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MR. ELLIS AND HIS FRIENDS

John Valentine Ellis, M. P., and editor of the Globe, having found the attacks of THE GAZETTE upon his record as a public man extremely damaging, has been importuning his friends to suggest to the Province to come to his rescue.

The object state of terror to which John V. Ellis has been reduced by the proceedings taken against him for contempt of court was shown by what occurred in the Supreme Court room on Saturday, when just before the time when sentence was to have been pronounced upon him, he fainted away.

We repeat these words because we mean to stand by them and because they are true and we think that the friends of Mr. Ellis, instead of attacking THE GAZETTE in consequence of them, should be very grateful to us for having said so much in mitigation of the punishment the court will feel bound to impose on him.

ONE CENT FERRY

The influence of THE GAZETTE in moulding public opinion in St. John was shown yesterday in the prompt acceptance by the Common Council of the plan which we have persistently advocated of placing the rate of ferrage at one cent instead of three cents, as at present.

The Montreal Gazette describes a plan for using the vast pastures of the Alberts in the Eastern counties, which has been inaugurated by a Winnipeg dealer. A beginning was made with two thousand acres, purchased in various parts of Ontario, and shipped in two instalments to Calgary.

Hawks of the Transcript displays a great deal of "illiberal asperity" towards the Gazette, which we freely forgive because we know that Hawk is a million persons and not wholly responsible for his actions.

of the one cent ferry scheme as the highest compliment that the common council could have paid to THE GAZETTE.

DOES PROHIBITION PROHIBIT?

The State of Maine has had a prohibitory liquor law upon its statute book for more than twenty years, and this law has been several times amended, so as to make its provisions more stringent, and any evasion of it more difficult.

There was more drunkenness in Portland yesterday than on any holiday for years. Several of the men who were arrested on Saturday night and Sunday, enough liquor was consumed to make several hundred men drunk.

NOTE AND COMMENT

The Common Council has ordered the election of a Mayor to be held on the 21st of August, a convenient date, by which time the Carnival will be over, and every one will be ready to give his attention to the important work of choosing a new Chief Magistrate.

It is believed by many that the Provincial Government will postpone the 18th John elections until a new electoral list is made up under the act passed last session for the extension of the franchise, and that when this is done a general election will be ordered.

OF DRAMATIC INTEREST

Miss Annie Gilroy, who will be remembered as a member of the Maritime Company, with Jay Hunt, comedian, when they were in this city, last year, is here on the stage from New York.

PROVIDENTIAL

A son of Samuel Hamilton, of Woodstock, was drowned while bathing in the river yesterday afternoon.

READY FOR BUSINESS

John Penhallow, keeper of the St. Andrews steam boat light house, fell from a ladder yesterday, breaking an arm and receiving other very serious injuries.

ELECTION CARDS

To the Electors of the City of St. John:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

A meeting having been created in the Chief Magistrate's office, for the purpose of organizing the St. John City Council, I have the honor to inform you that the same will be held on the 12th inst.

MAYOR

T. W. PETERS.

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D. R. JACK agent

in the following extract from a Transcript editorial.

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"The City Directory" was played to \$5,000 in Chicago recently though it was raining all the week.

NEW ENGLAND WAKING UP

If the administration enforces the opinion of its solicitor of the treasury that Canadian cars engaged in commerce between this country and the Dominion shall be taxed, or if Congress excludes Canadian roads from all interstate traffic as some sections and interests are contemplating, Boston, Portland and other parts of New England will make a prodigious fuss.

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