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The Daily Tribune.

J. L. STEWART,..... EDITOR.

WEDNESDAY EVE'NG, JAN. 21, 1874.

If we had so little respect for the intelligence of the public as to suppose any weight would be attached to the cry about the necessity of sending sixteen men to Ottawa pledged to give the Government a slavish, not "a half-hearted," support, we would discuss the point. There are, in fact, only seven independent candidates in the field, the others being pledged supporters of any policy the Government choose to adopt. Of the twenty candidates on the Government side only two are men of marked legislative ability—A. J. Smith and T. W. Anglin—the others being the kind of mediocrities for whom so much contempt has been expressed by the press that supports them. These two gentlemen are not opposed, as the people who prefer an independent position to a cringing one—who prefer their representatives in Parliament to support or condemn what they consider right, insisting on the rights of the Province, instead of supporting everything Ontario proposes, and looking to her magnanimity for seats in the Cabinet and appropriations for public works—have no desire to see men of their great ability left out of Parliament. On the independent side there are two of Mr. Tilley's former supporters who, like Smith and Anglin, stand out prominently from among their fellows as debaters, thinkers, and legislators of marked ability—Palmer and Mitchell. Instead of permitting these gentlemen to go back as independent members of the House of Commons, just as the friends of these gentlemen were willing that the leading men of the Government party should go back, the Office-Seekers party raised a howl against them, subscribed money to defeat them, and are industriously rattling the dry bones of the Pacific Scandal for the purpose of frightening the people into voting for men of no experience or ability.

The real danger is that the Government will have too much support, and be heedless of complaints, petitions or remonstrances, even when accompanied by threats of defection. There are only four of the independent candidates whose election is expected. The Government will thus have twelve thick and thin supporters from New Brunswick. and there will only be four to represent the views of those New Brunswickers who decline to fully trust the Ontario Grits until they have shewn themselves worthy of trust—who desire their representatives to wait until a Gouernment measure has been read before they agree to support it. The Ministers should not be so greedy as to want everything. Greedy boys get so much in their mouths sometimes that they choke. Tilley and Mitchell used to have their zeal on behalf of New Brunswick amazingly quickened by wholesome opposition, keen criticism and penetrating inquiry, as has been declared thousands of times by those who now ask for sixteen supporters from this Province, and the zeal of our present Ministers, and their will and power to do well for New Brunswick, will be increased by the presence of even four men from New Brunswick who value the rights of their constituents higher than the ease of the Ministers and the harmony of the Ministerial party. Surely twelve John H. Gray and George Ryan supporters of the Government are enough to send at once: let there be at least four of a more independent stripe.

Mr. Edward Blake has an intense desire to see Sir John Macdonald, who, from youth to old age, has been the member for Kingston, defeated, because Mr. Edw. Blake does not want his Government to be subjected to the criticism of Sir John Macdonald—because he thinks he and his Ministerial colleagues could stultify their record and pursue a sectional policy with far greater ease in case the eyes of Sir John were not upon them. To make sure that Kingston should reject Sir John, Mr. Blake, the great orator, determined to speak to his constituents about it, and, therefore, the drill shed was seated and lighted at an expense of $600 so that all Kingston might have the benefit of Mr. Blake's oration—so that there might not be man or woman left unconvinced of Sir John's badness. Mr. Blake was received with applause, which was followed by three rousing cheers for Sir John. "They cheer for Sir John," thought the orator, "because they have not heard my opinion of him. Wait till I've done!" So Mr. Blake held forth for two or three hours, receiving a respectful hearing, being seriously disconcerted but once. That was when he was talking about two letters of Sir John's. "They referred," said the orator, grandly, "to the same thing! *they were written on the same day!* THEY WERE SENT BY THE SAME MAIL! THEY WERE"—"STOLEN AT THE SAME TIME!" cried a boy in the gallery. Mr. Blake paused, took a drink of water, wiped his face, and waited for the laughing to cease. He accepted the rounding of the period, and began on a new subject. At the close of his speech he was convinced that the audience were more than half fools, or hirelings, or something bad, for they gave three rousing cheers for Sir John. Then Mr. Cartwright took the platform and attempted to air his personal dislike of the ex-Premier, but the crowd paid little attention to him. One half crazy fellow began to harangue from the front of the gallery, and orators arose in each corner of the building and only a few in front attended to Mr. Cartwright. Other speakers took the platform and tried to get a hearing, but the gallery orator and the corner orators continued to orate and the people to cheer. We give this simply as a specimen of election meetings in Ontario. Such excited meetings are unknown in this calm and quiet region—happily unknown. Here we have nothing but local squibs in the papers at the expense of candidates, an increased activity on Chubb's Corner, louder and more varied cries from the newsboys, and an increase of handshaking.

Success in one line generally leads men to imagine they can succeed in other lines. Thus they often over estimate their own abilities and underrate the obstacles to be overcome. Prince Bismarck is an example of this. He has succeeded in humbling Austria and France and unifing Germany, and now he has undertaken to revolutionize the Catholic Church in Germany. He uses the same aggressive tactics, and expresses the same confidence of succeeding, but he will fail disastrously and ignominiously. He has undertaken too much His weapons of fine and imprisonment are inadequate to break the ties that bind the Bishops to the Pope and every attack he makes strengthens the ties he would sever. Bismarck requires oaths of unqualified allegiance to the laws promulgated by the Emperor from priests and Bishops, but they refuse to swear to obey these laws except when they do not conflict with the laws of God (as interpreted by His Holiness the Pope). Bismarck refuses to allow priests to enter on their duties unless his approval of their appointment has been asked and obtained, and many parishes are thus without pastors. Bishops are fined frequently for disobeying the new ordinances, and are gaining the sympathy of liberal-minded Protestants. When we bring the matter home to ourselves it is just as though the Premier of Canada refused to allow a Catholic, Methodist, Episcopalian, Presbyterian, Baptist, Christian or Congregational clergyman to enter on his duties unless the Bishop, Conference, Synod, or congregation first submitted the name of the clergyman to him and gained his approbation. How long would we submit to this? What Bishop, Conference, Synod or congregation would submit to Government interference in the choice of pastors? We venture to say that the attempt to enforce such a decree would provoke rebellion and cause a revolution. Then why should anyone in this country justify the Bismarckian persecution of German Catholics, as we are sorry to say many do? Should not Catholics in Germany have the same control over their ecclesiastical affairs as is enjoyed by all denominations of Christians in this country. The only argument in favor of Bismarck's aggressive policy is that the State supports the Church, and has, therefore, a right to a voice in its Government. But the Catholic Church, or any other Church, cannot accept State aid at such a price. If the Government is not satisfied with the use the Church makes of the revenues granted it the Government may withhold those revenues and allow the Church to support itself. Catholicism and other branches of the Christian Church flourish in this country without State aid, and are loyal to the State without renouncing allegiance to their spiritual heads, and they would flourish in Germany all the same without State aid or interference. We expect to see the policy of Bismarck fail disastrously, as it deserves to fail, and the failure will, we hope, be a warning to all success-intoxicated leaders of men to leave the churches to settle their internal affairs in their own way.

The mania for boasting breaks out in all kinds of ways. Now we hear of a man in Wisconsin who boasts of having murdered nearly forty persons in his time. His name is Bob Turner. He is under arrest for murdering his brother in cold blood, another brother being the witness against him, and the body of another of the victims of his murdering propensity has been found. If there is no hanging for murder in that State a special act should be passed for Turner's benefit.

Mr. Ellis addressed a large meeting of Carletonians last night. His friends speak confidently of sending him to Ottawa with Mr. Palmer, and his chances now appear to be as good as either Mr. Burpee's or Mr. Jones's.

Letter from Mr. Wallace.

MR. EDITOR: Allow me through the columns of your journal to acknowledge the high compliment paid me by the editor of the *Telegraph* in the issue of this morning in refusing to publish my card. *I was the person who left the Card* at that office and take the opportunity of informing the electors that I shall contest the election of Mr. DeVeber at the polls whether the *Daily Telegraph* desires it or not.

I have heretofore tried to *pay my bills* as an honest man, and can truly say this is the first slur I have had cast upon my character in this respect. I am sorry Mr. Elder has manifested so mean, contemptible and unchristian a spirit, and beg leave to inform him that I am not now particularly anxious that my character should be contaminated by the appearance of my card in his paper.

I am, yours very truly,
W. B. WALLACE.

St. John, Jan'y., 21, 1874.

Edward Jenkins, Esq., will deliver a lecture in Halifax under the auspices of the Medical Faculty of Dalhousie College, on or about Feb. 2nd, subject, "The Confederation of the British Empire."

The Mason Hall property in Halifax was sold at Sheriff's sale Saturday under a foreclosure of mortgage held by the estate of the late Mrs. Macara. The mortgage was for $10,000, and the property was purchased by John D. Nash, who represented the Grand Lodge of Freemasons, for $11,000.

LOCALS

For advertisements of WANTED, LOST, FOUND, FOR SALE, REMOVED, or TO LET see Auction column.

New Advertisements.

Advertisers must send in their favors before 12 o'clock, noon, in order to insure their appearance in this list.

Amusements—	Lee's Opera House
Election Card—	Geo W Day
do	W B Wallace
do	J S Boles DeVeber
do	A L Palmer
do	Simeon Jones
do	John V Ellis
do	Isaac Burpee
do	James Domville
do	L N Sharp
do	The Reform Party
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Herring—	do
Apples—	do
Baking Powder—	Geo Stewart, Jr
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AUCTIONS.	
Corporation Revenues—	Thos M Reed and others
Clothing, &c—	E H Lester

On First Page: Notes and News; New York Notes; Jealousy and Murder; and A Suffering Maniac.

On Fourth Page: Yesterday's Second Edition.

Brevities.

An elopement case from one of the city hotels is now discussed in social circles.

St. James Church, Main street, last evening, voted, with only two dissenting voices, to make the pews in the church free.

John Boyd, Esq., occupies the platform in the Academy of Music this evening. His subject is—"They that go down to the Sea."

The various "Reform" committees held meetings last evening. Another split is announced.

The members of the St. Andrews Curling Club commence to play to-day for the points medal.

The men of New Kincardineshire have been offered work on the Riviere du Loup railway at $1.25 a day. They will work within a few miles of home.

Nine converts were recently baptized by Rev. John Hughes, of Butternut Ridge. The revival is progressing. Two were baptised at Lute's Mountain last Sabbath, by the Rev. W. A. Crandall.—*Visitor.*

A young man who had about as much right to drive a pair of horses as to run an election was run away with on the Marsh road yesterday. The horses ran into McAvoy's shed, smashed a sleigh and did other damage, but, fortunately, nothing very serious.

Dr. Keator is dangerously ill.

Election squibs abound among the wits, the few appearing in print being only specimens of the many. The candidates and other sufferers take them good naturedly, as matters of course, and are ready to exchange full forgiveness for a vote.

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THE DAILY TRIBUNE and all the most popular Canadian, English and American newspapers and magazines can always be obtained at the bookstore of Mr. W. K. Crawford, King street. au 8

Lee's Opera House.

"Under the Lamp-post," arranged by Ed. Chrissie, is the great attraction at the Opera House now. It is to be played this evening for the last time. Gilbert Crew has become a great favorite, and the Lamonts are engaged for a longer time and appear every evening.

ENGLISH and AMERICAN Chromos at NOTMAN'S.

Obtaining Goods Under False Pretences.

The trial of Mabee, commenced in the police court yesterday, was finished in the afternoon. By the evidence of several witnesses an *alibi* was proved, and the Magistrate discharged the prisoner. Mr. Mabee now thinks of bringing an action for damages against Mr. Christie who prosecuted.

Steinway's and Chickering's Pianos at E. Peiler & Bro's.

Carmarthen St. Lecture.

Last evening A. A. Stockton, Esq., lectured in the Carmarthen Street Mission House. The audience was, as usual, large, and the subject—"Ancient Mexico," was treated in an able manner. There will be no lecture next week, but the week after Silas Alward, Esq., will lecture on "Froude's Estimate of the Tudors."

GOLD-VEINED Ebony and Walnut Frames at NOTMAN'S.

St. Malachi's Festival.

The hall was crowded last evening and the sale of lottery tickets, fancy articles and refreshments was large. The drawing for prizes will commence to-morrow evening. The Band is in attendance every evening.

Shipping Notes.

The schooner Mina, of Yarmouth, N.S., ashore on Winthrop Beach, having been condemned, was sold at auction on the 17th inst. James Powers, Esq., was the purchaser of the hull for $275, and the materials for $75. Mr. Powers is the owner of the cargo.

The bark Harriet Hickman, Smith, master, from Liverpool, put back to port on the 4th inst.

The bark Etta Stewart has been chartered at San Francisco to load at Portland, Oregon, for United Kingdom, at £5 10s., or Continent at £5 17s 6d.

Neither falling teeth, nor the peeping wrinkles of time, so forcibly tell of advancing years, as your grey hair. AYER'S VIGOR restores its color and makes your appearance more agreeable to others, as well as yourself. With fresh, luxuriant hair, the infirmities of age are far less noticeable.

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Political Personals.

Dr. Alward, M. P. P., will be a candidate for the Commons in this City.

The candidates for Dr. Alward's seat in the Assembly will probably be Robert Marshall and W. H. A. Keans.

Mitchell and Snowball are stumping Northumberland industriously.

Domville is the favorite of Kings, meeting everywhere with a hearty reception. A whole-souled fellow like James is a power in an election canvass.

Mr. Burpee is personally canvassing—not for the "Reform ticket"—but for the Minister of Customs alone.

Hunter's Complete, $1.25.
Hunter's Abridged, $1.00.
All kinds of Music Books at cost price, at Landry & McCarthy's.

Our Merchants' Exchange.

The attention of the readers of THE TRIBUNE is drawn to the extensive and highly important market reports which, through the enterprise of the Board of Trade, we furnish daily. These reports, which are telegraphed three or four times a day, are of considerable value to the merchants, giving as they do, the opening and closing of the gold exchange and the rates of freight and markets at Havana, London, Liverpool, New York, Boston and Portland. The committee appointed have ably done their work.

HENRY HALE, PIANOFORTE TUNER AND REPAIRER. Prompt attention and satisfaction guaranteed. Order book at Landry & McCarthy's Music Store, King st.

First-Class Steamers for Liverpool.

The steamships "Batavia," from Boston, on Saturday next, and the "Java," from New York on the 28th inst., are both first-class in all their appointments, and offer special inducements for travellers. They both belong to the Cunard Line and passages can be secured through Messrs. Hall & Hanington, the Company's Agents.

PIANOFORTE TUNING.—Mr. Carson Flood has secured the services of Mr. C. E Bourne, of Boston, a practical pianoforte builder and tuner. Orders left at the Warerooms, No. 75 Prince Wm. street, will be attended to in the order received

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Point Lepreaux Weather and Marine Report.

The following is the telegraphic report from Point Lepreaux to the Board of Trade room, this morning:

9 A. M. — Wind E. N. E., moderate breeze, with light clouds; two barks to the Westward, outward; two brigantines outward at sunset.

HAY AND CORDWOOD for sale wholesale and retail by J. M. Smith, opposite Railway Station, St. John. tf

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INDIAN INK Mezzotintos at NOTMAN'S

Circuit Court.

Doe dem McKenzie vs. Mosher came to a conclusion yesterday. At 2 o'clock His Honor Judge Wetmore charged the jury, occupying about an hour. After an absence of about half an hour they returned and, through their foreman, Jas. Reynolds, announced that they found a verdict for the plaintiff, and that the title of the land rested in the heirs of James Swim, and Mosher will, therefore, be ejected from the property. Wm. Pugsley, Esq., was warmly congratulated by his professional brethren on his success. He conducted the case with marked ability.

If you want a really fine Musical Instrument, do not fail to call and see the Estey Organs at Landry & McCarthy's. They are the finest we ever saw.

The Rink.

The band will play at the Rink this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

City Police Court.

Three prisoners were fined for drunkenness this morning.

George Beadley was drunk, and, when arrested by Sergt. Rider, used very abusive language. For this offence he was fined $6.

William Holland was drunk at Reed's Point. He stood at the "loafers' heaven" and annoyed people passing, just as a good many sober people do at the same place. He was fined $6.

William Ward was arrested drunk in Sheffield street, and also charged with having an open knife in his hand. He confessed the drunkenness, but could not remember having the knife. A fine of $4 was imposed.

Heart Disease.

HALIFAX, Feb. 10th, 1872.

MR. JAMES I. FELLOWS.—*Dear Sir:* In order that some other sufferer may be benefitted, you are are at liberty to give this letter publicity.

In the winter of 1869 I was taken ill with Disease of the Heart, accompanied by violent palpitation, and from that time gradually became weaker, notwithstanding continued professional attendance, up to a few weeks ago, when your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites was recommended to me. The use of it during a very short time enabled me to resume my usual work, and now I am as well, fat and hearty as I could wish to be.

Yours very truely,
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" " B. N. America,	250	4		
" " Montreal,	200	8	145	
Maritime Bank,	100	4	89	
People's Bank,	100	3½		
St. Stephen Bank,	100			
Spring Hill C. M. Co.,	88		125	
Joggins C. M. Co.,	3		100	
People's Street Rly. Co.,	20		23	
St. George Red Granite,	100		50	
Victoria Hotel Co.,	100		20	
Suspension Bridge Co.,	20		87	
St. John Gas Co.,	110	4	105	104
Victoria Skating Rink,	100		106	
Confederate Life Ins. Co.,	250		99	
Royal Canadian Fire Ins.	100		99	
N. B. Patent Tanning Co.	5		79	
Sussex Boot & Shoe M. Co.	50	1¾		
Ottawa City Bonds,	20	3	99	
Academy of Music,	20		45	
Parrsboro R. and Coal M	100		70	
St. Stephen Ry. 1st M. B.,			98	
Colebrook Rolling Mills,	100	6	100	
Moosepath Driving Park,	100		35	
City School Debentures,		3	95½	90
Corporation Bonds,		3	99	
South Bay Boom Co.,	40	5	82	85
Carleton Branch Ry.,	20		60	
" 1st M. Bonds,		3	100	
Western Extension Ry.,			95	
Port Philip Free Stone,	50		100	

Exchange Bank Sterling, 60 days, 9¼; Do. do., sight, 9⅞; Drafts on U. S. currency,

By Telegraph.

Canadian, British and Foreign.

[To the Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.

Gold 111¼; sterling exchange 4.83 a 4.86½.

There are threatening indications of a general strike of miners throughout the coal regions of Pennsylvania.

The Siamese Twins died Saturday at their home in North Carolina. Chang was partially paralyzed last fall, since which time he has been fretful, and strongly addicted to drinking liquor as a means of alleviating his sufferings. As soon as it was discovered that Chang was dead Eng became terribly shocked, and raved wildly for a time exhibiting signs of great mental aberration. This attack was followed by a deadly stupor. In two hours from the death of Chang, Eng died.

LONDON, Jan. 20.

Sir Montague Cholmeley, member of Parliament, is dead.

Mr. Gladstone is confined to his residence.

A heavy gale prevailed around the British coast yesterday.

Ex-president Thiers has been presented with a gold medal by the French residents of Phila.

The French steamer Zouave sunk off Corsica. Nineteen persons were drowned, including the captain and chief engineer.

Consols and markets steady.

LONDON, Jan. 20.

A HUMBLE SAVAGE.

It is rumored that the King of the Ashantees has sent an Embassy to Gen. Wolsely suing for peace and offering indemnity.

INTERNATIONAL POSTAGE.

The Swiss Federal Council has appointed the 15th of October for the opening of the International Postage Congress.

THE BENGAL FAMINE.

Private advices state that the famine in Bengal is assuming increased importance and is engaging the earnest attention of leading men in financial and commercial circles in London.

ANOTHER STEAMER IN TROUBLE.

The steamship Celtic, from Liverpool, was disabled and her passengers returned to Queenstown and will leave in the Baltic.

VERSAILLES, Jan. 20.

FRANCE.

In the Assembly to-day the bill conferring on the Government the nominations of Mayor passed by a majority of 43.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.

R. R. BRIDGE BURNED.

The Eastern Railroad Bridge at Biddeford, Maine, was burned yesterday—loss $70,000.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

John J. Gordon, the Thorndyke murderer, was yesterday sentenced to be hung in the Maine State Prison.

CAVED IN.

The Railway Tunnel in Washington Avenue, St. Louis, caved in yesterday, causing a loss of $50,000.

A FRIGHTFUL ACICDENT

occurred in Bennington, Vermont, yesterday.

AN EXPLOSION

caused by a leaky gasoline pipe demolished a sewing room, instantly killing nine women at work there, and badly injuring six others, besides many slightly wounded, and setting fire to the building, which was burned with a loss of $100,000. Partially insured.

(Special to the News.)

A Grit Defeat.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.

The local election to day resulted in the return of O'Donaghue, the workingmen's candidate, by six hundred majority. Nagle only received the Grits' votes. In thanking the electors, O'Donaghue said he owed his election to the Liberal-Conservatives, and called upon the workingmen to support Opposition candidates in the coming contest. A great torch-light procession, with music, paraded the streets to-night.

Grits on the Stump.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.

The contest is proceeding vigorously. The Grits are using extraordinary efforts to secure the Catholic vote in the western division. Mackenzie and George Brown speak to-morrow night. Mackenzie speaks to-night against Gibbs of South Ontario. All the members of the Government except Scott have taken the stump The charge made by the *Mail* against Wilkes is the principal topic. The *Mail* has secured full evidence proving the accusation. A meeting of the lawyers representing the *Mail*, Wilkes, and Rossin, one of Wilkes's former employers, was held to-day to arrange matters. If no satisfactory arrangement be made the *Mail* will publish the evidence to morrow. Baird, the Warden of South Bruce, is out against Blake. Everything indicates that the Opposition will redeem several counties in Ontario.

Manitoba Rejects Mackenzie.

FORT GARRY, Jan. 20.

The full text of Mackenzie's address has been received here but it is scarcely believed that he intends carrying out the policy proposed. He will not get one supporter from Manitoba.

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