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FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1896.



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PARLIAMENTARY NOTES.

The ranks of the conservative cabinet are again closed and a solid front is presented to the enemy. Whatever personal differences may exist among the members of the cabinet, they are all relegated to the back ground in obedience to the requirements of the nation. Personally they may differ; politically they do not. The debate on the address drags its

weary length along and all else is obstructed. The speeches are as a rule ordinary. Friday last Sir Charles Tupper, Baronet, and Lady Tupper went to Montreal, the

guests of Sir Donald A. and Lady Smith. Many Montreal friends there called on

Monday afternoon Sir Charles addressed the business men of Montreal on the questions of Preferential trade with Great Britain and her colonies, and on the fast line of steamships. It was received with great satisfaction. In this connection the advanced utterances of Mr. Chamberlain in England pointing out the necessity of Great Britain's joining the colonies in the project. The farmers of Canada would reap rich rewards from such union. It to coming, and is the direct outcome of the great liberal conservative national policy.

It was the privilege of the member for North Victoria to be honored with an invitation to attend the press banquet to Robert S. White, Esq., late M.P., new collector of customs, Montreal. It was held in the Queen's hotel in that city and was very large y attended. Mr. White

s'ands high in the opinions of his late fellows of the press and in pa liament "Our ain Charie" Fairbairn attended the state banquet given by Their Excel-lencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberaeen on Tuesday night

at Rideau hall. Charley is very popular.

John Bryson, M.P. for Pontiac, one of
the wealthy men of Canada, died of heart disease on Sunday last. He was one of the ablest and most popular men of the House of Commons The funeral on Tues-day was attended by many members of Parliament and thousands of other friends Parliament and thousands of other friends from Ottawa, Aylmer, and along the line of the Pontiac and Pacific Junction Railway The residence of Mr. Bryson is beautifully situated near the junction of the Coulonge and the Ottawa rivers, the village of Fort Coulonge being there located. The distance from Ottawa is 30 miles up stream It was nine o'clock when the party returned. Mr. Bryson's loss is greatly deplored.

Who had been returned to serve in the council for 1396. His worship referred briefly to the position of the town, taking a hopeful view of the situation, reviewing what matters might come hefore the several committees and making several surgestions as to the business to be transmitted for 1396. His worship referred briefly to the position of the town, taking a hopeful view of the situation, reviewing what matters might come hefore the surgestions as to the business to be transmitted for 1396. His worship referred briefly to the position of the town, taking a hopeful view of the situation, reviewing what matters might come hefore the surgestions as to the business to be transmitted for 1396. His worship referred briefly to the position of the town, taking a hopeful view of the situation, reviewing what matters might come hefore the surgestions as to the business to be transmitted for 1396. His worship referred briefly to the position of the town, taking a hopeful view of the situation, reviewing what matters might come hefore the surgestions as to the business to be transmitted for 1396. His worship referred briefly to the position of the town, taking a hopeful view of the structure of the town, taking a hopeful view of the structure of the town, taking a hopeful view of the structure of the town, taking a hopeful view of the structure of the town, taking a hopeful view of the structure of the town of the position of the town, taking a hopeful view of the structure of the town of the structure of the town of the town of the town of the structure of the town of the town of the town of the town of the tow

puriosity in many minds. In case our neighbors to the south become trouble-some the "squadron" and many "land squadrons" will eadily present themselves to defend Cavada and punish the blusterers

London, Ontario, to be Aujutant General of Canada. It was the pleasing duty of the member for North Victoria to introduce the deputation which embraced fully a score of leading members of parliament. All the members from the Midland district endorse Col. Smith The appointment

should be made at once. Hon. Dr Montague is already making his mark as an administrative officer. Attention is being directed to new avenues for the benefit of farmers The sheep and the bee industries are to receive special attention, as others now do.

The grite are putting up a big fight against Sir Charles Tupper in Cape Breton. It seems the grits got about eight hundred extra names on in the revision of the lists last winter, many of them were objection-

The Senate took a holiday—an adjournment on Wednesday Hence Senator Dobson went home He is greatly liked by all-Senators, members of the Commons, the genial public and the ladies—everywhere he is a favorite.

PRINCE HENRY.

Another of the royal family has gone, this time in the person of Prince Henry of Battenburg. The story of his death is a short one and cannot better be expressed or convey more meaning in company with admiration or sympathy than to say "he died like a true Englishman."

Joining the Ashanti expedition six weeks ago when he had no particular cause to do so and when no war boom or scare was running broadcast over the country, beyond that he wished to serve his e-untry in his own humble way, landing in Africa making long marches and when within thirty miles of Coomassie and within a few days of accomplishing their object he fell a victim to the deadly march fever, from which there is no hope

He is only one of the few Englishmen who have died this way and out one of the many who have died courageously and fearlessly and whose name will be recorded in history as an Englishman who died doing his dury.

"ACT HERE; THEORIZE HERE.

new organization, "The church militant," which seems destined to operate for the benefit of mankind.

The motto exemplifying the practice of the church is "Act here; theorize here-

Dr. Rusk regularly varies the persons addressing the audiences. One service an orthodox christian, another an atheist, next a Unitarian, etc., each in turn addresses the audiences.

In connection with the church are lawyers, doctors, and other professional men, each agreeing to take one case or perform one operation free for the poor

Atready the church is doing great good. Col Robert Ingersoil has been invited by Dr. Rusk to preach on his favorite thime

Certainly this makes great progress the development of liberty of thought.

Town Council.

The members who compose the council for 1896 assembled in the council chamber | the present home for the aged, that to at 11 o'clock on Monday, with the exception of deputy reeve Keith, who was solve the question of charity as far as the attending a meeting of the farmers' institute at Oakwood.

Reeve Ray, on behalf of the council. congratulated Mayor Smyth on his elec-tion. His Worship briefly replied, thanking the council for their good wishes stating he would address the council more

fully at the evening session.

Mesers. Ray, Kullaby, Pedlar, Touchburn, Jas. Graham, Brady and Sootheran were appointed a committee to draft the standing committees for the year. Council adjourned for ten minutes

allow the committee to report.

On the council resuming, the committee to strike the standing committees reported as follows :-

FINANCE AND ASSESSMENT. - James

Graham, chairman; Mesers. T. Brady, J. H. Sootheran, R. Touchburn, W. Pedlar and D. Ray. STREETS AND BRIDGES —R. Touchburn, chairman; Messre James Graham, Wm. Thurston, E. P. Gillogly, J. H. Sootheran

and J. Killaby.

FIRE AND WATER.—T. Brady, chairman;

Mesers. R. Touchburn, D. Ray, James Keith and D. Curtin.

MANUFACTURING AND LIGHTING. - D. Ray, chairman; Messre. Jes. Graham, E. P. Gillogly, J. Killaby and J. D. Graham,
Town Property.—J. H. Seotheran,
chairman; Mesers. Wm. Pedlar, J. D.
Graham, J. Killaby and Wm. Thurston.
Police.—W. Pedlar, chairman; Mesers.

J D. Graham, D. Curtin, J. H. Southeran and Jas. Keith. PRINTING — James Keith, chairman; Messrs. D. Curtin, R. Touchburn, Wm. Pedlar and J. D. Graham.

Report adopted.

Council adjourned to 7.30 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION. Council met pursuant to adjournm

Council met pursuant to adjournment all the members present.

Mayor Smyth on taking the chair and calling the council to order, delivered his inagural address. first thanking the rate-payers for electing him to the office of chief magistrate of the town, also congratulating the members of the council who had been returned to serve in the

Bateson and John Pearce asking for the position of inspector of black knot. Laid

on the table. From the secretary of the single tax association, Toronto, encosing a petition asking the council to adopt and forward to Minister of Militis on Wednes sy to the local legislature in reference to the assert the claims of Col. Henry Smith of single tax movement. Referred to finance the local legislature in reference to the

> The following accounts were read by the clerk and referred to the finance committee :- J. Staples, \$2 25; J. Berry, \$7 60; B. F. Jewett, 50c.; E. Fee, \$6.60; G. Beall, 64c.

From A. Mosely, offering to take charge of the dumping ground or lease it for five years. Referred to town proper-

From Dr. Shier, applying for the office of town physician. Laid on the From Thos. Connolly, suggesting that the assessors be appointed at as early a date as possible. Laid on the table,

A communication from A D. Malon addressed to the manufacturing and light committee in reference to the electric able but they are on. However, despite lights in the east ward was about being the riding being over-run by grit agents read by the clerk when, after an explanand operators it seems certain Sir Challes ation it was sent to that committee with

out being read in council. From the secretary of the fire brigade giving a list of fires that occurred during he month of December, also asking that runners be supplied f r the hose wagon. Referred to the committee on fire and

Report of chief of police for Decembe read, fines imposed \$14.05 all of which was collected. Referred to police com-

Mr. J. B. Knowlson was present to ddress the council in reference to a report that had got into circulation during the recent elections, in regard to a cheque he had given for \$700, when the Mayor repeated the statement he had made ex-plaining the same which Mr. Knowlson said was perfectly satisfactory.

Mr. Touchburn read a motion that was

passed at an informal meeting of the council held in the Clerk's office on Saturday 11th inst., author zing the chairman of the street and bridge committee to call for tenders for cedar, and moved, seconded by J. D. Graham, that the same be ratified. -Carried.

Report of street and bridge committee ead, recommending that the contract for dar be granted to D. Sinclair, W. A. Magill and. W. Jackett, at \$1 25 per-hundred lineal feet, 5000 feet to each, and the balance of 5000 feet to the Rathbun mpany, whose tender was one and s half cents lower than the others when the cast of hewing was added. The committee favored dividing the contract as recommended so as employment would be given for hewing same. Report adopted. Mr. D. R. Anderson, on motion, addressed the council in reference to the

retirement of some of the members of the citizens' band, asking on behalf of those In Chicago Dr. John Busk, a thorough- members who had retired that a committee be appointed by the council to investigate

> Moved by Mr. Ray, seconded by Mr. J. D. Graham, that the Mayor be authorized to issue orders on the tressurer from ime to time, in favor of the childrens' aid ociety for such sums as the society are

entitled to by law.—Carried.

Moved by Mr Rsy, seconded by James Graham, that the matter re citizens' band be referred to the property committee .-

Moved by Mr Jas. Graham, seconded by Mr. Ray, that whereas notes to the amount of \$20,000 have been discounted by the Ontarto Bank for the use of the corporation, that the same be confirmed and that the seal of the corporation be fixed to this motion to give it the effect of a by-law. - Carried.

Mr. Brady brought up the question of the central charity committee refusing aid

to poor persons who would not go into the home for the aged, he, Mr. Brady, considered that aid should be given in the cases referred to by him. Mr. James Graham reminded the counctl of the strong arguments that were used last year to induce the council to procure

rent the present home would practically council was concerned; now it turns out that those who were said would go into the home refused to do so, and the council could not force them. He, Mr. Graham, admitted it was a difficult question to deal with and required care ul consideration by the council.

Mr. Pedlar had visited some of the places where the people refused to go to the home, and considered it would be to the best interests of the parties if they could be compelled to go. He was opposed to granting anything as long as the council had prepared a suitable home where those who become inmates could be kept

Moved by Mr. Pedlar, seconded by Mr. Keith, that Messrs. Thurston, Brady and the mover represent the council on the board of the home for the aged, new incorpora ed.—Carried.

Moved by Mr Southeran, seconded by

Mr. Ray, that B. Dingall be appointed auditor, and to continue in office until his successor is appointed.—Carried. The Mayor appointed John Kelley as the other and the successor is appointed.

Moved by Mr. Gillogly, seconded by Mr. Killaby, that the members of the street and bridge committee take into consideration the necessity of purchasing such a quantity of field stone as they may deem necessary, to be placed on such atreats as they may direct.

streets as they may direct.

Mr. Touchburn opposed the motion, contending it was not the best means of proceeding as outlined in the resolution; when it was pointed out that the motion was for the street and bridge committee to deal with the matter he withdrew his

opposition and the motion passed.

Three by laws were introduced, one to appoint a hi h school trustee, Mr. J. D Flavelle being reappointed; one to enable the Mayor and Treasurer to make notes not exceeding the sum of \$40,000, during ing members of the local board of health, Mr. Thos. Walters and Alexander Jackson being appointed for three years, Robert Touchburn and George Mills for two years and John Fleury and Joseph Maunder for one year. for one year.

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SMITH—FERGUSON,—At the residence of the bride's parents, Sonya, Mariposa, on the 15th inst., by Rev. P. A. McLood, Mr. Benj. Smith, of Pieseant Point, to Hannah, eldest daughter of James Forguson, Req. 2008

BLAIN.—At Lindsay, on Friday, 17th Jan. 1896 Robert Blain, aged 57 years. HACKER.—In Midland, on Jan. 9th, Eva May, daughter of W. H. Hacker, aged 12

PROUSE -On Japuary 18th, at his home 6 h concession, Mariposa, Mr. Wm. Prouse in the 77th year of his age,



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THE annual meeting of L.O. district

NORLAND. icial to The Warder,

when the party returned. Mr. Bryson's loss is greatly deplored.

"The Flying Squadron" fitted out by Great Britain in five days has received due attention here. Its destination has creived and station of Laxton district members of the super or the table.

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lodge No. 4, Fenelon district, was held in his address gave a very interesting be of more vital importance not only to at Burnt River on Tuesday 14th January. account of his experience in travelling the people of Manitoba, but also to the The reports from the several primary lodges in the district showed the order to be in a flurishing condition. The W. D.M. delivered his address and on motion it was adopted and ordered to be sent to the Sentinel and Victoria.

Diving the experience in travelling the people of Manitoha, but also to the integrity of the vast Empire of which we are proud to form a part, thereby proving in the order flourished most, education had attained the highest status and vica versa. During the year just closed or ngeism pleasure we express our combined confi-During the year just closed or ngeism | pleasure we express our combined confi-

and the orange institution of which he is another was adopted and ordered to be sent to the Santinel and Victoria was another to sentinel and Victoria was also and the orange institution of which he is not the Santinel and Victoria was also and done much for the maintenance of Bro. Thomas Roberts, seconded by Bro. James Suddaby it was resolved: That this L O. district lodge extend to M. W. Brother N. Clarke Walance congretalisations on the stand taken by him in reference to the Manisba school law; or any interference by the Dominion parliament with the Manisba school law; or any attempt to establish separate whools in that province against the wishes of the majority.

If was moved by Bro. L. Deyman, seconded by Bro. N. McGillivray: That this district lodge take this, the first, opportunity of placing on record an expression of sorrew at the death of current and particular to district material and the particular was ever at the peat of duty in our association; and that we extend our sympathy to the barvelent for the country that nary cuch unstand the principles of the district material deliver:—Bros. Sam Enddaby, W D M. Soli, John Aldons, W D Bit, 996; Robert English, D etc., 296; Robert English, D treas, 641; John Aldons, W D Bit, 996; Robert English, D treas, 641; John Thomson, D in sec., 986; Thou Roberts, D D of 0, 996; Robert English, D treas, 641; John Aldons, W D Bit, 996; Robert English, D treas, 641; John Thomson, D in sec., 986; Thou Roberts, D D of 0, 996; Robert English, D treas, 641; John Thomson, D in sec., 986; Thou Roberts, D D of 0, 996; Robert English, D treas, 641; Thou Brother and when any attempt to provide the standaby the great Victor English respective to standary was a substant as the one at pressure against the enconstant of the creation of the creati worshipful district master's address there was much valuable information regarding the relationship of Rome to education, but we must not impose on your valuable space. The fellowing resolution was

manifest throughout the meeting. Dis- position in the Dominion government trict master G. S. Houston presided and thus sacrificing honor and emolument of

welcome.

Mr. Hardy's reading class will meet on Tuesday next, the 28th, at 8 o'clock. This is a most interesting class and the young men who fall to attend will miss a treat. Don't fall to be present next Tuesday as the subject is an intensely interesting one.

The 28th annual convention of the Y. M. C. associations of Ontario and Quebec is now in progress at St. Catherines. The following are delegates from the Lindsay association, Masses F. A. Robinson, see; R. L. Morgan, Fred Robinson, seniors, and Masses J. A.

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Wholesale interest in the progress of the order was Bro. N. Clarke Wallace in resigning his

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