

# THE CHRONICLE.

DURHAM, April 7th, 1898.

It is time for two changes.

Canada has a Liberal Government, Liberal to MacKenzie, Mann, Jaffray, Cox and other favorites.

The vote of the Senate on Wednesday last reminds Laurier that MacKenzie and Mann are not wanted as lords and masters of the Yukon country.

The people are with the Senate in thwarting Laurier's attempt to give their country's heritage to his party friends.

An appeal to the country on the Yukon R'y question would show Mr. Laurier to have more courage than judgment, and relegate his party once more to the cold shades of opposition.

The Senate's usefulness really dates as a saving necessity, from the 23rd of June 1896. The Globe thinks otherwise but we are not responsible for the Globe's errors.

Sir Richard Cartwright thought 37 million dollars an extravagant expenditure when the Tories were in power. What about forty five millions now under an economical Grit administration?

Mr. Laurier's premiership is the result of circumstances, and the country is waiting an opportunity to pronounce again in favor of a period of Conservative rule, which they will be glad to do the first opportunity they get.

Neither the Senate nor the Conservatives in the House is opposed to a railway to the Yukon, but they don't see the wisdom of giving away the land for the sake of having a tramway 150 miles long for the benefit and accommodation of McKenzie Mann & Co.

The Review said last issue:—"This body (the Senate) is largely Conservative, and, not uninclined to be obstructive." What a piece of insinuation to insinuate that members of the Senate disregard their oaths of office, and are governed by their original political proclivities, simply because the majority see fit to vote against a measure to transfer our heritage for the benefit of party friends.

Surely the insinuation has not been considered or the editor would never have allowed it to appear in print. It would be an insane lack of charity, were we to infer that all who voted for the measure did so merely on political grounds. The vote, to say the least, should have been, and doubtless was, recorded conscientiously by each member individually, in the full belief that the best interest of the country were being served. All didn't happen to think exactly alike, and herein lies its "obstructive" character, viewed from a Grit standpoint; moreover the vote wasn't wholly on party lines.

The Senate is a body of obstructionists; their business is to serve as a check on the passing of legislation they think detrimental to the country. They did this in the Yukon Bill; they did nothing more; they thought they did right and most of the people think so too.

The Government has announced its intention of reducing the rate of interest paid by it on post office savings bank deposits, to two and a half per cent.

The Globe of Friday last has an editorial on the Senate in which it shows rare versatility of spleen, and launches into its favorite diversion of dirt slinging. No name seems too harsh for that spasmodically virtuous organ to hurl at the the "superfluous chamber" as they designate the Dominion Senate. Had they sanctioned the unpopular Yukon Bill, no such vituperative epithets would have been used. On the other hand the wisdom of that body would have been handed down the pages of Grit political history as a monumental precedent of fairness and sound judgment. As it is, however, the leading political organ of the Government indulges in the following names:—"superannuated political hacks" "The national dormitory" "a refuge for decayed partisans" "that singularly inept body" "an patriotic partisans," etc. etc. etc. The Globe is angry and shows it in working off its superfluous spleen.

An Ottawa correspondent to the Globe, speaking of the Senate as an obstruction to the Commons says:—"The Conservative majority in the Senate is about forty. It will require the death of twenty-five Conservative Senators, and the appointment of twenty-five Liberals in their place to give the Government a decent majority in the upper House." It is not probable that, without violence, the desired number of "decayed partisans" from the Conservative side of the Senate, will "shuffle off this mortal coil" during the remaining three years of Liberal rule. The next election will harmonize the two Chambers.

Over forty protests have been filed, that against Dr. Jamieson being entered by a laborer in Dundalk, said to be an employee of Mr. Morgan, who would evidently like another tussle with the Dr. A writer in last week's Review endeavors to show that in any event Mr. Morgan would have no chance, but as this likely comes from an aspirant for political honors it may be regarded as an effort to get Mr. Morgan out of the road and leave the way clear for someone else. Some important factors have been left out of the analysis, and with the increased popularity of the Dr. and the sympathy that goes with unjustifiable protests, there is as yet no available Liberal in sight whom the Dr. may fear in case of another election.

A number of informations have been laid for violations of the License Laws on election night. Some of the older ones were charged with drinking, while minors had complaints lodged against them for "loitering" around the hotel premises contrary to law. Some paid the fine at once, some are sorry now for doing so, but others are going to brave it out; whatever the consequences may be. While we are right with Inspector Harris in his efforts to carry out the law we will remind him, almost any day, boys may be seen "loitering" in a mere literal sense than they were on election night. We think it would be well now for the boys take a turn at Mr. H. and make him toe the mark for a while. All we ask is to see the law carried out in its entirety so as to include the officials as well as the "common herd."

## Induction and Soiree.

The induction of the Rev. John A. Matheson, B. D., took place Thursday the 31st of March, in the Presbyterian church in Priceville. The day being all that could be desired at this season of the year, afforded ample opportunity to all those who wished to attend on the occasion. The church was pretty well filled with young and old of both sexes. Shortly after 1:30 the Rev. Mr. Harrison of Dundalk, moderator, opened the services by singing and prayer, after which he introduced the Rev. Mr. Thom of Flesherton, who preached an able sermon from psalm 51 and verses 12 and 13, after which the moderator proceeded with the induction of Mr. Matheson. This part of the service being over, the Rev. Dr. McRobbie of Shelburne addressed the new pastor, strongly pointing out to him, his duties as under shepherd of the congregation. The Rev. Mr. Harrison then addressed the people, reminding them of their obligation to their pastor. The new pastor was escorted by the elders to the door of the church, and introduced to the people as they retired from their seats. It must have been a gratification to Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, the grand reception given by the people of Priceville and Proton. Mr. Matheson comes with the best of testimonials, and we hope and believe that he was ordained by the Supreme Master to be pastor over the people of St. Columbia Presbyterian Church Priceville and Swinton Park. The first part of the program being over, now comes the next. The ladies as usual, "The powers from on High, Bless Them," began to pour in with their baskets shortly after 5 o'clock, and continued on till about 8, when, with the best that could be provided, tables were set, until all were satisfied, and still there was enough and to spare. After satisfying the stomach of the audience assembled to the main part of the building, where the meeting was called to order by the chairman, Rev. Harrison, who, after some suitable preliminary remarks, called on the Durham Presbyterian choir for some music, after which, the Rev. Mr. Campbell led in prayer. The Rev. Mr. Thom being called, the first speaker, said he was not a Tea Meeting orator, whether or his own astonishment or not, the audience found out before he was done that he was a little mistaken in his opening remarks, for he gave an eloquent address, well seasoned with mirth. Singing again by Durham choir. Rev. Mr. Campbell of Dromore said he was from the Hills and Heather of Scotland, and that he had a little Gaelic such as "Gudeamar tha

si' h an duig? Tha e fuair," and that if he bethought himself he might have applied for a call from Priceville congregation on account of his Gaelic. Mr. Campbell is a good speaker in English, but we do not very much of his ability in the Gaelic.

The Durham singers were again called upon, and rendered some very pretty selections.

Rev. Mr. Humphries, is never behind when his services are required, and although a Methodist, has acted in the double capacity since coming to Priceville, for he has on several occasions filled the Presbyterian pulpit, but when an occasion of a more pecuniary nature was to be performed they would pass on to Rev. Thom of Flesherton, or elsewhere. (Shame)

The Durham choir was again called upon, and responded heartily. The Rev. Mr. Matheson, now pastor, said his thoughts were double fold during this day, as he felt joyful and sad. Sad, because he knew the feeling of the people in his late charge, and joyful because of the reception received from the people of Priceville. Being able to speak the Gaelic, he also addressed the audience in that language, which was appreciated by all who understood it.

Rev. Mr. Mitchell, evangelist, spoke in a calm manner. He said he was not much in union with tea-parties. He also referred to him being the oldest minister present, and closed with a few suitable remarks.

After a vote of thanks to all, the meeting was brought to a close by the pastor, Mr. Matheson pronouncing the benediction. Receipts of the evening, \$59. Com.

## FLESHERTON.

On Wednesday evening of last week the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilcox, East Back line, was the scene of a happy event, when their daughter Maggie was united in wedlock to Mr. John Parslow, one of Artemesia's prosperous young farmers. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Mahan of this place. Mr. R. Wilcox and Miss Ella Wilcox, brother and sister of the bride, discharged the duties of groomsmen and bridesmaid. The bride was the recipient of many useful and valuable presents.

Evangelist Lowes and the pastor, Rev. Mr. Thom, brought the special services which have been conducted in the Presbyterian church at Eugenia for some time, to a successful close on Saturday evening last. In all, about seventy professed conversion.

Mr. W. H. Bunt of Woodbridge has taken over the entire furniture and undertaking business of Mr. J. E. Moore, and is now in charge.

Mr. Moore and daughter Miss Flo., and Mrs. Gadd, left Saturday morning for California. Dene rumor has it, that the last named lady will, in a few days, become the wife of a California gentleman.

Rev. Mr. Mahan has been transferred to the London Conference and has received an invitation from Dorchester, near London.

Dr. Little, dentist, has located here for the practice of his profession.

Rev. Mr. Thom and Mr. A. M. Gibson attended the Rev. Mr. Matheson's induction at Priceville on Thursday last.

Mrs. W. J. Bellamy has gone to attend the marriage of her sister at Nottawa.

Mr. Robt Paul of Vancouver, B.C. was the guest of Mr. Mitchell a day last week, before leaving for his home in the west.

Mrs. J. Ford, who has been visiting her father Mr. Jos. Smith, returned to her home in Crystal City, Man., Monday.

Mrs. Symonds of Victoria, B. C. is visiting her brother, Mr. Wm. Barnhouse, while on her way to visit relatives in England.

Miss Watt and Miss Vaughan of Stratford are visiting the former's mother and uncle at the Presbyterian manse.

Mr. John Bradbury has given up farming and moved to this village.

Principal Tomlinson closed his duties here last week and moved his family to Weston. Mr. Slaughter of Forest is moving into the house lately vacated by Mr. Tomlinson, and commences his duty in the school on Monday.

The Baby Boy Covered with Eczema and Cured by Dr. Chase.

Mrs. James Brown of Molesworth, Ont., tells how her boy (eight months old) was cured of torturing Eczema. Mothers whose children are afflicted can write her regarding the great cure, Dr. Chase's Ointment. Her child was afflicted from birth and three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured him.

## VANDELEUR.

A cold wave seems to have struck this part. Old winter seems to have a few kicks left yet. Mr. J. Buchanan died on March 22

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The Selection of Seeds is from the best British, American and Canadian Houses, and prices (quality considered) will compare favorably with other dealers.

GARDEN SEEDS in bulk and papers, our own paper seeds, two for 5c. Flower Seeds,

PLANTS in Season. Cabbage, Calliflower, Celery and Tomato.

CLOVER Seed all varieties, Prices Timothy Seed. (Low.)

ORCHARD GRASS and mostly all other sorts of grasses.

SUGAR Beet, CARROT, all the best.

MANGEL WURTZEL: Carter's Mammoth Long Red—a very large mangel. Carter's Giant Yellow. Evan's Saw Log Mangel—an immense cropper.

SWEDE TURNIP Seed. All the best varieties. (See our Catalogue.)

## H. PARKER, Druggist and Seedsman, DURHAM.

after about a year's illness. He leaves two sons and one daughter to mourn his loss. Mrs. Buchanan died about eighteen months ago.

Mrs. S. McCallum is back again from visiting her daughter in Oregon. Mr. Robert Wright has been ailing from rheumatism for some time.

Mr. T. Kells was also on the sick list the last few days.

The assessor paid his annual visit the week before last. We understand he has given good satisfaction.

WM. LAIDLAW has started a Bicycle Livery. For rates by the hour, day or week see cards.

**DR. CHASE'S**  
SYRUP OF  
**LINSEED**  
AND  
**TURPENTINE**

**OBSTINATE COUGHS.**  
"My daughter being afflicted with an obstinate cough which resisted the curative effects of almost all the advertised cough remedies, and having placed an order for 3 doz. of Chase's Linseed and Turpentine in W. W. Carter's Drug Store, of which I am manager, I was induced to try a bottle. A few doses gave relief and the one bottle effected a cure. I can highly recommend it as being pleasant to take and efficacious."  
E. PRINGLE,  
Fessorton, Ont.  
Price, 25 Cents.  
At all dealers, or E. Pringle, Bates & Co., Toronto, Ont.

**NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that any person or persons found fishing, hunting or otherwise trespassing on Lots No. 20 and 21, con. 4, N. D. R., Bentinck, without my consent will be prosecuted according to Law.  
ROBT. TRAFFORD,  
Allan Park.  
March 21st, 1898.

**Brooches.**  
I have received one Gross of Brooches the like of which has never before been seen in Durham for the money—  
25 cts.  
Worth double the price.  
Be sure and get one.  
W. A. MacFARLANE,  
NEXT TO BANK.

**Have You ever sold NURSERY STOCK?**  
If so address the undersigned and you will learn something of very great interest to you. This means business and perhaps hundreds of dollars to you. You may perhaps think when reading this that we intend to ask you to sell for us, but that is not the case. —  
We want to hear from you and to pay you for it, but don't want false answers, hence write us all particulars about yourself so that we may know it is O. K. Remember all communications are strictly confidential.  
Pelham Nursery Co.  
TORONTO, ONT.

YELLOW and White Fleshed Turnips.	82 1/2
RAPE. Carter's Broad leaved Family Sowing Rape.	82 1/2
CORN. One ear of selected American Seed Corn, (three of the best varieties), also hard, dry American Corn for fodder.	27 1/2
Fine Ground Oil Cake in 100 lb. bags.	54 1/2
British Cattle Spice—a good thing for fattening cattle.	35 1/2
Thomas' Phosphate.	35 1/2
Land Plaster in Bags.	35 1/2
Land Salt in Bags.	35 1/2
Windsor and Seaforth Barrel Salt.	35 1/2

### Market Report.

DURHAM, Apr. 6th, 1898.

Fall Wheat.....	82 1/2
Spring Wheat.....	82 1/2
Oats.....	27 1/2
Peas.....	54 1/2
Barley.....	35 1/2
Hay.....	5 00
Butter.....	11 1/2
Eggs per doz.....	8 1/2
Apples...per bag.....	50 1/2
Potatoes...per bag.....	50 1/2
Flour per cwt.....	175 1/2
Oatmeal per sack.....	2 00
Chop per cwt.....	75 1/2
Dressed Hogs per cwt.....	5 75
Hides...per lb.....	7 1/2
Sheepskins.....	65 1/2
Turkeys per lb.....	5 1/2
Geese per lb.....	5 1/2
Ducks per pair.....	4 1/2
Chickens per pair.....	4 1/2
Wool.....	17 1/2

**BIG 4 UPPER TOWN DURHAM.**

**New Goods.**  
36 in. Cashmere in Navy Blue and Black 12 1/2c. a yard  
40 in. Black and Colored Wool Serges 25c. a yard  
Fancy figured Lustras (a snugg) 30c. and 35c. a yard  
Tartan Ginghams 7c. a yard

**Shoes.**  
We have just received a shipment of Sterling Bros. celebrated hand made Shoes for Men, Women, Boys & Girls. Just the thing for Spring.

DON'T forget we sell "Salada" Ceylon Tea at 25, 30 and 40c. a lb. Black or mixed, in lead packets—pounds and half pounds.  
Come and see what a lot of THIS WARE we give for \$1.00. A fresh shipment just in.

**BEAN & CO.**

**The Goods You Want! HOLIDAY JEWELRY.**

**We have it in every line and every style, set with Diamonds, Pearls, Opals and other stones according to design, and will be found the Natiest and Most Suitable Goods on the Canadian Market.**

**Our Styles are the Newest and best on the market. You can save money by buying our goods. It is more pleasing to visit our store and examine our large and complete stock of Silverware, Watches, Clocks, Flatware and Jewelry**

Than to visit a millinery opening.  
**A. GORDON,**  
UPPER TOWN.

Jupiter Jenkins' story continues. "The lesson had been expected to shower from Olympus. At last Mr. Jenkins brought upon the plain deal box that awoke every languid schoolboy. 'Is this your school for?' he began to enquire. 'Is this the school of the most precious has given to you?' The whole class of bright boys with brains enough to desire in this great away the greatest opportunities. If this was a weak-minded child, some compassion for faces are all bright and clear, and yet you will such a lesson as this punctuated every serious conviction and minds of each boy and it was then that they on the back seat wrote 'It is not pleasant.' 'Geraldine Coffin pride. He had no such never appealed monwealth which he of his hand. But in intensely interested in her his greatest Mr. Jenkins held the odd young spirits in hand, the red-headed person he was not quite alidne had given 'Jupiter,' and it fit it was at once ad subjects. 'When he pounds great shaggy head blue eyes flash, all Jupiter sending thunder—and in this remarkable christened him. Mr. thought he had heard ter Jenkins, but unable to capture one mortals. Of course, called Jupiter—he had admiring parents, who be pleased, and he was But it was with that this story is She was the only Jupiter Jenkins could dine Coffin had been schoolroom only a few Jenkins discovered an unusual mind. He make the most be of the talents in the school that to whom much would be required of lessons was an auldine Coffin. She them, but the truths digested, and sank into understood and in the day which she would. Jupiter Jenkins was say that hardly more twenty really digested