

The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24th, 1895.

LATER reports from the English election give the Salisbury government a larger majority than its sanguine friends hoped for or expected. The Tory victory has been sweeping and emphatic, showing a decided change in sentiment since the last election, all over the Kingdom. Everywhere the government candidates have gained seats, increased their former majorities, or reduced the liberal majorities. It is now estimated that the straight conservatives will have a clear majority over all parties, which would enable Salisbury to do without the assistance of his liberal union allies should he so wish. In the last parliament the Irish home rule members held the balance of power and the government was very largely at their mercy. In this one they will cut but a small figure, while the question of home rule itself has now, to a very large extent, become a dead issue.

Now that the conflict is over liberals are asking themselves the cause of their crushing defeat, and the result is being anxiously studied with the view of learning the lessons which it might teach. Their papers assign one principal cause for the result to the Salisbury government's leading liberal organ declares, floated into power on beer. The advanced taken by certain of the liberal leaders on the temperance question is set down as the chief cause of their overwhelming defeat. As we stated previously, Sir William Vernon Harcourt, the late leader of the liberal party in the House of Commons, made local option, or the right of each county to vote the liquor traffic, a prominent feature of the liberal policy, and it is attributed the crushing defeat which that party has sustained. This seems a queer theory to defeat a party for. The liberals, it seems, propose liquor traffic to suit themselves, and the people have declared with emphasis that they do not want the power. They have, so to speak, voted wants of confidence in themselves. The result is a clear and unmistakable indication that John Bull will have nothing to do with prohibition. He wants his beer and will have it. He has, therefore, served notice upon the politicians to let the liquor interest alone, a notice they will be very likely to obey for several years to come.

Some of the latter are married and have forty-four in all. Mrs. Buckler is therefore the mother of nine children, the grand-mother of seventy-seven, and great-grandmother of forty-four—the head of a family of one hundred and thirty-five persons. Mrs. B. was born in Ireland in 1812, and came to this country in 1815 with her father, John Buckler, a soldier in the British Army. He was a Scotch descent, and was a soldier in the Royal Artillery, but never saw any action. He lived to the ripe old age of 91 years and saw his great-grandchildren. The mother died comparatively young. A son of hers, James Aull, was a very active and efficient member of the police force in Halifax at one time in his life. His courage and ability were such that one of the city papers, some few years ago, gave a very interesting reminiscence in connection with him, that was published with some additions in the Monitor. In 1827 the subject of this article married John Buckler, who died in Oct. 1879, at the age of 77 years. He was also the descendant of an old soldier. Mrs. Buckler and her husband were among the oldest and most respected families who first took up lands in Dalhousie, and accumulated a nice property between them.

Mrs. Buckler has accomplished a vast amount of labor during her lifetime and though she has now attained the ripe old age of eighty-three, she retains a remarkable energy and the activity of her early life, and her intellect is certainly most remarkable.

It is worthy of note that in the new parliament and government are quite a number of men in whom the people of the dominion have an especial interest. Lord Lansdowne, who was Governor-General of Canada from '88 to '93, is a member of Lord Salisbury's Cabinet, as Secretary of State for War. He is a member of the House of Lords. The Marquis of Lorne, who was also our Governor-General from '78 to '83 was just elected to the House of Commons as a liberal unionist. Both these gentlemen were formerly liberals, but they left that party long ago. General Laurier, who represented Sherbrooke county in the Canadian parliament for several years, has also been elected as a conservative in one of the districts of Pembroke, York, and Frontenac. He has been returned without opposition from his Irish constituency of South Langford. Mr. Blake is the only one of those who will be in opposition. As an Irish home rule member he has opportunities an entire field of usefulness as much more limited than would otherwise be the case with a man of his great abilities, which doubtless accounts for the fact that he has not thus far gained any great degree of prominence since entering the field of public politics. All of these, however, are staunch friends of Canada, and although the occasion seldom arises now when we need to have friends at court, yet should such a time occur, we can rely upon the integrity of the liberal and the dominion and their good will towards our people, to see that all Canadian interests are carefully protected.

—If the last vote given in the Canadian parliament on the Manitoba school question is any indication of the sentiments of the members, the Catholics of Manitoba are likely to get everything they are asking for. It should have been a test vote, as the result was moved for the purpose of giving those opposed to remedial legislation a chance to place themselves on record. It expressed the opinion that the Canadian parliament was unwilling to grant separate schools to the Catholics of Manitoba, either at this or the next session, and after being discussed for several hours only two members could be found willing to stand up and vote for it. These were Mr. McCarthy, the mover of the resolution, and his follower, Colonel O'Brien. If there were other members who agreed with these gentlemen on that matter, they missed an opportunity of placing themselves on record on that occasion.

—Now that the strawberry season is over growers inform us that the result this year has been fairly satisfactory both as regards the yield and price. What these growers have been pretty low, they have averaged rather better than last season. The quantity grown now is simply enormous compared with that of a few years ago. Five hundred crates per day, or five hundred bushels, is not an unusually large quantity to be sent to Halifax from the various stations along the line. This shows how the consumption has increased during recent years. The dry spell is likely to shorten greatly the yield of other small fruits.

—Metropolitan Gossip: Those Irish farmers who are coming out to Canada to study the dairying industry will stand to do more for their country than the home rule agitators are likely to accomplish. There are better dividends in these factories than in wind mills.

—Farmers have had delightful weather for harvesting the upland hay crop. The yield, though somewhat lighter than the average, has been stored in excellent condition. Now for the markets.

Making Nova Scotia Known. The Commercial, an illustrated weekly journal of London, G. B., in its issue of July 10, contains an excellent photograph of Attorney-General Longley, and a lengthy interview on Canadian matters in general and Nova Scotia matters in particular. In the interview Mr. Longley takes special pains to impress the Commercial man with the value and importance of Nova Scotia, and the desirability of the provincial legislation which provides scope and opportunity for their development. The article is illustrated with pictures of Halifax, Wolfville and Grand Falls, and is signed by Mr. Longley, head of the Commercial, an "orchard in Nova Scotia."—Halifax Chronicle.

Golden Wedding Anniversary.

The 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Walker, which took place at their handsome residence on Tuesday afternoon and evening, was an event of marked social enjoyment, and will long be remembered by the many visitors who during the afternoon and evening, honored the aged couple by their presence and tendered their best congratulations.

The ladies having the affair in charge had made every possible preparation for the pleasure of guests, and to a hundred callers the afternoon brought a plentiful supply of refreshments and ice-cream were offered. One of the particularly pleasing surprises of the day was the arrival of four of the relatives of the bride and groom, one or more of whom they had not seen for upwards of thirty years.

They, tastefully prepared, was enjoyed by some forty-four relatives, who, after ample justice had been done the good things, returned to the parlor, where an evening made up of social intercourse, pleasant recollections of days gone by, music, and other amusements, was brought to a happy termination at a late hour, when the friends repaired to their homes, wishing every happiness to those whose extended lives had afforded them so much pleasure.

Miss Lucy Sewell, of Haverhill, Mass., a niece, presided at the organ in an accomplished manner, and was not at all sparing of her musical talent. Following we give a list of the many souvenirs received during the day, and the names of the donors.

At the Fountry they are selling barrel chutney at 75c to \$1.00, and 17c for those from the "Lionel" and "Daisy." Digby's waterworks are bearing copiously. Water is to be brought into town this week, and will be ready by the end of the month.

The Wimpsey Free Press, an old liberal journal, announced that it would be published daily at a future date to preserve its independence. The D. A. Railway will issue returns at a first-class fare, good for one week, to all who attend the camp meetings at Berwick, which commences Thursday, August 1st.

Rev. J. B. Hemmson, a well known Methodist supernumerary minister of the province, has been ill for some time, and it was feared necessary the other day to amputate his leg. The Johnson-Simley Company are to have their building on the corner of the street. The guttering press notices and the large guarantee given this company are strong evidence of their ability to give a first-class entertainment.

Large numbers of tourists are now daily passing over the D. A. R. The Prince Arthur has again gone to the north between John and Digby with temporary engines, making two trips a day, and is enjoying a good patronage. Robt. L. Dittmar, Esq. of St. Chas. Ditmars of Clementsport, formed a company some time ago and has been very successful in the sale of John S. Gibben & Co., Boston, Mass. Mr. Dittmar is now doing a large business on the Victoria Avenue and it is interesting each day.

Coal.—We direct the attention of the public to the coal advertisement of Nelly & Kinney. They have large quantities of all kinds now in store, and respectfully solicit the patronage of the inhabitants of Bridgetown and all residents along the line of the D. A. Railway.

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Local and Special News.

For the past few days the leading papers of the United States and Canada have been filled with comprehensive reports of the doings of the great gathering of Christian Endeavorers at Boston. The assemblage, representing nearly every part of the christianized world, numbered between fifty and sixty thousand, and at the last outdoor meeting, held on Boston Common, an audience of one hundred thousand people was present. The vast amount of evangelistic work accomplished by the Christian Endeavor Society is truly wonderful, and its rapid growth gives unquestionable testimony that it has taken a strong hold upon the civilized world.

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That in the interests of the Christian Endeavor work in Canada, it is resolved that a Dominion Evangelists' committee be formed, consisting of representatives from every provincial union. That in view of this meeting approval of these recommendations, representatives be at once named by the members, which shall constitute the Dominion Evangelists' committee, charged with the duty of bringing the matter with the various provincial executives into closer connection with their respective approval. Such committee to consist of the presidents of the provincial unions, with one other from each province, to be appointed.

In accordance with this resolution, the following were appointed:—The Rev. M. Hill, and the Rev. A. M. Phillips, Montreal; the Rev. J. S. Sonning, Toronto; the Rev. J. R. Debono, Montreal; the Rev. Thos. M. Kelly, St. John's, N. B.; the Rev. J. S. Smith, of Halifax; and the Rev. J. A. Dickson, of Galt, and Mr. Thomas J. Foster, of St. John's, N. B. One motion was passed, though not without considerable debate, of sympathy with the Dominion Evangelists' committee, and a resolution that a meeting be held in Toronto, to be held on the 15th of August. A resolution that occasioned much surprise to Bostonians, was the recommendation of the Dominion Evangelists' committee to refrain from using the street cars on Sunday. This was carried unanimously.

The Junior rally on Saturday afternoon was a grand success. The seniors were invited to a visit to the Junior Union, and the platform, and thousands of children sat in their places. At the close Mr. Clark was called the platform and long cheered. Perhaps the keynote of the whole convention was struck by the Rev. J. A. W. Stuckey, of Canada, in his address, "The Marked Sign of the Times," he said, "The most prominent feature of the times is the increasing number of converts to Christianity. The important question was not what man believed or did, but what he was. It was a man's theory and theory, and ideas made men, but a deeper truth was that a man's character. Environment does not make a man. A man makes his environment. Faith in Christ makes a man with a will, and will, but on the other hand, unless a man was willing to obey Christ in everything, he could never believe. His testimony was simply to be Christ-like. Through all the din of the world's machinery we look for the man who gives us the light. The great spiritual power in the world was called the light of the world, and it is the ally, and all residents along the line of the D. A. Railway.

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The closing concertation meeting in the hall of the Christian Endeavorers was given not only from the United States and Canada, but from Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand, and other parts of the world. A platform organ, and the United States and Canada were invited to put down the persecution in Armenia was passed with a large audience stood on their feet and sang hymns in honor of the Lord. The closing moments were most impressive, as that large audience stood on their feet and sang hymns in honor of the Lord. The closing moments were most impressive, as that large audience stood on their feet and sang hymns in honor of the Lord.

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