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THE GOVERNMENT VICTORY.
Mr. Blair and his government have once more survived the opposition attack, and go back to the new legislature with the largest majority ever obtained at the polls by any administration in the history of New Brunswick.

The opposition indeed is only a ragged remnant. There are sixteen constituencies in the province, and of these the government have carried the entire representation of thirteen and obtained three of the four seats in another. The opposition won nothing they did not have before, and they have lost one seat in Sanbury and one in Kent. Dr. Stockton could only summon ten followers to his aid in the late house; he will only have eight in the new, and the total representation of the province has been increased from 41 to 46. What a Waterloo!

Some of the features of the contest were the re-election of every member of the government Mr. Blair, Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Dunn by acclamation, and Mr. Tweedie, Mr. Emmerson, Mr. White and Mr. LaBilloy by large increased majorities, the defeat of Mr. Phinney the ablest man in the opposition ranks and the disaster which overtook Mr. Perley. Dr. Stockton will not have enough men to fill the front row of opposition benches, and if he was invited to form a government, after taking out seven of his followers to constitute an executive, and one for speaker, he would not have enough material to move and second the address. Such a condition has the opposition reached under the able generalship of the once mighty Stockton.

The most determined assaults were made to defeat Mr. Emmerson and Dr. Lewis in Albert. The machinery of the Tory party was set in motion with Dr. Weldon the M.P. for the county at its head, but the Chief Commissioner and his colleagues, but beyond agitating the staff of our St. John contemporary, it does not seem to have struck anywhere. Dr. Stockton and Dr. Alward have spent the last week in Kings, haranguing the electors on the inquiry of Mr. White and the government, and they have a very emphatic answer from the sturdy voters of that fine county.

Poor Mr. Phinney. What a bitter pill for him to swallow in Kent. We should judge that his political career is behind him.

Restigouche was said to be a great camping ground for the opposition, and Mr. LaBilloy and Mr. Mott were represented as in the very depths of despair, with certain defeat staring them in the face, but they seem to have turned up all right.

Down in Sanbury the result must be particularly pleasing to the government. Mr. Harrison, an old and tried supporter, comes back with a colleague of his own political faith, and the great Glasier who was going to clean everything out, and the veteran Perley, were left at home.

Here's to our friend Dibble, the hero of Carleton, one of the best abashed men in the government party, and one of the dearest men in the legislature. We knew he could do it. The Connell revolt and the Irvine dismissal, etc., did not operate to any extent, and Carleton sends a full government representation.

What about Northumberland and the Morrissey boom? The Newcastle spoiler was in it sure this time, and Tweedie was the man who was to be defeated. The returns show where the cyclone struck. The "big four" are still in evidence.

The county of York has repeated and emphasized its verdict of 1882, and it is all right. The one man power of Alex. Gibson is responsible for yesterday's government defeat in this county. Take out the "influence" of Gibson from the mouth of the Nashwaak to Bloomfield, and the amount of money he subscribed to the general corruption fund, and the opposition would have been defeated in yesterday's battle. The county was simply flooded with money by the opposition. They must have spent in the vicinity of \$20,000, and for what? To elect men like Pinder and Pitts to the legislature. The policy of late and scandal and open bribery that had adopted to secure a victory, and gentlemen who obtained it are perfectly welcome to it for all the government cares.

This constituency, in all the counties contested yesterday, stands alone in its endorsement of the opposition and against the government. And what a figure Mr. Gibson's four will cut in the legislature with St. John's four as the head, front and middle of a parliamentary party. How proud the old gentlemen of the Nashwaak must be of his purchase.

We present the Government's compliments to the Nashwaak ruler, and tell him that Mr. Blair and his colleagues are above and beyond the power of his attacks; that the province almost unanimously has endorsed the Government's thirteen years' record, and that there are sufficient constituencies in this province beyond the reach of the methods employed by Gibson and his co-workers in this county, to rally to the support of an administration which has given the country good, faithful and honest services. Mr. Gibson may rule the Nashwaak, and just now he may be the dictator of York, but outside the reach of his money bags and autocracy, there is his sturdy independence of a province, almost unanimous, in its adherence to the Attorney General and his government.

A number of people have been left in absolute need by the destructive fire at Chatham last week, and relief organizations are being formed in various towns of the province to raise funds for the suffering people. Fredericton has never been backward in extending assistance to those who are in need of it, and doubtless those who feel able to help, will gladly respond to Mayor VanWart's call for a meeting tomorrow.

THE NET RESULTS.

The smoke of Wednesday's election battle has cleared away, and the net results are a triumphant government, and an almost extinct opposition. The only man in Dr. Stockton's ranks who is able to get on his feet and command the serious attention of the legislature, is his colleague, Dr. Alward, and his oratorical efforts are generally of the scrap book variety. Even if numerically weak in the last house, the opponents of Mr. Blair could not stand a debate fairly well for an afternoon and evening, but with Dr. Atkinson gone, Mr. Powell gone and Mr. Phinney gone, there remains nothing but the owl-like wisdom of Dr. Stockton and the silly twaddle of Mr. Pitts.

When Mr. Blair entered the legislature in 1878, the opposition, which he was elected the leader, numbered six, but it developed before the end of four years into seventeen, and won its first triumph at the polls in 1882. Dr. Stockton's progress as a leader has been in the other direction. He started out a year ago with a party of fifteen, in a house of forty members, and now he commands eight in a legislature of forty-six members. At this rate of progress the Doctor will be a very old man before he becomes premier of New Brunswick.

What the Doctor should do is to secure a policy—something besides the scandal cry which has not worked successfully outside of York. A statesman of his pretensions should soar a little higher than writing solemn declarations for Mr. Quinn, and criticizing the price of blotting pads.

The events of the past three weeks have confirmed what Dr. Stockton's course in the legislature indicated, that as a party leader he is entirely without tact or ability, and that he will never be able to rally around him a party of numbers or influence. The public expect more from a political leader than carping criticism and scandal bawling.

THE NEW HOUSE.

The new legislature will be composed of forty-six members, five more than the old, the additional seats going to Madawaska, Victoria, Carleton, Kent, and Gloucester, and there will be quite a number of new faces in front of Mr. Speaker the next session. Restigouche, Northumberland, and Albert, St. John County, Charlotte, and Queens, return the old representatives.

Kent sends three new men, although Mr. Robinson some years ago sat in the Assembly. Westmorland has Mr. Killam and Mr. Wells of the late House, Mr. Richard, who was a member of the legislative council when it was abolished, and Mr. Sumner who has never served as a legislator. Mr. Lockhart is the only new member from St. John city, and Mr. Morrow, of Sanbury, will take his seat for the first time. York sends Mr. Black a stranger in the legislative halls; Carleton two new men—Mr. Smith and Mr. McCain; Victoria sends Mr. Porter, who sat for that county during the term before the last, and Mr. Beveridge, whose experience as a member is yet to begin. In Madawaska, Mr. Bertrand is a new man, Mr. Fowler in Kings will take his seat for the first time, and Gloucester is yet to be heard from.

The members of the late Assembly who have already seats in the new, are Messrs. Blair, Mitchell, Emmerson, Ferris, Hill, LaBilloy, Mott, John O'Brien, James O'Brien, Barclay, Tweedie, Robinson, Killam, Wells, Lewis, White, Soivil, Coulson, Alward, Shaw, Danb, McLeod, Harrison, Pinder, Pitts, Howe, Dibble, and Martin—twenty-eight. Late members who did not appear for reelection were: Mr. Smith of Westmorland, Mr. Smith of St. John, Mr. Flewelling of Kings and Mr. Allen of York. Dr. Atkinson of Carleton is dead; Mr. Baird of Victoria, a senator, and Mr. Powell of Westmorland is in parliament. The old members defeated are Mr. Phinney and Mr. Goggin in Kent, and Mr. Perley in Sanbury.

HAD SIX HUSBANDS.

Mr. Wood began marrying at 14 and kept it up.

The town of Brutus, New York, boasts of a man who has had six husbands to the altar, the first when she was fourteen years old, and the sixth just now at the age of fifty-five. The woman was Mrs. Mahala Goodfellow when she left there a short time ago to go to Chicago to get a divorce from her husband. There she met and married George A. Wood, of Michigan. Her first husband was a widower with only one child. He died, and she married J. Daniels, twenty-one years old, soon Mr. Daniels left for parts unknown. She next married a Dr. Bennett, claiming to have secured a divorce from his first husband. He was a widower to be already married, and the next day he also disappeared. A. P. Meach was her next husband, a widower and an old neighbor. He died several years later leaving her some property. Mourning his death for three years, she again married another young man, Mr. Goodfellow. She lived with him just four weeks, when they disagreed and she got a divorce. Mr. Wood, her sixth husband, is thirty-four years old and wealthy.

ELECTRICIANS DEATH.

Franklin L. Pope, a Noted Inventor Meets a Tragic End.

An accident struck to the heart of every citizen of Great Barrington, Mass., Sunday, when Franklin L. Pope, an electrician, whose skill has made him prominent throughout the electrical world, lost his life by means of the same mysterious fluid that has made him famous. Mr. Pope went into the cellar to remedy some trouble in his electric lighting apparatus. Soon afterwards, hearing a noise below, members of the family hastened into the cellar. There the electrician was found lying beside the converter, lifeless. Three thousand volts had passed through his body.

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\$1,000,000,000 IN TAXES.

Sir Richard Cartwright, speaking at Morrisburg, Ont., the other day, gave this graphic description of taxation under the N. P.

"Within those sixteen years something like one thousand millions of dollars had been extracted from the pockets of the people of Canada under the pretext of administering the public affairs, and for the avowed purpose of fostering certain manufactures. About a thousand million dollars would have built ten railways from the Atlantic to the Pacific; it would have paid the national debt four times over. If funded and invested at four or five per cent. it would provide for all the taxation the people have to pay today twice over. The average amount that each of the two hundred constituencies in Canada had to pay during that last sixteen years was no less than \$5,000,000. There were four townships in this riding, each one of which had been compelled to pay something like one and a quarter millions into the Federal Treasury, or into the pockets of the protectionist manufacturer or the Federal Treasury."

The same application may be made to the county of York, and yet some of our Tory friends raise the howl of direct taxation against the local government.

As yet it seems that the other end of the Bathurst school agitation has struck Mr. Phinney. This is the Gleaneer's explanation for the defeat of that great patriot, who spent so much of his valuable time around the Quinn residence a couple of winters ago.

A report comes from Winnipeg that two of the Dominion ministers are to visit that city shortly with a view to compromising on the school question, but the despatch adds that Greenway still declares he will not consent to any form of compromise.

The story is current, and quite generally believed, that Finance Minister Foster contributed \$2000 or \$3000 towards the opposition boodle fund in this county.

Old Mr. Penely is still working off his bills in the Record. What a beautiful saintly disposition his must be.

The Marysville election heeler can give points in coercion to the Tory government of England.

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MISSIONARY MEETING

A Very Interesting Gathering at St. Paul's Church Last Night.

A large number of people representing all denominations attended the missionary meeting at St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Thursday night, and the address, music were of a most interesting character.

The gathering was under the auspices of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the church, and its primary object was to extend a welcome to Mrs. Morton, wife of the Rev. Dr. Morton, the celebrated Trinidad missionary, and to Mrs. Dodge of Halifax, president of the Maritime W. M. F. Society. The pulpit platform was beautifully decorated with potted plants, and the pulpit itself was fragrant with cut roses, giving a very pretty effect.

The chair was taken by Mrs. George McFarlane of Nashwaak, president of the local society, and the services were opened by Rev. Willard Macdonald giving out hymn 289, "From Greenland's Icy Mountains." The choir was re-inforced for the occasion by Miss Winter, Mr. H. G. Winter, Mr. Frank Cooper and ladies from different city choirs, and sang the old hymn with a vim, opening the evening service with enthusiasm and warmth which continued until the close. Rev. Mr. Macdonald read selections from Psalm 72, and Rev. Mr. Payson led the meeting in prayer.

Mrs. Dodge was introduced by Mrs. McFarlane as the first speaker, and her address was an eloquent and pleasing effort. She is the wife of Dr. Dodge a prominent Halifax specialist, and is a lady of commanding presence and very attractive manner. She said, in opening, that she and Mr. Morton did not appear before the public as types of "The New Woman," but only as two modest wives and mothers who knew how to cook and sew, but at the same time felt desirous of forwarding the Master's work, especially among the heathen. She felt somewhat ashamed in being called upon to address so large a gathering. She had never before appeared before meetings in which there were gentlemen, but only at the women's gatherings. However, she was glad to welcome the sterner sex, and wanted them to see more into the work of foreign missions. Mrs. Dodge expressed herself as delighted with what she had seen of New Brunswick, and was particularly impressed with Fredericton, a very charming picture of which she painted in well chosen language, and which greatly pleased her audience. She thought people here

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CHERRY RIPE.

This is made from the juice of sound, ripe cherries, and is only one of the many delicious syrups that we are serving at our Soda Fountain this season. They say we have the best Soda Water in the city. Our drugs are as good as our soda.

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Winter and Mr. L. C. Macdonald sang "Saved by Grace," the note of thanks, moved by Mr. Z. R. Everett and seconded by Mr. L. W. Johnston, was tendered Mrs. Morton and Mrs. Dodge.

Rev. Willard Macdonald spoke briefly before the close of the meeting, briefly reminding the ladies of St. Paul's society to greater effort in missionary work. It was very near his own heart and appealed to every Christian. The efforts at Trinidad had been greatly blessed and now that we know more of its character and progress, we should be encouraged to assist to a greater extent than ever before.

The Church's one Foundation, by the choir, and the benediction by Mr. Macdonald closed a most interesting and instructive service.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

An Epitome of the Despatches From All Over.

Isabel Ewan, the two and a half years old daughter of George M. Ewan, manager of the Yarmouth Woolen Mill company, was struck by a Yarmouth electric car yesterday afternoon, and was so badly injured from which she died a few hours afterwards.

At Chelsea, Mass., yesterday, while her mother was out of the kitchen for a few moments, little Ethel Wilkinson, a year old child, crept up to the stove and her clothes caught fire. When Mrs. Wilkinson returned the baby's body was enveloped in flames and in a short time she was dead.

Corbett and Fitzsimmons are at Hot Springs, Arkansas, preparing for their great fight, which the authorities are trying to prevent. Yesterday Corbett was arrested on a warrant asking that he be put under a peace bond. Corbett refused to give bond and his attorney will apply for a writ of habeas corpus. An interesting sketch of the great fighters is published on our first page.

The four-year-old daughter of A. Frenier, disappeared at Ishpeming Mich., last June. The city and suburbs were scoured in search of her, and Wednesday morning the remains of the little girl were found shockingly decomposed in the unused attic of a building for which she had lived and slowly starved to death. Her cries were unheard by her parents in the rooms below.

Mr. Phinney's paper, the Richibucto Review, the day before the election was pleased to observe that "three members of the government are being hollily pressed and are in fact in trepidation for their seats, viz. the chief commissioner, Mr. Emmerson, in Albert; the solicitor general, Mr. White, in Kings; and the surveyor general, Mr. Tweedie, in Northumberland." [As it turned out Mr. Phinney himself was the party who was so "hollily pressed" by Mr. Phinney's paper as a prophet is no more of a success than our great and only Jimmy.—Herald.]

AN EXCELLENT SUGGESTION.

How Dr. Stockton's Party Might be Handed in the Legislature.

(Telegraph.)

One of the problems that are to be settled when the legislature meets will be where the opposition are to be placed. There is no corner of the house small enough to hold them, and it would seem to be necessary to construct a separate enclosure of some kind for their accommodation. A box about the size of one of the old-fashioned pews of Trinity church, as it was before the fire, would seem to be the most convenient receptacle for their safe keeping, and this pew or box might be raised a couple of feet or so above the level of the floor, so that Dr. Stockton and his followers might be seen without the aid of a telescope or a magnifying glass. The new arrangement would have a great advantage in the fact that none of Dr. Stockton's followers could be stolen without his knowledge or consent. The learned doctor could lock the door and keep the key in his pocket so that his full complement of men would be always on hand.

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Executors' Notice.

All persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Bell, late of the County of York, Lumber Manufacturer, doing business under the name and style of J. E. & S. S. Sisson, have this day assigned their estate and effects to me, the undersigned, in trust for the benefit of their creditors. The trust deed is at my office, Queen Street, Fredericton, for inspection and signature. By the terms of said deed, persons wishing to participate must execute the same within thirty days from the date thereof. Fredericton, July 26th, 1884.

FRANK L. MORRISON, Trustee of said Estate.

Notice of Assignment.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of Act No. 10, Chapter 6, of the Session of the Parliament of New Brunswick, in the County of York, I, J. E. & S. S. Sisson, have made a general assignment to me for the benefit of my creditors. By the terms of said deed, persons wishing to participate must execute the same within thirty days from the date thereof. Fredericton, July 26th, 1884.

A. A. STERLING, Sheriff of York, Assignee.

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