Daily Mercury.

THURSDAY EVE'G. JUNE 30, 1881.

East Durham.

The election took place on Wednesday, when the Conservative candidate was elected. The following are the returns so far as obtainable:

	Brereton.	Russell.
Manvers	448	141
Port Hope	274	365
Cavann and Millbrook majority for	166	
Hope, majority for		153
	888	659
	659	
Majority for	229	

During the recent Pictou election campaign Sir Charles Tupper promised that next session the duty on tea will be abolished. Of this dealers in tea should take due notice.

The temprance people of Lambton in convention at Wyoming on Wednesday, decided to take legal advice on the matter of appealing from Judge Armour's decision regarding the Scott Act there.

The Liberals of St. John, N. B., have made arrangements for the reception of the Hon. Edward Blake. A public meeting, to be addressed by Mr. Blake will be held in the Mechanics' Institute in that city. on July 15.

It is rather a laughable comment on the Langevin banquet that in order to drum up the twenty-two who were present, the tickets of admission were sold at fifty cents discount, and a chromo of the brand new Knight thrown in.

The dead-lock at Albany continues. An Albany special to the *World* says the reports about Conkling being about ready to withdraw are without foundation. Conkling holds that as long as the half-breeds refuse to have a party caucus, they, and not he, are responsible for the dead lock.

The Pacific Railway Commission is in a condition of impecuniosity. It has squandered the enormous appropriations placed to its credit for the current fiscal year, and therefore cannot continue the enquiry until the next fiscal year begins.

At the Cabinet Council on Wednesday it is understood that one of the matters which was occupying the attention of Ministers was superannuations, and the changes to be made on July 1st. There is a rumour to the effect that no superannuations will be made for some little time yet, owing to the fact that the superannuation fund is exhausted, and a change in the system is contemplated.

[illegible] the Company want [illegible] bonus of [illegible]

North Waterloo Election.

Mr. Snider's Majority 232.

The following are the corrected returns of the election on Monday, by which it will be seen that Mr. Snider's majority is 232.

	Snider's Majorities.	Walter's Majorities.
Berlin town	...	75
Waterloo town	...	9
WATERLOO TOWNSHIP.		
Township hall	73	...
Bridgeport	46	...
School section No. 9	20	...
Freiburg	...	55
WOOLWICH TOWNSHIP.		
St. Jacob's	136	...
Elmira	26	...
Conestoga	61	...
School section No. 9	59	...
Winterbourne	...	18
WELLESLEY TOWNSHIP.		
Linwood	14	...
Wellesley village	18	...
Hawkesville	38	...
Heidelberg	7	...
Bamberg	...	78
St. Clement's	...	51
Crosshill (a tie)	...	...
Total	528	296
Total majorities for Snider		528
" " " Walter		296
Snider's majority		232

As the official report is not yet known, there may be a very slight change in the above figures. A reliable report from a Conservative source gives Mr. Snider 236 of a majority. There is no doubt, however, that his real majority is 230 at least, and probably between that and 236, a very decided increase on Mr. Springer's majority at the last election, which was 167.

It is announced officially that Sir Charles Tupper and Sir Leonard Tully will hold a series of meetings in St. John during the first part of July.

The largest body of people in this country keeping themselves separate from the rest of the population are the Mennonites in Kansas. They are German in language and customs, though they came from southern Russia. They undertook to establish village life in Kansas, similar to that which they had left in Europe, the farms running off from the village in long, narrow strips; but this plan was not found practicable, and the farming is now done in the ordinary American manner. Where the land is now owned in quarter sections, however, four houses are built in the adjacent corners, enabling the inhabitants to become near neighbors. As a rule the Mennonites are richer than the average western farmers. They are not communistic, as has been said, though clanish, and opposed to mixing socially or in business with the people around them.

Morning Telegrams.

France has lost [illegible] Islas Dufaure [illegible] constitution [illegible] statesman [illegible]

AFFAIRS IN IRELAND.

The Land League Funds.

THE LAND BILL PROGRESSING.

London, June 29.—There are complaints that the Land League funds have been grossly mismanaged. Egan, the Treasurer, pleads that publicity would defeat the object of the League; but it is charged that he even declines to submit the accounts to a League Committee. It is alleged that some men in the pay of the League are also in the pay of the Government, and that when the Government intended to suppress the League under the Conspiracy Act, prominent men in the organization offered to supply the necessary proofs of conspiracy.

The process-server McAuliffe, shot dead near Castle Island, county Kerry, recently gave evidence against the President of the local Land League.

In the House of Commons clause 5 of the Land Bill was adopted by 238 to 142, after the Government had consented to the amendment of Healy (Home Ruler) removing some of the existing limits to tenant's power of assignment, and some modifications favouring landlords in compensation for disturbance. Clause 6 was adopted without amendment or division.

Cork, June 29.—Labourers' Land Leagues are being established at Killarney and other places. Country gentlemen are supporting the movement. The labourers allege that them farmers are dismissing or paying the insufficiently. The farmers, whom they supported all along in their agitation, are ungrateful, and the labourers must protect themselves. If the movement makes any head it considerably weakens the National Land League.

Murder in a Railway Car in England.

When the Brighton express stopped for the collection of tickets outside of Brighton on Monday, Arthur Lefroy, a newspaper reporter, aged 22, was found in one of the carriages wounded in the head. He reported to his fellow travellers, who were a countryman and an old gentleman, that shortly after passing Croyden he heard a shot and was stunned. Several bullets were found imbedded in the carriage. In the Balcombe Tunnel was found with his throat cut the corpse of F. J. Gould, a retired business man, who had been in London to collect dividends. He was also stabbed in various places. Only his pocket-book, containing cards, was found on his person. Lefroy, after his wound was dressed, started for London. Lefroy's real name is Henry Mapleton. Later in the evening the police obtained possession of facts which induced them to order his arrest. On arriving at his house they found that he had escaped by the rear door.

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The Governor General will attend the [illegible] on Friday.

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