

The Daily British Whig.

Office for the Whig. THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 8, 1877.

REMINERS.

Annual Meeting of Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Lecture by Prof. Mackerras on the Theatre at 7:30 p.m. Meeting of St. Paul's Lit. and Hist. Society at 7:30 p.m.

"DESPERATE TACTICS."

The Mail of yesterday read a severe lecture to Mr. Blake for his speech in the House of Commons on Monday evening, when he could not resist the expression of his opinion upon Hon. John Beverley Robinson's absurd motion, which virtually called for a few more particulars relative to his own election expenses, and the subscription of the Northern Railway & Sir John's testimonial fund.

IRRESPONSIBILITY.

Ordinary politicians have long laboured under the innocent impression that only the men who possessed the confidence of a majority of the people's representatives in Parliament were responsible for the management of the public affairs.

FENIANISM.

O'Mahoney is dead, and so, we think, is the conspiracy whose execrable operations he largely controlled while in the heyday of his career. It has been attempted to utilize the funeral of this Fenian chief in the interest of the defunct Society. The endeavor to galvanize into existence an association of assassins, branded with infamy long ago by the civilization of the world, will prove a signal failure.

SIR JOHN'S MIS-STATEMENT.

Sir John Macdonald, in the House during the discussion which Hon. John Beverley Robinson provoked, alleged that the Commission appointed to enquire into the affairs of the Northern Railway was instituted as a means of "destroying the characters of men as honest and standing as high in the estimation of the country as any one in the Administration."

OPPOSITION INVENUES.

Mr. Huntington took part in the discussion of the Northern Railway question on Monday evening in the House of Commons; and he thus comes in for the round abuse of the Tory press, because he dare say one unkind word of Sir John and the practices of the Government of which he was the chief when the country went back on the Macdonald Ministry.

The Latest Outrage.

The irregular discussion about the alleged poisoning of Mr. Laird, took place on Monday night was an amusing illustration of the "engineer hoist with his own petard." Sir John Macdonald, in his rather reckless speech, called Mr. Pope of Queen's, as a witness to the terrible act of corruption Mr. Mackenzie and his friends had committed.

Canadian Banks Misrepresented.

London, March 6th.—The Times, in an editorial referring to a dispatch, dated Montreal, February 10th, to the New York Herald, says:—"To many the news will be no surprise that it is well known that several Canadian banks have been seriously burdened for some time with absolutely or comparatively worthless paper, on account of the railway projects of the Province of Quebec."

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS. (Continued.) The following is a summary of the "Current Events" in the Canadian Parliament for March. The Dominion Parliament met on the 8th ult., with the usual formalities, though without even the ordinary display of interest or enthusiasm.

THE TORY REACTION.

The following is a summary of the Tory reaction in the House of Commons. The Tory reaction in the House of Commons is a reaction against the Liberal Government's policy of protection and industrial development.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The picnic campaign is bearing bitter fruit for the Opposition. Will Sir John pay it back now that he knows where it came from? The question is whether the Tory reaction will be a permanent one.

CURRENCY.

Toronto Bay is free from ice. The ice in Buffalo river and harbor is fast rotting away. The seal of Sergeant Bates is marching, but his body is sawing wood in Illinois.

NOTICE.

Having observed a Circular, signed by my wife, intimating she is ready to take in sewing, &c., and desiring to discontinue public mind of the impression that I have left her destitute—which she is most careful to avoid—I beg to state that she is living apart from me under and by virtue of an agreement, signed by us both, and prepared at her special request, &c.

NOTICE.

Mr. McDonald, contractor, is pushing on the work on the O.M. & O.R.R. Rails were laid to Grenville yesterday. The track will be laid as far as River Rouge by the end of the week.

NOTICE.

The lumber prospects during the summer will not be equal to former years. Owing to want of snow logs could not be conveyed to creeks and rivers. A farmer from Longue Pointe yesterday, had his ribs broken by a cow falling upon him.

GENERAL DESPATCHES.

THE FLORIDA ASSASSINATION. The Cabinet Difficulties—Grant Speaks. Indians and Mexicans Still on the War Path.

THE NORTH-WEST.

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LAST NIGHT'S NEWS.

Venue finds St. Patrick's Day to be within the belt of weather circle of his predictions. The Gaspé circled election case has been decided, with costs, against Mr. Forlin.

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BOYERS' TO LET.

THE HOUSE adjacent occupied by R. T. Walker, Esq., on Silver Street, possession for Feb. 1877. A FARMER. A HOUSE on QUEEN STREET, opposite St. Paul's Church, possession for March 1, 1877. T. J. DONOHUE, 2, Ontario Street.

FOR SALE.

THE STONE GOTTAGE, (double) ON GARDEN STREET. Between King and Wellington Streets. ARTS. G. W. H. COMER, Kingston, March 5, 1877. MRS. W. WHITEN, Works in Hair & Hair Jewellery.

MORTGAGE SALE.

UNDER and by virtue of the power of Sale contained in Mortgage from James Macdonald, to the Vendor, dated 22nd day of September, A.D. 1874, there will be sold by Charles McMillan, Auctioneer, at his Auction Room, in the City of Kingston, On Saturday, the 24th day of March, A.D. 1877.

LECTURE.

REV. PROF. MACKERRAS, M.A. Will deliver a Lecture on the "THEATRE" in St. Andrew's Hall, on Thursday Evening, March 8th. Doors open at 7:30. Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock. TICKETS—25c to be had at the Bookstore, March 5, 1877.

CARPETS! CARPETS!

RICHMOND & BOYDEN HAVE MOST PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING THE ARRIVAL OF THEIR Spring Stock of Carpets. Which have been selected with the greatest care from manufacturers' newest designs and imported fresh from the loom and will be found on examination to be second to none in Canada.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until SATURDAY, the 17th inst., for the purchase of the following property: Garret Homestead, ON KING STREET, WEST. With a frontage of 451 1/2 feet, and a block of land about 1 1/4 Acres, on the North side of King Street, with the Buildings thereon, except the part sold to Mrs. Willis.

BY AUCTION.

On Tuesday, the 3rd April. For further particulars as to title, terms and plan, apply to KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS, Auctioneers, Ontario St. March 2nd, 1877.

NEW STORE.

W. J. TAYLOR HAS JUST RECEIVED A New Stock of Kembal and Norton's Sewing Machines, Manufactured in Glasgow, Scotland. They are very handsome and GUARANTEED FOR TEN YEARS; they have all the latest improvements of the New York Singer and other leading Machines, with BURTON'S IMPROVED SHUTTLE WINDERS. The greatest improvement in the present day. Call and see how the Doctor will wait upon all who wish to favor him with a call. He also repairs all kinds of Sewing Machines and charges moderately. Sewing Machines can be sent by express or Stage and returned to order without delay. Charge C.O.D. SEWING MACHINES can be sent by express or Stage and returned to order without delay. Charge C.O.D. J. W. TAYLOR, S.H.D., Five Doors above Parkhill's Grocery Store, Princess Street, Kingston, Feb. 9, 1877.

W. W. RIDEOUT.

March 8, 1877. A FRESH LOT taken out of Bond to day, guaranteed A No. 1. W. W. RIDEOUT, March 8, 1877.

W. OSBORN, Dyer & Scourer.

DEGS to notify the public that he will open on PRINCESS STREET. Three Doors Above Parkhill's ON SATURDAY NEXT. And hopes to receive liberal patronage. March 8, 1877. VICTORIA WAREHOUSE. WHEN MONEY IS SCARCE IT SHOULD BE USED TO THE BEST ADVANTAGE: THIS CAN BE DONE BY BUYING YOUR Groceries & Provisions AT THE Victoria Warehouse.

PICKLED AND SMOKED FISH.

VERY CHEAP FOR CASH, INCLUDING: No. 1 Labrador Herrings, Salmon Trout and White Fish, Finnan Haddies, Kipper Herrings and Bloaters. J. Y. PARKHILL, March 8, 1877.

MUSIC.

When the Mists Have Rolled Away, 35c. The Three Marys—by J. B. Woodbury, 25c. Daylight—by Blind Tom, 25c. G. W. MAXWELL Has Received a Supply of the Above. March 8, 1877.

82 J. M. MACKAY'S 82.

GREAT SALE OF DAMAGED DRY GOODS AS I INTEND Selling next Week by PUBLIC AUCTION all Goods left. J. M. MACKAY, 82 Princess Street, March 8, 1877.

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS.

Will be received at the City Engineer's Office, until 12 o'clock, noon, on the 21st inst. FOR THE Construction of Plank Walks in the several Wards of the City. ALSO, Lumber for Repairs and Stone Crossings. Specifications can be seen and form of Tender obtained at said office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. By order, JOHN C. INNES, City Engineer, Kingston, March 5, 1877.

CARD OF THANKS.

I REGD to acknowledge the promptness with which my claim for loss at the recent fire at my house has been settled by Messrs. Strang & Simpson, Agents for the Royal Insurance Company here, the award having been made and the amount paid over within one week. March 8, S. B. HANCE.

Office and Pocket Diaries.

AT TORONTO WHOLESALE PRICES, if you do not believe it, I will show you the "Invoice." I want to clear the lot out to make room for other goods. All the English Magazines WILL BE ON SALE AT THE STATIONER'S HALL (CLARE STREET). SCHOOL BOOKS SOLD as Cheap as any Hardware House in the City. THOS. MCAULEY, Feb. 14, 1877.