

New Advertisements.

RE OLD ADVERTISEMENTS DELETED IN THIS...
Removal of Advertisement—Cool Springs...
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New Goods just arrived...
T. W. KENNY AND SONS...
Merchandise Tailors...

The Times.

OTTAWA, SATURDAY, SEPT. 18, 1875.
Mr. Adam Gordon, M.P., is in town, and stopping at the Union house.

Hon. Isaac Burpee, Minister of Customs, returned to town yesterday morning.

Arthur McNutt Cochran, Esq., of Maland, county of Hants, has been called to the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia.

Mr. Hector Cameron has been confirmed in his seat for North Victoria in the House of Commons, by the Court of Error and Appeal.

Official notification has been received from the University of London that Mr. Shurman, of Acadia College, N. S., has been awarded the Gold Medal Scholarship of the University.

Mr. Miller has been unseated and disqualified to hold his seat in the Local Legislature for Muskoka. Mr. Neelon has been unseated and disqualified to sit in the same house for Lincoln.

It has been decided to play the International Cricket Tournament in Ottawa, next year. It is to be hoped Canadians will regain whatever laurels they have lost in Philadelphia this year.

Mr. Andrew Russell, P. L. S., formerly Assistant Commissioner of Crown Lands, Ontario, and lately appointed to the Department of Interior, will act as Surveyor General during the absence of Col. Dennis in Manitoba.

Mr. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries has returned to the capital, after a very pleasant sojourn in the Old Country. He was accompanied on the homeward journey by Mr. Ford, Her Majesty's Charge d'Affaires at Darmstadt, and Mr. Berge, of the Foreign Office.

We have been informed by the Marine Department that orders were sent from the Meteorological Office at Toronto at ten o'clock yesterday morning, directing the storm drum to be hoisted at the following places, and giving notice that a storm would probably occur in the evening, viz.: St. John and St. Andrew, New Brunswick; and Halifax, Digby and Liverpool, Nova Scotia.

THE FOOLISHNESS OF SOME FRESHNESS.

The objection of non-residence, when made against the election of a candidate for a seat in Parliament, is a very silly one. We regret to find a leading Liberal paper in western Ontario attempting, at a time when certainly there is no temptation to make political capital out of the non-resident relation existing between Sir John Macdonald and his constituency. The paper in question is the Hamilton Times, which says—'Sir John A. Macdonald has been elected to the seat in Parliament for the Ontario constituency of Hamilton, apparently oblivious to his existence as well as that of his well-weighed unwilling constituents. This snubbing was doubtless intentional as the King no longer contemplates the "Limestone City" with complacency, and feels that it holds upon the people is diminishing and becoming more beautifully less. Kingstons must feel keenly the position as he holds a sort of appanage of a politician who resides elsewhere. So long as Sir John was in power he expected Kingstons to return him though he lived in Ottawa, and now he looks for continued favours though being out of power he can reside where he pleases and be chosen Toronto.'

We believe the disposition to silence this empty objection is rapidly gaining headway. There is now very little tendency, excepting under the temptations presented in the course of a hotly contested election, to urge the objection of non-residence. There are occasions, when elections are being fought out with more than average keenness of determination, to win, when the temptation to make use of every artifice and every weapon available likely to influence the minds of the electors is almost irresistibly strong. At such times a good deal of resort is had to the cry of non-residence if it happens to be applicable to the candidate; and then if at all it is excusable, although in no case justifiable. We say that it is in no case justifiable, because a member of Parliament's first duty to the country, as a whole, his service to his constituents, which the non-resident objection is held to affect, being of a personal and secondary character. Almost invariably they are first-class men, or at least men of high standing and capacity, who are found in the position of non-resident candidates. All things being equal perhaps residence should properly be allowed to turn the scale. But where first-class ability and character are rejected for mediocrity or less, for the reason that the former is said the latter is

not chargeable with the condition of non-residence, a great wrong has been done, a false judgment has been rendered on the merits, and an argument has prevailed of which all sensible men ought to be ashamed. The constituency that would have elected a first-class non-resident, as compared with a resident non-resident, ought to be disfranchised.

THE FINANCE MINISTER ON PUBLIC AFFAIRS.

The Policy of the Government Abridged.

(FROM THE OTTAWA PRESS.)

The Hon. R. J. Cartwright, Finance Minister, this afternoon addressed his constituents at the Town Hall, Niagara, which was filled with one of the most influential audiences ever assembled. Representatives from every township in the county were present, and after a carefully listening to the hour and a half of the Minister's discourse, testified their confidence in him and the Government of which he is a member by a unanimous vote at the close.

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Boots & Shoes. BANKRUPT SALE OF BOOTS & SHOES. The proprietor having purchased...

W. E. BROWN. 15 Bazaar Street. CHILDREN'S BOOKS. A large stock of children's books...

Lamb's Clearing Sale. A large stock of children's books...

Bookbinders. A. HORTON. BOOKBINDER. FINEST BOOKS...

General Agency. Citizens Insurance Co. CAPITAL \$1,000,000.00.

Equitable Life Assurance Company. Cash Assets Over \$20,000,000.00.

Mutual Life Insurance Co. HARTFORD, CONN.

Insurance Co. E. W. MOORE. CAPITAL \$1,000,000.00.

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