

That Appointment.

We were treated yesterday to one of the characteristic articles for which the Herald has secured a most unenviable reputation. In its usual rollicking, clap-dash style it gives us an article on the appointments in connection with the Model Farm, and as usual blunders most egregiously. It says in the first place that Mr. Henning was appointed to manage the Farm. Now, this is altogether wide of the truth. Mr. Henning was never sent to manage the Farm, he never pretended to be able to manage this or any other farm, and he is totally unable to take on himself such a responsibility. He was sent up here in May last to take possession of the Model Farm, but on account of delays and complications, which it is unnecessary to refer to here, the Farm did not come into possession of Government till the first of this month. Mr. Henning had received no appointment, he was only detailed to do the work referred to, and seeing that could not be done, it was a matter of surprise to every one that he was kept here so long. Mr. Henning was in no sense qualified to be Manager of the Farm or to take charge of any department on it. To say, therefore, that Mr. James Sturton was put in his place is altogether untrue, for he has been assigned work on the Farm which Mr. Henning knows nothing about, and could never have performed. As we said before he has been appointed to act as Bursar and to take charge of the stock, but he is in no sense manager of the Farm, as the Principal is the sole manager, and as such is responsible to the Government. Moreover, Mr. Jas. Sturton received notice of his appointment long before Mr. Henning was detailed to come to Guelph, so that the Herald's story about him stepping into Mr. Henning's shoes is a pure invention on the part of the Tory organ.

Of course, the Herald is anxious to have a little discussion on these matters. It is never at peace unless it is in the thick of a fight with somebody, and in order to get up a good old fashioned scragim, it makes assertions and misstatements altogether contrary to facts. In doing such work it is in its congenial element, but it cannot expect that we will follow it through such dirty and devious ways. We have given the facts in regard to this appointment, and we are prepared to prove their correctness. Mr. Henning, we repeat, was never engaged to manage the Farm. Mr. Sturton has not been engaged to manage the farm, but to discharge the duties referred to above. And why should his father be grossly abused because his son happens to get this appointment. If he is qualified for the work—and the Herald has not yet dared to say he is not—has he not as good a right to receive and accept an appointment as any other man. It is all very well for the Herald to get up a noise about this appointment? It would have done so in any case, unless the Government had put into the position one of its own nominees, or favourites. But it is hardly likely that the Government will listen to such advice, and as they have chosen to take their own way, and to ignore the Herald altogether, we are treated to this long tirade of mock indignation over purely imaginary grievances.

The Irish Canadian warmly supports Mr. Moss for West Toronto.

That unfortunate Elora Standard is getting its knuckles rapped on every side. The Guelph Herald now gives it a mild rebuke for using bad language towards one of its Reform contemporaries. Any abuse of the Grits which is too strong for the Herald to countenance must be shocking indeed. Alas, poor Standard!

The Guelph Advertiser has been amalgamated with THE GUELPH MERCURY. The union is a coalition of the Blackrock type. "The two papers (we are told) having for a long time been strictly in accord on all essential matters of political and local import." THE GUELPH MERCURY AND ADVERTISER is, of course, the organ of the letter-stealing organized hypocrisy.—Kingston Daily News.

We have to thank The News for this courteous notice. It is a fine illustration of the personal amenities of journalism, and is eminently worthy of the special organ of Sir John A. Macdonald.

CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY BONDS.—It will be seen by our County Council report that the amended Credit Valley By-law, which the County Council at their special session refused to submit to the ratepayers, was on Thursday passed by the Council; and the former resolution rescinded. It was a close shave, the matter being decided by the Warden's casting vote. The question now remains to be settled whether the \$135,000 by-law will meet with any more favour from the grouped municipalities than did the \$150,000 one.

MANUFACTURE OF COCOA.—"We will now give an account of the process adopted by Messrs. James Epps & Co., manufacturers of dietetic articles, at their works at the Euston Road, London."—See article in Cassell's Household Guide.

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Robinson's Circus Company was assaulted at Jacksonville, Texas, Nov. 23, by ruffians, several of whom were killed. The business portion of Fishkill Village, N.Y., has been burned; loss over \$120,000.

MARRIED FRASER—COOK—In Guelph, on the 4th inst. by the Rev. Mr. Wardrop, Mr. Alex. Fraser, of Toronto, to Charlotte, eldest daughter of Mr. Walter Cook, of Pashinch.



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