Monday in the month of December of each year.

Secondly.—General Meetings may at any time be called, by an order, signed by the Chairman, or in his absence, by one of the Vice-Chairmen, and countersigned by the Secretary, or by an order, signed by five Members of the Executive Committee; the purport of which order shall be advertised in one or more Newspapers, or in Handbills, to be posted throughout the City.

Thirdly.—The Rules of proceeding at the General Meeting shall be those usually followed in deliberative assemblies, except as hereafter otherwise provided for.

