

THE QUESTIONS OF THE HOUR.

There are two great issues, now before the electors of Ontario who are so soon to vote in a federal election. One is the boundary award; the other the river and streams bill. For the non-ratification of the first and the disallowance of the second, those Ontario members of parliament who voted as Sir John Macdonald told them, when these issues came up, are responsible to the people of this province. They cannot shift the responsibility elsewhere.

Moreover, the boundary question is certain to come up again. Therefore, whoever goes to parliament from Ontario should be prepared to take the Ontario view of this boundary question. For, if Ontario men do not look after Ontario's interests in the confederation, depend upon it no one else will. If then any man refuses to pledge himself to do his best, it elected, to secure the ratification of the award, of a solemn arbitration, then let him go; punish him by rejection for refusing to stand by the rights of his province. He, too, is prepared to sacrifice Ontario in the interests of his party.

But you say there is another great issue, namely, the tariff. Shall the fiscal policy adopted by the people of Canada by an overwhelming majority in 1878 be continued in principle, perhaps improved in its details, or shall it be wiped out? We say yes, there is such an issue before the people, and they will vote on it. Well, then, you say can a man vote on these two great questions, the boundary and the tariff, and take the popular side in both, seeing that the one of the two parties favors one and the other party the second? Now we have got right down to the hard pan of it. There are two great issues before the people of Ontario—the boundary award, the national policy. The first is upheld by the reform party; the second is championed by the conservatives. The popular view on both these questions is that the boundary award should be ratified and that the national policy should be continued. But neither party appears to take the popular view in its entirety; each party takes half. But unfortunately a voter can not have his vote. And yet he wishes to put it where it will do most good. How is this to be effected? That is the question that must come home to the great majority of the voters of Ontario. The majority of them we hope, we know, are independent men, men who have the interest of their province, the welfare of their country, at heart.

There are two ways of securing the vindication of the popular view on these two paramount issues. First, the independent voters can compel either party to relinquish its hostile position on whichever of these questions it opposes; compel the conservatives to pledge themselves to yet ratify the boundary award; or the reformers to pledge themselves to leave the tariff alone in principle. In another article we shall discuss the probability of either party modifying its position on either of these issues.

The second course is to bring out independent men as candidates, men who take the popular view on both these questions, men who favor the development of Canadian industries and who shall insist on the ratification of the boundary award. It is not too late to bring out such men. If they were put up in thirty constituencies and twenty of them were elected the country would be saved. Twenty independent men could control the next house. Let the people ponder over this view of the question.

ENEMIES AND TRAITORS.

Grip and some of our journals—and among them The World—have been bringing out the idea that the French Canadian blues are enemies of Ontario and that they it who are really the abettors of Sir John Macdonald in his refusal to ratify the boundary award and in his disallowance of provincial acts. Let us grant that these French Canadians are jealous, and did "put up the job;" what must we say of those Ontario members of parliament, those members of the Ontario legislature, and those Ontario journals that have been even warmer abettors of Sir John Macdonald in his refusal to ratify the boundary award, and in his disallowance of provincial acts. Let us grant that these French Canadians are jealous, and did "put up the job;" what must we say of those Ontario members of parliament, those members of the Ontario legislature, and those Ontario journals that have been even warmer abettors of Sir John Macdonald in his refusal to ratify the boundary award, and in his disallowance of provincial acts.

ario conservatives. Every man from Quebec, no matter where he is, is solid for Quebec every time.

THE EVIDENCE THAT THE Czar's coronation has been postponed for a year on account of Nihilist plots, must cause a strange sensation in Russia. It is a virtual surrender of the government in one of its latest struggles with the Nihilists, the former determining that the coronation should take place this year, and the latter planning to prevent it. Though announced as only a postponement, the government's action must have an effect analogous to the abandonment of a season's campaign.

Those who think that the Zulus because they are black are as docile as some Africans, will probably learn to the contrary if they repeat the offensive assault upon them that a foolish young man committed on Tuesday night. In this case the Zulus unfortunately seized an innocent person and severely drubbed him with their assegais. Had their blows fallen upon the real offender they would not have been undeserved. He, however, decamped to avoid the consequences of his conduct.

POSSIBLY THE RECENT torture of Italian citizens in Uruguay will lead to the overthrow of the military despotism that rules the republic. Examination shows that the previously published accounts of the injuries inflicted on Patroni and Volpi were not exaggerated—their teeth were broken, their arms disjointed, their ribs fractured, the soles of their feet scorched. The withdrawal of the Italian legion from Montevideo and the demand for reparation have encouraged some Uruguayan politicians against laws and customs that allow such barbarities in the name of justice. The complaints of Spain and Brazil, re-enforcing those of Italy, may effect the destruction of the system of judicial cruelties.

DR. MULVANEY AND THE COLORED RACE.

To THE WORLD: Dr. Mulvaney's letter on the subject of the "inferiority" of the colored race does credit neither to his heart nor his head. His logic is that, because the negroes in Africa and those who, though emancipated from slavery in the West Indies, had nothing else done for them, have never originated anything beyond the condition of contented savagery in which it is found to-day, therefore they are incapable of anything else. Any universal negative is neutralized in its force by one affirmative proof to the contrary.

Dr. Mulvaney's acquaintance with the church of England in which he, I believe, once ministered, ought to have reminded him that Dr. Crowther, a bishop of the Anglican church, laboring on the west coast of Africa, is a full-blooded African negro, formed a native clergy, and never exposed to any Americanizing influences. His intellectual powers are at least as good as those of many a white clergyman in the Anglican communion. The same may be said of the native clergy, his countrymen. He ought also to remember that the bishop of Hayti, Protestant Episcopal, is of the same color with no admixture of white in his complexion yet the bishop was one of those selected to preach, and did preach, a more intellectual sermon in Westminster Abbey at the late Anglo-American conference in London. In the United States the colored Methodist Episcopal bishops are men more, and are many of their clergy and of the Roman and Anglican colored priests. The Jubilee singers point to another departure in colored life and a visit to the Free Convention yet convince even Dr. Mulvaney of the falsity of his premises. He instances the aborigines of this continent as examples to the contrary of a superior race though barbarous. But given the same climatic conditions, what would have been their state? Uncivilized they are blood-thirsty enough even in their native plains—as witness the massacres and atrocities which they have perpetrated in the Hindoo country, the Aztecs, with all their ancient civilization and education, are they one whit less blood-thirsty or blood-drinking than the ancient African? Are not the heathen Chinese more filthy and loathsome and unnatural in their sensuality than any negroes? Where does the color does the race inferiority come in? Give the negroes christian education and they are as the race to which I have already alluded. I say as the white men themselves to whose influence, tyranny and bad example are really due the non-natural vices of the negro as shown in a state of slavery or of recent emancipation by masters, whose first aim was to treat them as chattels, and whom, when they had freed them, they did their best to keep under and to bring to their native feelings and to clog the highest aspirations of their souls. If Dr. Mulvaney has not thrown off his faith with his club he will recollect that he who is no respecter of persons has "made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on all the face of the earth," not to be segregated on reserves, Indian or otherwise, and boycotted as Dr. Mulvaney would boycott those whose color is not as his, though their lives, breeding, education, morals, and manners may be as good as his own. If Dr. Mulvaney is not too much of an agnostic to believe in a hereafter, it may well be asked of him whether or not he looks for a white man's heaven as opposed to one set apart for a black man.

SACERDOTAL ANGLICANUS.

Chief Engineer George W. McVillie, who is making the hazardous and almost hopeless search for the missing boat and party of the Jeannette under command of Lieut. Chipm, is a man of very striking appearance. He was born in New York, and in his young days his family was well known among the old Knickerbockers. He is a heavy built man, weighing about 160 pounds, and is about 5 feet 11 inches in height. Of large and powerful frame, he is of light complexion and has bright, piercing blue eyes. He is supple and a skilful athlete. When he returned from the Arctic in the "Icy" in November, 1878, he visited the engineer's office in the navy-yard, and when met by his brother officers the natural question was asked: "Well, George, how do you feel?" He answered: "As bright as a new uniform, and I never felt better;" and to prove his assertion, turned a handspike without the least difficulty. When serving his time in the machine shop, he could do more work in the same time than any other man, and when passing through the shop, if he met an obstruction no higher than his shoulders he would jump over it with the greatest ease.

A JEW ACCUSED OF BLASPHEMY.

The Charge which a Catholic Priest Called Upon to Bring Against Him.

Wolf Hirsch Rosenstrach, a Jew, of Newark, was tried in the Paterson, N. J., court of quarter sessions for blaspheming the name of Jesus Christ.

Gotfried Deuschle testified that on the second Tuesday in February the defendant blasphemed the name of Christ in his (Deuschle's) store in Main street, Newark. The witness described the blasphemy as a reflection on Christ's paternity. He said there was a voice within him that told him, as a good Catholic, he ought not to allow the name of Jesus Christ to be abused, and he would not stand by, as the Jews did of old, and hear Christ and his mother blasphemed. He thought it his duty to bring this irreverent Jew to punishment. He felt sure that, as of old, the Jews were persecuted for this, but even the fear of that was overcome by the voice within him calling upon him to do his duty. Rosenstrach had come into his store and asked the numbers of a sign going to church, and added, "Oh, that is all stupid work," following up that expression by saying that he would like to see the sign nailed up and burnt.

On cross-examination, Deuschle admitted that he was once convicted of murder in the old country, but added that he was innocent, and had been made to suffer for another man's crime. He had been in prison for some time before he came to this country.

Mrs. Deuschle corroborated the testimony of her husband, but on her cross-examination she admitted that she refused to give them credit for gentlemen's furnishing goods. She was shocked at the language used by Rosenstrach, but still she asked him for credit, and never imagining that her husband was going to make the charge he did.

Mrs. Deuschle testified that she did not hear the obnoxious language used at all. It was also complained that she had made unkind inquiries as to the wealth of the defendant. The defendant himself testified that he had such a great regard for Christ as a moral teacher, never would be imposed upon him to do the language used to him. He thought the accusation against him was untrue.

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If returned to represent you I purpose giving the government of Sir John A. Macdonald a liberal support, but while doing so I shall on all occasions consider the claims of my country before those of the party.

During the period (extending over ten years) I had the honor of representing the constituency of East Toronto, it was generally admitted my interest and those of the city at large did not suffer at my hands; and in the large I claim I left no stone unturned to promote the growth and improvement and the welfare of the citizens generally.

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