Bhe Victoria Warder

FRIDAY, MAROIT 19, 1886.

THE VOTERS LISTS DECISIONS.

In deciding a case such as granting onfranchisement to oitizens-a grant considered from time immemorial the highest and greatest one sould receive -H seems to us those entrusted with the responsibility weighed.

In respect of responsibility, scientiese divide actions of the will into three

1. Involuntary or instinctive. Voluntary where the choice of motives is involuntary.

8. Voluntary where the choice of motives is voluntary.

Now to arrive at a conclusion, such se would disfranchise or run the risk of distranchisir g hundreds of citizens with the possibility of changing for west or wos the destines, may be, of a nation, would and should naturally require most careful deliberation, That being the case, we are forced to conclude that the first decicion of the dines.

will has been made subservient not to lists. We are, we hope, now saved a nealthy exercise of the intellect but the trouble, rather to an impulsion bordering on caprice. That action may be accompanied with all honesty of purpose but there may nevertheless exist an involuntary propulsion to act in a certain direction. Those called upon of Haliburton county with an addiis their public of in any capacity to pronounce decisions should critically examine themselves, their thoughts and their tendencies. No one side of a question should be allowed to take a stronger hold on a man's mind than another, yet how many persons in arriving at conclusions critically compare sides? How many sink or root out caprice, prejudice, involuntary action impulse, technicality; and weigh the bare facts calmly and deliberately? We fear few. Had the clauses of the Franchise Act been examined in that spirit we feel sure a different decision would have been arstred at by the Revising Officer in the preliminary list in South Victoria.

However, having seen the fullacy of the former as well as the injustice of the impulsive decision regarding back on condition that they give up tion. We know they do. Whether the course to be pursued on the first membership in the Raights of Labor. revision, the revising officer for South Victoria is rightly entitled to the

was unpleasant and was begun only branches of industry. when we had every reason to believe in the principle of have a syen greater injustice was to be appetrated at the first revision court for each man paid according to his proprietor, and decided by the proprietor, manager, foremen, or by a combinaget life some or the lists to appear those of these. Further, we think on its few its own condemnation. The officer of the different control of the state of the state of the peaks or possible of a few members of the list in allevied by either the praise or described and the reviews municipal councils with associate indicated with realistic of the party military indicated. We know that that officer from the defense of the party might reality to a the factorial of the edition of the factorial described and therefore, like the factorial and therefore, like the factorial and therefore, like the factorial and the edition of the factorial and the edition of the factorial factorial factorial and the edition of the factorial factori

his decisions in his capacity as Judge is necessary then of source that oritions will be formally made in the highest court of the realm. But Heaven forbid that such a day shall ever arrive in Victoria. We cannot however allow the question to pass without expressing the belief that that revising officer has not risen to meet the ones. Instead of pricy name calling and sour faces he should to our mind have faced the music manfully. He took the trouble to instruct our contemporary the Post- If we were wrong then his plain duty was seeing he had placed himself in connection with one journal, to do so with the other. We are amenable to reason but not to insults. However circumstances prove our view was right.

A VICTORY.

Liberal Conservatives of Victoria We announce with pleasure that the revising officers for Victoria have altered their first decision vin. to require personal attendance at the first revision on April 6th next. You have the privilege given you by law of presenting personal declarations on forms the deciding should be careful even that will be supplied you on applies more than in ordinary cases, that their tion to Mr. Moore or all others active setions should be well considered and in the work. Those whose notices are not already in must ar once mve that notice. The declarations need not be in before the 6th of April. See that not a single name is omitted. Read the lists and see if your own and your neighbors' names and properties are correctly printed. In one township in South Victoria 19 names are left off only four of whom were Grite. Examine the lists. Send in the appli-

We feel justly proud of victory achieved in obtaining a reversal of the first decision re the voters' lists and believe the stand taken by THE WARDER IN the premiers was in part the cause of the change. However we are doubly pleased for while South Victoria Revising Officer could it would be unpleasant to go into not consistently with the honorable particulars regarding the action of the position he holds, belong to the third Grite in this matter yet we should have uncarthened every indiscreet or But there have been many in- illegal or unecemly or illegical act of stances where the action of a man's the whole fraternity in relation to the

THE FINAL END OF PECK'S BAD

Judge Dean has been appointed by the Mowat government as the judge tional \$400 in salary. This leaves M. sers, Connings of Oakwood, Dr. Currie of Minden, Col. Deacon of Lindsay, and others out in the cold.

THE TORONTO STRIKES.

During the past week Toronto has been the scene of mob law and disorder. From what can be learned it and others have inspired and even appears that Frank Smith, president written some of THE WARDER articles of the Toronto Street Car Company, recently. Not wishing any one, even part of some of his men, members of feelings against another wrongfully, to run. Finally the men were taken endorse our articles is another ques-This, coupled with dozens of similar

blockades of trade in the United oredit due any man who admits an States, leads one to consider the oberror and seeks to rectify the wrong, jest of these organizations. One Therefore do we gladly endorse that thing is certain, strikes are subversive gentleman's action in cancelling his of all civil government. Mob law in fret decision to bring personally to any firm is detestable, no matter Lindsay such elector wishing to have whether it be one man armed with his name placed on the new lists and arbitrary power, or hundreds acting to accept dec' rations instead. We as one armed with clubs. The sooner are more than pleased to be freed from our laboring classes give up secret a most unpleasant duty in maintain- societies and set themselves to work ing with ail our powers both a posi- by constitutional methods to redress tive and a negative attack on the whatever grievances they suppose former decision and the impulses and they have, the better for themselves. caprices surrounding it. That attack Now, laboring men too often spend would have been continued even to their evenings from home discussing SUPPLACEMENT, OF right would have from one side only, their grievances, been done in the premises for injustice, and like every other one-sided affair, had to be removed, un matter how extremes are reached in such discusclous. We fancy if these laboring We repret that in the discharge of men were to devote more attention to our dury to the enfranchised electors their own and their children's educaof Victoria as well as to the Liberal tion and moral training, and less as Conservative party we have involun- to how to make the manufacturer, series offended the revising officer for farmer, or merchant pay higher South Victoria. We cannot say "in- wages for shorter hours, their sime soluntarily" for on the one hand we would be more readily accomplished. had to consider the rights of hundreds. We have seen on farms two hiredof citizene legalized by statute and on men each getting the same wages, one the other the possibility of kurling of whom was really worth half as adher officer's sensibilities. The task much more as the other. So in all

the offi, we hope, remember that families, and may be their employers for present especity hele merely a there never get was the difficulty days exister. Where in the in-

Ottawn to prove that Sir John A. Macdonald and his ministry are seneurable for executing Riel. The votes so far show a majority of over forty in favor of Sir John. The speeches are as a rule good, the rebels being somewhat too violent. But their cause is weak.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Government steamers are being fitted up to enforce the fishery laws the gulf waters.

Electors! Read the letter from an Emily ratepayer. Things do look strange. How the Globe would have howled over such a mistake!

A peculiar and fatal disease has proken out among horned cattle in Pitteburg township near Kingston. The snimals run at the eyes and nose swell up and die in great pain. Several valuable cattle have already

The Globe Rielite party in Lindsay s not alone in the jailbird business. Their "brethren" in the old country number two ex-convicts in their ranks not mere privates but members of Parliament. Messrs. O'Doherty and O'Brien are both ex-convicts and

Electors will note that the revising efficers require, in cases of Income qualification where board is counted part of that income, that the wages shall be at least \$180. In short they allow \$120 in lieu of board. The facts and particulars are to be stated in declaration.

Mr. Meredith favors the appointnent by the county councils of Registrare thus removing patronage from the local government and placing it more directly in the hands of the peo-Of course the Mowat government oppose the scheme, they favor centratization and the removing of lower from the people.

ing road to Manvers," and "a leading road to Bobcaygeon" their earnest attention. The county foolishly voted s large sum for Pigeon Creek bridge simply to lead money out of Victoria. The townships should remember that what benefits Lindsay benefits them.

The local legislature has about put in another session and has enacted little of value or importance.

The chief doings of the session were o declare that Riel should not have been hanged, to whitewash and maintain a rebel in the service of the Ontaria Government and to reject several useful bills simplifying among other things county court proceedings. Really the government of Mr. Mowat must be impotent indeed.

Some are circulating with the evident intent to injure that Mr. Moore learned of a proposed strike on the Revising Officer Dean, to have hard the Kuights of Labor, and locked we beg to say that every sentence in them out; in short, dismissed them. THE WARDER from first to last was The entire force struck. Seenes of composed and written by the editor of disorder and violence were prevalent this journal. Whether or not the for some days, no case being allowed Liberal Conservatives of Victoria fact that our view of the law has been sceepted by the revising officer for South Victoria is sufficient justifica-

> We learn that a person named Rev. B. Keefer in the employ of the Temperance Allience has been out in Mariposa conducting himself in a manner to our mind ill becoming one Gospel laboring in the cause of temperance. Of course it is to Mr. Keefer's interest to keep the temperance question in such a state as will It would never do for him to have the important question settled for them "his usefulness would begone." We are an out and out friend of temperoudenmation for we learn their own tions were very small. People do their own thinking now a days, therefore Mr. Reefer should simply state facts not whims or contracted opin-

futed authority whether led by the Globe, Examiner, Riel crew or any other rebellious gang-

The Whitby Chronicle with what, we hope, is not its customary veracity, seserts that Judge Dean is and has been a strong Tory in politics. Our contemporary is somewhat verdant in this district else he would never, never, never accuse the revising officer for South Victoria with ever having been Conservative. We believe Judge Dean was once editor of the Daily Ontario, Belleville, a journal that excepting a period when J. B. Ashley, Esq., wielded the editorial pen, has invariably been bitterly partiean Grit. Judge Dean too was temporarily appointed Deputy Minister of Justice by Mr. Blake but for some cause did not long retain that position. He then became judge in Victoria county appointed thereto by the Retorm Administration. As a politician the revising officer for South Victoria was eyer most active in the Reform interest. Our estimable friend of the Whitby Chronicle will kindly correct. But perhaps he is trying to follow in the tracks of his seniors the Camerons, the Deacon and Spouter, Equivocator from Huron.
They accuse everyone Grit or Tory,
having bought North-West lands with
being Tory. The story gets abroad
and does its work before being cor-

LITTLE BRITAIN.

pecial to The Warder. FIRE, -On Thursday lieve a defective stove pipe. The occu-pant saved scarcely any of his effects as the fire was beyond control before being

BEE.—On Monday some seventeen teams proceeded to Lindsay and brought home the material for the house. Mr. Edwin Mark is preparing to build in the place of the one destroyed by fire a short time ago.

LECTURE. - Rev. B. B. Keefer, agent of evening in regard to the enforcing of the Scott Act when it comes in force here. subscription that was taken up, to go towards defraying the expense in carrying it in this county. I have heard a good deal of grumbling among some of the to be rather excessive, or perhaps I should say apparently endless.

Gone To England.—Mrs. S. Metherell

lett on Monday afternoon for Loudon, England to visit her son Dr. S. A. Metherell, who is practising there now. to party instead of efficiency. On the whole however I think Mac will get along all right, for notwithstanding that the county is going to ruin if we are to take the utterances of the grit press there is very little to do in division court

LORNEVILLE.

MR. E. Cronsberry has sold his fine ceam for the sum of \$320. Who says it does not pay to raise good stock? also Mr. Richard Howkins, senior, sold a fine one last week at a good figure.

SEVERAL of our citizens took part in the great debate in Woodville last Friday evening. The subject was resolved that Napoleon was a greater man than Oliver Cromwell. I think it would be a fine thing to start a debating club here as we have considerable talent if it was develop-

We would say to fruit growers, look out for black knot in you plumb trees as there are cases were parties have been fined quite recently for allowing it to exist on their plumb trees.

Mr. Hadley, one of our enterprising farmers is about leaving our neighborhood

to try his fortune elsewh Wx are very much pleased to be able to announce the opening of a new general store by a young centleman from Sunderland. What we want now is a good blacksmith, and by the way why did the last one leave? and a town hall and then

not expected to live. It seems the boar broke out of his pen a few days ago and attacked the cattle in the yard with the

I often wonder if Mr. Barron's private

SPRING 1886.

SUMMER 1886.

Palace of Attractions!

What has made it thus? They prove what they assert.

We intend to give up business in Lindsay just as sure as the sun will rise in the east

WHAT WILL ENABLE US TO RETIRED

Reduce the Spring and Summer Stock as low as the winter stock. THAT IS OUR INTENTION We have gone through our

Dress Goods, Silks, Prints, Shirtings, House Furnishing and other Goods,

and have marked them at prices that will only convince you by seeing them.

CANNOT GET OUT OF THE BUSINESS UNTIL WE ARE BOUGHT OUT,

So do your pockets a good turn by spending your money where IT WILL COME BACK DOUBLE

Spring and Summer Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, Etc.,

are on the same level as our other goods. They are cheap. Our TWEEDS and PANTINGS are in nice variety. You can pick out your Tweed, have your suit nicely made and trimmed by first. class workmen, and when it is made and on your back you will wonder at the small price you have paid. THE PRICES ARE THE ATTRACTIONS AT

Bradburn & Co.'s,

Next door to Lennon's Auction Mart, Kent Street, Lindsay.

HEADQUARTERS FOR Scott Act when it comes in force here. The proceeds I believe together with a subscription that was taken up, to go towards defraving the expense in carrying and Liquors,

Old reliable Establishment of John Dobson.

I have received my Fall Stock of Goods, and respectfully invite inspection,

Largest Stock.

Choicest Goods

Cheapest Prices.

TEAS

My Teas are taking the lead both in quality and price. My Stock is large and carefully selected. New Season Japans, "OUR FAVORITE" Tea,—a favorite all over the County of Victoria, Young Hysons, Congous, Oolongs and Pekoes of extra quality; try them. COFFEES, -Standard, Java, and Mocha Coffees, the best quality. Ground fresh as required.

FRUITS NEW

London Layer Raisins, Black Baskets, Imperial Cabinets, Superior Dehesa, Sultanas, Valencias. Candied Orange, Lemon and Citron Peels, Malaga Figs in mats, Eleme Figs in boxes-1 lb. and 15 lb. Dates, etc. New Currants.

Sugars and Syrups at closest prices. Pure Spices, whole and ground. Canned Fruits and Vegetables, Fish and Meats. "Crown Brand" Hams, Bacon, Spiced Rolls, etc.

WINES

Finest Old Oporto Wines, extra quality Pale Sherry, Brandy, Rum, Holland Gin, Ginger Wine, Native Wine, Champagnes, Clarets, Curacoa, Messrs. Gooderham & Worts' celebrated aged whiskies a specialty, Guinness' XXX Porter, Bass & Co.'s Ale, a full line of Domestic Ale in wood and

New Labrador Herrings, White Fish, Trout, Codfish, and Boneless Fish. Flour and Provisions, American and Canadian Oils at bottom quotations. Inspection invited.

be very unfortunate as he lost about a week age a valuable two year old colt from information.

A. CAMPBELL

Is buying in Carloads of General Groceries, Coal Oil, &c., &c., to supply the County cheaper than any other house. We have unloaded this week:

Carloads!

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KINDRAY, March 5th, 1886,-12

Carloads!

1 Car American COAL OIL 1 Car SUGAR.

1 Car SYRUPS.

1 Car General GROCERIES

1 Car PLASTER. 4 Cars SALT.

We are bound to meet the hard times with Low Prices, in so doing we purchase in large quantities for cash to get the cash discount, and sell at the lowest possible living profits. A Carload of Crockery arrived this week.

ARCH. CAMPBELL,

Wholesale and Retail Grocer, Kent St., Lindsofe

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Ot harness, trunksing purchased Mr. harness, trunks, and count, the same will to 30 per cent below stock must be clea Mr. Doran's stand 30,000 Men Including merch italists, and farme rarious towns in fic railway. - Purch points at lowest rat

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