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BORN.

JACKSON—In Newmarket, on the 11th inst., the wife of Mr. L. G. Jackson, of the Era, of a son.

GAMBLE—In Acton, on the 21st March, the wife of Mr. Thomas Gamble, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

EDMONDSON—TROTTER.—In Parliament Street Baptist church, Toronto, on Wednesday, 14th March, by Rev. Chas. A. Cook, Mr. Harry Edmondson, of Toronto, formerly of Limehouse, to Miss Maggie Trotter, of Acton.

DIED.

WORDEN—At Acton, on the 16th inst., Selina A. Worden, eldest daughter of the late Freeman Worden, aged 27 years, 1 months and 11 days.

ANTHONY—At Saginaw, Mich., on the 18th inst., George Anthony, of Saginaw, Mich., aged 51 years.

ALEXANDER—At Norval, on March 11th, 1888, the wife of Rev. Joseph Alexander, aged 56 years.

FREEMAN—On March 16th, at Freeman, Mary, beloved wife of Joshua Freeman, aged 67 years.

McIVROSS—At 220 Robert street, Toronto, on the 20th inst., Isabel, daughter of James Innes McIntosh, aged 1 year and 11 months.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1888.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Votes for the repeal of the Scott Act will take place on the 19th April in Bruce, Dufferin, Renfrew, Simcoe, Stormont, Dundas and Glengary.

Employees of the Bell Telephone Company were fined $10 and costs each in Toronto last week for destroying shade trees on Church street. Telegraph and telephone companies cannot cut branches off trees without permission of the owner, or the corporation if the trees be on the streets. Here is a pointer for the municipal fathers of Acton.

Hereafter the registration fee on letters to the United States will be two cents instead of five. The parcel post system came into vogue on the first of the present month. The end of the parcel must be left open for inspection and parcels sent across the line will be subject to custom regulations. The rate of postage will be one cent for every four ounces.

Sir John A. Macdonald should not run the risk of going off the stage without giving Canada manhood suffrage. Place the ballot in the hands of every young man from the Atlantic to the Pacific, Sir John, and they will not betray the trust by voting for any anti-Canadian policy. Mostly born and bred in the country, they have pride in its future, and would scorn to dance attendance upon Washington every time this country needed a change of tariff.—*Ford.*

Grip devoted its front page last week to illustrating the recent repeal of the Scott Act in this county. It pictures a corpulent man seated on a whiskey barrel planted in the sands on the shore of the lake. In his hands are black bottles. His attitude is that of one convulsed with laughter. A short distance away stands a woman, representing public opinion. Her outstretched left arm points to the rising sun. Her right hand rests upon the shoulder of a curly-headed boy, who grasps an anchor which is reared at his side. The waves have ebbed sufficiently to disclose the word "Halton." And beneath this picture runs the legend, "The tide has ebbed, that's all! Before long the great curling wave of public opinion will sweep along that shore and submerge poor Hommy and his barrel beyond all hope. Let him laugh while he can!"

ACTON MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

The Business They Transacted at Their Last Meeting—New Municipal Officers.

Council met on Wednesday evening, 14th inst.

The Reeve in the chair and members all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

A by-law to appoint a sexton and caretaker for Fairview Cemetery was introduced, read the required number of times and passed; Wm. Smith being appointed to such office at a salary of twenty dollars per annum, and the privilege of the grass on the unsurveyed portions.

The Finance Committee presented their second report as follows:—

Johnston & McLean, balance in full for Cemetery suit, 1887	$100.00
Johnston & McLean re Murphy lot, 1887	44.74
Johnston & McLean re Leasing Cemetery	2.00
Luther Lyman, 3 months salary	26.25
H. P. Moore, publishing annual report	19.84
Thos. Easton, feeding tramps	7.40
Dr. Stacey, attending sick person	5.00
J. E. McGarvin, Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths	3.30
	$218.53

Upon motion of W. E. Smith and W. P. Brown the report was adopted.

The Reeve referred to the necessity for the appointment of the Local Board of Health, as required by statute for the current year.

Upon motion of Councillors Brown and Ismond the following ratepayers were appointed as Board of Health, in conjunction with the Reeve and Clerk who are ex-officio members:—H. P. Moore, James McLam and W. R. Kenney.—Carried.

A meeting of the Board will be held in the Council chamber on Monday evening, 26th inst., for organization.

Moved by W. P. Brown, seconded by Wm. Ismond, that Edward Nicklin be appointed Sanitary Inspector for the current year at a salary of $20.—Carried.

Moved by Wm. Ismond, seconded by John Kenney, that Dr. Stacey be the Medical Health officer for this municipality for the current year.—Carried.

The matter of issuing licenses under the Crooks Act was referred to. The feeling of the members generally was in favor of a considerably higher rate than that previously charged under license.

The dog nuisance was referred to, and a by-law to require all dog owners to tag their canines is likely to be introduced.

Upon motion the Council adjourned to meet on Monday evening, 2nd April.

SERIOUS FIRE AT BERLIN.

BERLIN, March 19.—The Victoria block built by Mr. John A. Mackie thirty-two years ago, and one of the most substantial buildings in the heart of the town, was consumed by fire on Saturday night. The block was occupied by J. F. Steinacker, dealer in pictures and frames; John A. Mackie, dry-goods; C. Keller, baker and confectioner, and H. Ellis, clerk at the express office. The stables of the Commercial hotel and The Freie Presse building adjoined the block, both frame buildings, but were saved. Mr. Ellis, who lived in the second storey, over Mr. Steinacker's establishment, where the fire originated, was rescued with great difficulty. Mr. Mackie's loss is estimated at $25,000, covered by $11,000 insurance, as follows:—In the Economical, $1,500; Commercial Union, $2,000; Wellington, $6,000; City of London, $1,000. Mr. Keller saved his furniture and stock, but greatly damaged. Mr. Steinacker's and Mr. Ellis' effects are a total loss; no insurance. The cause of the fire was a defective stove.

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PROHIBITION THE ISSUE.

A National Convention to be Held to Plan Action by Which General Prohibition of the Liquor Traffic will be Secured.

The Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance opened its annual session at the Temperance hall, Toronto on Tuesday morning. President W. H. Howland occupied the chair. The Executive Committee, through its chairman, J. J. Maclaren, Q.C., presented its report. It called upon all to put temperance above party, and continued:—The increasing prominence given to the prohibition question at election times makes clear the fact that the growing independent sentiment of our electors is being recognized by politicians and parties. In this connection we would again urge our friends in every locality to unite regardless of party in definite, active organizations that will make themselves felt in every electoral contest. We know that by such plans temperance voters could hold the political balance of power, and secure everywhere, as representatives, men in harmony with our views. It is specially desirable that in the approaching campaigns there should be perfect union and determination in our ranks.

The executive also suggested the calling of a representative National Prohibition Convention, to be held at some central point during the coming summer, to consider past progress in the history of prohibitive legislation in the country; the present position of our reform, and to plan for further aggressive action. The Convention cordially endorsed the proposition and the alliance will proceed to arrange for a national convention.

An encouraging review of the work done during the past year was presented.

CANADIAN PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Meeting of the Executive Committee.—A Committee Appointed to Visit Ottawa Regarding the Libel law.

The executive Committee of the Canadian Press Association met last Friday at the Rossin House, Toronto, the president, Mr. J. J. Crabbe, in the chair. There were present besides the chairman, Mr. W. R. Chimie, secretary, and Messrs. H. P. Moore, Acton; W. Watt, Brantford; A. Pattullo, Woodstock; H. Hough, John Cameron, Dr. Dewart and C. B. Robinson, Toronto, and Roy V. Somerville, Dundas.

The first matter discussed was the alterations to the libel law, which it was understood were to be embodied in a bill to be brought before the Dominion House this session. Mr. Cameron mentioned the chief points to be aimed at, viz., that journalists should not be taken from one Province to answer for an alleged libel published in another, and that the Dominion law should, as regards opportunities for corrections, etc., be assimilated as far as possible to that now in force in Ontario.

The committee was unanimous in its resolve to urge the needed reforms forward, and it was finally moved by Mr. A. Pattullo and seconded by Mr. C. Blackett Robinson, "That Messrs. John Cameron, W. Watt and J. B. Trayes be a committee of the Canadian Press Association to act in conjunction with journalists in the House of Commons and other pressmen to press upon the Minister of Justice an amendment of the law of libel and the introduction of such a bill during the present session of Parliament as was promised representatives of this association last year in an interview with the Minister of Justice." The committee will proceed to Ottawa at once and present the views of the association.

The advisability of holding a winter session of the association was then debated and the following resolution was passed:—"Moved by Mr. Somerville, seconded by Mr. A. Pattullo, that in arranging for the annual trip it is suggested that it be made a point to have a stay of several days at one place, the time to be partially occupied by a programme to be arranged beforehand with a view to both business and pleasure."

After revising the list of members the meeting adjourned.—*Globe.*

THE HALTON ASSIZES.

The Spring Assizes were held last week before Hon. Justice Street. There were three civil and three criminal cases on the docket. The grand jury returned the following true bills: Regina v. Lyons criminal seduction, under the Charlton Act; Regina v. T. Hope, *alias* Hoover, false pretence; Regina v. R. Bennett, perjury.

Of the civil cases Hopkins v. Devine was by consent of counsel transferred to the Hamilton Assizes, and Simson v. Anderson also by consent was transferred to the Toronto list for the assizes commencing there on Tuesday next.

The case of Cree v. Littlejohn was then taken up. It is an action to recover the amount of a mortgage, made in 1874 which the plaintiff alleges that he gave to the defendant to register, and which was never done. The defendants deny the existence of the mortgage, and allege that if there was such an instrument, they never had possession of it. The case was not concluded, and by agreement of counsel the further hearing was transferred to Toronto. Wm. Laidlaw, Q. C., and D. McGibbon appeared for the plaintiff, and J. S. Fullerton and J. W. Elliott for the defendants.

In the case of Regina vs. Lyons at the close of the case for the Crown the judge held that the complainant's evidence had not been corroborated, and directed the jury to acquit the accused, which was done.

Thomas Hope, alias J. D. Hoover, was placed on trial on a charge of defrauding in several transactions. The Crown failed to establish its case and the judge directed a verdict of not guilty.

Robert Bennett was next tried for perjury alleged to have been committed in June, 1886. The jury, after half an hour's absence returned with a verdict of not guilty. W. H. Bowlby, Q.C. Berlin, conducted the prosecution; D. McGibbon for the defl.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The March Meeting of the Overseers of our Public Schools.

The Board of Trustees of Acton Public School met on Monday evening.

Members present, Mr. I. Francis, chairman, and Messrs. Geo. Hynds, Thomas Ebbage and A. E. Nicklin.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

The Finance Committee presented their second report recommending payment of accounts as follows:—

J. B. Pearson, Insurance	$13 50
H. P. Moore, Adv, Annual Report	5 20
H. Ebbage, School Seats	4 50
	$23 20

Moved by Geo. Hynds, seconded by A. E. Nicklin that the Finance Report be adopted.—Carried.

Moved by Geo. Hynds, seconded by Thomas Ebbage, that Property Committee procure for the use of the School new maps of England, Ireland and Scotland.—Carried.

Upon motion the Board then adjourned.

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FROM THE CAPITAL.

Unrestricted Reciprocity—The Combines Investigation—Prof. Saunders on Wheat—The Manitoba Difficulty.

CHAT OF THE CORRIDORS.

OTTAWA, March 20.—The debate on Unrestricted Reciprocity cannot be brought to a close before to morrow night unless the government should decree that the House sit all night to-night. The debate began on Wednesday so that my prediction of its lasting at least a week has been verified. In submitting the resolution Sir Richard Cartwright took four hours to state his case. His speech occupies 84 columns of Hansard and will become the new testament that will furnish texts to the liberal speakers in future campaigns. The hon. gentleman first undertook to prove the necessity for a change of public policy because the country was not progressing as it ought. Briefly summarized his arguments and figurements were as follows:—Canada had not been able to keep either her immigrant or native population as there were 950,000 native Canadians in the States and three out of four of our immigrants left Canada for the same country. The population we sent to the North West were not there to-day. Still there had been an increase in Canada's population and yet a decrease in our total trade from $217,500,000 in 1875 to $202,000,000 as it was to-day. Our farmers were suffering for need of a larger and wealthier market. He proposed as a remedy four things: 1. Reform in our present system of taxation; 2. Revision of our constitution; 3. The abolition of railway monopoly in Manitoba; 4. The obtaining of perfect free trade with the United States. The Americans were our best customers even as it was, but under the proposed policy our trade with them would increase in a few years from $60,000,000 to $300,000,000. At present we sold $26,000,000 of our natural products to the Americans. Dealing with the sentimental considerations Sir Richard denied that we owed anything to England, except to forgive her statesmen for their blunders in negotiating in behalf of Canada, and we had a right if we chose in our own interest to admit American goods free and tax British goods. He was no annexationist.

THE OBJECTIONS STATED.

Hon. Thos. White in a speech of an hour and a half replied on behalf of the government, ending at midnight. He rallied the Opposition on not knowing whether it was Commercial Union or reciprocity they wanted. Under either Canada would lose $7,000,000 in customs revenue which would have to be made up by direct taxation. Both parties he declared were in favor of reciprocity in natural products but free trade in manufactures would sacrifice our manufacturers. Our trade with the United States was one of competition, not one of exchange. Not more than 10 per cent. of the products of the farm went to the United States. Out of $400,000,000 worth we sent only about $50,000,000. The enlargement of the home market was the best policy for the farmer. Using Mr. Blee's figures Mr. White argued that the farmers of Canada were prosperous and increasing in wealth. As to population Canada had increased faster than the New England States and Canadians were now leaving Dakota and returning to Manitoba. Canada, said the minister, was always ready to enter into the freest commercial relations with the States so long as the policy of protection to our own industries was not abandoned. Next day Mr Davies, of Prince Edward Island supported and Hon Mr. Foster, of New Brunswick, replied. Many of the arguments on both sides were repetitions, and it would fill this letter to summarise one half of them. In reply to the charge of disloyalty the Opposition say if Great Britain is hurt it does not matter if Canada is benefitted. The Ministerialists say it is an unprecedented thing to tax the goods of the parent state and admit those of a foreign country free. Sir Charles Tupper has since Wednesday been confined to his room with a cold and is not expected to be able to take part in the debate.

A GOVERNMENT AMENDMENT.

Before sitting down Hon. Mr. Foster moved an amendment setting forth that Canada was desirous of cultivating and extending her trade with the United States in so far as that may not conflict with the National Policy. It is expected that the Opposition will take the vote on an amendment to the amendment to be moved.

THE COMBINES INVESTIGATION.

Mr. Clark Wallace's committee to inquire into the existing combines has been sitting almost every day and brought out a good deal of evidence, in relation to sugar chiefly, though also tobacco, watch cases, and coal. Montreal wholesale grocers showed how when they refused to join the Guild the sugar refiners charged them more for sugar than the prices quoted the members of the Guild and made them pay cash in 14 days. The President of the Canada Sugar Refinery admitted this to be the case. He justified it on the ground that heretofore the grocers had been selling sugar at cost. Members of the Guild testified that the trade in sugars had become so unprofitable that a combination was necessary to conduct the trade on business principles with a profit. It has also been brought out that there are combinations controlling the prices of matches, pickles and baking powder. Whatever may be argued from the facts brought out the evidence is certainly of great public interest.

PROFESSOR SAUNDERS ON WHEAT.

Important to farmers is the evidence before the Committee of the House on Agriculture. Prof. Saunders of the Ottawa Experimental Farm said the results of his experiments with Russian wheat showed an average yield of 14 bushels in Ontario taking 69 days on the average to ripen, in Quebec 12 bushels in 85 days. Some of the wheat showed rust in both Provinces. In Manitoba the average yield was 76½ bushels and over the Dominion 38 bushels. Experts differed to the quality of flour from Russian wheat. Every variety of wheat the Professor said tended to run out and new varieties should be introduced. Wherever reddie wheat could be sown he recommended its continuance. There was less rust with Russian than with reddie and the Russian wheat would grade very close to the best quality of reddie. Mr. Watson said he had never known reddie to rust in Manitoba.

THE MANITOBA DIFFICULTY.

Before this is read the result of the negotiations between the Manitoba and Dominion Government may possibly be announced, but at present nothing definite is known. It is rumored that the C. P. R. have expressed a willingness to sell their monopoly in Manitoba, some say for $5,000,000, others $8,000,000. At all events almost daily conferences between the Federal and Manitoban ministers and the Canadian Pacific officials are being held.

CHAT OF THE CORRIDORS.

In a discussion of the Civil Service it was stated officially that there are now 2000 young men who have passed the examinations. There are 200 applications for employment in the Printing Bureau.

I am informed by a member that the Government will introduce a redistribution bill for the Territories which will increase the number of the Northwest Council to 25 and order a general election for June under the new Act. Prohibition or License will be a chief issue and the policy of the Dominion Government will be guided by the result.

Mr. Fiset, of Rimouski, wants a special committee to inquire into the question of quarantine.

The bill which Mr. Charlton will introduce gives extended powers to the Maritime Court of Ontario and the right of appeal to the Supreme Court.

The Canadian Press Association will urge on the Government the amending of the law of libel this session. Public policy demands it.

The Minister of Justice has promised to look into certain provisions of the Seaman's Act said to be unjust to sailors.

Peterboro' wants a new Drill Hall and the Government will build one on the usual terms.

Hamilton is to be made the headquarters of a new Postal Division with an inspector who is not yet appointed.

The illness of Sir Charles Tupper makes the date of the introduction of the Budget and the Fishery Treaty bill uncertain.

Rumor credits the Government with the intention of appointing Mr. McLelan Lieut-Governor of Nova Scotia, Mr. C. H. Tupper becoming Postmaster General.

FARMS SOLD.

The following are only a few of the farms sold last year by Jno. J. Daley & Co., the well known real estate dealers of this city. The purchasers of all the farms the firm sold, with a few exceptions, took possession on the first of March:—200 acres in the township of Puslinch (the Mooney homestead), to Wm. G. Alderson, of Sault Ste Marie, for $7,250, all cash; 100 acres two miles from Guelph for Alfred Drew to Robt. M. Lindsay, of Oneida township, in Co. Haldimand, for $6,500, all cash; 100 acres in Eramosa township for Jno. Taylor to James McGowan, of Collingwood township, in Co. Grey, for $5,400, one half cash; 50 acres in township of Peel for Robt. Hawkins to Hugh McCallum, of Ekfrid township, in Co. Middlesex, for $2,400, cash; 100 acres in West Luther Township to Mr. J. Patterson of Saltfleet township in Co. Wentworth for $3,900, cash; 100 acres near Arthur in West Garafraxa for Mr. Robert Barker of Guelph to one David Henry for $3,500, part cash; 100 acres in Peel township for Hugh Orens, V. S. to Mr. Wm. Buckle of Guelph for $5,000; 89 acres in Grey Co. near Holstein for Mr. Robt. Brown to one Mr. John Smith for $3,500, part cash; 150 acres in Arthur township for Mr. Adam Snyder to Mr. James Pickard of Pickering township in Ontario Co. for $7,000, all cash; 250 acres in township of Charlotteville, in Norfolk Co. for Mr. Adam Laing to Mr. Alfred Couling of Guelph township for $5,500; 100 acres in West Garafraxa for Jas. Cannon to Mr. Henry Dance of Sault Ste Marie for $6,000 all cash; 118 acres bush land in Peel township to Mr. A. Laing of Acton for $3,000, part cash.—Guelph *Mercury.*

PANCAKES IN VARIETY.

On cold winter mornings pancakes of all kinds hold an important place at the breakfast table; the buckwheat cake the most cherished of all. When properly made, this is the most delicious of all the griddle cakes, but it has been against it when made from yeast or risen over night that it was difficult to make light and sweet, and that disagreeable effects frequently followed its eating. It is found that by the use of the Royal Baking Powder to raise the batter the objections have been entirely overcome, and that buckwheat cakes are made a most delicious food, light, sweet, tender wholesome, that can be eaten by anyone without the slightest digestive inconvenience. Once tested from the following receipt no other will be used: two cups of buckwheat, one cup of wheat flour, two tablespoons of Royal Baking Powder, one half teaspoonfull of salt, all sifted well together. Mix with milk into a thin batter and bake at once on a hot griddle.

The purest and richest syrup is made by dissolving sugar in the proportion of three pounds of sugar to one pint of water. Many persons prefer the flavor of syrup made of Orleans sugar to that made of the white.

Rice griddle cakes are very delicious. The rice is cooked until perfectly soft, drained dry, mashed with a spoon until the grains are well broken up. For each cupful of rice take two eggs, one pint of milk, one heaping teaspoonful of Royal Baking Powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt, and flour enough to make a thin batter.

For hominy cakes take two cupfuls of cooked hominy, and crush it with a potato-masher until it is a smooth mass. Add one level teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of Royal Baking Powder, and one cupful of flour. Stir together; then add by degrees one quart of milk, and lastly three well beaten eggs. Bake in thin cakes.

Very delicate and delicious cakes are made by allowing two teaspoonfuls of Royal Baking Powder and one-half teaspoonful of salt to one quart of milk, and sufficient corn meal, mixing all into a smooth, thin batter; no eggs or butter are used for these. The cakes bake quickly to a rich deep brown, and are extremely tender and light.

A very delicious, sweet pancake is made by taking one pint of sweet milk, four eggs, two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, one teaspoonful of Royal Baking Powder, and flour enough to make a moderately thin batter. Beat the eggs, whites and yolks separately, until well frothed, stir the butter, sugar, and one cupful of flour, into which the baking-powder has been mixed, into the yelks, then add the milk. If seeded, add more flour. Bake in small cakes, butter each one as it comes from the fire, place four in a pile, with very thin layers of any kind of sweet jelly between, and powdered sugar over the top. They should be baked very thin and four served to each person.

One of the most singular and pathetic results of the late blizzard in New York was the embargo it placed on funeral processions. In a great city like that more than a hundred persons die every day, and so the fact remains that before the storm subsided nearly or quite six hundred bodies lay unburied. The picture which this suggests may safely be left to the imagination. Hundreds of households were made doubly desolate by the howling of the winds and the apparently merciless and ruthless despotism of the elements.

Rev. R. W. Williams, Methodist minister, of Waterloo, while on his way to Galt Tuesday night to hear the Japanese missionaries, Rev. Mr. Hiraiwa, was assisting some ladies off the train at Doon, when he slipped and fell breaking both of the bones of his leg below his knee. He was assisted on the train and brought to Galt, and taken to the Queen's hotel, where he was attended by Dr. Vardon. He will be compelled to stay there some time.

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And notice is hereby given that after the ... 23rd day of April, 1888, the said Henry ... the acting executor as aforesaid, will proceed ... distribute the assets of the said deceased ... the parties entitled thereto, having regard ... to the claims of which he shall have had ... and the said acting executor will not be ... for the assets, or any part thereof, to any ... or persons of whose claim or claims he ... have had notice at the time of such distribution.

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