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Reminiscences of 1837.

WRITTEN FOR THE CHRONICLE.

Canada as a nation is still in its infancy, scarcely old enough to have a history. Still her juvenile experiences have been somewhat stirring. Long ago in 1812, of which we have lately been reading, the infant colony was called upon to fight against the invasion of a sister country, which was not satisfied with the conquest she had made in gaining her independence. Thanks to the loyalty of the red men and able generals, the plans of the Americans were frustrated. This was accomplished at the expense of the lives of brave men, one of the sad and unavoidable consequences of war.

Again in 1837 the infant colony was threatened with disastrous consequences by a few restless spirits who claimed that the affairs of state were managed by favored ones, known as the "Family Compact," entirely for their own aggrandizements, regardless of their country's interests. One of the sad consequences of the degeneracy of the human race is to give ready ear to supposed wrongs, which the agitators knew well how to fan into a flame, which soon became so hot that the safety of the country seemed endangered. The principal agitator, Wm. Lyon McKenzie, succeeded through his paper, "The Colonial Advocate," in convincing the dissatisfied ones that the wrongs were of so grievous a character as to require immediate redress.

Acting upon his suggestions they organized themselves into a body. They considered the time had come to take up arms, regarding this as the wisest and most effective means of regaining their lost rights. The township of Whitby was not lacking in truly loyal and patriotic men, who promptly organized themselves into two companies for drill, that they might be ready in case of emergency: one in Whitby (then Perry's Corners) the other at Hamer's Corners. The companies were known as the "Blazers" and "Bulldogs," one under the command of Dr. Lowe. The writer does not know who took the command of the other. When the companies realized that their services were needed in Toronto they immediately marched to headquarters to fight for and shed their blood in their country's interests if necessary.

On their arrival in Toronto they presented themselves ready for action. Their services were not needed, as the Loyalists had discovered the plan of the rebels, and had set fire to "Montgomery's Tavern," their headquarters, which scattered them and completely broke the back of the rebellion.

Had the services of the Whitby companies been required there is every reason to believe they would have acquitted themselves most nobly, and without a doubt would have been an important factor in crushing the rebellion, which was believed by every loyalist to be most iniquitous. The charger on which our father rode to fight for his country—with sword by his side—proved herself a "faithful beastie," for many, many years on the old homestead. Whether she would have marched boldly up to the mouth of the cannon we never knew, as she was never put to the test. We do not claim for the sword that it was a "trusty blade of Damascus," still it has been a source of regret that we did not appreciate it more than we did, and take better care of it. At the time the rebellion was at its height the moon was full, and did her best to enlighten the gloom which had overshadowed our fair country. Many a wife and maiden peered anxiously out into the night, listening eagerly with fear and trembling lest she might hear the boom of the cannon or the beat of the drum; knowing too well that if rebellion succeeded in its most detest-

able designs her most fondly cherished hopes might be blighted forever. Many will remember Mr Jeffrey, the father of our respected and worthy citizens, Messrs Wm and Alexander Jeffrey. He was rather fond of a practical joke. One day he walked into Mr Graham's (then a neighbor) and found the family quietly seated at dinner. With a look of consternation and uplifted hands he said "Ye're sitting quietly here, and the rebels just in upon ye." Without asking any questions, Jessie, the youngest daughter, afterwards Mrs Lambie, rose hastily from the table and speedily made her exit at the nearest window. All enjoyed the joke at her expense.

Somewhere near Toronto a brewery known as Helliwell's was invaded by a lawless band. Mr Helliwell gave instructions to the brewer, "Tom Faulder," to give them all the beer they could drink and anything else they demanded. The week's baking of bread was scarcely cool from the oven, but without the slightest fear of indignation they devoured the whole, not leaving enough for the family's breakfast. How much beer they drank Tom did not tell us.

It is told that when McKenzie was fleeing for his life he met a man and demanded his money. From the appearance of the assailant no doubt the man thought the quietest way out was the best and handed him his money, twenty-seven dollars in all. As security for this McKenzie gave him a note of demand on the New Constitution. As the New Constitution was never formed and the old one would recognize no such claim, the debt was never paid, and the note is said to be still in existence.

Whether this rebellion was justifiable or not is simply a matter of opinion. There were no doubt wrongs which called for redress, and would doubtless have been settled satisfactorily in the proper time. These wrongs were exaggerated and agitated by McKenzie, by his inflammatory articles, which were too eagerly listened to by his sympathizers, and cost Lount and Mathews their lives, which is to be regretted. Be this as it may, we have outlived it, and are fast developing into a nation which bids fair to hold no second place among the nations of the world.

We are conscious of our superiority as a people, and we believe England is proud of us and justly so. We sincerely trust she may never have occasion to hold us in less esteem. Let us be loyal and true to our country, to ourselves, to each other, and of infinitely greater importance, to our God. Herein lies our only safety. In conclusion let us add the words of Rev Dr McCaul: "Let us ask that we may live in the fear of God, in dutiful allegiance to the Queen, in brotherly love and charity each toward the other."

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BEAVERTON.

Mr. Robt. Ross, of Duluth, Minn., reached home on Friday to visit his father, Mr. Robt. Ross, who is still lying in a dangerous condition.

We are pleased to learn of the appointment of Mr. Geo. F. Bruce, as returning officer, in the approaching election in North Ontario.

Owing to dullness of business the G. T. B. is reducing the number of its employees in every direction. Assistants at stations where business does not reach a certain figure have been dispensed with and in some places men have been discharged owing to their age.

According to Dr. B. N. Grant, of Orillia, whom we have no doubt know of what he speaks, should Daniel or other of the famous Hebrew politicians of biblical fame come back to life they would not be in it with those of modern times. There are several things which would lead to this result. It is doubtful if Daniel would become a party to the necessary methods to carry an election at the present time and it is still more doubtful if he could be even induced to enter politics of all under existing conditions. Times have changed.

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