The Daily British Whig.

FRIDAY EV'NG, OCT. 11, 1878.

REMINDERS.

EMERGENCY Meeting of the Young Catholic Societies at 8 p.m.

Yesterday we saw that the *Irish Canadian*, having served the temporary Tory purpose, was being kicked aside as unworthy of further recognition. Poor Phipps, one of the real fathers of protection, and one of the few honest protectionists, is similarly coming to grief. The organs whose party has profited so materially by his assistance now make merry at his expense. It is the old story of getting the chestnuts out of the fire, but the dupes are this time getting uncommonly early intimations that burnt claws are all the reward or consolation they may expect from the cunning monkeys who then employed but now discard them. This is one of the many differences between Tories in Opposition and the same Tories in power.

It is some consolation, not only to the personal friends of Mr. DeVeber, but to all admirers of fair play, that that gentleman will shortly have an opportunity of getting direct from the people, that justice which was denied him by the refusal of the St. John Judge to recount the ballots. Mr. Tilley will very shortly have to go back to the people for re-election, and the strong probabilities are that his paltry little majority will disappear and Mr. DeVeber be elected in his stead. At all events ex-Governor Tilley, with his majority of *six* and a recount refused, will be admitted to occupy a most precarious position. Still he must risk his political neck by entering the Cabinet, since it was with this avowed purpose in view that he stepped down and out of the Governor's chair.

Of all the mean and miserable political fizzles that ever exposed the rag-tag and bob-tail of the once powerful local Tories to the irrepressible ridicule of all unlookers, the torchlight procession (?) of last night must be awarded the palm. It was a demonstration, 'tis true—a most successful demonstration too *of Tory weakness*. For the length of it, it was a *brilliant* procession indeed, for the torches were manifestly much too numerous for the few urchins who could be prevailed upon to carry them. Less than half a block in length and consisting exclusively of boys who certainly should be handsomely "recouped" for their tramp around town and for the general lark at their expense, the local Tory wire-pullers could have taken no better means to *blazon* forth their utter demoralization after their late defeat. Such a torch light procession—in the blaze of the full moon too—it was clearly a case of political *lunacy* which may well excite the anxious concern of the friends of its projectors.

THE CHANCE OF GOVERNMENT.

The event anticipated for some days has at length been consummated. The Hon. Alexander Mackenzie and his colleagues have relinquished, with untarnished honor, the high trust which five years ago was confided to their keeping, and the responsibilities of government have been again entrusted to the very men who then, for malfeasance of office and general corruption, were declared by the country and by the voice of the civilized world to be unfit for power. In answer to the false charge that the retiring ministers were slow and reluctant in relinquishing the reins of administration, we challenge the selfish Tory grumblers to show anything like it for promptitude in all the career of the men who are now stepping into office. Considering all the circumstances of the case, ex-Ministers have wound up the routine of their respective departments with perfectly marvellous alacrity, as we are perfectly satisfied the Tory Chieftain will be prone to admit. Had they so chosen it would have been quite within the Constitution to have waited till parliament had been convened, and not till then laid down the trust they derived from that representative source. Not only would such a course have been a perfectly legitimate one to adopt, but many constitutional writers have favored it as the only proper one in the premises. Instead of choosing this tardier alternative, however, the Liberal Leaders have deemed it due to their own personal dignity and self-respect to retire at once. With many a grunt and growl that they should have been kept, even for a week, away from the coveted flesh pots, the Tories have at last resumed their congenial occupation of feeding industriously at the public crib What makes their eager and indecent hurry the more palpable and reprehensible is the fact that the elections are even yet not completed and that Mr. Mackenzie with perfect propriety might have deferred the transfer of power until at least the returns were in from all the constituencies. However pleased the Tories really are at the promptitude of ex-Ministers in retiring—and none but fools could have expected the event to happen sooner—we will undertake to say that Reformers everywhere are equally satisfied. The moment it was known that the country had been wheedled into a verdict adverse to the policy of the Liberal party, that moment it was the general desire of that party that the men and the policy, the country had declared should be brought together and that the experiment of enriching the people by means of their own taxation should begin without a day's unnecessary delay. In this the Reformers of the country have been gratified by the early resignation of Ministers, and now the country will soon be convinced of how much there is in the great National Policy to rescue the country from commercial distress and industrial stagnation and how much sincerity there was also, in the clamour for this remedy in the mouths of the Tory leaders. We shall be agreeably disappointed (1) if protection theories be adopted at all by the great political shuffler now at the head of the Government; (2) if in the improbable event of their adoption it should not prove a signal failure here as it has in the States and elsewhere; and (3) if, now that the corruptionists are restored to power, there do not set in a perfect saturnalia of corruption which shall, as before, make the checks of honest men of both parties tingle with shame and remorse that the change now effected was ever permitted.

BRITISH OPINION.

When the opinions of the American press were largely quoted in deprecation of the result of our late elections Tory organs rubbed their hands in glee and said that was just to be expected from our rivals now that reciprocity of tariffs was to be established in the history of Canada. If the protectionist shoe should pinch the corns of cousin Jonathan all the better for Canada. The fact that American journals winced at the prospect was only a tribute to the patriotism of the new policy from a Canadian point of view. Canadian Tory organs are very chary, however, about similarly dispensing of the outspoken utterances of the British press. With singular unanimity all the great organs of British public opinion of both political parties have united to condemn and deplore the recent action of the Canadian electorate. It is for example extremely embarrassing to Tory organs to know how to deal with or to dispose of such sentiments as are so unequivocally expressed in the following rom the London *Telegraph*:

"We cannot therefore affect to regard the last movement in Canadian politics with complacency. To enforce a violent prohibitory tariff against England—indeed, to threaten us with exclusion—in order to give foreign nation the benefit of our own market, is a little trying to the temper of the country when its trade is bad and it is suffering from a suddenly contracted outlet for its goods. Such a policy is anything but a link in the chain of sympathy and affection which, we are told, and doubtless with truth, binds Canada to the Mother Country. In these circumstances we are glad that Lord Dufferin is to be succeeded by a young nobleman whose personal popularity across the Atlantic is as indubitable as his patriotic devotion to the interests of the Empire. We are sure he will have many opportunities of quietly influencing the Canadian mind to regard their welfare and that of England as identical, and to give their fellow-subjects at home at least the privilege of dealing with them as if they were neither strangers nor foreigners. Lord Lorne's connection with the Royal Family ought to be a standing reminder to the provinces under his rule that they are, after all, integral parts of a mighty, Empire in whose glory they can only hope to participate by working with and not against those who have built up the splendid fabric of its prosperity."

Equally explicit and in the same vein are the following utterances from the *Pall Mall Gazette*:

"There is no doubt that the complete victory of the protection party in Canada is a very serious matter. It adds to the difficulties of the Imperial government in dealing with the permanent connection between the mother country and the colonies, and strengthens the hands of those who favour a reciprocity treaty on a thoroughly protectionist basis between Canada and the United States. At the same time it shakes the ground under the feet of those who urge that our free governed colonies, if released from the imperial connection, would be better customers. Here clearly is Canada (for the time at least), with all her loyalty and fervour, voting to all appearance in favour of the exclusion of our manufactures. Would she do so any the less because we ceased to appoint a Viceroy or defend her commercial interests? Clearly this matter of hostile tariffs imposed by our colonies on English goods, in the chimerical idea of removing depression, must be dealt with ere long in a complete and statesmanlike way."

Not to multiply examples, which we might easily do indefinitely, we quote but one other specimen of British opinion—that conveyed in a *cabdegram* to yesterday's *Globe*, which informs us that:

The (London) *Daily News*, in an editorial on the Canadian elections, says the retirement of the Mackenzie Ministry and the return of Sir John A. Macdonald to power *are events to be regretted by people outside the Dominion*. We must not be sanguine for some time of hearing good news from Canada.

In spite of Tory blinking to the contrary these are the expressions of British opinion on the Canadian situation. The British press is well enough aware that the policy threatened by Sir John Macdonald for Canada is a direct menace to British interests; and, naturally enough, they are by no means slow in regretting and deprecating the ungrateful and anti-British decision of the majority of Canadian electors. That this disloyal result should have been brought about by unworthy appeals to the selfish instincts of class interests on the part of the very men whose disloyalty has been of the most blatant species, and who have for years unworthily worn British honours and titles, is a fact which is intensifying British amazement. Where the Canadian time servers are best known however their loyalty (!) is well enough understood. As the *Witness* puts it John A. would go in for annexation itself rather than surrender office and the fact that he has recovered office by means of a disloyal and anti-British trade policy goes a long way towards justifying such a suspicion.

The Tories of Kingston lit their little bonfire last night in celebration of a victory to which they contributed nothing but *the defeat of the leader of their party*. What right they have to share in the general Tory joy it is exceedingly puzzling to understand. Throughout the length and breadth of the land have the Conservatives of Kingston been cursed and scorned by the Tory party for deceiving the Chieftain with promises of re-election they were utterly unable to redeem. They it was who put the one little ingredient of John A. Macdonald's ignominious and personal defeat into the cup of general Tory satisfaction. By right they have neither part nor lot in the Tory victory. Instead of sharing it they may well hang their heads in shame and cover themselves with sackcloth and ashes that they were too stupid and stubborn to see that Kingston had resolved on renouncing the Chieftain and all his works, and that they committed the stupendous party blunder of insisting on his candidature for this city when his defeat was inevitable.

On Dit.—Some wag circulated the report to-day, that one of the locks on the Rideau Canal was blocked by the march of potato bugs for Ottawa. They go to tender their resignations, since the Pittsburgh farmer declares that there must be good crops when Sir John is in power.

Dunn's Show.—Mr. William Dunn, Dunn, of Princess Street, carried at the big Fair, first prize on sinks and also on cistern pump, two very particular articles for a household. He won second on enamelled hollow ware, and extra prizes on hall stove and tailor's goose heater.

—The tour of inspection to Malta and Cyprus by the Lords of the Admiralty will be abandoned.

THE TORY SPLURGE.

BONFIRE — ILLUMINATION — SPEECHES OF THE LOCAL LEADERS.

Yesterday the rumour of the resignation of the Mackenzie Government was confirmed by telegraphic despatch and the occasion was seized upon by our good Conservative neighbours, to have a bonfire in celebration of what may be considered a mixed event—the defeat of Sir John Macdonald in Kingston and the return of the Tory party to power. Last night was rather late to have a jubilation over the result of the general elections, but it could not be expected that the local leaders should "enthuse" at a time when they feel really disheartened and disgusted, that when Conservatism in other places had been so successful the best the "party" in Kingston could do was to lead the chieftain to disaster. Some wanted to "splurge" and others didn't but finally a compromise was effected. It was decided that there should be an illumination when Mr. Mackenzie should resign. Time passed, and the Government of the day vacated office, and yet singular to say, although the demonstration had been kept in memory all the while, when the memorable day did arrive nothing in the shape of preparation had been made for it. The wise-acres were summoned in council, and the issue of that conference was the hasty canvass of the city for boxes and barrels with which to mark a new era in political history. Evening came, and the venerable pile of old lumber in the Market Battery ground was ready for the incendiary's torch. But the crowd was small, and it had to be augmented in some way. How? The old trick was repeated, of ringing the fire alarm—by order of Ald. S. T. Drennan. But the engineers of the Fire Department were notified not to turn out with their machines. The crowd only was wanted, and the ruse succeeded. As the bon-fire blazed the orators of the party assembled on the steps of the Police Court, Ald. Drennan acting as Chairman. Speeches were then delivered by the Mayor, Ald. McCammon and Dr. Sullivan, all vain-glorious in their character, all profuse in their eulogies of Sir John Macdonald. At the close, of course, there were the usual cheers. Many of those present could not see just what the jubilation was about. They knew that it was because Sir John was again Prime Minister, but his friends in Kingston had little right to rejoice at that fact, since Sir John is in no way indebted to them for his late success. If Sir John is Premier of Canada the Tories of Kingston did not put him in that position.

WIND WAFTS.

—The Hon. R. J. Cartwright is at home again.

—The Hon. A. Mackenzie will live at Ottawa till Spring.

—The "Faxton" went in for lawlessness promptly on the change of government.

—A Newburg man who went down to see Hanlan do it, lost a coat by theft. Some one else did it.

—Mrs. Youmans is talking temperance at Charlottetown, P. E. Island, and all the papers praise her.

—Battery 'A' had its first march out of the season this morning. It enabled the Fair visitors to judge of its soldierly style.

—The farmer who expects to get forty dollars more for his horse under John A.'s rule is anxiously awaiting the assembling of Parliament.

—Major Draper, Chief of Toronto Police Force, is dangerously ill. His old neighbors and friends here will be very sorry to hear it.

—Though we have had it too wet on the Front, especially at Fair time, the farmers in Kitley and Bastard, Leeds County, are hindered in their fall ploughing by drought.

—It is not likely from appearances of political matters that Sir John will take that first steamer for Kingston next Spring. Yet it has been waiting for him for five years.

Court of Chancery.

Richardson vs. Davis.—A suit to establish the plaintiff's right to an engine manufactured by defendants for a steam saw mill at Richardson, owned by M. Holden and mortgaged to plaintiff. The mill having been burned, defendants replevied the engine, which was brought to Kingston. Plaintiff claimed the engine as a fixture. The evidence showed it to have been substituted for an old engine, which formed part of the plaintiff's security, and was taken by defendants in part payment for the new engine. The Chancellor found the plaintiff entitled to the engine, and gave a decree for plaintiff with costs, ordering the restoration of the engine and restraining the defendant's action of replevin. Mr. Moss and Messrs. Bawden and Machar, for plaintiff; Messrs. Macdonnell and Mudie for defendants.

Hora vs. Lindsay.—Suit by heirs for administration and distribution of the estate of Thomas Griffin, deceased; and for account of rents and profits against his widow. Decree for plaintiffs, directing the Master to take the usual accounts and to charge Mrs. Griffin with an occupation rent, allowing her for necessary repairs, taxes and insurance, paid by her, and for the expense of the maintenance of children beyond the value of their services. Question of costs reserved for further directions. Mr. Machar for plaintiffs; Mr. Moss for Miss Griffin; Mr. Smythe for Maria Griffin and P. Lindsay; Mr. Parke for Executors; Mr Bawden for other defendants.

Queen's College Endowment.

—While upon his tour of collection Rev. Dr. Grant will preach in St. Andrew's Church, Peterboro, on Sunday morning, and in St. Paul's Church in the evening. On Tuesday there will be a public missionary meeting, addressed by Dr. Grant and Rev. D. J. Macdonnell, of Toronto.

—Principal Grant, writing to the Rev. Mr. Bennett, states that $125,000 for the endowment have been subscribed. He will soon pay a visit to the Ottawa Valley, and hopes by Christmas to have the whole sum subscribed, viz., $150,000.

Sad Death.—Mr. John Cavanagh, builder, has just been carried off while yet under the prime of life, leaving a wife and young family to mourn a heavy loss. He has been ailing from an illness contracted during his work.

LACROSSE.

MATCH BETWEEN BELLEVILLE "ALERTS" AND K. L. C.

Yesterday afternoon the match between the "Alerts," of Belleville, and Kingston Lacrosse Club, was played on the Williamsville Athletic Grounds. The attendance of spectators was almost a blank, in consequence of the progress of the Midland Fair near by, which was the great and all-abiding attraction. When the respective clubs stripped off to playing costume, the team from Belleville in physical appearance was fully as good as the Kingston men, and hence we expected from the first an exciting contest, and probably defeat for the K.L.C. It was nearly four o'clock before the ball was faced, and when at length it was put in motion it was sent spinning towards the "Alerts" goal, and kept pretty much in that vicinity until a neat throw sent it through, and the first game was taken by the home team. No time was lost in resuming play, the positions being, of course, reversed. The strength of the contending clubs at once become apparent. In the case of the "Alerts" they were constantly on their defence, and while they infused plenty of vigour into their work, they did not handle their sticks so expertly as their opponents. The battle raged around the goal for some time, and many exciting passages took place. The goal keeper saved his colleagues all he could, but he could not not be permanent proof against steady attack, and eventually the game was lost to them. At this point a Toronto man bet a Kingston man $10 to $1 that Kingston would take three straight games. The third and last game was very warm. The defence of the "Alerts" was strengthened, but to no avail. They lost the third game and the match in less than an hour.

The Kingston team was: F. Rigney, field captain; J. Conway, goal; George Offord, A. E. Loscombe, George Robinson, John Macdonald, J. Renton, James Falconer, W. Bajus, W. McCammon, J. Anglin, R. J. Enbeck, and T. Parkin. The first game was taken by a pretty throw from Loscombe, who handled the ball well. Parkin, who earned his right to the ball very often, won the second game, and Offord, in the most dashing style, after carrying the ball almost into goal, secured the honor of the third game. The time was 8, 20 and 15 minutes respectively.

The Belleville team was: Lawrence, goal; Minore, Sangster, C. Gillen, Florin and Garrett, defence field; Carroll, centre; E. Gillen, Newbery, Taylor, Way, Jones, homefield. Three of these are members of the Okas, which club the Kingston club met a few weeks since.

The victory does no small honour to the Kingston club, which has beaten every team it has met in three straight games. Its title to the championship is very clear, when its record of games stands 9 to 0. This is all the more creditable since the club is very small, having only fifteen active players at most. It should be encouraged by the public rather than discouraged by an utter failure of attendance, such as occurred yesterday. If kept in practice the team will yet hold its own with the best clubs of the Dominion.

MARINE NOTES.

—At Toledo the schooner "Florida" chartered with 20,000 bush of wheat for Kingston at 4¼ cents.

—The steamer "Whistle Wing," plying between Peterboro and Harwood, was swamped and sunk on Rice Lake during the gale.

Pretty Bold.—This morning the str. "T. S. Faxton," a Clayton boat, well known to the Kingston excursion public, visited this port and took away the schooner "Wawanosh," bound for some port below. This breach of international law will make it unpleasant for the "Faxton" to very soon visit a Canadian port.

The "Peerless" Sunk.—The Ottawa *Herald* reports that as the tug boat "Peerless" was passing on the Rideau Canal on her way to Kingston, above Merrickville, she was run into, cut in two, and sunk by the steamer "Olive," bound down. The "Peerless" was out of her channel and attempted, as in the case of the "Princes Alice" on the Thames, to cross the bows of the other vessel. The 'Olive' went clean through her. No lives lost. The "Peerless" was owned by Mr Seeley of Seeley's Bay.

Central Fair Special.

Sewing Machines.—The "Osborn A." has again carried off the first prize, being the best family sewing machine; the Genuine New York Singer 2nd, notwithstanding they persisted in putting a first prize ticket on the machine to mislead. The people should be very careful in dealing with some agents. Any one thinking of purchasing a sewing machine should call on James Purdy, Princess Street, who is agent for the "Osborn A." One great advantage in buying from him is that he is a permanent resident of the place and will be always here to attend to repairs and confer with his customers. —*Adv't.*

Police Court, Friday.

Thomas Carey, a Pennsylvania tramp and a wild looking one at that, who has been making a beastly exposure of his person before the teachers and scholars of Queen Street School, pleaded guilty and was sent to Central Prison for six months. P. C. Nesbitt laid for him, after hearing of his offences, and secured him when he repeated the act.

Eight cases of drunkenness brought the inevitable $2 or ten days, Central Fair jubilations not being excusable.

The case of disorderly conduct at the Music Hall was dismissed, the defendant being too "respectable," it is presumed, to be amenable to justice.

Personalities.—At London a comedian of Hyer's troupe took a liberty with the name of a bank clerk, Mr. John Jarvis, at which he took offence. Going behind the scenes he obtained a satisfactory apology from the performer, who had been called upon by two other bank clerks and asked to use Jarvis' name in the way he did. He writes a letter to the evening papers, in which he calls them "insignificant curs." A lively affair is brewing.

Fire Alarm.—The example of the Conservative Association of last evening in missing the fire alarm, brought early fruit. This morning at 1:30 a.m., the fire brigade and citizens were called out. An alarm given from box 4 was a fraud.

OTTAWA.

Several Minor Items of To-day.

(*By Telegraph To-day.*)

Ottawa, Oct. 11.—A young man named Hartford, whilst cleaning a loaded gun yesterday, had a narrow escape. A premature discharge inflicted a very severe wound.

A proposal was made at the St George's Society last night, to arrange for the presentation of a joint address from all the National Societies of the Capital to the Marquis of Lorne on his arrival.

Yesterday afternoon a row occurred in a house of ill repute. One of the inmates jumped from one of the upper windows to the ground, knocking herself insensible and badly hurting her right arm. Two women were subsequently arrested.

A Musical Union is about being started in this city, under Mr. Clappe, bandmaster of the Guards.

The *Citizen* says the following gentlemen are likely to be in the new Government: Prince Edward Island—Hon. Mr. Pope. Nova Scotia—Hon. C. Tupper and Hon. J. Macdonald. New Brunswick—Hon. S.L. Tilley. Quebec—Senator Trudel, Hon. Hector Langevin, Hon. J.H. Pope and M. Masson. Ontario—Sir John Macdonald, Senator Campbell, Hon. John O'Connor and Dalton McCarthy.

Among the curiosities at the Art Exhibition is a petrified foot of perfect shape found in an excavation in this city.

Hon. Mr. Burpee left for St. John, N. B., yesterday.

The Hon. Messrs. Mackenzie and Huntington will continue to reside at Ottawa till next May.

TO-DAY'S GLEANINGS.

—Cholera is very bad in Morocco.

—The Turkish not is ill-received at Vienna.

—An honest boat race is the noblest, etc.—and about the scarcest.

—One thousand six hundred sheep went over the river at Prescott last week.

—The annual taxation of Chicago, (population of 450,000,) at $22,91 per capita.

—A Rochester physician is urgent against the tomato. It is a source of cancer.

—Two children of Mr. Robt. Napier of the Bank of British North America, Fredericton, died yesterday of diphtheria.

—President Sloan, of the R. W. & O. R. R., went from New York city by special train to Ithaca, in six hours last week. This is the fastest time on record.

—The missing Montreal contractor, James Coyne, whose disappearance was so extensively advertised by his wife, has turned up in Toronto.

—Some of the flags at Ithaca, N. Y., placed at half-mast, upon the defeat of Courtney at Lachine.

—A party of roughs attempting to charivari Harvey Anthony and bride, ten miles from Watertown, N. Y., were fired upon and a man named Rice was fatally shot.

—At Memphis alone up to Sept. 24th, nine Priests and thirteen Sisters of Charity died of yellow fever, contracted while they were attending the plague-stricken.

—Mr. T. W. House, of Houston, Texas, who owns a sugar plantation on the Brazos, employs thereon one hundred hands, and will clear $75,000 on this season's crop.

—Tick, or credit, is a word old as the seventeenth century, and is corrupted from ticket, as a tradesman's bill was formerly called. The phrase was originally "on ticket."

—A construction tram backed over a steer on the Toledo & Ann Arbor Railway, fourteen miles south of Ann Arbor, Mich., on Tuesday. The conductor was shockingly mangled, a brakeman was killed, and eight laborers were seriously injured.

—It is announced that J. Ferguson, mate of the schooner "Clayton Belle," who was supposed to have been drowned fifteen miles from Niagara in Lake Ontario, arrived at his home safe and sound. After being knocked overboard by the boom, he kept swimming until he found a plank, and than swam ashore, fifteen miles in twenty-one hours.

—Farmer Gilman fixed a gun in his melon patch, in Sommerset, Iowa, in such a way that the person who stirred a certain large ripe melon would receive a charge of beans. He meant to remove the gun in the morning if no thief was caught in the night, but before his mother-in-law went out to get a melon, and got the beans. She was seriously wounded, and refused to believe that Gilman did not set the trap for her.

THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

Alleged Carelessness of the Juries.

Oct. 10th.—The Paris Exposition awards are going through a slow process of compilation at the hands of the French and English Commissioners. Regret is expressed that no Canadian appeals have sustained by the juries, who will take the trouble to review their decisions. It is calculated that the Canadian awards will number 132.—*Globe's Cablegram.*

Correspondence.

(*To the Editor of the British Whig.*)

Sir:—I notice a letter in your paper of the 9th inst., signed R. E. Sparks, in answer to a letter published by Mr. Sawyer on the 8th, wherein he (Mr. Sparks) refers to the dental operation alluded to by Mr. Sawyer, and performed by myself. I am sorry that Mr. Sparks should have allowed himself to be made a catspaw for the occasion.

As to the resolution of the Dental Association referred to by Mr. Sparks, and passed at Cobourg, when I was President, his statement is correct. Of that resolution I am proud, and I have this to say, that I have done as much to elevate the Profession of Dentistry as any man in it.

Mr. Sparks made little of the operation referred to by Mr. Sawyer, and regards it as one of the simplest we have to perform. If the operation in question is so common in this quarter, I challenge Mr. Sparks to produce a parallel case.

Yours, etc.,
B. W. Day.

Oct. 11th, 1878. —*Adv't.*

Algoma Election.

Mr. Dawson has been elected by a large majority over Mr. Rankin. A telegram from Sault Ste. Marie of the 9th inst. announces that Mr. R. A. Lyon, Reform candidate, has been elected to the Local House by acclamation for Algoma. Mr. Lyon is a brother of Mr. W. Lyon, M. P. P. for Halton, and is a staunch Reformer.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, Oct 11.

Bank of Montreal—168 1-4, 167 1-2.
Merchants' Bank—91 1-2, 96.
Bank of Commerce—114, 113.
Ontario Bank—ex div., 80, 81.
Bank of Toronto—141 1-2, 138.
Consolidated Bank—73 1-2, 74.
Molson's Bank—Ex. div., 88 1-2, 86.
Bank du Peuple—offered 73. 70.
Jacques Cartier—42 3-4, 42 1-2.
Quebec Bank—60, 60.
Exchange Bank—asked 80, 76
Montreal Tel. Co—121 1-4, 120 3-4.
City Gas Co—131 1-4, 130 1-2
City Pass Ry—95, 84.
Richelieu and Ont—56 1-2, 56.
Royal Canadian In Co—offered 82.

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Montreal, Oct 11.

There was nothing an easier feeling in the flour market this morning. Quotations are spring extra 4,60 to 4,65; superfine 3,75 to 3,85

TRENTON.

A Serious Looking Fire—Prince Edward Railway.

(*From our own Correspondent.*)

Trenton, Oct. 10.—About half-past four on Wednesday afternoon a fire broke out from a defective chimney in the frame dwelling house of Mrs. Parent, in East Trenton. Before the brigade arrived at the place the building was completley gutted. The heavy gale prevailing at the time carried the flames to Mr. Anger's store and dwelling, then to Wm. Bedor's dwelling a distance off. One time it threatened a serious conflagration, as half a dozen houses were on fire at the same time, from the burning shingles and cinders. The brigade worked well assisted by a gang of men from Gilmour's Mill with a hand engine. Mrs. Parent lost nearly everything; insured in Quebec. Mr. Auger's loss is covered by insurance in Montreal. Mr. Bedor no insurance.

Mr. Manning, contractor for the Prince Edward Railway, with a full staff of engineers, has made Trenton his headquarters. Mr. Manning means to have the road running next year. A bonus by-law to assist the road will be submitted to the ratepayers of Trenton and no doubt carried.

The grain market is very active this fall. The principal grain is barley, more has been purchased here than at any other point on the bay.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

Condensed for "Whig" Readers.

—Weather chilly at Toronto.

—Toronto gas works damaged $1,000 by gale.

—Light ship at Lachine will be repaired at once.

—Greene Bros'. clothing store, Montreal, burnt; incendiary, investigation ordered.

—London *Times* says rumours of further mercantile embarrassment are circulated by a clique.

—A Montreal despatch reports the likely names of Cabinet the same as appear in our Ottawa despatch, giving Mr. Brooks as next chance in Quebec and Mr. Tom White in Ontario.

—General Sherman says the stories about the supposed unhappiness in his family are lies. Mrs. Sherman, though an ardent Catholic, never favoured the entry of her son Thomas into the priesthood.

—Despatches from the Island of Santaoruzo says that 100 estates were laid waste, and Frederickston is in ashes; one white person (Major Gillett) was killed, Chief of Police. More than 300 negroes were killed on the estate 'Anais.' There are only fifty soldiers on the Island, and the population is 3,000 whites and 25,000 negroes; the troubles grew out of a new labor act requiring the negroes to support themselves.

The Last Appointments.

Mr. James Patterson, Chief Clerk of the Finance Department, has been appointed to the position of Assistant Auditor, rendered vacant by the death of the Hon. John Simpson. Mr. Horace Horton, M. P. for Centre Huron, has been appointed to the position vacated by Mr. Patterson's promotion. Mr. Merelith was superannuated at his own request, made as far back as last winter, and made formally in June last.

Women in Crime.—A curious circumstance connected with the deluge of crime that for a month past has startled newspaper readers is that there is a woman in every case. The Billings murder, the Stanstead murder, the Staten Island murder, the Bridgeport murder, the Norwich poisoning cases, the Stanton Street tragedy, all have women for chief actors, either sinning or sinned against.

The Storm.—Battersea, Ont., Oct. 10.—A severe gale swept over here yesterday, blowing whole piles of lumber over the yards, badly splitting it. The telegraph lines were broken in several places by falling trees. The wind blew the water about six inches over the top of the dam, being about a foot over the average height.

MARRIED.

At Picton, Gilbert J. Walmsley to Caroline G., youngest daughter of the late Mr. Allan Vanalstine.

At Picton, on the 3rd inst., the Rev. Sidney J. Shorey, to Eliza R., daughter of the late Rev. Daniel McMullen.

DIED.

In Kingston, on October 10th, Mr John Cavanagh, aged 25 years.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, at the corner of Barrie and William streets, on Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

At Picton, on the 6th inst., in the 20th year of his age, Wm. son of the late Capt. German.

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An Emergent Meeting of the Young Men's Shamrock and Young Irishmen's Catholic Benevolent Union will be held in the I.C.B.U. Hall, THIS EVENING, at eight o'clock, for the purpose of making arrangements for the funeral of our late Brother, Mr. John Cavanagh.

By order.

P. Barry,
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Co. 11th.

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On Friday, Oct. 11th, at 10 o'clock a.m., will be sold on the premises known as Brokenshire's Foundry, Ontario Street, the following Goods, seized for Taxes, viz.:

1 Iron Planer and other Articles.

WM. MILLER, Bailiff.

Oct. 5th, 1878.

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Arranged by R. Henning.
2 Spanish Serenade ..... *Burgmuller*
Mrs. H. F. Knowles.
3 Fantasia for Flute on themes from Les Hugenots ..... *Briccialdi*
Edward Heindl.
4 a Melody ..... *Hyadn*
b Menuetto ..... *Mozart*
5 Characteristic Piece for Violincello.. *Servais*
Rudolph Henning.

PART SECOND.

6 Ballad and Polonaise for Violin, *Vieuxtemps*
Bernard Listemann.
7 Serenade for Sextette ..... *Fuchs*
8 Guomen Melange. Solo, Clarinette. *Buerman*
Thomas Ryan.
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10 Valse Caprice. Composed for the Piano *Rubinstein*
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