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THURSDAY, JULY 15, 1886.

AN EXCELLENT MOVE.

The government have lately had under consideration the advisability of making an importation of stock horses. It will be remembered that the board of agriculture at its last session in 1885 recommended an importation, and at a special meeting held in March last they not only repeated this, but asked for authority to omit the provincial exhibition, which the law directed should be held in 1886, and that the money appropriated to that purpose, some $3,000, and any other available money, should be expended in the purchase of stock horses. The government acceded to this request, and having obtained the necessary legislation, Mr. Fairweather, of the board, was commissioned to proceed to the west and purchase two horses, this being as far as it was deemed advisable to go at that time or until some further financial arrangements could be made. Mr. Fairweather accomplished his mission very satisfactorily, and the horses purchased by him were leased at prices which showed that the introduction of improved breeds of this stock would meet the wishes of the farmers. Both in the press and otherwise there were many strong expressions of approval, and it may be noted that very many of the agricultural societies have expressed their desire that something more should be done in this direction. The government thereupon determined, if the concurrence of the board would be given, to make a further purchase of horses, and the plan proposed was to appropriate an amount, say $10,000, to the purchase of ten horses in England which, with the two now in the province, would make two for each board district. It was proposed to take this money from the agricultural grant, extending the drafts upon it over several years, so as to avoid crippling the operations of the societies. This plan was submitted to the board of agriculture, and after a full discussion at a special meeting held at the stock farm on Tuesday it was fully concurred in. The board further recommended that their president, the Hon D McLellan, should be sent to England by the government to make the proposed purchase. It is understood that Mr. McLellan will accept the commission and he will probably sail for the old country in the course of a fortnight. The board expressed a desire that the importation should include Clydesdales, Cleaveland Bays, Percherons, Shire Horses and, if it was deemed best after examination, Suffolk Punches. No details as to the manner in which the horses shall be handled were settled, but they will probably be kept by the government until next spring. In the meantime a plan will be devised which, in the opinion of the board and the government, will be likely to secure fair play to all parts of the province and keep the expenses at the lowest figure commensurate with an efficient service. There can be no doubt that this action is greatly in the interests of the farming community and the province generally, and that it can be carried out without seriously interfering with the operations of the agricultural societies. These societies now claim to have balances on hand amounting to nearly $12,000, and while a considerable portion of this may be regarded as unavailable, the greater part of it can be called in and ought to be. It seems absurd when a society has some two hundred, and, in some cases four hundred dollars in hand, for which it can find no use, to say that the operations of such a society will be interfered with because a portion of its annual grant will be retained. There may be exceptional cases which will call for exceptional treatment, but we are sure that even if the general rule were applied to them all, the benefit resulting from the introduction of the improved horse stock would more than compensate for the temporary inconvenience which might be felt in one or two instances. Prince Edward Island has expended a great deal of money in acquiring a good stock of horses, and it is alleged, on the best of authority, that the income to the farmers of the province from horses exported is fully $150,000. Within a few years after the proposed importation is made, if all goes well, and the farmers avail themselves of the facilities to be placed within their reach, fully as great an income will be enjoyed by New Brunswick from a similar source, and besides a large amount of money which is now sent out of the province for heavy horses will be kept within it. The British government is looking to Canada for cavalry horses; the American market will buy every animal of a good class which we may have to sell. Indeed it is safe to say that in making an effort to improve the horse stock of the province the government and the board of agriculture are contributing largely towards the prosperity of our farming population.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Maritime Farmer said yesterday, among other bright things, that "the editor of the Farmer writes its editorial articles," and the poor types do seem annoyed because, as they appear to say, THE GLEANER shifted the responsibility for its last week's paragraphs—one person has dignified them as editorials—on other shoulders than those of the so-called editor. This is scarcely fair to THE GLEANER. Though every Tom, Dick and Harry may make paragraphs for the alleged weekly newspaper while its so-called editor takes his trips to "Eaton," THE GLEANER has never, in its reference to them, made any effort to hold any other than the so-called editor responsible. We are particular about that. We have too much respect for the character and abilities of our young men to put upon their shoulders the responsibility for what appears in the Farmer from time to time.

The Farmer has not had the manliness to withdraw its false and malicious statement of last week concerning Mr Wilson's position on the Scott act inspector business, but it continues in its really silly way to misrepresent. We don't know that Mr. Wilson need be very much concerned about that. But the editor tries to conclude his remarks by telling his readers that he once treated Mr. Wilson with great "consideration." This, however, Mr. Wilson need be concerned about. It is since the Farmer offered its opposition to him that he has been successful politically, and the stronger the opposition the greater has been his success. If Mr. Wilson made a mistake in the past, it was in tolerating the Farmer's "consideration." Partly through that agency Mr. Hazen has been politically killed in York, and Messrs. Wetmore and Colter, who at one time gave promise of being fairly successful politicians, have also been its victims.

BRITISH ELECTIONS.

Result of the Polling So Far As Heard From.

LONDON, July 13.—Michael McCartan, Parnellite, has been elected to parliament for South Down. He received 4,786 votes, while Corbett, his tory opponent, obtained 3,816; the total vote was 388 less than was polled at the last election.

B. C. Molloy, Parnellite, has been returned for Birr division of Kings county by a vote of 3,276 against 711 obtained by Capt. Bernard, Conservative.

The tories in to-day's elections gained South Dorsetshire, where Lieut. Col. C. Hambro defeated S. F. P. Sturgis (Gladstonian) and Leek division of Staffordshire, where H F Davenport (Cons.) defeated Mr. C. Crompton (Gladstonian).

Sir M. Wilson, Gladstonian candidate for Skepton division of Yorkshire, has been defeated by Walter Morrison, unionist; this is a unionist gain.

The tories have won South West division of Essex and Torquay division of Devonshire, electing in the former district Col. Makins (Cons.) over C. E. Parker Rhodes (unionist) and Albert Spicer (Gladstonian). In Torquay R. Mallock defeated Lewis McIver (unionist.)

The totals of members elected at midnight are: Conservatives and unionists, 365; Gladstonians, 241.

LONDON, July 13.—Lord Hartington has arrived in London. Lord Salisbury will return on Friday, and will confer with Lord Hartington and other unionists on Monday. An agreement has been arrived at by which Lord Salisbury accepts Lord Hartington's home rule policy, which involves the maintenence of the full powers of the imperial parliament. By this policy the powers conferred on the local councils in Ireland are delegated not surrendered by parliament, which body reserves the right to control and revise the action of the councils. The appointment of judges and the legal administration are centered in the imperial parliament. Lord Hartington is still reluctant to join the conservative ministry, although he has pledged himself to support coercive measures and the general policy of the conservatives.

In Gladstonian circles confidence is expressed that the premier will resign. Gladstone will hold a conference with his colleagues on Saturday.

The Parnellites say they will never accept Lord Hartington's scheme, and will fight and wait until they have secured the passage of the full Gladstonian measure.

LONDON, July 14.—The totals of members elected thus far are: Conservatives 308, Unionists 75, Liberals 170, Parnellites 80.

Mr. Gladstone started for London today.

The result of the elections is restoring commercial confidence in Dublin. The markets are buoyant. The Bank of Ireland and Irish railway shares are advancing.

It is expected that J. G. Hubbard, one of the conservative members for the city of London district, will resign for the purpose of enabling Goschen to secure a seat.

Rioting in Ireland.

DUBLIN, July 14.—During the rioting at Belfast, last night, between catholics and protestants, four taverns and a number of dwelling houses were wrecked. The police and soldiers charged the rioters several times, and at last succeeded in clearing the main streets. In by-ways dangerous knots of men were lurking, and fears of a renewal of the disturbances are entertained. Among those wounded last night was a sergeant. It is thought he cannot recover. A constable and many civilians received severe wounds.

This morning the head constable of Waterford forced a private soldier to attempt to arrest two Orangemen, father and son. The latter shot and killed both the constable and soldier. The situation at Waterford is serious. The streets are patrolled by police and cavalry.

BELFAST, July 13.—The city is quiet to-day. An investigation shows that most of the fighting was done between the police and orangemen, the latter assailing the officers because they prevented the orangemen from attacking catholics. Policeman Gardner, who was reported to have been killed, is not dead but fatally injured. Two civilians named McWaters and McElroy, were shot dead. Fifteen persons are still in the hospitals with dangerous wounds.

Provincial Appointments.

The last issue of the Royal Gazette contains the following provincial appointments:—

The Honorable John C Allen, chief justice, Boyle Travers, M D, and W Brydone Jack, D C L, to be members of the corporation of the university of New Brunswick, in place of the Honorable John C Allen, chief justice, Boyle Travers, M D, and the Honorable Allan A Davidson, whose terms of office as such have expired by virtue of the operation of chapter 13 of 48th Victoria.

William T Hayes, solicitor, of Dublin, Ireland, to be a commissioner under chapter 36 of the consolidated statutes.

B W Cohen, counsellor at law, New York, to be a commissioner under chapter 36 of the consolidated states.

In the County of Northumberland, Michael O'Brien to be a coroner.

William B Stewart to be a commissioner of the civil court for the parish of Alnwick, in room of John Stymest.

Michael O'Brien to be a justice of the peace and commissioner of the civil court for the parish of Rogersville.

Raymond Lavway to be free grants commissioner for the parish of Rogersville, in room of A A Richard.

Raymond Lavway to be labor act commissioner for the parish of Rogersville, in room of Peter Thibideau.

William Cliff to be commissioner of the civil court for the parish of Derby.

Alexander G Williston to be free grants commissioner for Eel River Settlement, Hardwicke, in place of Jonathan Noble.

Horatio J Lee to be free grants commissioner for Saint Joseph's Settlement, in place of Isaiah P Savoy.

Richard Attridge, Doaktown, to be almshouse commissioner for the parish of Blissfield, in place of Robert Swim.

Simon Simpson to be almshouse commissioner for Alnwick, in room of Nicholas LeBlanc, resigned.

Richard S Wilson to be almshouse commissioner for Derby, in room of Thomas Pickle.

In the County of York,—Bernard McMenamin to be a liquor vendor for the parish of Stanley under the Canada temperance act.

John E Casey to be a justice of the peace and commissioner of the civil court for the parish of Dumfries, in place of A W Sears, resigned.

Henry Graham and Harry Beckwith to be justices of the peace.

In the County of Westmorland.—Silas W Rand and Chas E Lund to be justices of the peace.

In the County of Gloucester,—John Louis Legere to be free grants commissioner for Pacquetville and Millville, in place of Juste Hache.

John D Brune to be free grants commissioner for Miscou, in place of Alex Boyd.

In the County of King's—Alexander Stewart, George W White, Charles B Keith, James F Wanamake, Handford Price, William N Biggar, Samuel Perry, W H Lingley, Edward Harkins, W H Heine, Francis H Pickle, Zebulon Richards, and C W Howe to be justices of the peace.

In the County of Charlotte—Nelson Matthews and Peter H M'Callum to be justices of the peace.

In the County of Sunbury—John Kelly and Thomas H Perley to be justices of the peace.

In the County of Restigouche—J Bradshaw M'Kenzie to be an issuer of marriage licenses.

In the County of Carleton—James Keenan, William Thomkins, Webster Sims, John Ivey, John A Campbell, Donald Munro, J B Bowser, Samuel R Boyer, to be justices of the peace.

A Butterfly Idyl.

Oh, sing me a song of butter so pure,
Of the days of long ago;
Of golden rolls,
In China bowls,
Our grand dames used to show.

Oh, sing of the churn I used to turn,
Filled with the flaky cream,
As I stood on a stool,
In a buttery cool,
And of buttered toast did dream.

Alack and alas, for the days that are passed,
When butter was pure and good!
When our mothers could spread,
On our home-made bread,
An article fit for food.

Oh, sing of the flavors, those bucolic savors,
Of clover in bloom, and of mint,
That dwell in that butter,
So utterly utter.
Of which we now hear put in print.

Alas and alack, there will ne'er come back,
Those days of memory green!
They are crowded away,
By the fraud of the day—
Of oleomargarine.

Oh, sing me a song, and ring with a gong,
The disgrace of the times in a pean—
Of the nastiest mess
Of nastiness—
Of oleomargarine.

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Of oleomargarine, my boys
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