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The Daily British Whig.

Omne vir Ortum Dicor.

FRIDAY EV'NG, MARCH 15, 1878.

The leading organ of the Opposition announces that the Dominion general elections will definitely take place in the next ensuing month of June. This, from a reliable source, must be accepted as authoritative. In all fairness the Ministry of the day might have reasonably expected a little longer notice from their opponents of this, to them, important, perhaps vital, event. It is just like the Tories, however, to steal a march on their opponents, and this springing of a general election on the present unwary government, is strictly in keeping with the stealthy tactics of the present Opposition. For even as much notice of the approaching struggle as is imparted by the above intimation, the present Ministry and their supporters in the country, should feel duly grateful, and prepare themselves for the fray accordingly. It is just possible the Dominion Cabinet may yet muster presumption enough to prevail upon the Opposition to postpone the time of the dissolution of the present House beyond the date above fixed for that event by the Tory organ.

The announcement that the coalition in France, of Conservatives and Bonapartists as against the Republicans, has been dissolved, will create about equal surprise and regret, and very little of either. Mr. Rouher's organ has declared, we are told, that henceforth the Bonapartists must hoist their own flag and trust to universal suffrage. In times past, when manipulated by a Napoleon, the last named agency has done very signal service to the House of Bonaparte. The day is forever past, however, for the French nation to be gulled by the mere fiction of liberty under a Bonapartist regime. The French Republic has given the nation at least a partial taste of freedom, and distant will be the Bourbon, Bonapartist or any other form of despotism in France if universal suffrage is to restore it. The people of France have resolved to govern themselves, and it is not likely they will permit any resurrected tyranny to do it for them—least of all would they entrust such a duty to the scion of the man of Sedan. The House of Bonaparte was extinguished once and forever by the disastrous upshot of the Franco-Russian war.

A GRATUITOUS INSINUATION.

The member for Frontenac interjected a very pointless, because perfectly unfounded, insinuation during a recent speech of Mr. Pope, of P. E. Island. The latter gentleman was endeavouring to point out to the Government the necessity, on public grounds, of improving Victoria Harbour, declaring, among other things, that the carrying out of such a work would not only vastly benefit Prince Edward Island itself but very materially promote inter-colonial trade, and was therefore entitled to consideration from the Dominion Government. At this point Mr. Kirkpatrick was disingenuous to suggest "*You have not a Cabinet Minister now.*" And Mr. Pope, as became a consistent Tory Oppositionist, accepted the reminder with a well affected expression of injured innocence. We wish to maintain that a system under which those portions only of the Dominion which chance to be represented in the Cabinet of the day can hope to receive fair play in the matter of public works is a corrupt and vicious system, and would be entirely undeserving of the public confidence or admiration. The insinuation conveyed in the attempted taunt of the member for Frontenac is wholly undeserved by the present Government, with whom sectional axe-grinding is not a recognized principle of Federal administration. Those portions of the Dominion which have had no 'friend at court' have received just as ample and substantial justice as have those localities which have been represented in Parliament by Cabinet Ministers. Our own city is a case in point. We will warrant that no locality in the country has been better remembered as to public works than Kingston at a time when, according to Mr. Kirkpatrick's theory, it should expect nothing but neglect, inasmuch as it has no Cabinet Minister, but, on the contrary, sends the bitterest opponent of the Government to Parliament. Our local experience proves that the broad principle on which our present rulers are conducting the administration of the several departments of Government is that of the public good totally regardless of the political complexion of the representation of any locality either in Parliament or Cabinet. We cannot imagine why Mr. Kirkpatrick should suppose that having a Cabinet Minister as member should be of such decided advantage to a locality. Kingston enjoyed this doubtful advantage, in the person of Sir John Macdonald, for the best part of of a quarter of a century, during all which period this city was the contemptuously neglected constituency in all the country. If Kingston can only be saved from the unenviable distinctness of ever again becoming the despised and neglected pocket borough of a Tory minister of the Crown she will be freed from a political serfdom and degradation to which she has in all conscience been long long enough subjected. So far as our experience of "*Minister-Membership*" has impressed us, we want no more of it a" this particular boon has been interpreted to us by Tory Administrators. The country requires what it has lately had—a ministry which, without regard to sectional influences or local parliamentary support, will study the good of the whole country and mete out even-handed justice to all. This being the present fact of the case we are perfectly justified in characterizing the insinuation of the Member Frontenac as entirely gratuitous.

THE MAN FOR THE EMERGENCY.

A retaliatory policy is evidently a game at which two parties can play, and, so far as our neighbours are concerned, we may be sure they will have their full share of 'innings' in the match. Taking the cue from Sir John Macdonald's retaliatory tariff cry, the N. Y. *Herald* is devising a retaliatory scheme which shall render quite nugatory the late Halifax award of indemnity to Canada. Under the Treaty of Washington Canadian fish and fish oil were to be admitted free into the United States. It is now said that the new tariff Bill will be so amended or extended as to place a duty on the above commodities, notwithstanding the fact that they were directly exempted from any such impost by the provisions of the treaty. If such a vicious and faithless suggestion be acted upon it will be quite in keeping with the repudiation mania, which seems to have blunted all sense of national and political honour among our neighbours. Having resolved deliberately to violate their financial obligations it will be comparatively easy to trample upon the provisions of international treaties. While they are at it doubtless a little repudiation more or less is of small consequence. By a slight additional stretching of his national conscience—if such a thing have any existence—we may yet expect Uncle Sam to repudiate the award in toto, and tax whatever Canadian commodities were declared should be free by the Treaty. Repudiation will be succeeded by a retribution of some kind some time. Failing other means of bringing the faithless Yankees back again to a sense of honour the people of Canada will look to Sir John Macdonald as the man upon whom this duty will devolve. Nothing could be more appropriate than for them to receive their much deserved punishment at his hands. Such a revenge would be personally sweet to himself as well. It was he they hoodwinked all through that treaty business. It was he they bluffed in regard to the Fenian counter-claims. It was when they caught *him* napping that they inserted the *majority* clause in the matter of the Alabama settlement and the *unanimous* stipulation in reference to our fishery abbitration, so that, on the 'heads I win, tails you lose, principle, both games would be certain to work to their own advantage. It was our Chieftain from whom, as the Canadian 'High Joint,' they extorted all sorts of unjust and unnecessary concessions to their greed and grasp. We say, therefore, it would be in suitable accordance with the 'eternal fitness of things' if Sir John can only be the means of making us square with the diplomatic sharpers who, in the matter of the treaty, so completely overreached him. Soln as he was before, our Chieftain declares this can yet be done, and by this simple means. As a first step the Canadian people must forget the past and restore Sir John to power in order to place him in a position to cope with these wily Americans. Then, taught by his past unfortunate experience with them, he will avoid those fatal mistakes he made before and which cost his country so dear, and instead of permitting them to cajole him as aforetime he will fight them with their own weapons. Soon he will have them on the hip, in the matter of the tariff; he will fetch them to their senses in short order and soon compel them to sue for reciprocal trade; then he will revive the Canadian claim for indemnity for Fenian damages which our neighbours will be only too happy to recognize and to pay; there will also be a 'retrocession' to us of all those concessions made by Sir John under the impulse of a mistaken generosity or geniality, in his capacity as High Joint Commissioner. In fact Sir John is just the man for the emergency. Only put him in power and all will be well. Once his hand regrasps the helm of state, the storm shall subside, the breakers shall be cleared, and the favoring breezes of prosperity shall fill our national sails, and waft us out into the open seaway of peace and plenty. At least so he himself would have the people believe. The trouble is, however, that they have leaned upon the broken reed too often already, ever again to trust the national destinies to the unsteady hands of the 'foremost statesman.

The Temperance Bill.

The Government preparation of the new Temperance Act is, it is stated, nearly completed, and will be presented to the Senate at a very early date. It is understood that the main provisions of the Bill will be nearly as follows:—The whole proceedings will be carried out by machinery provided by the Dominion Government. The limits of a local permissive law when voted will be those of counties or cities. The electoral lists and method of taking Dominion elections will be used, including the vote by ballot. The petition signed by one-fourth of the electors will be presented to the Governor in Council, and his proclamation will be the instrument used to put the Act in motion and declare the local by-law in force. A law once enacted will be in force for three years, and only repealable then on a petition similar in all respects to the one on which the original proceeding is founded. The vote will be protected from fraud and the influence of corrupt practices by heavy penalties. Where a by-law is carried the sale of liquor will be prohibited absolutely, except for medical, sacramental, or mechanical purposes, and in those cases under stringent regulations only. Manufacturers and wholesale vendors in a prohibited district will be held responsible for any liquor sold by them being removed from the district for use. The Dunkin Act where in force will not be disturbed, except, of course, at the wish of the people. It is impossible that any Bill of this nature shall be perfect in every detail, but it is believed that Mr. Scott has, with a diligence beyond all praise, provided as complete a measure as is possible in the absence of actual experience of its operation.

The Analysis.

A hurried analysis gives the following results on the vote for the amendment which commits the Tories to a war of tariffs:

Province.	For.	Against.	Absent or Paired
Ontario	29	56	3
Quebec	35	26	4
British Columbia	3	1	2
P. E. Island	1	5	0
New Brunswick	3	10	3
Nova Scotia	4	16	1
Manitoba	2	0	2
Totals	77	114	15

The Speaker is counted as among the absentes, as he was in the chair.

POLICE.—M. Fitzsimmons, drunk, and Robert Patterson, do., were fined $5 and costs each.

MANITOBA.

Railway Progress and Enterprise.

(*By Telegraph To-day.*)

Washington, March 15.—The Consul at Winnipeg reports much activity in railroad matters in Manitoba. Canadian and English parties have purchased the first mortgage bonds of the St. Paul and Pacific RR., and propose to construct a northern extension in Minnesota, from Red Lake River to the Manitoban frontier during the summer. They also propose to complete the Pembina branch of the Canada Pacific Railroad, to connect with the Minnesota extension, and by the first of next November it is expected that trains will be running from St. Paul to Winnipeg and twenty miles from there north, where the branch line crosses the main line of the Canada Pacific at Selkirk; from this point contracts are in execution for the construction of the main line eastward to the Lake of the Woods, 110 miles equal distance, westward of Thunder Bay on Lake Superior, also under contract. The Consul thinks a mutually profitable intercourse between the Dominion and Eastern States would be greatly aided if the United States and Canadian Governments were to make international arrrangements for aiding the construction of a system of railways from Ottawa to Sault Ste Marie, thence to Montreal River, to connect with the Northern Pacific, besides completing the latter eastward to Duluth.

WASHINGTON.

Diplomatic Salaries. -- Fishery Award.

(*By Tlegraph To day.*)

New York, March 15.—The *Tribune* says Evarts states that the diplomatic salaries are already too small. The Minister at the Court of St. James is obliged to spend thirty to forty thousand dollars more than his salary annually.

The *World* says if the Senate had not adjourned till Monday, the President to-day would have sent the Fishery Award correspondence, probably accompanied by a message advising payment, but declaring privileges seem in commensurate with the award.

CURRENCY.

—Cheese factories are getting ready for business.

—The new style of dressing the hair is called the "multiform."

—A prominent member of the Brown family died at Yarmouth, N. S., yesterday.

—Mr. Rine lectured at Ingersoll with great success, 400 signing the pledge.

—A new High School for both sexes has been opened in Montreal. It cost $60,000.

—Bond street Congregational Church, in Toronto, is to cost $20,000, and seat 1,600 people.

—A city school pupil in Toronto has been suspended for having a loaded pistol in his possession.

—Hon. Mr. Irvine, intends to run for Megantic, as an Independent, at the election for the Commons.

—The Mexican Treasury Agent at Matamoras has inflicted a fine of $60,000 on the foreign merchants of that place.

—Sixteen bodies of the forty men which perished in the Unity Brook colliery explosion, Kearsley, have been recovered.

—A gang of female shop lifters was captured in Rochester, and a large amount of stolen property recovered.

—The Parisians are wild over Albani, and it is difficult to make up a dinner party on the nights when she sings.

—Strong doses of advertising should be administered to business that looks bilious, about this time of the year.

—At a meeting of Communists in St. Louis, Mo., the unfurling of the red flag was greeted with enthusiasm. Incendiary speeches were made.

—The Toronto City Council is to pay a nominal rent of $100 for the Garrison Commons, about to be used for exhibition purposes.

—Two Boston experts have played more than one thousand games of cribbage, and stand tied at five hundred and twenty-three games apiece.

—Mrs. Vawter, of Rochester, Ind., has a baby which weighs a pound and a half, and is so slender that a finger ring can be slipped over its arm to its shoulder.

—Mrs. Abraham Lincoln is living a secluded life in an interior town in France, and declines to return to America lest she may be again placed in an insane asylum.

—A woman is dying in Toronto over injuries inflicted through her being struck with a spade by a man who objected to her emptying water from a well into his yard.

—The Rev. Dr. Dale, who delivered the Lyman Beecher course of lectures last year at the Yale Theological Seminary, has avowed his unbelief in the eternal punishment of the wicked.

—The New Bedford (Mass.) *Standard* says that a lady was received into full membership in a Methodist Episcopal church connected with the Providence Conference not long ago who had been on probation 57 years.

—The body of a man named Hanlon, an oil cloth peddlar, of Ogdensburg, was found drowned in the Rideau river, near Beckett's Landing bridge, about three miles from Kemptville.

—The Wyyern, a turret ship built for the Southern Confederacy, and seized by the British Government, after lying in Plymouth harbour for fourteen or fifteen years, is about to be commissioned.

—At Philadelphia, Archbishop Wood, having declined to review the St. Patrick's parade if the Hibernians appear in line, the latter have resolved to parade over the same route as the main procession. Trouble is feared.

—An indignant Halifax woman who had been slandered by a man, sent for the slanderer, caused him to apologise, and then proceeded to thrash him, not desisting until she left him at thh door of his own house.

—President Andrews, of Marietta College, Ohio, has discovered that David Everett, who edited a Marietta paper in 1813, was the author of the famous lines beginning,

"You'd scarce expect one of my age
To speak in public on the stage".

—Long Branch, N. J., is excited over a development that the gang of incendiaries just broken up was organized to burn the property of people who do not sympathize with the Hibernian order. The pastor of the Roman Catholic Church openly denounced the order last Sunday.

—Another garden of Eden has been discovered. It is the town of Waltham, Vt., just over the line. It has neither church, doctor, lawyer, clergyman, merchant, post office, pauper, hotel, saloon, poundmaster, nor street commissioner. There are 250 people who live there and enjoy life.

—Toronto is exercised over the forthcoming general election, and two candidates have been already selected. Capt. McMaster is to be the Reform candidate for the Western Division, and Mr. Beatty, Q. C., who unsuccessfully ran for the Mayoralty, will oppose Mr. John Macdonald in the Conservative interest.

The Ladies' Pronunciamento!

While protesting against all the old worthless Dengrifices now in the market, the Ladies with one consent, have adopted the Sozodont as the one thing needful to insure the integrity of the teeth and a fragrant breath.

WAR TELEGRAMS.

The Difficulty Not Yet Tided Over--The Crisis Certainly to Come.

(*By Telegraph To-day.*)

THE CREDIT VOTE.

Vienna, March 14.—The Budget Committee of the Austrian delegation, to-day commenced the discussion of the sixty millions vote of credit. The Committee rejected the demand of the War Minister for 657,000 florins, for the military stores.

AN OBJECTION.

London, March 14.—In the House of Commons Sir Robert Peel objected to Lord Lyons representing England in the Congress, because his opinions were opposed to those of Layard and Sir Henry Elliott. Sir Stafford Northcote replied that the Government was responsible for England's course at Congress.

A COMPROMISE.

London, March 14.- A Berlin dispatch says the Pope has indirectly expressed a wish for compromise with Prussia and Germany.

THE NAVY FLEET.

It is announced that the Admiralty has ordered all outward bound men of war to be detained to strengthen the Mediterranean fleet.

RUSSIA NOT ANXIOUS FOR CONGRESS.

A St. Petersburg special announces the arrival of Gen. Ignatieff and Raouff Pasha.

A Berlin correspondent states that the early meeting of the Congress is no longer probable. Russia displays no particular anxiety for it to meet at all, in consequence of England's and Austria's demand that the whole treaty be submitted.

EGYPTIAN AFFAIRS.

Paris, March 15.—Reports say that Servia formally claimed admission to the Congress. It is now certain that England has unreservedly adhered to the French proposal for an investigation into the financial affairs of Egypt. Nobody will oppose England's freeing Egypt from vassalage if she acts in accord with the other powers. All the powers have agreed that the questions of Egypt, Syria, Tunis and the Holy Places can only be raised at the Congress with the consent of France, and within the limits she prescribes.

DEMANDS AND CONCESSIONS.

Vienna, Masch 14.—A special says Russia does not contest the right of the Congress to decide what clauses of the treaty involve European interests. England demands that the Congress shall have power to discuss all the clauses. Neither power seems disposed to give way. Italy and Germany, while assenting in principle to the admission of Greece to the Congress, thinks the Congress should decide the matter. Austria coincides, but is willing to have the matter decided before the meeting, if the question of admission of the vassal states is not thereby prejudiced.

ADMITTING GREECE.

London, March 15.—It is officially announced from Athens that Russia refuses to agree to admit Greece to the Conference.

THE TERMS OF PEACE.

A Berlin despatch says Germany upholds the proposition of submitting all the terms of the treaty of peace to the Congress except the question of pecuniary indemnity.

FOREIGN SERVICE.

London, March 15.—The Stock Exchange is to-day depressed, and securities have a downward tendency.

The English engineer officers, first on the list, have been ordered to prepare for foreign service with field equipments.

CONGRESS MEETING.

It is considered probable the Congress will meet before April 15th.

HOUSE MATTERS.

London, March 14.—In the House of Lords the Territorial Waters' Jurisdiction Bill has passed a third reading.

In the House of Commons the Under-Foreign Secretary said the Government still thought that in view of the cause of the creating of diplomatic relations with Mexico, the initiative for a renewal could not come from England.

RECRUITS ORDERED IN.

Constantinople, March 14.—The Provincial Governors have been ordered to send here, promptly, both old and newly enlisted recruits.

CAPTIVE TURKS.

Belgrade, March 14.—The great part of the Servian army at Timok has been disbanded. The reported proposal that 40,000 Turks are to be released from captivity in Russia, and shall be sent to Bosnia, is causing great excitement here.

TROOPS MOVING.

A Gallipoli despatch says there are 2,000 Russian lancers and batteries of field artillery at Sharkoi.

Hobart Pasha has arrived here, after sending Suleiman Pasha to Constantinople for trial. He will proceed to the Greek coast.

A Vienna special says a certain Porte at Higotion, Russia, decided to oppose the occupation of Bornea and Herzegovinia.

BUYING A GUN BOAT.

London, March 14.—The Admiralty have bought the Brazilian ironclad 'Independencea.'

RUSSIAN CONFIDENCE.

St. Petersbury, March 15.—The *Agence Russi* says Russia is not so confiding as to conclude secret clauses with Turkey when she knows the slightest transactions are communicated to Minister Layard. The *Agence* points out that every power will enter the Congress with full liberty as to the attitude it may assume in relation to the claims brought forward, and the decisions arrived at.

THE MONEY ISSUE.

Subscriptions for the new issue of 50,000,000 roubles in treasury bonds, opened here on Wednesday. It is officially stated that the whole amount was immediately subscribed.

RELATIONS WITH MEXICO.

In the House of Commons the Under Foreign Secretary said the Government still thought that in view of the cause of the breaking of diplomatic relations Mexico the initiative for renewal could not come from England.

MR. GLADSTONE'S SEAT.

Mr. Gladstone, replying to a renewed invitation to stand for Leeds, points out that he may remain the representative of Greenwich two years longer. It is thought that Mr. Gladstone will eventually be returned from the borough of Flint unopposed.

RUSSIA'S MOVEMENTS.

London, March 15.—The *Times* says the Russians are making further advances towards the Bosphorus. Our Government must have satisfied themselves that the virtual command of Constantinople gave Russia no insuperable advantage, and we may therefore view, with comparative indifference the movements which are in no way more alarming than those in which we have acquiesced.

REJECTING GREECE.

Athens, March 15.—Russia has rejected the proposal for the admission of Greece to the Congress. Public feeling is much excited.

London, March 15.—The *Telegraph* says yesterday morning's rise in silver was in consequence of the purchase of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars for shipment to America.

BAD ATTACK.

The *Times* deprecates Sir Robert Peel's attack on Lord Lyons. It says the prospect at present is not very hopeful, but the course adopted by Peel is the very last which would tend to better it.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

Condensed for the "Whig" Readers.

(*By Telegraph To-day.*)

—The new Italian Cabinet is not yet formed.

—The London mason's strike is finally terminated last night by permission of the men to accept the masters terms.

—The members of the Montreal Irish Catholic Union will march from church in procession on Sunday.

—It is said the Dominion Government intend to remove the Oka Indians to a reservation on Lake Huron.

—The estimate revenue of New Brunswick for the current year is $592,600, and the expenditure $586,827.

—The Czar of Russia has authorized some New York capitalists to errect grain elevators throughout the empire.

—The death of James Hain Friswell, a celebrated English author and journalist is announced at the age of fifty-one.

—Ald Grenier, of Montreal, has been nominated as candidate in the Reform interest in Montreal East for the Local House.

—The report of Sitting Bull's starving condition is contradicted, and it is now stated that he is preparing for a raid in the spring.

—The U.S. Committee on Banking this morning agreed upon the Bill, providing for the issuing of silver bullion certificates, which are to be legal tender for all Government dues.

—A bark from Boston arrived at New York yesterday, with the crew of the bark Jemima, abandoned at sea March 6th. The rescue was just in time as the Jemima's sailors were about worn out.

--Yesterday, at East Chester, N. Y., Theron Merritt shot and killed Mrs. Eliza Ann Legget, a wealthy widow and relative. He then went home and shot himself through the head, dying instantly. Verdict, temporary insanity.

—The mystery connected with the stolen coffee ship Alice alias Alexis, is still unsolved. The Baltimore collector thinks the captain of the ship may have been the victim of foul play, and that the seizure of the brig was a deep plot, the ramifications of which extended even to Europe.

—The run on the Boston five cent savings bank developed into a general panic among savings banks depositors. The committee after examining the securities of this bank report a surplus of upwards of $429,000. The uneasiness spread to Franklin, back in Boylston street, one of the strongest savings institutions in the country. This reduces the number of banks in Boston, paying in full, on demand to 3.

TORONTO.

National League—The Rossa Lecture--Political Nominations.

(*By Telegraph To-day.*)

Toronto, March 15.—A movement is on foot for the formation of a National League, having for its object the advancement of the interests of Canadian manufacturers and producers, by securing the adoption of a new fiscal policy.

Last night resolutions were carried unanimously, favouring the renomination of Hon. M. C. Cameron and Mr. Samuel Platt as representatives for East Toronto, at the Local and Dominion elections.

It is denied that the proceeds of the O'Donovan Rossa lecture are to go towards the Skirmishing Fund. They will into the exchequers of the National Society engaging him. Attention is drawn by the *Orange Sentinel* to the fact, that when the treasonable address was presented to General Burke, on his arrival to lecture here, at the Emmet Centenary, he was supported on either side by Messrs. O'Donoghue and Bousfield, M.P.P.'s. When O'Donovan Rossa arrives here probably to-morrow, he will be presented with an address containing a poem of welcome.

Yesterday morning a deputation from the Sons of England Society waited on the Mayor at the City Hall in reference to the visit of O'Donovan Rossa to this city on Monday next. The Members of the deputation said that they were apprehensive of danger on that day, and requested that his Worship should do something to protect the lives and property of citizens. Mr. Morrison replied that he was not at all alarmed, but that he would take every precantion to secure the preservation of the peace.

MONTREAL.

Another Man Shot At.

(*By Telegraph to-day.*)

Montreal, March 14.—A meeting of electors was held this afternoon to nominate Alderman Grenier as a Liberal candidate for the East End in the Local House. About three hundred persons were present, and the nomination was unanimous. Mr. Grenier is a strong candidate, and his supporters are sanguine that he will be elected by a good majority.

Mr. Speaker Beaubien will proceed to Ottawa in a few days to present the address of both Houses of the Provincial Legislature to the Governor-General, and to request His Excellency to forward it to the Imperial authorities.

Montreal, March 15.—A man named Reynolds, on returning from a meeting of the Catholic Union last night, was fired at three times by some miscreant. The shots did not take effect, but he received a severe blow across the face from a piece of iron. No arrests.

QUEBEC.

Electoral Matters — Provincial and County Elections.

(*By Telegraph To day.*)

Quebec, March 15.—It is rumoured that Mr. R. Alleyn, Q.C., will not again contest Quebec West, but will stand for Quebec Co. in the Conservative interest, and that Hon. John Hearn will resign his seat in the Council to contest the western division.

T. Kivouac, Mayor of St. Sauveur, has been re-elected, for the fifth time, Warden of the county of Quebec.

Mr. H. Collet, who is expected to be the Liberal candidate in Portneuf, has been elected Warden of the county.

MURDER WILL OUT.—Mr. Beecher's very latest statement is flatly, that he does not believe in eternal punishment. His idea now is that men will carry out of this life essentially the disposition in which they die, pass into another era, and those who continue bad will be finally annihilated. He holds as a certainty that this life does not terminate responsibility of conduct; that good goes on after death, and evil goes on with penalty, after death, and that not only is this a term of probation, but we are to pass through a further probation beyond.

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MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, March 15.

Bank of Montreal—159 3-4, 159 1-4, 33 at 1-2.
Merchants' Bank—61 3-4, 61 1-4, 6 at 60 3-4.
Bank of Commerce—114 1-2, 114.
Ontario Bank—91 1-2, 90 3-4, 11 at 1 1-4.
Bank of Toronto—137.
Molson's Bank—93
Consolidated Bank—77 1-2, 76 3-4.
Montreal Tel. Co—120 3-4, 120 1-4.
Dominion Te. Co—83 1-4.
Richelieu—54 1-4, 53 1-2.

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Song ..... Miss Bates. ..... Selected
Song ..... Mr. C. Kane. ..... Selected
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MRS. J. H. HACKETT.
Song ..... Miss McDonald. ..... Selected
Comic Song ..... McCrobie Brothers. ..... (in Character)
PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.
Piano Solo ..... Prof. Oldham. ..... Irish Airs
Reading ..... "The Column of Death."
MRS. J. H. HACKETT.
(Written by Fred. Whittaker, specially for Mrs Hackett, descriptive of an episode of "Fontenay.")
Song—"The Irish Emigrant's Lament."—*Lady Dufferin*
Mr. B. H. Humphrey.
Song ..... Miss Bates. ..... Selected
Comic Song ..... McCrobie Brothers.

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IN GILT LETTERS.

☞ None other is Genuine.

Hamilton, March 11, 1878.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875,

AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the Matter of JOHN FRASER and FREDERICK JOSEPH GEORGE, Insolvents.

A WRIT OF ATTACHENT has been issued in this cause and the creditors are notified to meet at my office in the City of Kingston on TUESDAY, the Twenty Sixth day of March instant, at 10 a.m., to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit.

C. V. PRICE, Assignee.

Dated at Kingston, this 15th day of March, A.D., 1878.

For Sale,

"THE LIGHT PLUME," on Princess Street, Williamsville, Kingston. For particulars inquire at the BRITISH WHIG OFFICE.

Kingston, March 15, '78.

WOOD

The Best Quality of Firewood

AT THE

CHEAPEST MARKET PRICE FOR SALE BY

JAMES CAMPBELL,

At Ferry Wharf, foot Brock St.

March 14, 1878.

WHIG JOB ROOMS.

OPENED OUT TO-DAY!

A LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF

ENVELOPES

Which will be furnished with a neatly printed corner from $1 25 per thousand up. Also a large assortment of the latest STYLES OF

Dancing and Concert Programmes.

Something new and nobby in CALLING CARDS. Neatest thing out in BUSINESS CARDS.

☞ Inspection invited. Orders promptly filled. Estimates cheerfully given.

ENGINE AND BOILER FOR SALE.

A SMALL ENGINE of two horse power, with four horse vertical Boiler—good as new. For sale cheap for cash. Apply to

D. McEWEN & SON

Feb 8, 1878

LECTURE!

Life Thoughts of the Proto-Martyr

AT THE WEEKLY LITERARY MEETING of the Y. M. C. A.,

NEXT MONDAY EVENING,

AT 8 O'CLOCK,

REV. A. C. CHAMBERS

Will deliver a Lecture on

Life Thoughts of the Proto-Martyr.

Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock. The public are cordially invited. A collection will be taken up to defray expenses.

S. RANTON, Gen. Secretary.

March 14.

HEWTON & HUGHES'

New Flour Store

ON PRINCESS STREET,

Opposite the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons,

IS THE PLACE TO GET YOUR

Family Flour,
Pastry Flour,
Buckwheat Flour,
Graham Flour,

And in fact everything manufactured from GRAIN. Also

Clover Seed, Timothy Seed and OIL CAKE,

of the finest quality and all at the LOWEST PRICES IN THE CITY. ☞ Give us a call and get your goods at FIRST COST.

Hewton & Hughes,

PRINCESS ST., KINGSTON.

March 11, 1878.

Small Farm Near the City TO LET.

THE FARM PLOT of the late Mr. Marks, adjoining the Village of Portsmouth, contains about nine Acres. Apply to

BAWDEN & MACHAR.

March 8, 1878.

OFFICES TO LET,

The premises now occupied by Messrs. Macdonnell & Mudie, Barristers at Law. Possession given 1st May next. Apply to

HENRY BAWDEN, Auctioneer.

March 14, 1878.

TO RENT,

A HOUSE AND TEN ACRES OF LAND about five miles from Kingston. Apply to

WM. DAVID, Broker, Princess St., Kingston

Feb 13, 1878.

FOR SALE,

A LOT—an eligible building site, situated at the head of Bay Street. Terms reasonable. Apply at this office.

Kingston, Feb 23, 1878.

W. DUNN,

Having Enlarged his Premises,

IS NOW BETTER PREPARED THAN ever to furnish his friends and the general public with

Stoves and Tinware

And is prepared to receive all orders for

Tinning, Plumbing and Gas Fitting.

On the lowest terms and with promptitude and despatch.

☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE—PRINCESS STREET, opposite the residence of Dr. Dupuis.

WM. DUNN.

March 4, 1878.

TO TAVERN KEEPERS,

Shop Keepers, Wholesale Merchants and Others.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL parties requiring

Liquor Licenses for Yrs 1878-79

That Application must be made at the Office of the License Inspector, City Buildings.

On and after the 1st day of March, up to the 1st day of April,

After which date no applications will be received. Applicants must come prepared with the names of two good and sufficient sureties.

THOMAS CONLEY, Inspector and Issurer of Licenses.

Kingston March 1st, 1878.

THE NEW HAT STORE.

The Opening on Saturday a GRAND SUCCESS.

Everything New! Everybody Pleased!!

SUCH HATS!

CALL AND SEE THEM AT THE NEW HAT STORE.

THOMAS MILLS,

Corner Princess & Bagot Streets

P.S.—As on or about the 15th inst., the firm name will be changed, all persons indebted to me will see the necessity of paying their their accounts at once without further notice.

March 6, 1878.

R. E. SPARKS, D.D.S., L.D.S., DENTIST.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE, Princess St., between Montreal and Sydenham Streets. Careful attention paid to the correcting of irregularities of the teeth.

Jan 10, 1878.

FOR SALE,

A GOOD BUSH FARM, containing about one hundred and twenty acres. There is a new Frame Dwelling thereon. For terms apply to the owner.

WILLIAM DAVID.

The Cheap Broker, Princess St, Kingston

Notice.

IF PERSONS requiring the removal of NIGHT SOIL and other Nuisance will send their names to "A.F." in care of Edward Le Heup, Box 241, Kingston Post Office, they will be promptly called upon, and cheaply served.

March 1, 1878.

R. & J. GARDINER

INVITE THE ATTENTION OF CASH BUYERS TO A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK OF

GENERAL DRY-GOODS

WHICH THEY ARE NOW SHOWING

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN

Black and Colored Silks,
Black and Colored Cashmeres
Black and Colored Lustre,
Dress Goods of every kind.

ALSO IN

Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Napkins Table Linens, Lace and Muslin Curtains, and a Stock of about

500 Pieces New Spring Prints

☞ All of which will be sold AT EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

One price only. Sales strictly cash.

R. & J. GARDINER

PRINCESS STREET.

March 1, 1877.

HATS, HATS,

For Spring, 1878,

—AT—

CLARK WRIGHT'S.

JUST RECEIVED.

If you want a Stylish Hat, call at CLARK WRIGHT'S.
If you want a servicebale Hat call at CLARK WRIGHT'S.
If you want a good and cheap Hat go to CLARK WRIGHT'S.
If you like a perfect fitting Hat go to CLARK WRIGHT'S.
To have a Silk or Felt Hat made to order, Call at CLARK WRIGHT'S.

With the use of my "Paris Conformateur," I can assure everyone of a perfect fit in a STIFF HAT.

CLARK WRIGHT, Wellington street.

March 11, 1878.

BUSINESS OPENING!

Rarest Opportunity Offered.

FOR SALE:

The Furniture, Lease & Good-Will of the Most Popular Hotel in Kingston,

THE

Anglo-American Htoel,

Beautifully situated on the corner of Johnson and Ontario Streets, facing the River St. Lawrence. Rooms completely furnished. Rent moderate. The Lease and Furniture are offered for sale owing to the proprietor retiring from business. For information as to price, terms, &c., apply to

E. MILSAP & CO., Kingston, Ont.

March 11, 1878.

BEAUTIFUL FARM

For Sale by Auction.

HENRY BAWDEN will sell by Auction at his Sale Room, Montreal Street,

On Saturday, the 16th March

AT ONE O'CLOCK, P.M.,

A BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED FARM, consisting of one hundred and thirty three and one third Acres, being West half of Lot number 19, in the 4th Concession of the Township of Kingston, four and a half miles from the city. The Farm is well watered, having a well 15 feet from door and a never failing Spring, one of them supplying water through 180 feet of iron pipe. The buildings consist of a large Brick House, large Frame Barn and other necessary outbuildings. About seventy Acres are under cultivation, the balance covered with Soft and Hardwood and some good Pine Timber; there is also an Apple Orchard on the place. It affords a beautiful residence with fine scenery; the Grand Trunk and K. & P. Cars pass in sight of the house. It is a good site for a Cheese Factory.

It will be sold on reasonable terms—namely: one third down, balance yearly in easy payments, as the owner is in other business. The Farm is better known as the old Ferrie Farm.

Title indisputable. For further information apply to

DR. DAY, Harrowsmith.

March 6, 1878.

SHERIFF'S SALE

—OF—

Goods and Chattels.

COUNTY OF FRONTENAC } ON FRIDAY, the
TO WIT: } 22nd day March

Instant, will be sold at the premises of the Defendant, on Princess Street, Kingston,