The Evening Mercury

SATURDAY, EVG. JUNE 30, 1894.

There to Stay.

From the latest returns it is plain that the Government have a clear half of the House, while Messrs. McPherson and Pardo, Liberal Patrons, were endorsed by Liberal conventions and elected by Liberals. The Empire figures out on paper that the Government is beaten, but the average citizen has a well grounded idea that Sir Oliver is sagacious enough to pull through without much trouble.

The only possible snag would be a junction of Conservatives and Patrons on a Patron plank which the Government would not accept. But the Patron leaders say they are not in the Legislature to offer a factious opposition to the Government. As we understand this, the Government's general policy will have their support, and they will not be a party to snap votes or catch-motions of want of confidence, even although personally favorable to the principle expressed in such. If their vote is thrown against the Government it will be with fair warning and because the Government will not accede to their position. We are inclined to think that the Government will not be unreasonable, and that the ideas of the Patron leaders will be met, wherever the public service will not suffer. And even should the Government give battle with them, say, on the abolition of what is called class legislation, it is a question to be considered whether Mr. Meredith can afford to aid the Patrons in that movement.

The Legislature does not meet till next January, and a good many things may happen between now and then, from which a Government generally gains. The people may rest easy in the conviction that Sir Oliver and his colleagues are there to stay—at least for a good while yet.

THE U. S. tariff has been finished in committee of the Senate, and will now be pushed through. It is expected to be in operation on August 1.

MR. Tucker, the Patron candidate in West Wellington, has evidently obeyed in some respects Paul's injunction to be all things to all men. Not alone did he receive the support of the Patrons and the Conservatives, but the P. P. A. gave him a big majority in Palmerston, and the Roman Catholics swelled his majority in Peel to 188, whereas Mr. Allan had 198 there last election.

TOMORROW will see the beginning of Canada's 28th year of existence as a confederation. Twenty seven years of national life have passed, and the Dominion, in spite of a few adverse conditions, seems securely anchored. As Rev. Wm. Patterson put it at the O. A. College yesterday, this north country with its vigorous manhood and womanhood has a great future before her, if her sons and daughters are true to the best ideals of a nation's life and work. Let it be the endeavor of every Canadian to culivate the virtues of honesty, truth, brotherly kindness, and industry, both in private relations and public duties, and there need be no fear or anxiety about the destiny of this great country of ours.

THE Patron candidate in North Waterloo drew his biggest majorities, so far as we have seen, from the Roman Catholic settlements of St. Agatha and New Germany, which would upset the idea that the Mowat Government got the corporate church vote. Why should there be such unjust suspicions and charges that this vote went to the Government for a consideration in legislation, when the whole Conservative policy of the past three campaigns was bound to antagonize them and drive them from the Conservative ranks? What is the use of obscuring the plain inferences to be drawn of the effects of this Conservative policy, and attempting to lay these effects on an alleged underhand alliance between Sir Oliver and Archbishop Cleary. It is all based on a needless fear of Roman Catholic encroachment. The Roman Catholics had the benefit of the Separate school legislation for the past ten or twelve years and what do the returns of population show. In Ontario from 1881 to 1891 the Roman Catholics increased 37,000; the Church of England increased 13,000; the Presbyterians increased 35,000; the Methodists increased 62,000. In Canada the Roman Catholics increased .38 per cent; Church of England increased .06 per cent; Presbyterian increased .09 per cent; Methodist increased, .54 per cent. In other words, the Church of England increased twice as much in proportion as the Roman Catholics; the Presbyterians three times as much, and the Methodists eighteen times as much. If this ignoble fear of Roman Catholics was rooted out of some Protestants, we would have less aggressive Protestantism and more aggressive Christianity.

Dominion Parliament.

Ottawa, June 29.

Sir John Thompson, in moving the adjournment over Monday, said he found there was a general feeling in favor of observing the holiday, though he regretted that members should be put to inconvenience owing to the length of the session. Mr. Laurier had no objection to offer, but he hoped in future the Government would call Parliament together earlier in the year. [Hear, hear.]

The most of the afternoon was spent in concurrence on the supply resolutions, Mr. Mulock taking the opportunity of making an attack upon the Royal Military College, Kingston. After recess Mr. Patterson defended the Military College, and the House went into supply on the canal estimates.

Mr. Gibson attacked the Government with respect to the Sheiks Island dam. Dr. Bergin and Mr. Haggart defended the action of the department.

Hon. Mr. Haggart made a short statement with reference to the Intercolonial, which showed that the main line was still paying expenses, but the Prince Edward Island railway showed a deficit.

The House passed very nearly all the main estimates tonight and adjourned at midnight until Tuesday.

MUTRIE'S MAJORITY 686

According to the Official Declaration.

At noon today Col. Higinbotham, Returning Officer, made his official declaration of the returns from South Wellington, at the city hall. He read the returns from every polling subdivision in the riding. They are the same as that published in THE MERCURY of the 27th, with the exception of a polling subdivision in Puslinch, which gives Mr. Darby one more vote. The total vote polled was:—Darby, 1807; Mutrie, 1993, which gives Mutrie a majority of 686. There were 3817 votes polled; unpolled 2260; total vote on roll 5577. The Col., after reading the returns, declared Major Mutrie elected as the representative for South Wellington in the Legislative Assembly for the present term. Before making the declaration the returning officer invited any elector present to examine the official returns from each polling subdivision certified to by the deputy returning officers, poll clerks, agents and respective candidates. There was no one raised any objection.

Boy Missing.

A special from Bringeport to the Berlin News, dated June 27, says: Mr. Patrick Moran, a farmer from near Marden, Wellington Co., along with his two sons and Constable Gastmeier, were in the village last evening in quest of Mr. Moran's son, Frank, who disappeared from home last Saturday morning. They were on the right track as the boy had been seen by several people, including your correspondent, on Saturday evening, and again on Sunday. The story of his disappearance, as told to the News correspondent by Mr. Moran, is as follows: "I am pathmaster, and we were working on the road, and Frank went to the pit to shovel gravel. I was not there when he went in but got there soon after and noticed that he was barefooted, so I sent him home to put on his shoes. He did not take the road we usually take, but took the one around by the woods, and I suppose he got into the woods and could not find his way out, and so wandered away. The information as given by you gentleman is the most reliable we have got since we began the search and I am certain it was Frank whom you saw." The old gentleman is nearly distracted; the strain on him is having a terrible effect, and anyone who can get any reliable information concerning the boy should at once communicate with the almost crazed father, Mr. Patrick Moran, Marden, Ont. The trustees of the school ordered all the boys to go out in parties to search for him, but all returned without him this afternoon. We secured a description of him:—His age is 14 years but is tall for his age, light complexion, red hair, wove black soft felt hat, broad brimmed, turned down all round, had neither coat nor vest on, blue checked shirt and brown knee pants. He evidently did not go home for his shoes, as he was still barefooted when your correspondent saw him on Saturday evening.

The Mercury's Trade Edition.

The following complimentary notices of the MERCURY'S Trade Edition have been observed in exchanges:—

We have received a special Trade Edition of the Guelph MERCURY. It is a work of art.—Mount Forest Confederate.

The Guelph MERCURY issued a very handsome Board of Trade edition last Wednesday. The MERCURY is a credit to Guelph.—Orangeville Advertiser.

The Guelph MERCURY yesterday turned out a most creditably printed illustrated trade edition. The work from the taking of the photographs was excellently done.—Hamilton Times.

The Guelph MERCURY issued a trade edition last Wednesday. It gives the photos of a number of business men and places of the Royal City, and is well gotten up.—Elora Express.

The Guelph MERCURY is deserving of very great credit for the handsome illustrated trade edition, sent out with the regular daily issue of Wednesday last.—Mt. Forest Representative.

The Guelph MERCURY has issued a really creditable illustrated history of the city. It is something in these days of "fake" editions in the hands of "fake" publishers to find something really decently done.—Galt Reporter.

We have received a copy of the illustrated edition of the Guelph Daily MERCURY. The cuts are all first class and show the Royal City off to perfection. The sheet is creditable to our valued contemporary.—Galt Reformer.

The Guelph MERCURY publishes a splendidly printed supplement illustrating the progress of the Royal City. The MERCURY is a live paper, and it deserves and receives the support of the business men of Guelph.—Ingersoll Chronicle.

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The Guelph MERCURY issued a special trade edition last week. It was quite elaborate and well gotten up, and should answer a good purpose in bringing the Royal City's advantages prominently before the world.—Georgetown Herald.

A copy of the trade edition of the Guelph MERCURY has been received at this office. The issue is liberally illustrated, the reading matter well prepared and the whole reflects great credit upon the Royal City, and the capabilities of the MERCURY office.—Chatham Banner.

The Guelph MERCURY issued a trade edition which reflects credit upon that journal. The number is well printed, well illustrated and the sketches well written. The pictures of the Town Council and the Board of Trade are given, and being half tone engravings show up splendidly.—Berlin Record.

The Guelph MERCURY has published what by all odds is the neatest, cleanest and best printed "Trade Edition" we have yet seen. It is on toned paper, beautifully printed, and the photogravures of Guelph's leading citizens and public places are really "speaking likenesses."—Preston Progress.

The trade edition of the Guelph MERCURY issue last week is an elegant illustration of Guelph's importance as a manufacturing and mercantile centre. The city and its interests are exceedingly well portrayed. The edition is a credit to the MERCURY and must be regarded with pride by the people of Guelph.—Acton Free Press.

Last week the Guelph MERCURY issued a trade edition printed on toned paper and handsomely illustrated. A full account of the city's growth, its advantages, its trade and manufactures is given. Not the least interesting part of it is an art supplement giving, in addition to some public buildings, a grouped picture of the city's schools and churches.—Walkerton Herald.

WEAKNESS OF MEN

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Suspicious Death in Peterboro.

Peterboro, June 29.—The badly mutilated body of Frank Beaton was found lying on the railway track this morning, and the presumption is that the man was murdered and his body taken to the place where found. At first sight it appeared to be an accident, a case where a drunken man had lain down to sleep beside the track and had been run over by the train, but the circumstances indicate that the man had been killed and his body afterwards dragged to where found, and the train had then passed over the left hand, severing it from the arm, and marked the forehead. The man was lying with his head close to the rails. Besides these wounds made by the train there were several others which at the present time are not accounted for. There are several knife marks on the back of the head and one on the side, while his back is one mass of bruises, as if made by a whip or stick.

No person was able to identify the body beyond that it was that of an employee of Cook & Whitby's circus, until John Beaton, a fireman on the Belleville train, went to see the deceased and identified the body as that of his brother, Frank Beaton.

The coroner's inquest was held in the Police Court, where evidence was taken from several discharged circus employes, the man's brother and several others, but nothing of an important nature was elicited.

HOW A QUORUM IS COUNTED.—City Solicitor Mackelcan, of Hamilton, has been asked his opinion upon the validity of the by-laws passed on the night of May 28th by the Hamilton Council. He says:—"I can only say that if it was passed at a meeting of the Council where only eleven members were present, it would, in my opinion, be invalid. Whether more than eleven members were present at the time it was passed would be a question of fact. On this point I can only state it as my opinion that if eleven members of the Council were in the chamber taking part in the proceedings and one or more other members were in the note-room, within hearing, and were watching the proceedings so as to be able to intervene if they thought necessary, and did, in fact, come in occasionally to raise objections, they might be considered at present, and be counted as making up the quorum. I am not aware that the point has been decided, but I think the view I have stated would be a reasonable one to state."

The July number of McClure's Magazine, in The Heraldry of the Plains, by Miss Alice MacGowan, and A Chemical Detective Bureau, by Miss Ida M. Tarbell continues a class of articles which have become one of the most acceptable features—articles exhibiting the picturesque side of very practical and matter-of-fact institutions. Falling into the same class is an article which reports the observations and experiences of an actual workman in the great steel mills at Homestead. An article, entitled Alphonse Daudet at Home, by R. H. Sherard, relates, mainly in Daudet's own words, of his early life and literary struggles; and it is illustrated with interesting portraits and views of Daudet's town and country homes. The number is especially notable in short stories. The Stevenson and Osbourne novel, "The Ebb Tide," comes to an end in this number with fine spirit and strength. The Human Documents portraits present Lord and Lady Aberdeen. S. S. McClure, Lt'd., No. 30, Lafayette Place, New York.

Two anarchists representing themselves as journalists, warmed themselves into the confidence of the man who arrested Santo at Lyons, and, after securing his photograph, informed him that his fate was sealed.

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Gent's Good Tweed Suits worth $18 for $14.
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Fine Worsted Suits worth $25 for $20.

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Men's Summer Coats and Vests Cheap.
Boys' Suits worth $2.50 for $1.50,
Boys' Suits worth $3.50 for $2.50
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Men's Cotton Undewear.
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Have you seen the $1 Shirt we sell for 69c.? If not you should.
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MORAL.—When you feel blue and discouraged, and are inclined to think that there is no use in wasting energy when times are dull, remember the two frogs that fell into the cream crock and keep a jumping.

This constant activity is the policy with which we have kept business brisk this season as in the past. We hear many reports of poor business, dull times, scarce money, etc., etc., but our experience has not been in accordance with this. Some lines of goods we have placed at prices that carry no profit to us, in others, we have taken advantage of the wholesale man's anxiety to unload part of too heavy a stock, and bought at figures that mean a big loss to him, but cheap goods to you, but there is not a department in our store in which you will not find goods selling at less than the regular prices. We propose to keep business humming all summer, if low prices will do it.

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Guelph, June 3rd, 1894. dw

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