

THE HERALD

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1887.

After the Battle.

The great political contest for the Dominion of Canada had been marshalling their forces during the past month or more resulted in favor of the Grits in this Province. The exact issue of the contest is every Province is not yet definitely known; but as the smoke of battle clears away and the excitement of the moment subsides we perceive that the old Chief, Sir John Macdonald, still guides the helm of State, and that all his colleagues of the Cabinet have been returned to assist him in shaping the destinies and guiding the onward march of this great Dominion.

The exact number of Sir John's majority is not yet known, as all the places in which elections took place have not been heard from, and a few constituencies will not have their elections for some weeks yet. It is safe to say, however, that he will have a majority of about forty-five. Every Province in the Dominion elected a majority of Government supporters except Prince Edward Island alone.

What has come over our electors that they should have stood so much in their own light? That they should have acted in a manner so detrimental to the best interests of our Island Province as this vote? Should they not have known that the men and the party who consolidated these scattered Provinces into one great Dominion were the most worthy of their confidence and support. Should they not have considered that Sir John and his colleagues were the men who had always been ready and willing to lend an attentive ear to our demands and do justice as far as possible. Should they not have considered that this was the most Confederation in our history since Confederation. The all absorbing question of Winter Communication was about to be solved. Sir John and his Government were taking definite steps to have the Subway built when the electors of Prince Edward Island snatched the cord of our friendly relations with him by sending all Opposition members to the House of Commons.

What now can we expect? What can Canada's Premier think of us? Nothing else than that we do not want any favors from the Dominion Government. We have every reason to believe that many were fooled into supporting the Opposition candidates by the Grit emissaries to the effect that the Upper Provinces would give Blake's Party a majority. We feel satisfied that on sober second thought they will look upon their action of the 22nd as the most silly of their lives, and that they will regret it as long as they live.

Liberal-Conservative Victory in Bedouque District.

The election in the Fourth District of Prince County, on Saturday last, resulted, as we anticipated, a splendid victory for Hon. G. W. Bentley. The Grits are, therefore, in a position to estimate the strength of the present Government without further tests during the next four years at least.

As will be seen by the returns, they made a desperate effort to "elevate the standard," but the friends of Hon. Mr. Bentley were not, it appears, so unskillful of their interests as to allow them to carry out their obstructive designs. The returns are as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Name, Bentley, Poynt. Kennington 126, Poynt 97, Travellers Rest 64, 77, Freetown 89, 112, Coteauville 29, 23, Newton 86, 58, Sealbrook 62, 39, Somerset 129, 111, Cape Travers 72, 50, Tryon 76, 141, Majority for Bentley 1781.

The significance of these figures should not be overlooked. The Grits went into the contest to show that a reaction had taken place. No doubt this display of strength was intended to serve the double purpose of influencing public opinion, and capturing a seat from the Government, but it was a dead failure. On the other hand Mr. Bentley, who led the poll in the late General Elections, having polled 750 votes—has made a considerable gain, which shows that the present Government not only retain their former strength in that wealthy and populous District, but have the assurance of a large majority of the electors that they have no confidence in the Opposition.

This three-story brick building erected by Messrs. Doid & Rogers, near J. D. McLeod's corner, Queen Street, is one of the finest in the city; it is 62x30, and 60 feet high. The cellar is an excellent one—a stone wall 8 feet high runs round it, and the floor is composed of 8 inches of concrete. The front of the building is heavily trimmed with Nova Scotia fine stone and brown stone, which is something new in this Province; a heavy parapet wall, capped with iron stone, is arranged on three sides of the building, which is intended as a fire break. Mr. Philip Coyne was contractor for the brick and stone-work, and it is unnecessary to state he performed his work satisfactorily and creditably, as did the Messrs. Doid & Rogers, who had the contract for the building. The architect was Mr. J. D. McLeod.

Our Present Position.

What we deplore the result of the great struggle just closed in our Province, we heartily unite with the Liberal-Conservative press and party in their rejoicings over the sweeping victory won all over yesterday at the polls. The triumph of the grand old Chief, Sir John Macdonald, who has led his party so often to victory; the success of his colleagues in the Cabinet, and his supporters in Parliament, is highly gratifying, and merits the warmest congratulations of every town of his country. The assurance that the unscrupulous opponents of Sir John Macdonald, have not been permitted to cast him by means of slander and abuse, in order to reject the fruits of those great achievements which they opposed step by step, is something indeed to rejoice over.

Although we fully appreciated the strength and organization of our opponents, we were not prepared for the misguided step taken by a majority of the electors of this Province. We had, however, hoped that, at this juncture, no person would be so foolhardy, as to suppose that we could improve our circumstances by supporting candidates who were doomed to sit in the cool shades of opposition. But it appears that the unreasoningness of some for a change, merely for the sake of change, the hunger of the Opposition for the "boodie" they so loudly condemned, the torrent of falsehood and false pretences, which deluged the Province, and the treacherous conduct of the Grits at the Revision Courts in this County, have achieved a temporary triumph. Add to all this the more unlawful influence of the wholesale bribery which, it is alleged, they carried on, and we can form an idea of the causes which brought about the terrible mistake made yesterday. Already, rumors are afloat that there is sufficient evidence of Grit bribery in this city to justify an investigation, which may lead to some startling revelations. Early in the campaign the movements of Grit canvassers aroused suspicion, which on election day seemed but too well founded. When Liberal-Conservative canvassers were unable to induce voters to go to the polls unless they "came down handsomely," and immediately afterwards saw the same parties driven to the polls by their opponents, it is not unreasonable to suppose that foul and unlawful means were resorted to; and we understand that not a few cases of this kind have already leaked out.

It is difficult to estimate the injury this Province will sustain by the result of the contest. We could not hope for a great deal from the Grits, even if they had been victorious; but with our six Grits perched on the Opposition benches, the outlook is discouraging. If they are true to their past record we may calculate upon their opposition to the Subway scheme, refunds of debts due, and the protection of our fishing industry. We can, however, depend upon the well-known fairness of Sir John Macdonald's Government to work up to the mark, and to be wholly at their mercy, the electors of this Province will have a great deal to be thankful for it, in spite of the Grits, they guard our rights and protect our interests as sedulously as they have done in the past.

We shall wait with deep interest the bestowal, by Mr. Blake, of those great boons which have been promised by our Grit contingent. Now his mouth is closed on the trade question, we hope his followers from this Province will have sufficient influence over him to modify his opposition to the claims of this Island.

While in the discharge of his professional duties he contracted a cold, which was aggravated by exposure to the night air during the late severe weather, when he was almost constantly on the foot. Finally it developed into an obstinate case of pneumonia. Drs. Conroy, Gillis, Mr. Laren, McIntyre and Walsh were called to his bedside, and did all that was possible to alleviate his sufferings, but it was impossible to stay death's relentless hand. He quietly passed away on Tuesday morning, Dr. Walker was the youngest son of Mr. Donald Walker of Launching Place, and brother of the Rev. Dr. Walker, of Rollo Bay. In January, 1878, he entered St. Dunstan's College, where he remained three years and a half. While there he took a foremost place in all his classes, and is remembered by his conferees as a most friendly and genial companion, ever ready to participate in whatever would tend to make college life pleasant and agreeable.

Having finished his course, he decided to embrace the medical profession, and with this intention entered McGill College, Montreal, where he soon took front rank among the many students of that flourishing University. He graduated with honors in the spring of 1884, taking the degree of M. D., and immediately returned to his native Province, and settled at Cardigan Bridge, where he soon acquired a large practice,

which was constantly increasing. Although young in his calling he was eminently successful as a medical practitioner, and was destined, had he been spared, to become an ornament of the profession which he had espoused.

He was a model citizen, an amiable companion and a true friend; and his death will leave a great void in the community in which he lived.

His funeral took place from his father's residence on Thursday morning last, and was perhaps the largest which ever took place in that part of the County. His remains were borne to St. George's Church, Grand River, where a solemn Requiem Mass was chanted. After the funeral services his body was laid to rest in the quiet cemetery close by, to await the final summons.

To his aged parents, his brothers and sisters, and his many friends we tender our heartfelt sympathy. May he rest in peace.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

To show who was responsible for the "No Popery" cry, it is only necessary to state that the Mail came out on the 15th ult., with an article strongly supporting the candidature of Hon. Alexander McKenzie, ex-Grit Leader, in East York. This shows the task assigned to that sheet when it "fell from grace."

ACCORDING to a report of the Boston Fish Bureau, just published, the New England mackerel catch for 1886 has been the shortest for 43 years, being 79,998 barrels as against 329,943 barrels in 1885, and 478,076 in 1884. The Americans characterize the work of their fleet during the season as a "financial failure."

NOVA SCOTIA, which the Grits looked as sure for the Opposition, returned fourteen out of a total of twenty-one members to support Sir John. Of this number three are Cabinet Ministers, viz: Sir Charles Tupper, who carried Cumberland by six hundred majority, Hon. Mr. McLean and Hon. Mr. Thompson.

The Grits of this town almost thought themselves hoarse on Tuesday night when they found they were ahead in Queen's County, and had a probability of five seats from the Island, but when they discovered that Sir John's Government was sustained, quite a change came over the spirit of their dream. They now find that, notwithstanding all the lies circulated in the hope of getting into power, they are destined to remain out in the cold for at least five years more.

FROM one end to the other of this vast Dominion comes the same story of Grit obstruction and roystering during the campaign. At St. John, Halifax, Amherst, Ottawa, Montreal, and onward to the far West, they manifested their "Liberalism" by disturbing public meetings held for the purpose of discussing public questions in a calm and rational manner. Conscious of inferior speaking ability and the unsoundness of their cause, they were determined to prevent their opponents from exposing the "organised hypocrisy" in all its hideous deformity.

Remarkable Financial Results.

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

The wonderful financial results achieved by The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, during the year ending on the 31st of December, 1886, have attracted the attention of the people at large, and are particularly gratifying to 125,000 policy holders.

The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York has now in trust for policy holders, \$1,000,000,000, and has paid out since its organization, over \$245,000,000 to the holders of its policies.

The management and admirable investment of its funds, the following list of payments for death benefits, shows that the cost of insurance in this Company. It will be seen that the Mutual Life Insurance Company returned \$268 to the policy holder.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Amount Paid, Total. Jan. 8, 819,875.40, 868,028.70, 22,868.28, 22, 93,306.84, 34,153.91, 2,708.93, 106,483.92, 29,258.44, 3,633.48, Feb. 12, 130,306.33, 44,150.46, 2,728.87, 19, 18,948.09, 38,546.18, 2,112.91, 28, 71,248.00, 48,969.29, 2,278.71, Mar. 5, 143,359.88, 59,642.29, 2,433.59, 12, 97,830.72, 32,682.56, 2,988.16, 18, 12,448.00, 18,979.29, 6,468.71, 29, 164,896.76, 55,828.93, 2,166.83, April 2, 132,943.52, 47,402.15, 2,822.37, 18, 12,448.00, 18,979.29, 6,468.71, 16, 149,919.18, 60,943.56, 2,466.62, 30, 96,152.81, 23,358.44, 2,972.37, May 7, 84,811.04, 23,785.56, 3,356.48, 14, 127,407.77, 51,242.94, 2,480.83, 28, 16,189.87, 42,962.50, 2,480.83, June 4, 135,819.45, 50,189.20, 2,700.25, 12, 169,180.70, 61,169.09, 3,288.61, 18, 110,989.04, 38,848.90, 2,888.14, July 5, 180,341.97, 60,844.94, 2,444.03, 28, 127,086.48, 47,947.29, 2,900.19, 16, 123,026.46, 43,701.96, 2,710.50, 28, 104,297.32, 37,761.96, 2,760.36, Aug. 6, 97,227.69, 36,898.96, 3,511.73, 28, 104,297.32, 37,761.96, 2,760.36, 30, 91,250.81, 28,584.19, 3,119.62, Sept. 7, 97,837.00, 38,898.14, 2,560.86, 10, 84,915.00, 45,837.11, 1,877.89, 17, 87,234.74, 26,292.96, 3,369.78, 28, 127,086.48, 47,947.29, 2,900.19, Oct. 1, 137,054.23, 46,394.73, 2,728.10, 10, 84,915.00, 45,837.11, 1,877.89, 12, 101,981.47, 33,188.03, 3,070.44, 28, 104,297.32, 37,761.96, 2,760.36, Nov. 10, 105,966.04, 38,405.88, 2,880.16, 20, 145,006.03, 54,507.13, 2,966.90, 28, 96,707.23, 38,405.88, 2,880.16, Dec. 30, 87,538.88, 34,911.30, 2,560.86, Total, 86,402,920.00, 29,048,222.78.

The average duration of these policies was 14.4 years, and it will be seen that the holders thereof received the premiums back, improved at 12 1/2 per cent. compound interest.

It is unnecessary to remark that there is no other form of investment so profitable as this, and the security is found in The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

JOHN L. STEARNS, President of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

SPLENDID VICTORY.

GOVERNMENT SUSTAINED. Majority, Forty-Five. All the Ministers Re-Elected. REPEAL KILLED.

A private despatch from Sir John Macdonald says that Sir John sustained by a majority of forty-five.

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