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**ST. JOHN STAR.**

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THE REWARD OF INDEPEND-  
ENCE.

Before the election the Gazette  
warned St. John solemnly that a de-  
feat for Mr. McKeown would enrage  
the government to such an extent that  
we need hope for no further favors.  
Now that Mr. McKeown has been de-  
feated, this organ of the government  
realizes that something must be done  
to change the anti-liberal sentiment  
of this constituency before general  
election time. So it hastens to assure  
the city that the government assist-  
ance which has been so long withheld  
from the port will soon be forthcom-  
ing.

The Moncton Transcript, Mr. Emmer-  
son's organ, which, before Tuesday,  
took the same stand as the Gazette,  
makes a similar reversal. In its issue  
of yesterday it says: "The city of St.  
John, despite its decision of yesterday,  
will and must necessarily have ample  
justice done to it. The excellence of  
the harbor, the enterprise of its peo-  
ple, and their determination to make  
the best of their harbor capacity, com-  
bined with the location of the harbor  
itself, must for all time make it one  
of the greatest of the winter ports of  
Canada."

As long as the government were  
sure of this constituency they thought  
they could afford to neglect it. Indi-  
cations of revolt exhibited before the  
election now also promises. The  
defeat of Mr. McKeown will bring  
more than promises. This is what the  
Star predicted.

**KIND WORDS.**  
The Liberals have been at a loss to  
explain the tremendous overturn in  
such wards as Dufferin and Sydney,  
which have always been Grit strong-  
holds. Sydney especially never giving  
a Conservative majority but once be-  
fore and then on a personal issue. Mr.  
Frederick Gleaner, however, has no  
doubt of the cause. It says: "In Syd-  
ney ward Mr. McKeown's defeat is due  
very largely to a great deal of conceit  
on the part of some self constituted  
houses of that ward."

In addition to the kind words for  
Mr. Milligan, noted in the Star yester-  
day, the Gleaner has the following to  
say:  
"We make no reflection on the intel-  
ligence of the people of St. John in this  
speaking, but say political party or-  
ganized by one who has sought to  
make dollars and cents out of every-  
thing he ever dealt with cannot suc-  
ceed either in St. John or in any other  
intelligent constituency in the province  
of New Brunswick."

**WHAT HOGTOWN DID.**  
The Liberal papers throughout the  
maritime provinces blame the result of  
the recent election upon the jealousy  
of "Hogtown," because the Grand  
Trunk Pacific was not to be built so  
as to benefit solely this port.

The chief pleas which Mr. Emmer-  
son and Mr. McKeown made for support  
was on the ground that the road would  
benefit St. John more than any other  
city. Mr. Emmerston was positive in  
his statements that all of the G. T. P.  
traffic would come here; that none  
would go to any other port until St.  
John had more than it could handle.  
Every appeal by the Liberal press and  
campaign speakers was to the sectional  
spirit.

That the verdict of St. John was  
given as it was in spite of these assur-  
ances and in spite of many flattering  
brillies in the way of promises of public  
works expenditure here, is an answer  
to those who, in their envy of this win-  
ter port, impute motives of small self-  
ishness to every action of its citizens.

**A VILE ATTACK.**  
The Moncton Transcript, Mr. Emmer-  
son's personal organ, is never too  
considerate of truth, or decency, or  
fairness in politics. But it beats its  
own unsavory record when, referring  
to the interview with Rev. C. W.  
Hamilton, Grand Worthy Patriarch of  
the Sons of Temperance, had with Pre-  
mier Tweedle, the week before the re-  
cent by-election, regarding certain re-  
forms in the liquor law, it insinuates  
that this clergyman was actuated by  
low political motives and had been in-  
duced to make the request with the  
idea of entrapping Premier Tweedle  
into some declaration that would an-  
tagonize the liquor sellers of this city.  
Here is its statement in an editorial  
trying to explain away Mr. McKeown's  
defeat:

"It is even said that a clergyman  
was induced to ask at this particular  
junction from the local government,  
an interview looking towards the abo-  
lition of certain forms of beer and li-  
quor licenses in the city of St. John.  
The interview was asked for, and, as a  
matter of courtesy, granted. But it  
never took place. Was the request  
made for a purpose?  
Throughout the city of St. John, every  
liquor seller was told by the Tory pa-  
trist and heeler that the Liberals in-  
tended to restrict their licenses through  
the local government. This was one  
contributing cause."  
If anything dirtier than this has ever  
appeared in a provincial newspaper it  
has not come under the attention of  
the Star.

**MINISTERIAL DUPLICITY.**  
Mr. Emmerston, who the night of the  
election refused to talk to the repre-  
sentatives of any St. John paper, went  
the next day to Halifax and complai-  
ned volubly to the Chronicle of the ap-  
athy and treason of the Liberals  
here and of the alleged sectionalism of  
the city generally. The truth of his  
whole statement may be judged by the  
following, which may be proven false  
by reference to the reports of Conserva-  
tive speakers or to the arguments of  
Conservative papers during the cam-  
paign:

"The result in St. John was due to a  
number of causes, most of them  
foreign to the general policy of the  
government. In fact, neither the  
taxes nor the administration of pub-  
lic affairs formed any part of the Con-  
servative campaign. Speakers for the  
opposition candidate fought any of  
these issues altogether."

He forgot to state in Halifax, what  
he guaranteed in St. John, that the  
Nova Scotia port would not get a  
pound of Grand Trunk Pacific freight  
until St. John had more than it could  
handle.

The only justification of the charge  
that the Conservative appeal in the re-  
cent election was made to the sectional  
spirit of St. John, is the admitted  
fact that Conservative papers and  
speakers alike insisted on the certainty  
of the transcontinental traffic of the  
Grand Trunk Pacific going to Port-  
land, Me., instead of maritime ports,  
under the present contract. If it be  
sectional to fight for the interests of  
Canadian ports as against those of  
American ports and of a company which  
has always favored American ports,  
the Conservatives of St. John are guilty.

Because he has lived one hundred  
years and because the strength of his  
later days has been cheerful and good  
work, the people of Canada are glad  
today to do honor to Senator W. A.  
Gladstone, honest, sturdy, faithful  
to his trust, this wonderful old man has  
justified the will of the Fates who have  
lent him many years beyond their us-  
age. May his rest, when at last it  
comes, be as peaceful as it is well-  
earned.

Mr. Emmerston says it is safe to pre-  
dict a sweeping liberal victory in the  
next St. John election. So it is. Mr.  
Emmerston predicted two thousand li-  
beral majority this time, and it did not  
hurt him a bit.—Sun.

The Gazette says that the Liberal  
party has had, of late, much to try its  
patience. The majority of the Liberals  
include in those trials the editorials of  
the Gazette.

**NIGHT AND DAY.**  
The innocent, sweet Day is dead.  
Dark Night hath slain her in her bed.  
O, Moore as she lies to be killed as to  
be killed.  
—Put out the light, said he.

A sweeter light than ever eyed  
From star of heaven or eye of maid  
Has vanished in the unknown shade.  
—She's dead, she's dead, said he.

Now, in a wild, and after-mood  
The tawny Night sits still to brood  
Upon the dawn-time when he wooed.  
—I would she lived, said he.

Star-memories of happier times,  
Of loving deeds and lovers' rhymes,  
Throng forth in silvery pantomimes.  
—Come back, O Day, said he.

—By Sidney Lanier.

**RECENT DEATHS.**  
R. R. Allan.  
Robert R. Allan, an aged and  
formerly prominent prime citizen,  
died at his home 133 Prince Street,  
Carleton, Wednesday night. Mr. Allan  
had for years been a member of the  
firm of Allan Bros., founders, but re-  
tired some time ago on account of poor  
health. He had formerly taken a prom-  
inent part in the local militia and in  
Masonic work.

Mr. Allan leaves a widow, formerly  
Miss Jane Shaw, and the children now  
living are: Mrs. W. A. Quinlan, Thos.  
A. in Carleton, Morton and Mr. Mc-  
Adam; Clarence B., St. John; Harris  
B., of Seattle, and Mrs. W. B. Van-  
wart, Seattle.

Mrs. Wm. Lettmer.  
Deborah, wife of Brakeman William  
Lettmer, of the I. C. R., died shortly  
after midnight at their home Gilbert  
Lane, after a lengthy illness. Mrs.  
Lettmer was in her 24th year and is  
survived by her husband and three  
children. She also leaves a father and  
mother in Chelsea, one brother, Geo.  
Tyne, and three sisters—Mrs. B. Mur-  
ray, Mrs. H. Capen and Mrs. Richard  
Graham, all of Chelsea—one sister, Mrs.  
George Dabell, in Vancouver, B. C.,  
one brother, John Tyne and one sister,  
Mrs. James McLaughlin, in this city.  
The sympathy of many friends will go  
out to the bereaved relatives.

Mrs. William E. Parles.  
The death of Mrs. William E. Parles  
occurred at her residence, 21 McNeil  
street, yesterday, after a lingering ill-  
ness. Her husband and seven children  
survive; also four sisters and two  
brothers.

Miss Helen Cooper McFarland.  
Helen Cooper McFarland, daughter  
of Rev. A. J. McFarland, D. D., Beaver  
Falls, Pa., formerly pastor of the Re-  
formed Presbyterian church of this  
city, died at her home on Feb. 8. Miss  
McFarland was twenty-one years old,  
and had been an invalid for several  
years. She is survived by her father,  
mother and three sisters.

## LOCAL NEWS.

The convention to have been held in  
the north end W. C. T. U. has been  
postponed until Friday, the 26th inst.  
The choir of the Queen square Meth-  
odist church, who were entertained last  
night at the residence of J. Willard  
Smith. Games and music made the af-  
fair a most enjoyable one.

A couple of petty burglaries are re-  
ported to have occurred in the city  
Wednesday night. Woolf shoe mak-  
ing shop on Carmarthen street was  
broken into and two pairs of boots car-  
ried off. The Stewart meat place of  
Brim street was also entered. Fifty  
cents was stolen from the drawer.

A meeting of the New Brunswick  
Tourist Association executive commit-  
tee was held last night, at which it  
was decided to appoint delegates to  
confer with the delegates from other  
societies concerning the Champlain  
celebration. It was also decided to get  
out a pictorial post card to celebra-  
te that event.

The fire alarm was rung in from box  
21 about twenty minutes after five yester-  
day afternoon. The fire was at 17  
Golding street, a lower flat being oc-  
cupied by John McGrath and the upper  
flat by Michael W. Maher, to whom  
the property belongs. The fire origi-  
nated in the kitchen belonging to  
John McGrath. Considerable smoke  
issued from the house both back and  
front, but the fire department had lit-  
tle difficulty in handling it.

J. N. Harvey, D. H. C. R., accom-  
panied by a large number, visited  
Court Yukon, No. 723, C. O. F., last  
evening and installed officers for the  
ensuing term as follows: Fred M.  
O'Sullivan, C. R.; John Elliott, V. C. R.;  
Geo. G. Melvin, R. S.; P. N. Perkins,  
P. S.; J. P. Hamm, Treas.; J. B.  
Stackhouse, Chap. C. W. Strang, S.  
W.; Henry Stackhouse, J. W.; J. P.  
Porter, R. S.; R. C. Causey, J. S.;  
Geo. G. Melvin, M. D. Phys.

**FUEL FAMINE IN MONCTON.**  
Moncton is on the verge of a coal  
and wood famine. The I. C. R. has  
been unable to handle any freight for  
nearly a week, and consequently  
all of the coal ordered from the mines by  
local dealers is hung up along the  
road.

There is little or no soft coal to be  
had in the city, and dealers are send-  
ing out slack or pea coal yesterday to  
satisfy customers. Some of the ship-  
ments arrive. The country roads are  
blocked so that it is impossible for  
the country people to get in with their  
fuel. The fuel question is made  
more serious in consequence.

Considerable wood comes in on the  
M. E. Railway during the winter,  
but this wood is now snow blocked  
and thus another avenue for the sup-  
ply of wood is closed. It is probable,  
however, that the I. C. R. will be able  
to move some of the congested freight  
today or tomorrow and thus relieve  
the situation.

**SOME ANTI-ELECTION INQUIRIES.**  
Hello there! what's the matter with St.  
John?  
What's all this?  
Where's Ned Sears with his poetic fire?  
Where's Robertson and his one-eyed steer?  
Where's that 2,000 majority of H. R. E.?  
What's up with the champion to see Geo. King  
the other night?  
And where was "Sweet William" in the fray?  
He took flight.  
Towards Ottawa and other points, they say.  
Before the fight.  
To have another letter penned down here by  
Hay.  
If things went right  
And Carleton, how's he feeling now?  
Is he still in the line?  
And Mr. McDade, has he any funny stories  
left?  
Since that fatal night?  
And where's McKeown now, can any one  
tell?  
If some one will answer these questions  
I'll be glad to hear of them.  
—YOU BET.

**DEATHS.**  
REDETT—On Feb. 18th, after a short illness,  
Blanche Redett, wife of John Redett, in the  
Edgar and Ada M. Edgett, in the thirteenth  
year of his age.  
Funeral from the residence, 93 St.  
James street, on Sunday, at 3.45 p. m., to  
Trinity Church.

CATHARIN—In this city, on Feb. 18th,  
Anna M. Catharin, aged 28 years, leaving  
a wife and one son.  
—(Funeral and Burial papers please copy.  
Notice funeral hereafter.)

SIMPSON—At New York, Feb. 18th, Mary,  
wife of Captain Wm. Simpson, and daugh-  
ter of George Simpson of this city, leaving  
a husband and two children.  
Funeral from the residence of her father,  
George Simpson, 134 Elliott Row, on Sunday  
at 2.30. Services at house at 3 o'clock.

**ALMOST AFRAID TO GO  
TO SLEEP FOR FEAR  
SHE WOULD NOT  
WAKE UP.**

**FLUTTERING OF THE HEART.**  
**SHORTNESS OF BREATH.**  
**FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS.**

Mrs. Wm. Bingley, Grand Trunk, P. E. I.,  
has a Very Tiring Experience,  
By Thanks to

**MILBURN'S  
HEART AND NERVE  
PILLS**  
She has been restored to perfect health.

She writes: "About seven months ago  
I was badly run down in health and be-  
came very weak. I was troubled with  
fluttering of the heart and shortness of  
breath. When lying down at night I was  
almost afraid to go to sleep for fear I  
would never wake up. When I arose in  
the morning I would feel a little better,  
but as soon as I started to work my heart  
would start fluttering, my head would be-  
come dizzy, and I was troubled with  
faint and dizzy spells. I was so weak  
and it seemed as if black objects were  
floating before my eyes. I was grow-  
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