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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. On no occasion will the names of Old Advertisements be inserted here.

The Ottawa Times WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 1868.

To-day being set apart by proclamation for the day celebration of the anniversary of the formation of the Dominion of Canada, a paper will be issued from this office to-morrow morning.

The Hon. Mr. TILLEY left yesterday afternoon for St. John; and the Hon. Mr. KEENE left this morning for Halifax.

THOUGH no general movement has been made on the part of the city for the celebration of Dominion Day; yet there are many private enterprises of an enjoyable character on foot, and no doubt the day will be what it ought to be, one of pleasant recreation and general enjoyment.

On Halifax correspondent has sent us a couple of despatches, from which it appears that the Wilkes' Cabinet is disposed to make itself as disagreeable as possible.

The first anniversary of the formation of the Dominion of Canada is naturally suggestive of some thoughts on the ultimate success of the "experiment."

And perhaps our modern age has the sorry privilege of boasting a greater number of such "fools" than any that has preceded it.

And the new Constitution of the Dominion is in its trial like the rest; it is not upon a very lengthy career as yet; nor is it upon the whole a very original conception.

Our sympathies are very strongly, and our convictions quite honestly, on the side of the class last named. The Central Government is strong enough, in fact supreme, in matters of dispute between it and any of the Local Governments;

And the Local Governments have all the power that is necessary for them to frame their local institutions in harmony with the genius of their people.

Our Toronto "special" informs us that the Toronto City Council was memorialized to bring out another cargo of servant girls.

MAJOR AND REVEREND'S great clearing sale previous to removal continues to-day.

DOMINION DAY.

In accordance with the Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor-General, the Mayor of the City of Ottawa has proclaimed this the anniversary of the formation of the Dominion of Canada, a public holiday, to be observed as such by the cities in a day-and-a-half manner.

Excursion and Picnic Parties.—An excursion train leaves Ottawa for Prescott at 7 o'clock this morning, connecting with the steamer Prescott for Brockville, where the excursionists will witness the celebration of Dominion Day, and returning will arrive in Ottawa at 10:30 p.m.

The Queen Victoria Company's Pic-Nic.—The second annual picnic of the Queen Victoria Company will take place at the Bell's Gardens at Hull, to-day, where the usual games and amusements will be duly attended to, and the company will do all in their power to make their friends and visitors happy.

Grand Excursion to Caledonia Springs.—An excursion leaves on the steamer Queen Victoria at 6:30 a.m., returning to-morrow. Mr. Giannelli has prepared great attractions for visitors, in the shape of the necessary means of enjoyment, amongst which will be a grand display of fireworks in the evening.

Lacrosse.—A match at the national game of lacrosse will come off to-day between the two crack clubs of Ottawa—the Ontario and Montreal Lacrosse Clubs—on the Skating Rink field at 1 o'clock, p.m.

Irish Canadian.—John Fitzhugh, E. Warren, J. McGuire, T. O'Connell, P. McNamara, M. O'Boyle, T. Lacey.

Riders.—F. Sauriol, Z. Daniels, T. Brule, L. Ricard, C. Proulx, L. Lamarche.

GRAND THEATRICAL EXHIBITION.—The grand dramatic piece Alfred the Great advertised to take place at the University of St. Joseph's, was presented by the students of that institution to a large, intelligent and appreciative audience last evening in very excellent style.

PROLOGUE TO KING ALFRED.—DELIVERED BY THE STUDENTS OF ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE, OTTAWA, AT THEIR ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS, JUNE 29, 1868.

What play King Alfred! How dare you children of the woods! In your lone forests, think you can recound A name so grand, famed the wide world around?

That great Alfred's name! The musical part of the evening's entertainment under the able direction of the Rev. Father Deibel, gave great satisfaction, and comprised the first game of operatic music by the Eves of this college presented in a very creditable manner, which detained the great drama of Alfred the Great in a very creditable manner, which detained the great drama of Alfred the Great in a very creditable manner.

INSPECTION OF OTTAWA VOLUNTEERS.

On Monday evening the semi-annual inspection of the Brigade of Garrison Artillery, Major Forrest commanding, and the Ottawa Rifles, Major Grant commanding, took place on the field in rear of the Russell House.

On Monday evening last, the men employed in the erection of Mr. Booth's saw mill at the Chaudiere, presented their foreman, Mr. Preper, with a handsome gold chain, as a mark of their appreciation of his kindness, together with the following address:

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VOLENTIER CAMP.

St. Andrews, June 27, 1868. The St. Andrews Cavalry Troop and the 11th Battalion "Argenteuil Rangers," marched into camp here on Thursday evening last, mustering 440 strong, to perform the annual drill for 1868-69.

The Officers of the 11th Battalion are as follows: Major MacDonald, Commanding; Major S. Rogers, Adjutant; Captain Samuel McDonald, Surgeon; Dr. Maynard; Assistant Surgeon, Robertson; and Acting Paymaster and Quartermaster, F. Lamb.

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REVIEW OF THE 43RD BATTALION AND CIVIL SERVICE RIFLES REGIMENT.

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By spending a few weeks yearly at the CALEDONIA SPRINGS you need scarcely insure your life unless against accidents.

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FROM HALIFAX. No Public Celebration of Dominion Day—Escape of Prisoners, &c. Special to THE TIMES.

FROM TORONTO. Silver at 10 per cent Discount—Aid to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce R.R.—Aid to Miss Rye—Dominion Day. Special to THE TIMES.

CABLE NEWS. THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES. London, June 30.—The debate on the Irish Church Appropriation Bill was continued in the House of Lords last night.

EXCURSION TO TURBO. CALLING AT BUCKINGHAM. DOMINION DAY, JULY 1st, 1868, by the splendid new and favorite Steamer "ALEXANDRA."

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