

LISTON STANDARD.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1881.

It is reported that the Hon. Mr. Fabre has resigned his position as Senator and will go to France as Canadian commissioner.

The local elections in Quebec, consequent upon the dissolution of the Legislature of that Province, will take place on the 2nd December. The nominations will be held on the 24th inst.

The recent elections in Germany have resulted disastrously to the man of iron will. Bismarck's adherents notwithstanding do not number more than a third of the whole house. A dissolution of that body is probable.

A Liberal Conservative Convention is announced to be held in Toronto on Tuesday, 22nd inst. Every constituency in the Province is expected to send from four to six delegates. The convention will be followed by a banquet to the Premier. We are in a position to state that steps will be taken to select representatives to the Convention for North Perth. Further notice will be given next week.

The Hon. Edward Blake, previous to the holding of his meeting in the town hall, Bowmanville, was the victim of a practical joke at the hands of the employees of the Commercial Organ Company. He was invited by one of the managers of that manufactory to drive over in company with two other prominent townsmen to the residence of the manager to create a favourable impression on the free trade champion in showing how prosperous the business had grown under the policy of protection, but was amazed on arriving on the spot to find cover every window in the factory emblazoned, as if aided by electricity, and illuminated placards covering the greater portion of each window, on each of which was inscribed a name, the name of the printer in large type the letters N. P. As soon as the Liberal leader discovered this, his indignation knew no bounds. He dismounted as best he could, and immediately returned to his constituents in the hall, who no doubt by this time were jealous of his absence.

THE DEATH KNELL OF THE LAND LEAGUE.

Archbishop McCreary's Pastoral.

The following is an extract from Archbishop McCreary's pastoral referring to the present crisis in Ireland, and which is looked upon as the death knell of the Land League.

"The condition of our dear country, and for our bitter tears. Only a little while ago our city presented scenes of lawlessness which might disgrace an un-Christian rabble. It is true that evil-doers were but a handful of misguided youth, but it is no wonder that evil-doers are in our midst, and that the youthful culprit of today may become the hardened profligate, if society fails in its duty towards the rising generation. We feel ourselves, very reverend fathers, imperatively called on to enter our most solemn protest against another indignity which has been offered to the public conscience of our people in this city, the centre of Catholic Ireland. Only a few days ago, over considering men were started from their dreams of security by the publication of a manifesto which at once assailed the moral law of good and evil and struck at the foundation of the existing state, assailing all other cases which are not regarded as threatened, let us confine ourselves to one particular class of the community. These are the men who are industrious men among us who, trusting to their faith in the public conscience, and calculating on the security which a virtuous community affords, have not only given, have invested the fruits of their years of toil and self-sacrifice in property from which they hoped they and their kindred might draw the means of their subsistence. But all this must be swept away by the breath of a handful of men, the bulk of whom have neither stake nor interest in the country. We disapprove the warning which cautioned us against the danger that lurked in the specious programms proffering to aid us in releasing the wrongs of an oppressed people. But now God's providence has forced from the lips of the unsafe guides an avowal of their aims. And if the notice to pay no rents be not the teachings of Communism, Communism is yet to be defined. Let no one suppose, very reverend fathers, that we have a word to say in the defence of the oppression of the poor. We will feel as keenly as the most outspoken of our brethren inspired by the ministrations of cruel injuries worked by law, and the wrongs of the tenants of Ireland, but we must not allow our abhorrence of injustice to betray us into repudiation of the claims of justice. If today the landlord's claim to his just rent be questioned, who will guarantee the tenant's right to his ordinary money and toil? To morrow injustice will require justice, and on the day of retribution the wrong doer will be laughed at when he seeks for sympathy in his troubles. The issue is now mainly put to our people which of two paths they will follow: whether they will follow the men who have marked out that road that must lead to anger with God, and disgrace before the Christian world, or the bishops of Ireland, who, through a glorious and unbroken succession of fourteen centuries, and the leaders of those centuries encountered poverty and exile and death in its most terrible form, for the people with whom their lives are irrevocably bound up.

CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Grand Progress of the Work - Regular Service - Large and Improving Station.

A very satisfactory report of the progress of the Canadian Pacific railway is given in the *Enquirer International*. From that paper it appears that the Canada Pacific is doing considerable work in Winnipeg. A hundred and seven acres of land have been secured by the Government. A round house and large buildings for stores are already in course of construction, and extensive shops for the western division of the road will be erected there in the spring. A large temporary depot is to be built at Point Douglas, to be occupied until next season, when a \$700,000 building is to be erected at the point where the track crosses Main street, and the station is progressing vigorously. The seventy odd miles of new track between Portage la Prairie and Brandon have been opened to traffic about 20 miles, and the remaining 50 miles will be completed by the end of this month. Besides, the grading will be done at least 75 miles farther. On the new line from Winnipeg to Portage la Prairie, which shortens the distance from 72 to 50 miles, grading will be finished this week. Track laying is going on from both ends, and the line will be ready for the running of trains by the end of the month, when the old line will be abandoned between Stoneville and Portage la Prairie, the 22 miles from Winnipeg being left as a short local line.

THE SOUTH WESTERN BRANCH.

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TEVIOTDALE.

Killed by a Kick. - As a son of Mr. Geo. Smith, of Teviotdale, aged between eight and ten, went into a field to catch a colt, the animal kicked him on the forehead, inflicting a fearful wound. The little fellow expired a few minutes after medical aid arrived from Palmerston.

GREY.

DEATH OF A PROMINENT RESIDENT. - Mr. Samuel Storrison, aged 50 years, one of the first settlers in the county, died on Thursday, 27th ult., at his residence, Cranbrook, after a prolonged illness. He acted as Deputy Reeve for Grey township a number of years, and was also a member of other offices. His loss will be deeply regretted in this vicinity.

LEBANON.

Fall wheat in this vicinity is looking well. The late rains have not improved the roads, which are now in a very unsatisfactory state for travel.

The trustees of the Lebanon Public School have re-engaged Mr. Walter Wright, for next year, at an advance of \$70 in his salary. Under Mr. Wright's efficient management, the school is making good progress, and his re-engagement gives general satisfaction.

On Halloween the boys amused themselves by playing on the street. The late rains have not improved the roads, which are now in a very unsatisfactory state for travel.

PERTH FALL ASSIZES.

Conclusion of the Proceedings - A Number of Interesting Cases Disposed of.

STRATFORD, Oct. 27. - At the opening of the Court this morning the trial of Michael Broeck for assault was proceeding. The prisoner, John Michael, was charged with having committed an assault upon John Inwood, on the evening of the 12th of July last. Inwood was laid on the ground, and was carried to the hospital, where he died on the evening of the 13th of July. The evidence of the 12th of July was given by the prisoner and the witness, who had been in the room at the time. The trial was continued until the 27th inst., when it was found that the prisoner was guilty of the offence. He was sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of two years.

WALLACE.

To the Editor of THE STANDARD. - In your issue of Oct. 27, I saw an account of the late case of Wallace, who was charged with the murder of a man named John Inwood, on the evening of the 12th of July last.

It is a pity that the facts of this case should be so generally misrepresented. Wallace was a man of good character, and was not guilty of the crime with which he was charged. The evidence against him was entirely unconvincing, and the jury should have acquitted him. The fact that he was a stranger in the neighbourhood at the time of the murder, and that he had no motive for committing the crime, are strong arguments in his favor. It is to be hoped that the authorities will take care to see that justice is done in all such cases, and that no innocent man will be convicted of a crime which he has not committed.

USED ALL THE YEAR ROUND.

JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA.

Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, and for Purifying the Blood.

It has been used for 30 years, and has proved itself to be the most reliable and effective medicine for all the above named ailments. It is a pure vegetable preparation, and is entirely free from any deleterious effects. It is sold in bottles of 25 cents and 50 cents each.

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THE "REFORM" SHOW IS ADVERTISED.

The Governor General embarks for England on Saturday. He will be present on the wharf with an address by the Lieutenant Governor of Quebec.

DAIRY MARKETS.

Little Falls, N. Y., Oct. 31. - The market is quiet. The price of butter is 12 1/2 cents per pound. The price of cheese is 10 cents per pound. The price of milk is 4 cents per gallon.

LISTON MARKET.

Wheat, fall, per bush.	1.25	1.25
Spring, " "	1.25	1.25
Barley, " "	1.25	1.25
Oats, " "	1.25	1.25
Hay, per ton.	15.00	15.00
Wood, long, " "	1.50	1.50
Short, " "	1.50	1.50
Shingles, " "	1.50	1.50
Bricks, " "	1.50	1.50
Iron, " "	1.50	1.50
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