The Liberal.

RICHMOND HILL, FRIDAY, Feb. 9, 1883

Election Notes.

The Election takes place on the 27th inst., the Nominations on the 20th.

Proclamations have been issued by the Returning Officers of the various Ridings, calling meetings of the electors for the nomination of Candidates, on the 20th inst. J. M. Lawrence, Esq., Returning Officer for West York, has called the nomination at the Russell House, Weston.

The time is short. Two weeks from Tuesday will tell the tale. Short though it may be, there is enough time however to do the work that is necessary to be done in order to ensure a glorious victory for Provincial Rights, Honest Government and the principles of Temperance, and to give to the party that is willing to lay the Province of Ontario a sacrifice at the feet of Sir John Macdonald and the Quebec Bleus, and who is trampling on Provincial Rights and who is playing into the hands of the liquor interests of the country, such a crushing defeat that they will at once and forever understand that Ontario means to defend her own rights, and allow neither usurper nor traitor to tarnish the fair fame of the Queen Province of the federation.

But this is not to be accomplished without any effort on the part of those who desire to see the right sustained and the wrong crushed out. Let "Excelsior" be written on the banner of every Reformer, and if borne forward with the spirit of Longfellow's hero, and with work, work, work as his motto the goal will be victory; indifference will be sure and ruinous defeat.

There is not a doubt but there will be a very large Conservative vote polled on the day of election. The object of the Conservative lights is to get the same votes they did at the Dominion election. Of course the issues are entirely different, but they will endeavor to blindfold the eyes of many, and no doubt they will succeed to a large extent, but Reformers must not be idle or the enemy will steal a march.

An independent Journal sounds the key note well when it says: "Don't make any mistake. The Conservatives, if Sir John can make them, are going into the fight as Conservatives, not as provincial-righters or provincial-wrongers." Truly provincial rights or provincial wrongs receive no consideration at their hands if they can but carry the elections.

The Mowat Government is going into the battle on the strength of its record during the past twelve years, but the Tories dare not do this—they are taking side issues and trying to drag Dominion politics into the contest. And there are many no doubt who do not trouble themselves to think out matters for themselves will thus be gulled into voting against their own interests.

But should those who are in favor of the N. P. so far as to vote with the Conservatives in the Dominion elections, vote with them in Provincial elections. The N. P. has nothing to do with the Provincial elections. The issues of the present contest are, 1st Will you support Mr. Mowat, who says: "Ontario must have her rights, and the Award of the Arbitrators, giving to Ontario what justly belongs to her, must be ratified," or will you support Mr. Meredith, Sir John Macdonald's henchman, who says:—"One half of Ontario's territory must be taken from her, or we will lose the support of the Quebec Bleus." 2nd—Will you support Mr. Mowat, who say: "Ontario shall make her own laws," or Merdith & Medonald, who say: "Ontario must have the sanction of the Ottawa authorites in all her legislation." 3rd—Will you support Mr. Mowat, who says: "Liquor Licenses shall remain under the control of the Goverment," or Meridith & Macdonald who say they must be given back into the hands of the municipalities, so that there may be free trade in liquor. These are the main issues of the present contest, with many others of almost equal importance.

Yorkville is no more. On Monday its Reeve and Deputy Reeves were introduced to the City Council as the Aldermen of St. Paul's Ward of Toronto. Fare thee well fair sister, Fare thee well!

The *Mail* of the 30th ult., in closing its report of the Conservative Convention at Weston, at which Major Gray was selected as the Conservative standard bearer for West York, gets off the following joke on the gallant Major: "Major Gray was born in the County—which he will no doubt represent in the Legislature—in the year 1837." Its meaning is gramatically correct, but to those who are unfamiliar with the use of dashes, it assumes the character of a good joke.

The Conservative organ is evidently mindful of its shortcomings when it says: "The cries of vulgar brawlers and vindictive charlatans have, we judge, no great weight with the people of Ontario." From its columns Monday, we should conclude that everybody that is not a full-blooded Tory is vile, vindictive, venal, violent, virulent, vicious, or vulgar. The Mail's plane may be a lofty one, but the use of so many alliterative adjectives will not induce people to admit it. *World.*

A *Globe* reporter visited about thirty of the Licensed Victuallers of Toronto, a few days since, to ascertain their view of the proposition of Sir John Macdonald, first made by himself at Yorkville and now through Mr. Meredith on the floor of the House, to restore the granting of Licenses to the Municipal Councils. Of the thirty waited upon, three were in favor of the change, four were indifferent or did not wish to express an opinion, and twenty three answered with an emphatic NO, in every case giving their reasons.

Major Gray, as the first representative of Parkdale, as a separate municipality, in the County Council, made the statement in the County Council that "he hoped he would never live to see the day when a manufactory would be established in Parkdale or that a mechanic would be seen treading its streets with his dinner pail in his hand." And this is the would-be aristocrat who is now soliciting the votes and influence of the manufacturers and mechanics in West York, to become their representative in the halls of our Legislature. We have very little doubt but the manufactures and mechanics along with all other classes of electors in West York will say to the gallant Major on the 27th inst, "stand aside, you don't exactly suit our idea of things."

It is assumed by the chief organ of the Conservatives that all who voted for the N. P. will vote for Mr. Meredith. Of course this is all nonsense. Mr. Meredith has nothing to do with the N. P., just as the N. P. has nothing to do with Mr. Meredith. Scores of Liberals who voted for the N. P. will not vote against their party in Ontario politics The *Mail* is reckoning without its host. But even if otherwise, it take all the votes cast for the N. P. to be thrown in favor of Mr. Meredith to make up for those that have been driven away by the *Mails*, attacks upon the Archbishop in regard to Marmion and its ill-bred sneers at the delegates to the late convention. It is becoming as big a load for the Conservatives to carry through an election as the *Globe* used to be for the Reformers.—*Telegram.*

YORK COUNTY COUNCIL.

FRIDAY'S SESSION.

The Council resumed Friday morning—the Warden in the chair.

After roll call the Council went into Committee of the whole, with Mr. Secor in the chair, on the report of the County Commissioners for 1883.

The Commissioners recommended that the Commissioners of the present year be instructed to re-let gate No. 1 on the Kingston road, for the unexpired portion of the term of letting, on the usual terms, subject also to the right of the county to re-assume the gate in the event of the boundaries of the city of Toronto being extended so as to intrefere therewith. The clause was adopted.

The Council resolved its self into a committee of the whole, with Mr. Ashton in the chair, on the by-law for the appointment of a board of Audit for 1883. Messrs. John Crawford and Eratus Jackson were re-appointed to the position in conjunction with the junior judge of the county.

Mr. Frank Turner moved, seconded by Mr. H. R. Frankland, that all toll-gates on the county roads be forthwith removed. In moving the resolution he said he found that the expenses for 1882, on these roads were $16,800, $14,986, of which was for macadam and labor, and $1,813.58, for sundries, and he found from the engineer that $27,300 had been received from the toll-gates. There were fifteen toll-gates, each of which supported a family It appeared to him that the lowest amount of money that would support these families would be about $500 each, making a total of $7,500, for the fifteen toll-gates. They were paying $7,500 for the purpose of simply collecting $27,300, and it appeared to him that it was altogether too great a percentage. The assessed value of the county was about $30,000,000. and supposing they abolished the toll-gates the money required to maintain the roads would be something less than one third of a mill in the dollar on the whole taxation of the county. It was a very small figure, and the time had come when the toll-gates should be removed not only from an economical point of view, but they were certainly a bar to progress. As Yorkville was *de facto* a part of the city of Toronto, the city would buy that part of the road which runs through that village. Riverside, Parkdale, and Brockton would also come into the city of Toronto, and the city would buy all these pieces of the county roads, The toll-gates should be abolished as soon as arrangements could be made with lessees to take the gates off their hands at a reasonable figure.

After some discussion on the subject, the motion was put, and lost.

The Council then adjourned till Tuesday.

TUESDAY.

The County Council reassembled Tuesday afternoon, with the warden, Mr. E. Jackson, in the chair.

Communications were received from C. B. Ridout, asking the Warden and Council to assist the Infants' Home and Infirmary; A. Rosenrugh, Treasurer of the prisoners' Aid Association, asking a grant to that Association: J. T Jones, High Constable, an increase of salary; the city of Toronto, regarding the termin-

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Mr. J. R. Cuthbertson, Toronto, writes: "My wife had a very severe attack of Pleurisy and Inflammation of the Lungs about three years ago, and ever since has been subject to severe colds on the slightest exposure; in fact they were so frequent that her system was quite reduced. She tried several remedies, but without any permanent effect, until she was induced to try Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, and I am happy to say it has exceeded our anticipations. I have no hesitation in recommending it as a Royal Remedy for all affections of the Lungs and Chest, and for all classes of Wasting Constitutions."

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DANIEL REAMAN, Concord, Executor.

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Executor's Notice.

Pursuant to Section Thirty Four of Chapter One Hundred and Seven of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Ontario

NOTICE

is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the

ESTATE OF JOSEPH SUTTON

late of the Township of Markham in the County of York and Province aforesaid deceased who departed this life on or about the eighteenth day of May A D, 1882 are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Messieurs Lennox & Lennox of the Town of Barrie in the County of Simcoe Solicitors to the Executor under the last will and testament of the said deceased on or before

Saturday, February 24, '83,

a statement of their names and address and full particulars of their claims and of the securities (if any) held by them; and that after the said date last aforesaid the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto regard being had only to the claims of which notice has been given as above required; and the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by the said Solicitors at the time of such distribution.

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Solicitors as aforesaid

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