# TALLY TWO.

## The Tecumsehs Take Another Game from the Bisons.

**Toronto Drops the Third to Detroit—Bay City Braces Up and Wins from Hamilton—General Sporting News.**

### BASEBALL.

LONDON WINS AGAIN.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 3.—Buffalo opened up the second game with London as if they meant to win. A base on balls, Rooks' out, a hit by Coughlin, a stolen base, Burke's base on balls and Pettee's two-bagger yielded three runs in the first. When the fourth inning was drawing to its close Lutenburg hit for two bases, Schellerman sent an in-shoot into Wright's ribs and Parks lifted the ball over the fence for a home run. Then, after two men were out, London got to the front on a single by Demaris, who went to second on the throw-in. Hiland hit it out to left, and Demaris scored. Buffalo tied the score in the eighth, when, with two men out, Coughlin got a base on balls, and gets credit for a steal to second, when he was clearly out, and the score tallied on Burke's clean hit to left. London won the game by two runs in the eighth, Wright getting a double header, and Parks once more sending the sphere over the left field fence for a home run. Score:

LONDON.

| | A.B. | R. | B.H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hiland, r.f. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Friel, l.f. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Leighton, c.f. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lutenberg, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| Wright, 2b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Parks, 3b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Doyle, s.s. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Murphy, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 3 | 0 |
| Demaris, p. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 6 | 8 | 27 | 12 | 0 |

BUFFALO.

| | A.B. | R. | B.H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Andrus, r.f. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Rooks, c.f. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Coughlin, 3b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Burke, l.f. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Pettee, 2b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Quinn, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 0 |
| Connor, s.s. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Smith, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Schellerman, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 4 | 8 | 24 | 14 | 4 |

Buffalo.....3 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—4
London.....0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 2 *—6

Earned runs—Buffalo 1, London 3.
Two-base hits—Rooks, Pettee, Lutenberg, Wright.
Home runs—Parks 2.
Sacrifice hits—Friel, Murphy, Rooks, Andrus, Smith.
Stolen bases—Coughlin 2, Quinn, Connor, Leighton 2.
Double play—Demaris to Lutenberg.
Bases on called balls—By Demaris 5, Andrus 2, Coughlin, Burke, Schellerman; by Schellerman 3, Hiland, Doyle 2.
Hit by pitched ball—By Schellerman 3, Leighton, Friel, Wright.
Struck out—By Demaris 9, Coughlin, Burke, Quinn, Connor, Smith 2, Schellerman 2; by Schellerman 2, Hiland, Demaris.
Passed balls—Smith.
Wild pitch—Demaris.
Left on bases—Buffalo 4, London 4.
Time—Two hours.
Umpire—McLaughlin.
Attendance—700.

### OTHER SATURDAY GAMES.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

| At Toronto— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toronto | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 |
| Detroit | 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 * | 2 | 6 | 1 |

Batteries—Titcombe and Grim, Knauss and Goodfellow. Umpire—Curry.

| At Hamilton— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hamilton | 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 | 3 | 6 | 3 |
| Bay City | 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 1 — | 4 | 10 | 3 |

Batteries—Sprogel and Roche, Stein and Arundel. Umpire—Collins.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| At Brooklyn— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 — | 3 | 8 | 5 |
| Brooklyn | 3 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 * — | 7 | 9 | 3 |

Batteries—Welsh and Murphy, Carruthers and Clark. Umpires—Powers and McDermott.

| At Philadelphia— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — | 0 | 8 | 3 |
| Philadelphia | 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 2 * — | 5 | 8 | 0 |

Batteries—Getzein and Bennett, Gleason and Clements. Umpire—Lynch.

| At Cleveland— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 — | 3 | 6 | 2 |
| Pittsburg | 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 — | 3 | 6 | 2 |

Batteries—Beaton and Zimmer, Sowders and Wilson. Umpire—McQuaid.
Called on account of darkness.

Rain prevented the Chicago-Cincinnati game.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| At Pittsburg— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 3 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 — | 6 | 9 | 5 |
| Buffalo | 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 — | 2 | 4 | 3 |

Batteries—Galvin and Carroll, Haddock and Mack. Umpires—Gunning and Matthews.

| At Philadelphia— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 5 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 — | 8 | 10 | 5 |
| Boston | 0 1 0 0 0 0 5 0 0 0 — | 6 | 10 | 9 |

Batteries—Knell and Hallman, Kilroy, Sweet and Kelly. Umpires—Ferguson and Holbert.

| At Brooklyn— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 0 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 — | 4 | 9 | 5 |
| New York | 4 0 2 0 0 0 2 5 * — | 13 | 17 | 0 |

Batteries—Wehing and Daily, O'Dea and Ewing. Umpires—Barnes and Gaffney.

At Chicago—Rain prevented the Chicago-Cleveland game to-day.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| At Syracuse— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 — | 4 | 7 | 1 |
| Brooklyn | 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 — | 5 | 8 | 1 |

Batteries—Keffer and Reilly, Toole and Bowers. Umpire—Barnum.

| At Toledo— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 1 2 2 2 0 0 0 0 0 — | 7 | 10 | 1 |
| Columbus | 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 — | 4 | 10 | 3 |

Batteries—Sprague, Abbott and Rogers, Easton and Bligh. Umpire—O'Dea.

| At Rochester— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 2 2 2 0 2 2 0 2 0 — | 12 | 11 | 3 |
| Athletics | 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 — | 2 | 8 | 5 |

Batteries—Callahan and McKeough; Esper and Ganzel. Umpire—Emslie.

| At St. Louis— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 2 1 0 3 1 0 1 1 0 — | 9 | 14 | 2 |
| Louisville | 0 1 0 3 2 0 0 0 0 — | 6 | 12 | 4 |

Batteries—Chamberlain, Wittrock and Earl, Stratton and Ryan. Umpire—O'Brien.

SUNDAY GAMES.

American Association—Columbus 11, Toledo 3; Louisville 11, St. Louis 2.

**Standing of the Leagues.**

| INTERNATIONAL. | Won. | Lost. | NATIONAL. | Won. | Lost. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 3 | 0 | Philadelphia | 6 | 3 |
| London | 2 | 0 | Chicago | 6 | 4 |
| Hamilton | 2 | 1 | Cincinnati | 6 | 4 |
| Saginaw-B.C. | 1 | 2 | Brooklyn | 5 | 4 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 2 | Boston | 6 | 5 |
| Toronto | 0 | 3 | Pittsburg | 5 | 6 |
| | | | Cleveland | 3 | 7 |
| | | | New York | 3 | 8 |

| PLAYERS'. | Won. | Lost. | ASSOCIATION. | Won. | Lost. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 8 | 3 | Rochester | 9 | 3 |
| Chicago | 6 | 3 | St. Louis | 9 | 4 |
| Buffalo | 5 | 4 | Louisville | 8 | 4 |
| Brooklyn | 5 | 5 | Athletics | 7 | 4 |
| Pittsburg | 5 | 5 | Syracuse | 4 | 7 |
| Philadelphia | 4 | 6 | Toledo | 4 | 8 |
| Cleveland | 3 | 7 | Columbus | 4 | 9 |
| New York | 3 | 7 | Brooklyn | 3 | 9 |

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

International—London at Toronto, Detroit at Hamilton, Saginaw at Buffalo.

THE MILITARY SCHOOL DEFEATED.

Struthers, Anderson & Co.'s baseball club played a match with the Military School nine on Saturday afternoon. The Military School could do nothing with Hiscott's pitching and so the victory went against the soldiers. The score follows:

MILITARY SCHOOL.

| | A.B. | R. | B.H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Galbraith, p. & l.f. | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 |
| Pearson, l.f. & p. | 5 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Allan, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Dunlevey, r.f. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Allan, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Evans, s.s. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 |
| West, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Robinson, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Calton, c.f. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 5 | 4 | 27 | 18 | 6 |

STRUTHERS, ANDERSON & CO.

| | A.B. | R. | B.H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| W. Hiscott, p. | 7 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| Dwyer, c. | 7 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 7 | 0 |
| Johnson, 2b | 6 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Taylor, c.f. | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| A. Hiscott, l.f. | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Adams, 1b | 6 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| Crowley, 3b | 6 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Ferguson, r.f. | 6 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Tierney, s.s. | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Totals | 56 | 28 | 24 | 27 | 26 | 2 |

Struthers, Anderson & Co..3 4 6 2 2 5 3 3 0—28
Military School.....0 0 2 0 0 0 0 3 0— 5

Earned runs—S., A. & Co., 18; Military School, 1.
Two-base hits—Crowley, Pearson.
Three-base hit—W. Hiscott.
Struck out—By Pearson, 2; Galbraith, 3; by Hiscott, 14.

Parks has his eye on the ball.

Poor Toronto! To be done up three straight and now have the Tecumsehs after your scalp!

Buffalo will be here to open the season on Monday next. If the game is as good as Saturday's it will do.

The Riversides played a Free Press nine at Riverside Park on Saturday afternoon, the former winning by 7 to 6.

London plays in Toronto to-day, to-morrow and Wednesday. Detroit is with the Hams, and Saginaw-Bay City at Buffalo.

The International League is showing its ability to give good ball and at a low price. That is more than the big leagues can do.

Buffalo can now take satisfaction out of the small fry. Saginaw-Bay City for three days and Detroit for the remainder of the week.

Donovan, who has been doing such brilliant work for the Boston League club, is laid up, and McGarr is to take his place for a time.

Thanks, London, for helping us to redeem Canada from the disgrace put upon this country by Toronto's imbeciles.—[Hamilton Spectator.

The Philadelphia Sporting Life publishes the photos of the entire Brooklyn Players' team. Monkey Murphy and Tom Kinslow are in the group, looking as natural as ever.

The Wolverines and Clippers played a close game in East London on Saturday, the score being: Clippers, 18; Wolverines, 17. The batteries were; O'Brien and Willis; Bright and Donald.

"The Shakers must not get discouraged because of a defeat. There are a great many setbacks in store for the Saginaw-Bay Citys."—[Detroit Free Press. And say, Detroit must not get elated because of a couple of victories. There are a great many setbacks in store for the Champs.

A scratch team from the Y. M. C. A. went out to the asylum Saturday and wound the latter up to the tune of 32 to 8. Stanfield and Lynd occupied the points for the visitors, while the asylum tried Donald, O'Neil and Hayes alternately in the box with Sippi at the receiving end. The boys were treated right royally to unlimited refreshment at the close of the game, and returned well pleased both with their reception and victory.

### THE TURF.

Terra Cotta, the great Kentucky race horse, has been permanently retired from the turf.

### FOOTBALL.

The football season was formally inaugurated at Galt Saturday afternoon, the competing teams being the Scots, of Toronto, and the Galt club, the visitors being defeated 2 to 0.

### CRICKET.

The Dutch Cricket Union of Holland has under consideration a proposal to send a Dutch eleven to England during the ensuing summer. There are many thousand cricket and football players all over the Netherlands, and last year A. Bentley, of Devonshire, went over to coach them in the noble game, the Dutch Cricket Union defraying all expenses. After some discussion it was resolved to send an eleven to England during the coming season.

## A SNOW STORM.

**A Heavy Fall Reported from All Points in the Northwest.**

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 5.—An unseasonable snow fell here yesterday to the depth of an inch or more. It soon melted, however. The snow storm was very general throughout the Northwest. From La Crosse, Wis., to Jamestown, N. D., the storm extended and reached to the lake on the north. At Fergus Fall, Minn., it snowed for four hours, but melted immediately. At Mankato six inches of snow is believed to be of benefit to the crops. Five inches fell at St. Peter. At Albert Lea it snowed nearly all day, as it did also at St. Cloud, Bird Island, St. James, Redwood Falls, Lumberton and Faribault. At Jamestown, N. D., it snowed for twelve hours, the fall being estimated at four inches. This snowfall is generally regarded as favorable to big crops.

## WESTMINSTER TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

Council met at W. L. Odell's hotel April 26. The Clerk, as returning officer for the vote on annexing London South to the city, reported that in accordance with the provisions of the act, Bylaw No. 485, to annex London South to the city, was submitted to a vote of the electors and was adopted by a majority of 177, the votes polled being for the bylaw 437, against the bylaw 260. Bylaw 485 was then read a third time and finally passed. It was voted that the deputy returning officers be paid $5 each, that the Clerk be paid $25 for preparing the bylaw, voters' lists and other services as returning officer, and that $3 be paid for each polling place, and $2 to G. Trebilcock for use of hall on the 22nd April. Ordered that Ramsell & Hutchinson be paid $3 75 for election forms and Orr & Weld $8 60 for printing for vote in London South. Five dollars was paid John Milne for repairing sewers in London South. Next meeting of the Council to be May 5.

HENRY ANDERSON, Tp. Clerk.

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## EAST MIDDLESEX CONTEST.

### Mr. Purdom, the Liberal Candidate, in London West.

**Provincial Issues Discussed Before a Good Audience—Something About the Tory Leader's Religious Record.**

An enthusiastic meeting of the electors of London West in the interest of the Liberal candidate for East Middlesex was held in Collins' Hall on Saturday evening. Reeve Lacey was elected chairman, and after a few preliminary remarks called on

MR. FRANCIS LOVE

to open up the questions of the evening.

Mr. Love on coming forward said that he was pleased to have the privilege of speaking in behalf of the candidature of Mr. T. H. Purdom, his former schoolmate and life-long friend. He was satisfied that Mr. Purdom would give his independent support of the Mowat Government next term, but he was also sure that he would give slavish support to none. He then dealt with the absurd ballot question raised by Mr. Meredith in connection with the separate schools. He showed that it was not asked for by the separate school supporters. Only 93 out of the 230 school sections where it had been tried favored it. Was it not right to allow the supporters of the separate schools to reject the ballot if they wished? Referring to the Mowat Administration, he said that it could be attacked from no quarter. Its surplus was in the neighborhood of $7,000,000, which contrasted very favorably with the record of the former Tory Government of Quebec with their debt of $24,000,000. That the Government had not stinted itself while rolling together this surplus was shown by its liberal grants to the agricultural and commercial industries, railways and colonization roads, asylums and benevolent institutions. Its legislative record was also very creditable. Mr. Mowat had lessened the poor man's legal expenses and decreased lawyers' fees. Mr. Love also spoke of the victory Premier Mowat had over Sir John Macdonald on the timber limits question, by which 200,000 square miles of timber land were retained for Ontario, and which as a source of revenue would keep direct taxation at a safe distance for long years to come. (Applause.) He contrasted the methods of the Ottawa with the Mowat Administration. The former sold its timber privileges to favorites at a nominal rate of $5 per square mile, and the latter auctioned them off and got prices as high as $750 per mile. Objections had been raised by the Tories that Mr. Purdom was not a farmer, but it was not likely that any importance would be put on that. The speaker thought that Mr. Purdom could safely claim to be as good a farmer as Mr. Tooley at that gentleman's best, and he certainly was a man that could do more good in one day in the Legislature than Tooley could in a session, because the latter never let himself be heard. Mr. Tooley is a weak man; weaker than ever before, and his strength has departed from him, while Mr. Purdom is the strongest man that could be selected from either party. Taking up the Scripture Selections question, the speaker said he did not believe there would be a single Liberal proselyted by the cries of those men who run down that book, which the great majority of them had never seen, and some of whom had so much religion that they never looked into a Bible from one year's end to another (Applause.)

MR. JOHN CAMPBELL

was the next speaker. He was always pleased to say a few words for the Liberal Government which he had supported for over 40 years. It was a liberal one in every respect and commended itself to the people. He also referred to the action of the leader of the Opposition at the time of the timber limits dispute, and said that had Mr. Meredith supported Mr. Mowat there would have been no necessity in taking the case to the Privy Council. The Liberal policy of the Mowat Administration was shown in London West at the time of the unfortunate flood. That Government was always willing to help a municipality in distress, and this of itself commended it to the support of all. (Applause). The history of the Mowat Government for the eighteen years of its existence did not contain a single dark spot. The Cabinet was composed of men of great ability, genius and intellect, and honest above suspicion. There were none of those miserable boodlers which are found in the Tory ranks. He characterized the religious racket now being worked by the Tories as dastardly and as setting neighbor against neighbor and religious body against religious body. The effort made to abolish the speaking of the French language by force was the work of devils. If left to itself the French language would be supplanted by the English tongue, but when a race was persecuted its language would never be wiped out. When the speaker came to Lobo he heard nothing but Gaelic, but now English was the tongue spoken and Gaelic was seldom heard. Had the Scotchmen been ordered to discard their native tongue it would be heard to this day. (Applause.) Mr. Meredith appealed to Protestants to unite and suppress the "common enemy? Who are the common enemy? The very men who adhered to Mr. Meredith and sent him to Toronto and without whose aid he would never have taken his seat in the Legislature. At one time he had the support of nine-tenths of the Catholic electors of the city, and the man who would so far forget his former friends as Mr. Meredith has done has fallen very low indeed. (Cheers and applause.) Young men, he concluded, don't shirk your vote, but come forward like men, unsolicited, and cast your ballots for good, honest and Liberal government.

MR. A. D. HAEDY

was then called on. He first dealt with the record of the Mowat Administration. No other country could produce such a record as that of Ontario in parliamentary matters. No man ever held the confidence of his people for such a length of time as Mr. Mowat, and this spoke plainly as to the merit of his Government. His nearest competitor was Pitt, of England, who continued in power for sixteen years. All the papers had been forced to admit that the Mowat Government could not successfully be assailed on its financial policy, and so some outside question must be raised to give the Opposition some shadow of a platform. For this reason they appealed to the religious prejudices of the people of the Province, knowing that the old fire which burned fiercely for years in the old country has not entirely died out here yet, though there was every hope entertained that it would soon do so. They seek to revive the few sparks that may be still fanned into a flame and start anew the dissensions of 100 years ago. (Applause.) The time had now arrived when a man was judged on his merits as a citizen without regard to the altar at which he worshiped. The present is a time when if he did his duty as a citizen it is all that the State requires of him. (Applause.) The Tories hope to sweep the country by appealing to the prejudices of the Protestant people, but people should remember that Mr. Meredith's father left $500 to the Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum and William had ridden the "green horse," but he had been disappointed and unsuccessful, and now he has mounted the "Orange Billy," and if not successful this time he will give up politics and accept a judgeship from his friend John A. Macdonald. When the Confederation was brought about the Roman Catholics and Protestants were about equal in numbers, and some compromise was necessary if Confederation was to be effected and the continued existence of the separate schools was the result of that compromise.

The only way now to make a change was through the Government of Great Britain, and it was not likely that that power would deprive 2,000,000 of their rights in that respect. The speaker would rather that there were no separate schools, but it was necessary for Confederation, and without them the Dominion could not remain intact. In Mr. Purdom the electors have a representative of whom they may be proud. Out of a session of 58 days they will see that Mr. Tooley never used his voice but once, and that time was in the Private Bills Committee on the London South amalgamation question. On that remarkable occasion he rose to say, "I do not wish to have anything to say on this question." What is wanted is a man that will champion the rights of the riding and make himself heard as Mr. Purdom will do.

MR. PURDOM, THE LIBERAL CANDIDATE

then took the platform. He had a hearty reception. In his opening remarks he said: There is one thing that cannot be said against us—that we have introduced personalities into the contest. I have not said a word of that nature against Mr. Tooley or the Opposition leader. I do not think it necessary to descend to such a level, and to prove this it is only needful for me to show that we fired our first shot with Love (Laughter.) No man should hesitate to ask for the support of the Mowat Administration. It is a

PROGRESSIVE GOVERNMENT,

and has done as much as any Government could to make the homes of the people happy. The schools of the Province are a standing proof of the excellence of the present Government. They are excelled by none and equalled by few. The son of the poor man by this means has just as good a chance of making his mark in trade or profession as the rich man's children and this state of affairs is one of the greatest blessings that can exist in the world. In the matter of charity the Ontario Government is in many respects ahead of the churches. Every city in the Province of any importance has a well-equipped hospital and it is kept up without the people feeling the burden of its maintenance because the money comes, in a large measure, from the surplus which the Government has acquired. (Applause.) There is one point which I shall also touch upon,

THE RELIGIOUS CRY,

It is a cry which I do not think the Tories believe in. They adopted it only for political gain. It was done to obtain votes, but I do not think that it will be successful, but rather that they will only fall lower in the estimation of the public. I have been in several places in the riding during the past few days and my prospects are very good indeed. The Opposition is now following the same policy it advocated four years ago—that of stirring up strife. The only difference is that they have changed the tone of their cry. They are on a different tack.

The issue which they have raised now should be frowned down by all well-wishers of Canada irrespective of nationality or creed. You are all probably members of either St. George's, St. Andrew's or St. Patrick's Society, and we have seen them all mingle together at suppers and picnics and we were in a fair way of forgetting all these

DIFFERENCES OF CREED.

We have to-day in our high schools Roman Catholics and Protestants, and is it not reasonable to expect, seeing that the co-education of the advanced scholars is satisfactory, that in time the public schools will entirely supplant the separate schools by the mutual consent of the parties affected? It is not prudent to introduce unnecessary quarrels into this new land. I believe that the man who would set one race against another is an enemy of his country. We as a people should accord to classes the privileges that we ask for ourselves. To-morrow each of you will have the right to go to your own church and worship as you see fit. Let each then meditate upon this question and ask if it is right to unfairly treat those who hold different religious views from ourselves. The Tories say that the religious rights of the people are in danger, but in the Mowat Cabinet there are four staunch Presbyterians, and we all know that though a Presbyterian is willing to give equal rights to all, he will never allow any encroachment on his own religious opinions and privileges. Such are, I think, the sentiments of this audience. (Applause.) Wherever I have been throughout the riding I find the same feeling exists, and there has never been a better chance of electing a Liberal candidate than there is now. (Cheers.)

MR. W. H. BARTRAM

then came forward. He said that although he was a Reformer he would not support either of the candidates in the field. He did not approve of the manner in which Mr Purdom had been brought out, and for that reason would not vote for him. He agreed with what the previous speakers had said concerning the Mowat Government; but he objected to Mr. Purdom as a candidate because he was supported by Col. Leys, and because he was solicitor of the Dominion Savings Company, which was admitted to be a representative Catnolic institution! Mr. Love had certified to Mr. Purdom's worth, but Mr. Love was a Police Court lawyer, and Police Magistrate Parke was Mr. Purdom's partner. In a similar strain, Mr. Bartram referred to Mr. Campbell's friendship for Mr. Purdom, and then took his seat. He was frequently interrupted with protests against his style of argument.

MR. PURDOM WELCOMES EVERY AID.

Mr. Purdom, in reply, strongly denied the statements of Mr. Bartram relating to him, and said that he would graciously accord that gentleman his silence. It was not necessary for him to reply to Mr. Bartram's idle and untrue talk. So far as Col. Leys is concerned (Mr. Purdom added), he is an influential elector of the riding, and will fight in this battle as he has always done—no more, no less, and from no different motives. I will thank him for his aid, and he will rejoice in my victory.

The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen, Premier Mowat and Mr. Purdom.

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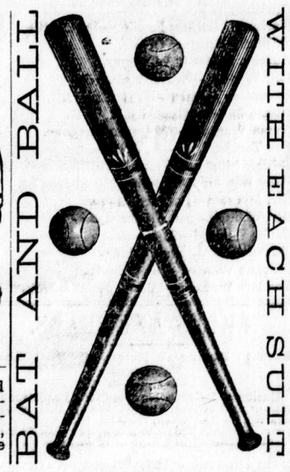


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