

Glorious News from Montreal!!

Cartier Beaten by a Tremendous Majority!

Drummond also Whipped!

The contest in Montreal on Wednesday has resulted in a glorious victory for the Opposition, Sir George Cartier, the virtual Premier—the man who has for years ruled Quebec with a rod of iron—who dictated his measures to the Cabinet, and forced them to yield to his slightest wishes—has been ignominiously beaten in his old stronghold by an opponent hitherto unknown to public fame or public life.

Such a staggering blow to John A. Macdonald's Government must shake it to its very centre. He may form a new alliance with some other Lower Canadian if Cartier does not try to get another seat, but that will not avail.

Great Rejoicings over the Reform Victories.

There were great rejoicings throughout Ontario on Wednesday night over the Reform victories. In Toronto there was a splendid procession, which after parading the streets halted at the Globe office, where the Hon. Mr. Brown addressed the crowd in a stirring speech, congratulating them on the great victories the Reformers had that day achieved.

Another Great Day in Ontario.

Four Elections and Four Victories.

The Reform cause in Ontario had a glorious triumph again on Wednesday, the four elections held having resulted in the return of the Reform candidates. It was, of course, a foregone conclusion that Mr. Mackenzie would be elected for Lambton, the only question was what his majority would be.

We heartily rejoice in the defeat of that great humbug and railway speculating contractor, Mr. A. P. Macdonald, in West Middlesex. He represented this constituency in old times, and was considered a strong man there; but he has been handsomely beaten by an honest and trusty Reformer, Mr. Ross, who, in entering on the contest, had not the same advantages as his opponent, and who, in the very hour of the conflict, was prevented from attending to his election by the sudden death of his wife. His friends, however, in

this sad hour of his bereavement nobly came forward, redoubled their efforts, and elected him by a large majority. This Riding is another gain to the Reformers, having been represented by a supporter of the Government in last Parliament.

A still further gain to the Reformers is the election of Mr. Ross for East Durham, over his opponent, Mr. Kirkchoffer. Not a few were somewhat doubtful about the constituency, but the Reformers there worked nobly, and have succeeded in wresting it from the grasp of the enemy.

Mr. Lorn McDougall has been re-elected for South Renfrew, by a very fair majority, after a keen contest. He is a tried Reformer, and since first elected has cordially co-operated with the Opposition.

This is one good day's work, and we trust that the elections to come off to-day will show equally favourable results, and that we shall have the pleasure of chronicling more Reform victories. The elections to-day are Cardwell, South Bruce, West York, East Middlesex, North Victoria, and South Norfolk.

Second Dominion Parliament.

Table with columns: ONTARIO, REPRESENTATIVES, Opposition, Ministerial, Independent. Lists names and counts for various ridings like Addington, Shibley, Algoma, Robinson, etc.

ELECTION NEWS.

A report is going the rounds that the promise of a seat in the Cabinet has been made to Mr. Chisholm, M. P. for Hamilton, in the event of the Government being sustained when the House meets.

It is hinted, says the Ottawa Free Press, that it is the intention of the Hon. Sir Francis Hincks to resign his office and retire to private life.

The Belleville Ontario understands that a writ is about to be issued against a member of the Town Council of that town, for personating an absentee voter in North Hastings, in the interest of Mr. Bowell. If the evidence is conclusive, it would be a crime to allow the party to go unpunished.

Ministerial journals are wrathful because a Presbyterian Minister in Bothwell has preached in favor of the Reform party. We do not know how true the charge is, but we know that a clergyman in Kingston preached in favor of Sir John A. Macdonald, and none of the Tory Journals condemned him therefore.

The Belleville Ontario enquires:—Can anybody tell what Sir John A. Macdonald is doing with the Government gunboat in his election tour? What right has he to employ a steamer which is chartered by public funds to carry him from one Riding to another? Plainly, it is a shameless piece of impertinence, that should not be tolerated. A Minister of the Crown has no more right to the use of Her Majesty's gunboat than the leader of the Opposition; but the gunboat Prince Alfred would remain some time moored at her dock before the Hon.

Alex. Mackenzie would step on board and order the captain to steam up to convey him from point to point.

We notice that a writer in the London Times has lately been giving the readers of that journal a little information concerning the United States which is certainly of a most extraordinary character. What he tells them about the "province of St. Louis" and the "territory of Memphis" is not only wonderful but thoroughly original. He appears to have made a very close calculation concerning the approaching Presidential election. He asserts quite dogmatically that "Grant has at present 190 electors against 75 pledged to his opponent."

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