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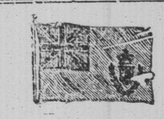
FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1897.



A union of hearts and a union of hands
A union none can sever;
A union of homes and a union of Lands
And the flag, BRITISH UNION, forever."

THE PATRONS MEMBERS BETRAY THEIR TRUST.

In the vote on the notorious mining deal of the Hardy government in Algoma the patron members as usual on all measures of principle stand by the government. They fall on the side where "de most corn am found."

They who cry against monopolies are first to endorse a notoriously unfair monopoly.

There were two noble exceptions to the ingrate patrons, viz., Messrs. Kidd and Gamey, who voted to condemn the deal.

THE REACTION.

The reaction has set in strongly in favor of the old liberal conservative party.

In Ontario East Simcoe led the way by increasing Mr. Bennett's vote and returning him again to parliament.

In North Ontario, despite the brazen methods of the reform party, the conservatives increased their vote sixty more than were ever before polled.

In Brant, the vote for brave Robert Henry was increased, but nothing could with stand the grit tactics there and their vote was personated enormously.

In Champlain, in Quebec, despite a reform expenditure of fifty thousand dollars, the conservative has been elected by nearly three hundred majority.

The reaction has set in strongly. The public are already tired of the reform duplicity on the school question, the tariff, the export egg duty, the coal deal, and everything.

Let conservatives do their duty in the revision of the lists and much greater victories are in store for them.

THE TRENT CANAL DEPUTATION.

Through the enterprise and energy of Mayor Yelland and John Carnegie of Peterboro a large delegation visited Ottawa on Tuesday to press on Hon. Mr. Blair and his colleagues the necessity of going on with the Trent Canal.

The railway fares were very low, only three dollars from Peterboro, hence from Midland to Trenton scores came to see the capital, to interview the government on other matters, and quite a few to look for offices and jobs. Of the latter class Lindsay furnished a few.

The government promised to go on with the work, if funds will admit, inasmuch as so much is now done and under construction that it is impossible now to stop it.

GOOD HARD SENSE.

A deputation waited upon Mr. Laurier in February asking for the extension of the Intercolonial from Point Levis to Montreal. Mr. Laurier gave an evasive reply, which the party organs interpreted as a polite refusal. One of them at once commented on the proposal. It said:—

"The Grand Trunk already has a line from Montreal to Levis, though it is not as short a one as could be built. The Canadian Pacific has a parallel line on the north shore from Quebec, opposite Levis, to Montreal. A third line is not needed."

The Globe quoted the opinion on March 6, and characterized it as "good hard sense." On March 25 the purpose of the government to make the extension was announced in the speech from the throne. The Globe found at once that the government had reached a powerfully wise decision, and that it was bent upon giving competition, cheapening rates, and what not. It was "good hard sense" when the third line, that is not needed, was not to be provided, and "good hard sense" again when the third line, that is not needed, was officially announced. This curious case illustrates the ease with which "good hard sense" is cultivated in ministerial quarters.—The Mail.

M. MERRY DEL VAL.

The papal ablegate, M. Merry del Val, who comes to Canada on the invitation of Hon. Mr. Laurier and the reform members and senators from Quebec, endorsed by the whole party from other provinces, has reached Ottawa.

He has been welcomed by Hon. Mr. Laurier personally. On Tuesday the House of Commons was adjourned at four o'clock in the afternoon, the nominal reason being, the non-preparation of business; the real cause being that that afternoon the reform government were stating their case to M. del Val.

That case as stated in the reform papers consisted in newspaper quarrels between the bishops and certain roman catholic editors over matters having no connection whatever with the Manitoba school question.

Tuesday evening Hon. Mr. Laurier gave a dinner at his residence in honor of M. del Val, and indeed he and his colleagues seem leaving nothing undone to make the visit and the mission of their friend a success.

The ablegate must understand that, for whatever purpose he may have been brought to Canada, this great Canadian people will not tolerate or recognize any mediation that is not part and parcel of the British constitution. It is altogether likely that M. del Val, who certainly is a skilled diplomat, will see the position in which Hon. Mr. Laurier and his colleagues have placed him.

If there is a quarrel between the bishops and some newspaper editors it is not a new thing in history. If those editors feel aggrieved and as they claim are oppressed there are various avenues through which redress may be had. Among these are:—

(1) The right of every man to leave the church if it does not suit him or if it tyrannizes over him.

(2) The right to obtain redress in the courts of Canada and Great Britain.

(3) The right to find redress in the parliament of Canada.

There is no quarrel between the bishops and the people of Quebec over the Manitoba school question. As stated it is a family quarrel among bishops and editors, and the reformers, as usual in protestant centres, endeavor to make it seem that they are martyrs to romish tyranny in Quebec.

They cannot successfully advance the statement that the appeal is simply a church matter. The first paragraph of the famous manifesto to Rome disproves their pretences on that score. The address signed by Hon. Mr. Laurier and his roman catholic followers in the Senate and House of Commons, to the Pope of Rome himself clearly shows it not a church quarrel but a "constitutional" one. They appeal not as churchmen but as "representing the liberal party in parliament," and on a question concerning what they term their "constitutional liberties." The paragraph reads:

Most Holy Father.—We, the undersigned members of the Senate and members of the House of Commons of Canada, and representing therein the liberal party, present ourselves before your Holiness as respectful and devoted children of the holy church, to complain of the existence of a state of things which, if allowed to continue, might be extremely dangerous to the constitutional liberties of this country, as well as to the interests of the church itself.

The people of Canada are rapidly becoming aroused to Hon. Mr. Laurier's methods.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Champlain went conservative on Wednesday.

If our neighbors to the south of us push this Alien Labor law much more, we shall have to be compelled to secure passports soon to pay our friends a visit in the land of the screaching eagle.

When has business depression been so badly felt in this locality? When has there ever been so many failures in the Midland district? When have times ever been so bad? This is not what the grits promised us before the 23rd of last June.

The writs for both Winnipeg and Macdonald have been issued. The nominations take place on April 20, and the elections on the 27th, the election in both constituencies being on the same day.

"Us farmers" was the expression used by the oily tounged Ontario premier in a recent speech to a deputation of farmers. No doubt he says "us temperance people" and "us liquor men" when convenient. Surely Mr. Hardy is getting desperate.

"Canada for the Canadians!" exclaims the Toronto Globe. It it not known just who the Globe is striking at, but it looks like a hint to the Ontario government. That institution is feathering a scheme to give a big slice of the gold-bearing part of Canada to the South Africans.

Regarding the Alien Labor law, nothing brings a bully to time like a plucky counter stroke, and the United States should be tought that they are not the whole world or as the small boy says "you'r not the only pebble on the beech."

The Millinery Openings

The first gentle touches of spring have not yet lost their charms for Lindsay's fair daughters, at least it did not up till Tuesday night, for what would spring be without the millinery openings. Easter falling late this year ample time was afforded in which to prepare something new and original for the season of gayiety which this queen offestivals ushers in. Consequently when the millinery establishments made their debut Tuesday to the public for the Easter and summer season the ladies of the town were on the qui vive all day and in the evening the millinery rooms of Sutcliffe & Co., Miss Mitchell, R. B Allan & Co., Dundas & Flavelle and the Misses Paton, were crowded by hundreds of the admiring connoisseurs of the modistes' art In not a few cases the ladies were accompanied by their husbands, and the incoherent and random way in which these poor creatures tried to talk of hats, ruffles, laces, trimmings, flowers, ribbons and other garniture, was a thing to hear, and a greater sight to see. Perhaps there has never been a finer display of millinery in town than that of Tuesday, and to those interested in such it was a gala day. Lindsay is fortunate in having the services of such excellent milliners and more fortunate in having such pretty heads to decorate.

SUTCLIFFE & SONS

Sutcliffe & Sons' large store and millinery rooms, between artistic millinery and dress goods decorations, and a galaxy of fair women that thronged the rooms, presented a bewildering scene of beauty. Miss Stevens of Toronto, formerly of Winnipeg, and her assistant, Miss Nellis of Toronto, had charge of the rooms, and the complimentary remarks passed on their success by spectators must have been very gratifying to them. The firm's large show windows were exquisitely dressed for the occasion, the west one done in dress goods and the east in laces and hat trimmings. Down stairs on exhibition were chiffons, silks, spotted and colored muslins and other dress goods; these, together with curtains draped so as to lend harmony to the scene, looked very well indeed. Upstairs, the rooms presented a perfect fairy land, with the hats and bonnets, flowers and the hundred-and-one seemingly impossible designs of skilful hands, and bright lights, added a further enchantment to the scene. Mr. Sutcliffe and his courteous staff were assiduous in their desire to show everything, and added much to the comfort and pleasure of the many hundreds that crowded their establishment.

MISS MITCHELL'S.

In her spacious rooms up-stairs next to Sutcliffe's, Miss Mitchell held her Easter and summer openings. Miss Mitchell's styles are always of the latest and best and her skill and that of her several assistants attracted hundreds of people. The rooms were elegantly decorated. and there was a very elaborate display of millinery and dress goods. All the hats this year are loaded with flowers, and are of all sizes and shapes. Imagine numerous picture hats of every description shown to the best advantage and large mirrors back of these reflecting and adding a hundred fold to the magic of the scene and you have some idea of the spectacle. The large staff was kept busy explaining the many advantages of the different and varied styles, and when we say that the bonnets and hats pleased the tastes of the most fastidious we venture a good deal. The display of dress goods was especially fine, also that of mantles and capes. Dressmaking is one of the features of this establishment and none but the best artists are employed. The opening of Tuesday night was just such another of the successes from every point of view, that Miss Mitchell's has been enjoying every season.

R. B. ALLAN & CO.

The firm of R. B. Allan & Co., who have secured the stock and opened out in the premises lately occupied by Ray & Co., opened their millinery department for the first time on Tuesday. The firm did not decide until the last moment to throw open their rooms with the general opening and consequently were terribly rushed. But they have no reason to be ashamed of their showing as was evidenced by the laudatory opinions of the best judges of the millinery art present. Miss Kerr of Toronto, an experienced milliner, and her assistant Miss Holder, also of Toronto, were in charge, Mr. Allan and staff were on hand and gave every attention to sightseers. The show windows of the house were tastefully arranged. The firm secured a hit with the masculine fraternity by having on display in a window the different styles of gents' spring furnishings, for mens' thoughts are sometimes wanton to run to spring styles; in the west window were shown several choice pieces of dress goods. In the store were hung the usual chiffons, china silks, muslin, laces, dress pieces and etc. In the rooms were shown nothing but the most select and correct styles and trimmings. As one enthusiastic girl said several of the hats were perfect dreams. But a satisfactory description is impossible and as the technicalities are too numerous to detail here our readers cannot do better than call at the store where the mysteries of the magic art will be explained to them.

DUNDAS & FLAVELLE.

The well known and reliable firm of Dundas and Flavelle also held their opening Tuesday. As usual the affair taken in anyway was a most brilliant success. The whole store and millinery department was a veritable dreamland of beauty, splendor and loveliness. Rarely has there ever been such a display. Ladies who have had the opportunity of seeing the various city establishments give the Lindsay firm the palm.

MISSES PATON

The Misses Paton's opening was crowded from morning till night. The store is especially adapted for millinery display and when it was decorated and everything shown with unusual taste and extra care the place looked very pretty indeed. In fashionable and correct millinery the Misses Paton are leaders, as was evidenced at their opening. The artistic decorations, the profusion of, but not conflicting, colors, and the pleasant, cheery appearance of the whole store went a good way to add to the brilliant success of the affair.

The Papal Ablegate Confers with Laurier.

Ottawa, April 4.—The papal ablegate, Mgr. del Val, arrived here last night, and was welcomed with the greatest possible cordiality. He reached the C.P.R. station from Montreal at 8 30, and was received by Mgr. Routhier, the vicar-general of the archdiocese of Ottawa, and a number of priests. The station and approaches were thronged by a crowd of some 2,000 persons who applauded loudly when the delegate made his appearance. The distinguished visitor, who acknowledged the salutations of the crowd by repeatedly bowing, was conducted to a carriage and driven to the palace, where he exchanged greetings with archbishop Duhamel. After remaining for a short time, Mgr. del Val proceeded to the general hospital on Water street, a catholic institution, in which he has been assigned a comfortable suite of rooms.

The delegate spent the greater part of to-day resting quietly in his rooms, having since his arrival in Canada undergone considerable exertion. In the early morning he celebrated mass in the chapel of the hospital. Later on Mr. Laurier called at the institution, and was closeted with Mgr. del Val for more than an hour. In the afternoon Mr. R. W. Scott was a visitor, and it is stated arranged for a further interview to-morrow.

Rev. J. W. MacMillan of this town, while in Ottawa, was the guest of his old friend of British Columbia days, Rev. Mr. Maxwell, M.P.

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Mr. Robert P. Yetts, Dept. Inland Revenue, Ottawa.
Mr. T. C. Barrie, Box 236, Perth.
Master Willie Burgess, Fairknowe, Brockville.
Mrs. G. E. Valleau, 320 Gilmour street, Ottawa.

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Society Notes.

MONDAY, April 12,—Meeting of Home Circle No. 34.

TUESDAY, April 13,—Regular monthly meeting of L.O.L., No. 557.

WEDNESDAY, April 14.—Regular monthly meeting of Preceptory, No. 262, R.B.K. of I.

Collegiate Institute Notes.

The weekly meeting of the literary society society was held last Friday evening at four o'clock in the Assembly hall. A large audience, consisting of the members of the society and a number of visitors, was present.

A duett by Misses Orr and Gregory, opened the programme. Miss Bowes' recitation was highly appreciated. The mandolin solo by Miss Teresa Benson accompanied on the piano by Miss Edith Piper, won, as usual, great applause. Mr. Smith then gave a recitation; Mr. Ashton favored the audience with an instrumental, which delighted all present. The Rev. Mr. Marsh gave an account of his work among the distant missions and gave the pupils some very instructive advice. The national anthem was then played and the meeting closed.

There will be no meting to-night (Friday) on account of the lecture in the evening by Mr. Punshon.

About a score of your fellows in the north ward have been getting up early these beautiful mornings and taking run every day from three to six miles. Several of them will take a prominent part in the sports this season; the others are out for the mere exercise.

Spots.

Mr. Best has ordered an Antelope wheel.

The bicycle club contemplate holding a gymkhana early in May.

Mr. H W Parkinson of Oakwood is riding a Brantford racing wheel.

Tuesday's Globe says that it is expected that Lindsay will have a cycle meet on the 24th May.

Any of the agents are going to talk up their wheels and intending purchasers need not be too considerate in giving them this trouble.

There will be a meeting of the Lindsay bicycle club in the curling club rooms on Tuesday evening. All members are requested to be present.

The Governor-general's cup won by the Lindsay curlers recently, by beating Sarnia, arrived in town last week, it has been on exhibition in Dundas & Flavelle's store window.

The three towns after the C.W.A. meet, London, Chatham and Brantford are making strenuous efforts to gain ground Chatham and Brantford are running neck and neck. The Lindsay club is supporting Bitford.

A lacrosse meeting for organization purposes called last week, although there was a good attendance, for some reason was postponed. It is not likely that there will be a team in town this year, though there is excellent material for one.

The collegiate institute was represented in sports this year by foot ball, cricket, base ball and lawn tennis. In all of the collegiate has always been able to turnout good representatives. Of course the sports will strive to keep up the record of the school this season.

Births

LYTLE.—In Lindsay, on Friday, April 4th, the wife of Mr. W. H. Lytle a daughter.

WHITBY.—At Port Perry on Thursday, March 25th, the wife of Mr. L. Whitby, merchant tailor, of a daughter.

JONES.—At Brooklin, on March 26th, the wife of Wm. Jones of a daughter.

Marriages

LYWOOD—ORR.—At St. Andrew's manse, Lindsay, by the Rev. J. MacMillian, on Monday, March 24th, Mr. Samuel Wesley Lywood, of Cartwright township, to Miss Eliza Jane Orr, of Lindsay.

Deaths.

SLOAN.—In Lindsay, on Friday, April 5th, 1897, Joseph Sloan, aged years.

CRELLAR.—In Sarnia, on Friday, April 3rd, 1897, John Crellar, aged years.

WHITESIDE.—At Little Britain, on Wednesday, 7th inst., Margaret, relict of the late R. F. Whiteside, aged 89 years.

DEANE.—At Windsor, on Friday, April 3rd, Michael Deane, D.L.S. formerly of Lindsay, aged 77 years.

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COMMERCIAL.

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Lindsay Markets

Fall Wheat, per bushel	0 72 to 0 72
Fife do do	0 67 to 0 67
Spring do do	0 67 to 0 67
Goose do do	0 00 to 0 60
Flour, new process straight roller	2 10 to 2 20
Flour, mixed, roll	2 20 to 2 40
Buckwheat Flour	1 40 to 1 60
Strong bakers	2 30 to 2 50
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	1 40 to 1 60
Corn Chop, per 100 lbs	1 00 to 1 10
Oat meal, per 90 lbs. Rolled	1 45 to 1 65
Barley, No. 1 per bushel	0 20 to 0 25
Barley, No. 2 per bushel	0 00 to 0 22
Barley, No. 3x per bushel	0 00 to 0 20
Barley, No. 3 2-rowed per bushel	0 00 to 0 25
Peas, Mummy	0 40 to 0 40
Peas, large Blackeye	0 50 to 0 50
Peas, small Prince Albert	0 38 to 0 40
Oats, do	0 00 to 0 18
Buckwheat	0 20 to 0 20
Potatoes per bag	40 to 0 45
Apples, per bag	0 45 to 0 60
Butter per lb	0 16 to 0 18
Butter Tub or Firkin per lb	0 10 to 0 13
Lard per lb	0 09 to 0 10
Beef	5 00 to 5 00
Eggs, per dozen	0 09 to 0 10
Turkeys	0 09 o 0 10
Geese	0 06 to 0 07
Ducks	0 45 to 0 60
Chickens, per pair	0 30 to 0 40
Salt, per barrel	1 15 to 1 25
Straw, per load	2 00 to 2 50
Wool	0 18 to 0 20
Hides	5 00 to 5 50
Wood	3 00 to 4 00
Bacon per lb	00 10 to 0 12
Mess Pork, per bbl.	15 00 to 16 00
Hay per ton	7 00 to 8 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 50 to 6 25
Live Hogs, " " "	4 00 to 4 75
Rye	0 30 to 0 30
Bran per cwt	0 50 to 0 60
Shorts per cwt	0 55 to 0 65
Lambskins	0 50 to 0 60
Sheepskins, pelts	0 50 to 0 80
Flax seed per 100	1 50 to 2 00
Red Clover	4 00 to 5 00
Alsike	3 00 to 4 25
Timothy Seed, per bush	1 50 to 2 00

Cream, 20c. per quart.
Pork sides, 5 to 6c. per lb.

Toronto

TORONTO OWT., April 9, 1897.

Wheat, white, per bush	0 73 to 0 74
Wheat, red, per bush	0 73 to 0 73
Wheat, goose, per bush	0 62½ to 0 63½
Barley, per bush	0 29 to 0 30
Oats, per bush	0 21 to 0 22½
Peas, per bush	0 41 to 0 41
Rye, per bush	0 30 to 0 32
Buckwheat, per bush	0 29 to 0 32
Turkeys, per lb	0 11 to 0 12
Ducks, per pair	0 40 to 0 80
Chickens, per pair	0 35 to 0 50
Geese, per lb	0 08 to 0 09
Butter, in 1 lb. rolls	0 15 to 0 16
Eggs per dozen	0 11 to 0 11
Onions, per bush	1 00 to 1 25
Potatoes, per bag	0 28 to 0 30
Beans, per bush	0 75 to 0 85
Carrots, per ton	0 00 to 0 00
Beets, per bag	0 40 to 0 50
Parsnips, per bag	0 00 to 0 40
Apples, per bbl	0 40 to 1 50
Hay per ton	11 00 to 12 00
Straw, sheaf	7 00 to 8 00
Beef, hinds	0 04 to 0 70
Beef, fores	0 02 to 0 04½
Lamb, carcass, lb	0 06½ to 0 05
Veal, carcass per lb	0 05 to 0 006
Mutton, carcass, per lb	0 04 to 0 3½
Dressed hogs	5 50 to 6 07

Toronto Cattle Market

Cows, each	15 00	36 00
Export cattle, per cwt	3 75	4 50
Butchers' choice cattle, cwt	3 25	3 50
Butchers' good cattle, cwt	3 50	3 50
Bulls, per cwt	2 75	3 50
Feeders, per cwt	3 00	3 75
Stockers, per cwt	2 50	3 10
Sheep, per cwt	3 00	3 50
Lambs, per cwt	5 00	5 50
Calves, per head	4 00	6 00
Choice bacon hogs, per cwt	5 15	5 25
Thick fat hogs, per cwt	4 60	4 70
Light fat hogs, per cwt	4 50	4 75
Sows, per cwt	2 25	3 50
Stags, per cwt	2 25	2 50
Boars, per cwt	1 75	2 00

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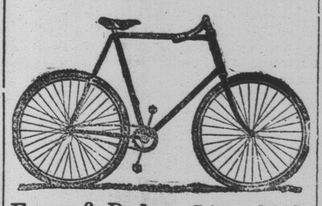

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Stormer,	"	75.
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