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CONGRATULATIONS.

We heartily congratulate Sir John, and the party of Union and Progress on the great victory of Tuesday last.

SOUTH VICTORIA.

A glorious victory has again rested on the banners of the Liberal-Conservatives of South Victoria. Mr. Adam Hudspeth has bravely borne the banner to victory. The fight was severe, both sides putting forth every effort to win.

In his own municipality, Mariposa, where the Combination expected 325, his majority was only 222, a grand result for that loyal township. Manilla gave many more Conservative votes than ever before.

In Emily, Omamee did splendid service, rolling up nearly 100 majority for Hudspeth in the west ward alone. Downeyville and King's Wharf, where Rickard ran against Hudspeth, gave only 87 against Hudspeth, a clear gain of upwards of 26 votes, and a splendid showing for the boys.

In Opas there was not much change from last election. Mr. Hudspeth having only 36 against him as compared with 56 in the local. He made a clear gain of 20 votes there.

Lindsay, the returned hero by changing the majority of 66 against Cross into one of 44 for Hudspeth. This is partly to be attributed to the difference in voters' lists, but chiefly to Mr. Hudspeth's personal popularity.

Verulam also more than held her own. Bobayson surpassed all former efforts by giving 46 for Hudspeth. It is noticeable that in Bobayson and Lindsay, where Sir Richard Cartwright spoke, the Conservative majorities are greatly increased. The vote at Lamb's is inexplicable as yet, but a solution for the reduction may soon be forthcoming.

On the whole, there is every cause for congratulation over the result. Every municipality, except Mariposa, shows a Liberal-Conservative gain over the December election.

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politics; and we are pleased to say that in this contest the Roman Catholic Church, like all others, was neutral. Each man voted according to the dictates of his own conscience.

NORTH VICTORIA.

The above constituency has, we regret to say, gone against the government. Our attention has been so much engaged in the South Riding of Victoria that information received second hand has been our only guide concerning affairs in the North. It is well known that there was a split in the Conservative ranks there; that petitions for Mr. McEachern to run as an Independent Conservative were signed by upwards of six hundred electors.

But worse than all, the action of Mr. Barron, backed up by the Ontario government, in promising liberal sums of money for the construction of roads, turned dozens on dozens of votes. The settlers seem to recognize that Mowat is in for another four years, and that their best policy is to be faithful followers of that government for the time being.

As you know I am a candidate in the Liberal interest against Mr. Hector Cameron. He has in his address appealed to the people in the southern part of the county for their support on the ground of alleged benefits, which he says he has secured for them.

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The next step we believe the Liberal-Conservative of the North Riding purpose taking is to unseat Mr. Barron; run, and elect some good local man.

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REBELLION-NORTH VICTORIA.

The Grits, during the recent campaign in Ontario, made the half-breed grievances in the North-west one of their chief planks in their political platform. The changes were rung on that for all they were worth; but they were proven groundless.

Let us briefly consider the disabilities, nay the actual grievances, borne by another portion of Canada's citizens, i. e., North Victoria's. There the hardy settlers find themselves oppressed by the iron heel of the Ontario government, and by threats, promises and bribes, forced into lending support to the Grits.

We maintain the hardy settlers in the back townships are entitled to a full return of all moneys derived from the sale of timber within their borders. That money, principal and interest, should be handed over to be expended in the building of roads and bridges.

In most northern districts we find the settler inclined to condemn the lumberman, where he really should censure the Ontario government. The lumberman simply takes advantage of a law enacted by the Ontario government, and is in no wise blamable.

Let the people of North Victoria send in petition after petition to the Ontario government for redress of grievances; let them speak out in unmistakable terms, and if necessary at last "strike from the shoulder," and their grievances will be directed. Let public opinion once be directed to the disgraceful treatment meted out to the settlers of North Victoria and Haliburton, ay, and even Muskoka, and the grievances will vanish.

The Toronto Evening Telegram says:—"Up and down goes the war banner in the old world, but it must be said that its tendency is to indicate clearer skies. If war there should be, the spring is the time for it, and the activity shown by the several nations in making preparations for a general conflict leads many to look upon war as inevitable."

Our Sunday last, while returning from church, a species of horse driven by Mr. James Boncock ran away. Coming into collision with another sleigh, Mr. Boncock's rig was upset, throwing Mr. and Mrs. Boncock and child heavily against the other sleigh.

Mr. Hughson again followed and in a speech of an hour and a half refuted the assertions of the Grit speakers. The result on the following day of the poll showed the Grits to be far astray in their calculations. Some were expecting as high as 25, but none were lower than 20 for Lowndersburg.

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metre and agriculture have their swing, but their efforts do not seem to amount to much, as almost every nation may now be said to be armed to the teeth, and millions of men are ready to kill or be killed.

THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE.

They seem to be at a loss in England in fixing upon the best plan of celebrating the Queen's jubilee. All sorts of propositions are being made, only a few of which are practicable. It is not every country that can boast of a queen who has reigned for fifty years, and the British people naturally desire to mark their appreciation of the event in an appropriate way.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Dr. Cornwall of Omamee did yeoman service in the recent contest, working night and day; as did also the older veteran, Thos. Stephenson. All honor to Omamee.

Major R. B. Hamilton, the Grit speaker sent from Toronto to the assistance of the Lindsay Patent Combination last Monday evening, is one of the coming men in the Grit party. He is too honest a speaker ever to reach the top of the ladder.

The Fingerboard Meeting.

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Major Hamilton proved a fine speaker, well versed on the questions of the day, and in the short time allowed him did himself and the cause he unfortunately represented much credit.

Mr. Stewart had but a short time before said the country was swindled out of \$50,000. In two or three cases, Major Hamilton not having heard Mr. Stewart's reckless and outrageous assertions "gave him body and away."

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THE NEW TEAS

Ex "Endora" and via Canadian Pacific R.R., of which notice was given a short time ago, are now arriving daily. Purchasers are already delighted with them.

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JOHN DOBSON.

Lindsay, January 11, 1887.

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