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The Daily Tribune.

J. L. STEWART,....., EDITOR.

TUESDAY EVENING, FEB. 9.

The Ministry Responsible.

A good deal of nonsense has been uttered, and continues to be uttered, on the subject of responsibility for the commutation of the Lepine sentence. The case is too simple for argument. The King can do no wrong, as the Executive of the nation, and why? Simply because he can do nothing without the co-operation of a Minister, and that Minister is held responsible for the act he enables the King to perform. The same rule holds good as respects the Governor General in his relation to the Parliament of Canada. He can do no wrong—can be held responsible for nothing he may do—can do nothing without the co-operation of a Minister who is directly responsible to Parliament. What does His Excellency say? "I have directed my Minister of Justice to give effect to my decision" The co-operation of the Minister of Justice was necessary to render the Governor General's decision effective, and if the Ministry had been opposed to the commutation—had not been willing to become responsible for it—they could have declined to have given effect to the decree, resigning if necessary. Then, as they represent the majority in Parliament, no others could have been found to take their portfolios and carry on the affairs of State, and the Governor General would have been forced to recall them and withdraw his mandate. If Ministers could have been found to take office and enforce His Excellency's will, they would have been ignominiously voted down, perhaps impeached by Parliament. The Ministers are just as much responsible, constitutionally, for assenting to His Excellency's decree, and taking the necessary steps for making it legal, as if they had initiated and advised that decree, and the chicanery they resort to for the purpose of proving that Responsible Government does not exist in Canada is most contemptible.

Salary Grabbing Reform.

It is stated by an Ottawa despatch that a fresh salary-grabbing scheme has been concocted by this Government. Having helped their friends liberally out of the public treasury, the model Ministers have decided to help themselves. The Premier, the economical Mackenzie, wants $12,000 a year, and such men as Mr. Isaac Burpee value their services at $10,000. This will still further open the eyes of the people to the fact that plunder, not the public good, was the motive that impelled the men who resorted to villainous practices to get into power. Ben. Butler and his followers have distinguished themselves at Washington by using the power entrusted to them by the people for robbing the treasury, and the self-proclaimed promoters of purity and economy at Ottawa are following in his footsteps. All that is necessary, in order that they may attain to the same depth of official degradation, is for them to incorporate a back-pay clause in this measure.

In Bad Odor.

United States legislators are in very bad odor generally. A man may not lose his character in gaining a seat in Congress, but his reputation is in danger. The fact that a man has held a seat in that body or a State Legislature for any length of time is generally held to be *prima facie* evidence of his dishonesty—evidence enough to hold him for trial on any unsupported charges that may be made against him. "There's where they do the stealing" is what hackmen say as they point out the halls of legislation to sight-seeking tourists, and the remark passes without protest. And now here is what the Washington correspondent of the N. Y. *Journal of Commerce*, a purely commercial paper, telegraphs:

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The supplementary Civil Rights bill is still not quite sure to pass. Many Republicans oppose the school, church and cemetery clauses. Others are anxious to reach their local bills. So that it may be laid aside for a time, and never voted on. The President is likely to veto it if these clauses are not struck out. In any event, it is regarded by some observers as unlikely to pass unless the Republican leaders think that by enforcing it they can provoke something approaching a new civil war, and thus draw attention off from the duty of investigating their misgovernment.

There are rumors of a large corruption fund to carry recognition of Cuba. This is hardly credible, unless it may be connected with Administration schemes for a war with Spain.

Is this not as suggestive as the hackmen's description? The governing party charged with a wish to provoke civil war for the purpose of keeping itself in power, and the rumor of a Cuban corruption fund explained by reference to Administration schemes for precipitating a foreign war. It is not necessary that there should be any truth in either supposition. The mere fact that the correspondent of a commercial journal of high standing should have sent such a despatch, and that it should have been published in such a journal, show that either supposition is considered to be within the bounds of probability. There must be a very bad odor around the halls of legislation when such opinions of its character—of its possibilities of badness—are so generally entertained.

Last week, a Frenchman working in the shaft of Hoosac tunnel, lost his balance, and, falling about 20 feet, brought up on a platform, so near the edge that his legs swung off. Being asked why he didn't continue his downward journey, a distance of more than 800 feet, he laconically replied, "I had no light."

A Catholic Jubilee.

Oh, it must be now that the Kingdom's comin',
In the year of Jubilo!

An "Encyclical letter of our Most Holy Lord, Pius IX. by Divine Providence Pope, to all the Patriarchs, Primates, Archbishops and Bishops and to all Ordinaries of places, in grace and communion with the Holy See and to all the faithful of Jesus Christ," proclaims the year 1875 a Jubilee year, the second that has been observed as such in this century. After reciting the causes that postponed the celebration from 1850 until now "our most Holy Lord" says:

Let, then, the entire militant Church of Christ hear the words in which, with a view to her own exaltation, the satisfaction of the Christian world and the glory of God, we decree, announce and promulgate the great and general Jubilee for the whole coming year 1875, and by reason of this Jubilee, of our own free will and that of the Holy See, we suspend and declare suspended the Indulgence, granted in the form of a Jubilee on the occasion of the Council of the Vatican, and we open wide the celestial treasury formed of the merits and sufferings, and the virtues of our Lord Jesus Christ, of the Virgin, His mother, and of all the saints, which the Author of the salvation of men has confided to our stewardship.

Therefore, confiding in the mercy of God and in the authority of his Apostles, the blessed Peter and Paul, and in virtue of the supreme power of binding and losing, which God has entrusted to us, notwithstanding our unworthiness, we concede and grant once, during the above named year the Plenary Indulgence of the Jubilee year, with the remission and pardon of all their sins, to all the faithful of Jesus Christ and to each of them individually whether inhabiting our Mother city, or who come there, or who may reside beyond its walls in whatever part of the world, and who live in the grace and obedience of this Holy See, providing that, being truly penitent, they confess their sins and fortify themselves by receiving Holy Communion, and on condition that those residing in our city visit devoutly at least once a day during fifteen days either consecutive or non-consecutive, either natural or ecclesiastical days, that is from the first vespers of one day to the twilight of the following, basilicas of St. Peter, St. Paul, St. John of Lateran and St. Mary Maglore; and those living out of Rome shall in the same way, during fifteen days either consecutive or at intervals, visit the cathedral, or major church of their own city, and three other churches of the same town or place or neighborhood, which shall be designated by the Ordinaries of those places or by their vicars or other representatives as soon as our letters reach their knowledge, and that there they shall piously pray for the prosperity and exaltation of the Catholic Church and of the Apostolic chair, for the extirpation of heresies and the conversion of all sinners, for the peace and unity of all Christian people, according to our intentions. We also permit that this indulgence may be applied by way of suffrage to those souls which, united to God in charity, have left this life, and that it may be available for them.

Bores.

There is probably no one who could not tell you volumes of experiences and sufferings from the persistency of bores, although every one's idea of them varies. The man who replied, when asked what a bore was, "A fellow who talks about himself when you want to talk about yourself," made the most comprehensive classification of the kind yet imagined, and they all, with slight variations, come under this heading, for if they do not talk about themselves it is about some hobby of their own that they hold forth. There is the he talks with a smile." I never meet one scientific bore, "On man and his functions, of these that I do not remember the snub administered to a person of this description by one of the most prominent and wittiest of New York diners out. The bore having button-holed him was pouring forth his theories, and ended with the assertion that the oyster was the equal of a man. "I hold," said Mr. ——, "that it is the superior, for an *oyster sometimes* shuts up," with which extinguisher he gently disengaged himself from the clutches of his adversary.—*N. Y. Mail.*

CURRENT COIN.

Mr. James Paton, who with his wife, has been attending the Training School in Fredericton, died very suddenly on Friday morning about three o'clock, of heart disease.

Boston harbor is so clogged up with ice nowadays that one of the papers finds it necessary to say that it is still open for navigation. Most of the docks are frozen up as tight as a drum, and even outside of the Boston light there are vast fields of floating ice very troublesome to vessels. St. John harbor is clear.

Dialogue between two bachelor gourmands: "My dear fellow, I've just engaged a cook, a woman of marvellous talent." "Is she married?" "No, and for that reason I am afraid I shall lose her." "Oh, then, you must not hesitate." "What must I do?" "I beseech you—marry her!"

The election of a lady as a member of a board of bank directors in the last instance of concession to woman's rights. At the recent annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Peoria, Illinois, the name of Mrs. Lydia Bradley was placed at the head of the newly elected board of directors. Mrs. Bradley is a wealthy widow of that city, and one of the chief stockholders in the bank.

The Turkish Government has ordered five hundred pieces of artillery to be manufactured by Krupp of Essence at a cost of a million sterling. The largest, which is fourteen inches in diameter, and cost £25,000, has been presented by Herr Krupp to the Sultan, and the latter has in return conferred upon him the Order of the Medjidie of the second class. This and the other larger guns are to be used in the forts on the Bosphorous on the side of the Black Sea.

The *Farmer* gives the following as the cost of the Silsby engine:

To cash paid Manufacturers....	$4,624
" One City Hall,.....	25,000
" Repairs experimenting, &c., say.....	100
" Loss of time, two hundred men watching the machine work, say two days each at $1.50 a day.....	600
Total cost of Engine,	$30,329
On the other side we have—	
By insurance on City Hall,	$8,000.
" Commissions (unknown)	

The account cannot be balanced with out further information.

It further suggests that when the Amoskeag engine be repaired "it be drawn through the City with four horses and attended by a band of music, so that our townspeople may feel safe once more in going to bed at night."

LOCALS.

For advertisements of WANTED, LOST, FOUND, FOR SALE, REMOVED, or TO LET, see Auction column.

New Advertisements.

Advertisers must send in their favors before 12 o'clock, noon, in order to insure their appearance in this list.

Amusements—
Gibbs' Zoological Exhibition— Dan Ducello
For Sale (Second Page)— Besnard & Co
To Let do do
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Clouds— W W Jordan
Cottons— Likely, Cameron & Golding
AUCTIONS.
Bankrupt Stock— E H Lester

TO LET.—Persons having houses to let or property for sale, or those wishing to secure dwellings should advertise in the DAILY TRIBUNE Special rates made to those wishing to advertise by the week or month. (tf)

Brevities.

Ther.—at noon—14° above zero.

Any person having a copy of the DAILY TRIBUNE of Sept. 8th, 1874, will confer a great favor by sending it to this office, and will be amply repaid for his trouble. tf

"Rev."—We must decline your communication. We can readily understand why you could not have *felt well* when put off the ice, but can't see that the keeper was to blame. You should have bought a ticket or stayed away.

The weather man of the *Telegraph* has discovered that the storm drum was up 6 hours and 30 minutes before the storm come yesterday, and prophesies for it a long career of usefulness.

The Western train was four hours late last evening. The delay was chiefly on this end of the road, it taking about two hours to come from Fairville to Carleton.

The Y. M. C. A. social, this evening, promises to be a very pleasant affair. It will be held in the large hall, and several ladies and gentlemen have volunteered to assist in the entertainment.

Fellows' Hypophosphites makes an old person look ten years younger. "This witness is true." Would that I could more widely make it known for its many virtues. Long may its inventor live to see the happy fruits of his invention. ALEXANDER CLARK, D. D., Amherst, N. S.

OYSTERS.—We would advise the readers of THE TRIBUNE, especially those who are fond of oysters, to call on George Sparrow, at the head of King street, and try those splendid oysters which he has on sale. They are certainly the finest oysters in the city, and we think the only place where you get Shediac or Prince Edward Island oysters in St. John.

Close of the Theatrical Season.

The Theatre closed last evening, the experiment of a winter theatrical season having utterly failed. Mr. Grey did not have so good a house as his deserts merited,—partly owing to the weather, partly owing to the bill. Mr. Warner, as Capt. Copp, was in an entirely new *role*, and impersonated the bluff old sailor-landlord with great gusto, bringing down the house frequently. The burlesque contained many local hits, some of which should not have been permitted by the management, at which there was hearty laughter, and the dancing of Harry Leslie was excellent. Miss Chippendale, who looked very pretty as Pekoe, sang a song with great sweetness of tone, and was recalled by the delighted audience. Miss Chambers never appeared more charming, and displayed much talent for burlesque. Mr. Grey was applauded many times, but "still was not happy" on account of the smallness of the house.

A cold in the head is, perhaps, one of the most common and at the same time disagreeable complaints of the day, as no one, however careful they may be, can escape its effects in this our changing climate; but by a moderate use of Rader's German Snuff a clear head and a free respiration is the invariable result.

The Skating Tournament.

Notwithstanding the cold weather there were about 400 people at the Rink last evening to witness the skating contest. The band was in attendance, and during the evening played a number of pieces. Messrs. Barclay Boyd, S. E. Gerow, and W. H. Stanley were the judges. The competitors were John Cummins, W. Hartt, L. Watters, G. B. Hegan, Geo. Jones, and T. Hartt. The ice was in fair condition, but a little crispy for the execution of the more difficult figures. The competitors executed twenty-one figures, and were then allowed to perform specialties. The judges awarded the first prize to John Cummins, the winner of last year; the second to T. Hartt; the third to W. Hartt; and the fourth to L. Watters. The winners were not given their prizes at the close of the contest, and those who know that the winners of the Carnival prize have not even been notified of the award, are wondering when the money will be handed over.

Messrs. E. F. Greany & Co.'s establishment, 25 King street, is the centre of attraction for boot and shoe purchasers. Their great clearance sale of boots, shoes, rubbers and overshoes, damaged at the late fire, makes trade lively with them. We advise our readers to call on them. jan27 2w

Merchants' Exchange.

New York, Feb. 9, 1875.

Freights—Berth dull, but limited amount of room offering, rates sustained, though nominal for most commodities; vessels for charter met with limited demand from grain and petroleum trades; rates easier, but not lower.

Gold opened at 114¼; now 114⅜.

Wind N. W., fresh, clear. Ther. 2°.

Boston, Feb. 9.

Wind W., light, clear. Ther. 7°.

Portland, Feb. 9.

Wind N., light, cloudy. Ther. 6°.

London, Feb. 9.

Consols 92⅜ a 92¾ money; 92¾ a 92⅞ account.

Liverpool, Feb. 9.

Cotton easier but not lower; Corn 35s 9d a 36s; Breadstuffs dull

Portland Police Court.

Wm. Peacock, for drunkenness in Sheriff st., was fined $4.

City Police Court.

The room was crowded this morning, the great excitement being the Royal Hotel robbery trial. Besides this there were cases on the sheet, the disposal of which occupied four minutes, three and one-third seconds.

Daniel Tade, Teed, or Todd, as the same man has had his name written on the sheet, was in for protection. He was charged also with vagrancy, and confessed to the charge. Six months in the penitentiary fixed him.

John Thomas and Arthur Bryden, arrested drunk in Charlotte st., were fined $4 each

The Clarke-Peters case, for abusive language, was adjourned until to-morrow.

Then the great case came up, and Mullin, Cassely, Furness, Donnelly, O'Doherty, Donovan, and Hatfield were arraigned on the charge of stealing $50 from the till of the Royal Hotel. They all pleaded not guilty. It is seldom that such an array of legal talent is seen sitting round the Clerk's table. It was immense in quantity. F. A. Morrison appeared for the prosecution; John Kerr for Mullin, Cassely and Furness; C. A. Stockton, for Donnelly; G. R. Pugsley for O'Doherty, and Donovan; and R. C. Skinner for Hatfield. The first objection was made by Mr. Stockton, who inquired whether all the prisoners would be examined together, or whether they should be examined separately. Mr. Pugsley made the same inquiry. The Magistrate said they would all be examined at once. David Boyle was the first witness. He is night porter at the hotel. According to his evidence the hotel door was closed at 11.30 p. m. and, after answering a bell, he came down stairs and saw the crowd in the office. The witness was asked to identify the persons he saw in the bar room, and he pointed out all but O'Doherty and Donnelly. The counsel for the prosecution wanted him to identify the two others, but Mr. Pugsley objected, as one of his clients had not been pointed out. Mr. Stockton also objected, and a lively "tiff" ensued between the counsel. Oil was poured on the troubled waters, and the examination went on. The witness stated that the crowd went into the bar, and commenced, after a little, having a "fight in fun." Mr. Pugsley wanted to know what a "fight in fun" was, and the witness said they had their coats off and were rolling and tumbling over the floor, kicking and striking each other. This description of a funny fight convulsed the court. He proceeded to say that they were worked out of the bar room, through the wash room, and out of the door. The examination was finished, and the question arose —"Who shall cross-examine?" Mr. Morrison thought that one of the counsel for the defendants might do it. The quartette consulted a minute, and then Mr. Kerr arose to cross-examine. He wore an Ulster gown. Apologizing for commencing the examination, as he was junior counsel, he proceeded. Under a pointed examination the witness shook in his statements. He said that the outside door was fastened at eleven, and was afterwards opened to let Furness and some one else in; when asked why he did not say before that Furness was let in fifteen minutes before, he said he was not asked. He also said that Furness and his friend went out before the rest of the party. There was another identification, and the witness walked round and touched five of the prisoners gently on the shoulder. The lawyers would only be content with *identification by touch*, pointing out was of no use. The prisoners smiled audibly as the fingers of the porter touched their shoulders. Mr. Pugsley asked one question and had another identification. By Mr. Stockton's examination it was proved that the bar was open for the accommodation of customers. Mr. Skinner closed the cross-examination. His questions first were directed to prove that it was no unusual thing for a crowd to go in. The witness said he was in and out of the bar room several times, and that it was after one o'clock when the crowd left. The lights were turned down once, and again lighted when a drink was called for. "You are a man of ordinary intelligence," said Mr. Skinner. "That's for the court to decide," said Mr. Morrison, "we are not trying out the question of the stupidity of the witness." "He seems of ordinary intelligence," said the Magistrate. "Then," asked Mr. Skinner, "how many of the seven men in the bar room were fighting?" The witness could not say. "Very ordinary intelligence," remarked some one. The witness swore that the crowd were in the bar room in the dark fifteen minutes. On this point the counsel examined the witness severely. He could give account of one minute, but could not tell much about the other fourteen. The witness at the close positively swore that two of the crowd went in first, three afterwards, and he could not tell how two others got in. The re-direct examination was commenced by Mr. Morrison. His first question was "Did all after they went into the bar act together?" The counsel for the defence objected, Mr. Skinner being particularly emphatic, and insisting that it was for the court to decide whether they were acting together or not. "I know that as well as you," said Mr. Morrison. "I know you do," was the reply. "And why do you ask such a question?" "I know what I'm doing," was the curt response. The Magistrate decided Mr. Skinner's objection well taken. There were no new facts elicited, but some little amusement was furnished by the "spats" of the counsel. The re-cross examination by Mr. Pugsley proved that, from the position of the witness on the stairs, he could see every one who entered the front door.

At this point Mr. Morrison asked that the examination might be adjourned, as he wished to go to Fredericton. The counsel for the defendants all consented on condition that the prisoners should be released on bail. "Any bail would hardly be refused after that testimony," said one legal gentleman. "The more important witnesses are yet to be examined, and it will take some time; if the counsel insist, I will not go to Fredericton, but see the case through," was the answer of Mr. Morrison. Then two or three of the legal gentlemen asked for the release of their clients. Mr. Stockton and Mr. Pugsley both insisted that the witness had not identified their clients. "We'll make the identification all right before the case is over," said Morrison. "Mr. Morrison," said the Magistrate, "you're counsel for the prosecution; do you recommend bail." "Certainly, your Honor," was the reply. The case was then adjourned until Saturday at ten o'clock. All the prisoners were admitted to bail. The most amusing thing during the forenoon was the Magistrate's binding the witness to appear and give evidence at the County Court, if he should be required, (and the Magistrate laid special emphasis on the last few words, for fear that it might appear like prejudging the case). While the Magistrate repeated the words which bound him to appear as a witness for the Queen (in case an indictment should be preferred) the witness looked amazed, but when $400 was mentioned as the amount of recognizance, the witness was dumbfounded, and there was a look on his face as much as to say, "Must I pay the money!" His surprise was greater when, after listening to the long formula of words, he was told to depart.

Reader! Do you desire SOUND TEETH of PEARL-LIKE WHITENESS, and HARD, HEALTHY GUMS?—Use "ENAMELLINE." For sale at the Drug Stores.

Shipping Notes.

The brig Ethel Bolton, Swain, master, at Portland on the 4th inst., from Pernambuco *via* New York, while being towed up to Portland ran foul of the schooner Gladiator, staving the latter's boat.

The steamer Canadian, Miller, master, at Baltimore 4th inst., from Liverpool and Halifax, ran ashore at the mouth of Craighill Channel during a fog on the night of the 3d inst. It is thought probable that she sustained little if any damage.

Missing Vessels.—The bark Olive Mount, Jordan master, which sailed from Norfolk, Va., for Liverpool, on the 10th Dec., and was spoken on the 4th Jan., in lat. 50 40, lon. 18.12, (about 500 miles off Cape Clear) has not since been heard of. Fears are entertained for her safety. She is partly owned by J. G. Jordan, Esq., of this city.

The schooner Truant, which sailed from London on the 1st October, for this port, was off Deal on the 2nd, and which put into Dartmouth for shelter, sailing again on the 29th, has not since been heard of. She is now 103 days out from the latest port. It is feared she has foundered with all hands.

Steamers.—The R. M. S. Polynesian, from Liverpool, arrived at Portland yesterday. The Peruvian, from Portland, arrived at Moville same day.

Point Lepreaux, Feby. 9, 9 *a. m.*—Wind N. W., strong, clear.

Quick Passage.—The bark Abbie B., Coffill master, built by Mr. J. E. Woodworth at Kinsport, N. S., has just made the run from New York to Havre in the very short space of 16 days.

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