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TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 11, 1881.

THE MERCURY AND ITS SATELLITES.

It was with feelings of extreme regret that we perused last evening's Mercury, knowing from the style and language of the leading article that still another hand had taken a turn at the bellows. We must admit that the bellows were well blown, but it is a sad sight to see a performer who once was right, well brought up, and carefully educated, so low down as to become a satellite to the heretofore despised Mercury. The Mercury is in the habit of attracting (probably by a loadstone carried in the pocket of its proprietor) loose parts of more or less magnitude which have occasionally gone off at a tangent from the planet to which they formerly gave their allegiance. We have always observed, however, that these luminous objects are very brilliant and break all to pieces very suddenly and apparently without any cause—not having the true material in their composition. The extra heat engendered by reason of their position, or the violent changes that they undergo has a very disastrous effect, and brings them to a sudden and ignominious end. We shall watch with much interest the result of this addition to the galaxy of the Mercury; its glass must either rise or fall. In any case there is likely to be stormy weather, for the extra satellite is of a disturbing nature, and will, most likely, make a desperate effort to bring itself forward at the expense of our contemporary. If the satellite gains the ascendency over the Mercury, there will be a terrible straining, and the Mercury will find itself embracing, without being able to help itself, the unfortunate Baby it so abhors, and which it has been able to keep at arms' length up to the present time. If on the contrary the Mercury finds that night is right, and can manage to smother the poor infant, we think it will not be long before the satellite, having reduced the loadstone as much as possible, will sheer off in the direction of the World or some other star.

We have no intention whatever of assaulting the Rag Baby; the poor thing which did enjoy very good health for a considerable time in its early days, got such an unmerciful trouncing in the hands of one of its nurses lately in Toronto, when unnecessarily exposed to the wrath of two parties who were having a set-to there, that it will be a long time before it recovers its former strength. When the Baby is properly taken care of, and not mixed up with bad characters it will get along well, and finally grow up to be a credit to the country.

That is a nice little bit of poetry:

"The little dogs and all:
Tray, Blanche and Sweetheart;
See they bark at me."

We have heard it before, and if the satellite will just put "be" before the first named dog it will be exactly suited to himself. It is the evident intention of the satellite to draw attention away from the real question at issue to Mr. Wright, with the hope of getting his name brought into notice, but we cannot just now indulge this pardonable wish; feeling that Mr. Wright has [illegible] himself, or if he has not lost himself, that he has at any rate lost the respect of his former friends. The Mercury, in hopes, perhaps, of future assistance from its old enemy, has lost itself to brace up Mr. Wright. We wish them joy of each other's friendship.

CIVIC.

The following is a complete list of the gentlemen who have occupied the chair since Guelph became a Town:—

AS REEVE.

1851—Samuel Smith.
1852-53—Dr. Wm. Clarke.
1854—W. S. G. Knowles.
1855—John Smith.

AS MAYOR.

Selected from the Council.

1856—John Smith.
1857—Geo. Sunley—Sam. Smith.
1858—Geo. Elliott.

AS MAYOR.

Elected by the people.

1859—James Webster.
1860—John Harvey.
1861—Dr. T. S. Parker.
1862—G. Palmer.
1863—H. W. Peterson.
1864-65—Dr. W. Clarke.
1866-67—Peter Gow.
1868—N. Higinbotham.
1869-70—Dr. Herod.
1871-72—Richard Mitchell.
1873—Adam Robertson.
1874—John Harris.
1875-76—R. Melvin.
1877—F. J. Chadwick.
1878-79—Geo. Howard.
1880-81—Geo. Sleeman.

In 31 years 21 men have filled the chair, 9 have had a second term, and only one, Dr. Clark, has sat more than two years, viz.: as Reeve in 1852-53 and Mayor in 1864-65.

The only instance in which the Mayor's chair has been occupied by a person who had not been in the Council before, is James Webster, the first popularly elected Mayor in 1859.

THE ANGLO-IRISH QUESTION.

Whatever may be the faults of Archbishop Lynch, of Toronto, and even the most ardent admirers of His Grace must admit that he is often extremely injudicious. One thing is certain, that when once he makes up his mind he is apt to speak his thoughts pretty freely, no matter whom his sayings may please or offend. His Grace is an Irishman, and, of course, like all good sons of Erin loves his country. He has of late given a great deal of attention to the troubles which at present exist in the land of his birth, and in an open letter to the "independent and generous press" asks a fair hearing on the Anglo-Irish question. The Archbishop speaks of the past and the present misery and trouble. He also alludes to the "cruel misgovernments," the "landlord tyranny," the "heartless evictions," "England's civilisation," and the "cool inhumanity of the House of Peers," and His Grace does not forget to administer a slap in the face to the Imperial authorities in every paragraph. We can hardly think that to becomes a dignitary of the Church occupying so high a position as His Grace, to lay down his mitre and his benaire and attack the Government in England. As we have often remarked, Canadians, be they so by either birth or adoption, have plenty to do without interfering with Ireland and her troubles, and we must therefore advise His Grace to attend to the duties of his high and important office, and for the future to leave such matters as the Anglo-Irish question to those who are more immediately concerned.

If the learned limb of the law who is at present engaged in writing leading articles for our city contemporary, and the literary maid-of-all-work who is inspiring him, will condescend to glance at the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Page 1,809, Chap. 177, they will find "an Act respecting public meetings," a perusal of which will show that the recent meeting held by Mr. Donald Guthrie was entirely illegal, notwithstanding the assertions of the Mercury to the contrary.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Canadian Spectator: There is every prospect of the Government carrying the contract through the House in a very few days. The holiday speeches of Mr. Blake and Sir Charles Tupper have created no popular enthusiasm; both had large audiences, as they would have if they were were announced to speak on any subject; they have convinced their several hearers no doubt; but Mr. Blake has failed to rouse public opinion to anything like an excitement of disapproval, so that Sir John Macdonald will feel free to call upon his party for support. It will be a strict party vote, and there are no signs at present of any Government losses.

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