Weekly Colonist.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1886.

LIBERAL DISINTEGRATION.

In spite of warm protests on the part of the Gladstonian press, the process of dissolution goes steadily forward throughout the liberal ranks. The representatives of the National Liberal Association of Scotland, have decided by a majority that no man can claim the title of liberal who does not support Mr. Gladstone's home rule scheme. By the more bigoted members of the "great" party this decision has doubtless been received with a sense of self-confident satisfaction. But there are many Scotch electors, even amongst the liberals, who fail to see how belief or disbelief in Mr. Gladstone's separatist proposals can make or unmake a liberal. Still, the Scotch are a persistent people, and the decision of the National Liberal Association of Scotland will unquestionably be adhered to. Lord Randolph Churchill's political influence is fast increasing: the Chancellor of the Exchequer has put himself into tune with the times; and without sacrificing one jot of genuine conservative principles, he moves forward with an evergrowing following, whilst the Gladstonites and their supporters stick fast in the quagmire of Gladstone-Parnellite home rule. This is the real state of things, and it is fraught with deadly danger to what has hitherto been known as liberalism, but what has now degenerated to Gladstonism, and as such is discredited and disgraced. The liberals now have two grievances from which there is no escape; the first of these is that they think Lord Randolph Churchill unfairly liberal, whilst the liberal-unionists have become too conservative. On both sides there is a tendency to abandon extreme views for that medium course which appeals to the common sense of the country. Never was there a more favorable opportunity for the advancement of those principles of true constitutionalism which in so many political crises have proved the national sheet-anchor. The people are weary of anxiety and uncertainty. There is a general wish for stable government. The liberals themselves are urging that if their party is to be rallied Mr. Gladstone must give up all home rule projects, whilst others go so far as to say that Mr. Gladstone should leave the political arena altogether, because his persistent claim to liberal leadership is driving large numbers of those who once followed him to support the policy represented by Lord Randolph Churchill. Mr. Gladstone vainly imagines that his personal influence is still sufficiently powerful to reunite the scattered liberal ranks; and he fails to see that the people are beginning to find it safer to trust in consistent principles than in ambitious individuals.

SEWERAGE.

The sewerage bylaw will be submitted to the property-holders of the city in a very short time. It cannot be laid before them too soon. Because of the present defective drainage and consequent danger from an epidemic box-drains are being laid down in different parts of the city. At present there are several cases of typhoid fever in the homes of our people, and we cannot hope from immunity from it as long as the present diagraceful condition of affairs is permitted to continue. No city in Canada of the same size and wealth as Victoria is without some efficient system to properly cleanse and purify it. The scheme now in the hands of the people is, we believe, a good one, and is the result of much care and thought. It is not improbable that it can be improved in some of the minor details so as to meet the wishes of all. Mayor Fell and Councillor Higgins have made a careful examination of the systems prevailing in the principal Eastern cities, and their experience will undoubtedly be found very valuable when the matter comes up for discussion in the council. It is desirable that a perfect system be introduced, and that none of the mistakes which have occurred in other cities be made here. To that end the fullest discussion is necessary, both within and without the council. There will be no serious opposition to the bylaw, no danger of its being defeated, for our citizens have the good of Victoria at heart, and are determined to be progressive and enterprising. No city in these days can claim to be either which has not proper drainage. If matters were to remain as they are we should soon hear such a wail as came to us from the badly drained and consequently fever stricken city of Petaluma the other day.

THE government of New South Wales recently appropriated £25,000 to provide relief works for the unemployed in that colony, yet in a few weeks the streets of Sydney were as full as ever of idle men clamoring for work. Thereupon an ingenious writer in the Sydney Herald suggested a scheme for utilizing this idle muscle and at the same time of adding to the revenue of the colony. His plan was to employ 5,000 men for six years in girdling and thus deadening the scrub pine trees which cover a great area in the colony. He estimates that this land, when cultivated, would yield a revenue of £17,000,000 a year, and his plan is to allow crown tenants to make these improvements and give them tenant-right interest in their work. The work would cost £3,000,000, and of course it would be out of the question for the government to undertake it.

A Modern Miracle.

OTTAWA, Nov. 14.—Benjamin Alonzo Simmons, son of George Simmons, a farmer of Hull township, was cured by a mesmerist yesterday afternoon of a lameness from which he has been suffering since the spring of 1884. He was unable to walk or even stand without crutches. After a matinee at the Grand Opera house, he went to the professor, and asked if he could do anything for him. The professor rubbed at the disabled limb for a couple of minutes, and then bade the patient get up and walk across the room without crutches. To his surprise he was able to so, though with some difficulty. The professor then went to work again for a brief period, after which he assured the astonished man that he would now find the lameness gone and told him he might go home. Simmons got up and proceeded on his way without any difficulty. He has been going about ever since, though with with a little stiffness, as the muscles of the leg have become sunken through long disuse. Simmons was for two months in the spring of 1885 in the General hospital in Montreal, being treated for his lameness, but left without being any better; in fact, it was only the day after he left the hospital that he began to use crutches. He is about twenty four years old, is a finely built man, and over six feet high. Being unable to work on the farm, he has lately been a student in the Business college here.

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Non Dum Subacta.

(Horace, Book II, Ode V.)

Abide thy time. The damsel's taste
In unproductive fields new lies;
Not yet doth she her doll despise,
And oft her roving glance I've traced,
To stalk where streaky sweets one buys.

The day migheth, doubtless, when trim-laced,
She'll heed thy beck with flattering haste;
But till that day still further nighs,
Abide thy time.

Ah, spare those soft, unmanly sighs!
For such a child such sorrow waste!
Seeing the fruit so high is placed
Thy utmost effort is defies,
Were not to *call it green* most wise,
And bide thy time?

Late Canadian News.

ONTARIO.

Two stone-masons engaged at the Mattewan bridge, four miles east of Finmark, started on a hunting expedition, when they came unexpectedly upon a bear. Their guns being loaded only with partridge shot, they thought it best to beat a hasty retreat, but to their surprise upon looking around discovered the bear following them. Seeing escape impossible, they determined to defeat or be defeated. One of them hastily loaded his shot gun with a bullet and fired it in the animal's face, which seemed only to increase his fury. He was now close upon him; it seemed almost impossible to escape, when his companion came up and shot the bear through the heart with the only remaining bullet they had, thereby saving both their lives.

NOVA SCOTIA

The fishing schooner Flying Scud, of Gloucester, Mass., sailed for home, but owing to bad weather was forced to return, and anchored near the mouth of the Northwest arm. It was learned during the day that she was violating the customs law by selling fishing gear, and orders were given to the cruiser Francis E. Conrad to arrest the vessel. A number of the Conrad's crew were placed aboard the schooner and she was brought to Halifax and was anchored alongside the cruiser.

NEW BRUNSWICK

Eliphalet Roberts, a young man 21 years of age, met with a sudden and frightful death, while attending to the engine that was hoisting pitch pine into the brigantine Sullivan alongside of the government pier St. John. Young Roberts was the driver of the engine, and when seen last was standing with his hand on the lever. It is thought that his coat must have caught in the machinery in some way and drawn him in to his death. When the engine stopped the laborers looked around and saw nothing but Roberts' legs, his body being apparently in the machinery. Steam was shut off and fire raked from under the boiler, but some minutes elapsed before the body could be extricated from its position. Life was extinct when that was accomplished. There was a deep cut on the lower jaw of the deceased, which was caused by one of the cog wheels. His neck was broken and his back in three places.

MANITOBA.

Mrs. Crowell, wife of R. E. Crowell, of the Canadian Pacific railway dining hall Winnipeg, has been found dead, stretched on the floor at her home on Sutherland street. Heart disease is supposed to be the cause of her death.

Mr. D. Fletcher, ex-mayor of Minnedosa, left Ontario owing to the serious illness of his father. Before reaching his destination, however, the old gentleman died, aged 96 years.

QUEBEC

At Sherbrooke a socn of Harry Bartlett, while playing with a cross bow shot an arrow into one of his eyes, bursting the pupil and destroying the sight.

Rev. Dr. Wilkes, honorary pastor of Zion Church, Montreal, is dead.

George Sweet, Supt., of the Canadian Pacific palace and dining cars, charged with harboring two deserting Allen steamship cooks, was discharged, the prosecution being dropped and the cooks reinstated.

Judge DesNoyers has dismissed the case against Cure Piche, Terrebonne, accused by a tavern-keeper of exacting money by threats.

Adam Darling's creditors have decided to appoint a curator. His liabilities are $70,000, and assets $25,000. The claim of Meeker & Co., amounts to $20,000.

A cablegram was received at Montreal from Roy, city attorney, announcing that the appeal of the heir Lachevroitere in the million dollar suit against the city had been dismissed by the privy council.

A sneak thief hid himself in the church of the Jesu, Bleury street, and when all was quiet robbed all the alms and other boxes of the faithful deposited money for religious purposes. The thief made good his escape through a window, and as yet has not been caught. In all he got about $20.

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THE ROSENFELD.—Capt. Harman gave evidence on Monday at Port Townsend in regard to the condition of the ship John Rosenfeld, in the suit between the original owner of the vessel and the Tacoma Mill Co. for $150,000. The captain made a submarine examination of the Rosenfeld on behalf of the defendants, and stated that the ship's back was not broken, and that the only damage other than the leak and strain was due to chafing on the rock. It was his opinion that the vessel might easily have been got off if proper measures had been taken.

AT REST AT LAST.—NORWICH, Nov. 19.—Sir Richard Cartwright was to-day nominated for South Oxford for the commons by the liberals.

In Memorium.

TO THE EDITOR:—I have just received the sad and unexpected tidings of the death of Mrs. Harris, at the house of Mr. Wilson, her son-in-law, Faversham, Kent. I need not express the deep impression it has made upon me, personally. When I parted from her here on the 5th of September, she was apparently in the best of health and in good spirits, and went away joyous in the care of Mr. Wilson, who had come up to meet her. Events have proved that she was then, and had been for some time, under disease of the heart—which the excitement of returning once more to England and the meeting with her relatives aggravated. Some expressions she dropped on our recent journey together have made one think that she was conscious of this, and that the time of her rest was drawing nigh. There has passed away a lady who has had no small part in the early and growing life of your colony, and as the one who most recently was privileged to be constantly beside her, and in the course of a long journey, to exchange thoughts on all subjects, will you permit me to say a little about her in loving remembrance.

When I came to Victoria, twenty-one years ago, I was called to see a poor fellow lying in Mrs. Heal's boarding-house. There was some business he wanted me to attend, but he always added "Mair 'Arria" will tell you about it. This I did not understand. Who is "Mair 'Arria? I said. "Why, bless you, don't ye know Mair 'Arria?" He's the Boss o' Victoria." This was a graphic description of her husband, who was mayor at the time. There was never a lady who better maintained her position as the wife of Mayor. She was foremost in every good work. She did splendid work in starting the hospital in early days, and before even there was a Protestant orphanage in Victoria she was an orphanage in herself. One of the finest things I ever saw was Mr. Harris taking one of his little woman's protegee off the California steamer who some (so called) friends were wheedling away for no good purpose. In these days she was a great friend of Mrs. Kennedy, wife of Governor Kennedy, a lady set also upon what was good. It was a great grief to her, as to others, when the Kennedys went away.

I didn't see so much of her when I was a minister in Victoria, yet I was always impressed by her intellectual sharpness, her charity, energy, and well-sustained pride in her church. Recently when she proposed returning to England with me, I was much pleased, but the pleasure of the sweet and sanctified companionship far exceeded the expectation. She had such a pure joy in all she saw and all she met. She was so thoughtful about others, and so sharp, too, in looking to all sorts of things. It was our privilege to meet many as we came along, distinguished and otherwise, and upon all she made such a good impression. There was a little baby whose mother was ill and she led off others in looking after it. And then when evening came she sat down with her little Testament and had her quiet half hour so resolutely and so unostentatiously. Sundays were bright days to her. When others or when I took service it was such a joy to her. I am glad to think she was happy all through the journey. I will never forget her. Her's is a memory blessed to many. I trust that her good works will follow her in Victoria, and that others may be raised up like her.

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between THOMAS A. W. GORDON, Plaintiff;
and
ALEXANDER C. MACDONALD, Defendant.

UPON HEARING WILLIAM WARD SPINKS, Counsel for the plaintiff, and upon reading the affidavits of Thomas A. W. Gordon, and William Ward Spinks, filed this 12th day of November, 1886; it is ordered that a copy of this order be published in a newspaper published in Victoria and in the Kamloops Inland Sentinel for five weeks; and it is further ordered that the defendant do cause an appearance to be entered in this action at Kamloops within the aforesaid period of five weeks, and that if the defendant shall make default in so entering an appearance as aforesaid, judgment shall be entered for the plaintiff as in default of appearance.

Dated this 12th day of November, 1886.

no24w5t (Signed) GEO. A. WALKEM, J.

TABLE

SHOWING THE DATES AND PLACES OF Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the year 1886.

SPRING ASSIZES.
(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria	Monday	3rd May
Nanaimo	Tuesday	1st June

(ON MAINLAND.)

New Westminster	Wednesday	5th May
Yale	Wednesday	26th May
Kamloops	Monday	7th June
Clinton	Monday	14th June

FALL ASSIZES.
(ON MAINLAND.)

Richfield	Monday	13th September
Clinton	Wednesday	29th September
Kamloops	Monday	4th October
Lytton	Monday	11th October
Yale	Friday	15th October
New Westminster	Wednesday	10th November

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria	Monday	22nd November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th December

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
ap9td Provincial Secretary

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
4th November, 1886.

WHEREAS THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR in Council is empowered, under the "Public Schools Act, 1886," to create School Districts, in addition to those already existing and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honor has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Round Prairie School District," viz.:—All of Townships 34, 35 and 38, Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

Also, that His Honor has been pleased to direct that the boundaries of the "Spallumcheen School District" be altered and redefined as follows:—All of Townships 4 and 7, Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

Also, that His Honor has been pleased to direct that the name of the "Granville School District" be changed to "Vancouver School District," and that its boundaries be altered and redefined as follows:—The same as those defined on the official map of the City of Vancouver.

By Command.
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The Committee will be glad of communications upon all matters of Colonial interest. Information will be gladly offered by the Hon. Secretary respecting Colonial Exhibition of 1886; the doings of the National Association for promoting State Directed Emigration and Colonisation; the Movement for Improvement of Local Defence, and upon other matters of Colonial interest. tp15dwtf

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Between THOMAS R. ELLIS, Plaintiff;
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ROBERT O. ROBINSON, Defendant.

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To Robert O. Robinson, of Dennis, Massachusetts, United States of America:

We command you, that on or before the 1st day of January, 1887, that you cause an appearance to be entered for you in an action at the suit of Thomas R. Ella.

And take notice that in default of your so doing the Plaintiff may proceed therein and judgment may be given in your absence.

WITNESS, Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Knight, Chief Justice, the 9th day of November, 1886.

The Defendant may appear hereto by entering an appearance either personally or by Solicitor at the office of the Registrar of the Court at Victoria.

N. B.—This Writ is to be served within twelve calendar months from the date thereof, or if renewed, within six calendar months from the date of such last renewal, including the day of such date and not afterwards.

Amended by rule of Mr. Justice Crease, dated the 9th day of November, 1886. HARVEY COMYN, Deputy Registrar.

The Plaintiff's claim is for an account of the dealings of the Plaintiff and Defendant with respect to part (14 acres) of Lot No. 4, of sub-division No. 2, of Section LXXXIV, Map N. 156, Victoria District, for a decree that their affairs may be wound up and a sale of the said hereditaments had with all necessary and consequential directions.

This Writ was issued by CHARLES WILSON, Broughton street, Victoria, Solicitor for said Plaintiff, who resides at Victoria. no23d3tw1t

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