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GLADSTONE AND BLAKE.

Now that Mr. Gladstone has secured a majority and has relegated Lord Salisbury to the shades of opposition, the cry is heard that the grand old man is getting very feeble and has not that grasp of public affairs that the premier of Britain should have. This statement appears rather weak, especially with respect to a man who has just won such a magnificent victory, magnificent when it is taken into consideration the odds against which he had to fight.

He will form a government and then a long prorogation will follow, during which time he will be able to mature his home rule scheme. He has said that he had the scheme so drafted that a few minutes would be all the time required to put it in shape for presentation to the house, but it must be remembered that it was formed before the election took place, when Mr. Gladstone and his friends expected a large majority. It is conceded on all sides that the Irish representatives hold the balance of power and they will have much to say as to what form the home rule bill will take. They will pledge themselves to nothing till this question is settled to their satisfaction. Mr. Blake is steadily gaining ground in the affections of his constituents and will have much to say as to what form the home rule bill will take. They will pledge themselves to nothing till this question is settled to their satisfaction.

It appears to be the sole hope of the Tory leaders that Gladstone's health will fail during the recess so that he will not be able to take his seat at the opening of the house. Since Blake has joined him and has done much to cement the various factions of the Irish party, this hope has grown all the more intense. Gladstone, though old, is still in good health, and bids fair to live for several years at least; but should he be unable to finish his work Mr. Blake has all the ability and eloquence necessary to carry out the wishes of his chieftain.

PRESIDENTIAL CONTEST.

The two great parties in the United States are waiting the return of their leaders from abroad and before the presidential battle opens. It is plainly apparent that the fight will be on the lines of protection and anti-protection. Cleveland will receive a large vote from those who show sympathy for the Home-Steal and other strikes, while Harrison will likely receive a stronger support from capitalists than he would have received had not these strikes taken place. It would appear that Cleveland has the fight all his own way for the working-men, the great majority of whom are not in favor of protection. Were they to hold together, to be true to themselves, protection and the republicans would go down together, but they have never been known to do so. Religious cries will tend to break the ranks, and money will be a great factor in helping Harrison to a victory.

WHAT IS IT?

The welcome home given to Mr. Blair by the citizens of this native city and county was all that the most ardent of his friends desired. It was a hearty response by the people to show their appreciation of his dealings towards them. The Sun correspondent, Mr. McCready, gave a correct statement of the reception, but a correspondent, who signs himself M. Walker, gives a different version of the affair. The Sun would be wise to scan closely the character of its occasional correspondents from this city. The letter published in Friday's issue of the Sun from M. Walker would not find space even in the most despicable of provincial papers. Had the Sun known its correspondent as thoroughly as he is known here the communication would not have appeared, even as it is it is coupled with an editorial that cannot be very pleasing to the writer. As a good example of superabundant gull, coupled with gross ignorance and a tendency to overstate the brain, we would recommend M. Walker to the consideration of the world's fair commission. Had he been known to exist when the late circus was in town the United States would have been enriched by a curiosity that would have distanced the "what is it?"

MINISTER HAGGART

has been making a flying trip over the government railways for the purposes of inspection, it is claimed. The rate of speed at which he travelled and the section he observed at stations, gave him very small opportunities of seeing the roads or hearing the grievances of the people. It may not have been intended as a farce but it appears very much like it. The P. E. Island Patriot says, "He seemed to wish to avoid everybody." He visited St. John but very little is said about his doings there. If he had interviews with any of the citizens the subjects discussed have been kept strictly private. Whether his visit will prove of any benefit to the patrons of the road will be learned later, but as at present there appears to be very little method in his madness.

TO-DAY

the prohibition commission began its labors in this city to be continued on Monday. They received a large amount of evidence at St. John but nothing more than has long been known to all. The question of whether prohibition can be carried out so as to totally prevent the importation and sale of intoxicants is, from the information gathered by the commission, so far from a solution, ever. Testimonies are very conflicting and it is not very plain how the principles of temperance will be benefited by the present inquiry.

THE ST. JOHN SUN

in an editorial recent the reception to premier Blair and his dealings with the Maritime bank case, strikes the nail on the head when it says: "As the legal guardian of the interests of the province, it was his duty to present the case of New Brunswick in the strongest possible light." His winning the case shows that he did so.

MONCTON MURDER.

Assassin of Officer Steadman sent to Dorchester.

The preliminary examination of Robt. Olsen, better known as "Buck," on a charge of murdering Joseph E. Steadman, was concluded before the coroner at Moncton, Saturday morning. The prisoner pleaded "not guilty," and the stipendiary committed him for trial at Dorchester, where he was taken Saturday afternoon by Marshal Foster.

Before his departure from the police station, "Buck" joked with those around, saying he might not see them again. The latest concerning "Jim" whereabouts is that he was seen at the lower end of Albert county and has hired as a sailor on a ship lying at Grindstone Island. It is possible the officers will go down and investigate the report. People in the vicinity of Moncton are on the alert for a suspect. A man named Dobson, who works in the Moncton sugar refinery walked to the Scotch Settlement Saturday evening. On the road out he was taken for "Jim" and held up at the point where two shot guns in the hands of a farmer and his son. After satisfactory explanations Dobson was allowed to go.

A report was received here that Jim and a "pal" had been seen on the Salisbury-Frederickton road and that it was thought he was going to Fredericton, where he might get across to Maine. On Saturday the police were on the alert and two suspicious characters were seen on York street by members of the force. The suspects got out of sight and the police failed to trace them. One of the men, seen here, resembled very much the man who assaulted the police at Victoria Mills last year. A very careful search is being kept and it will be almost impossible for "Jim" to come here and remain a free man. Officers Roberts and Phillips, having got notification that there were suspicious characters lurking in the vicinity of Victoria Mills on Wednesday afternoon, gave that district a search, but failed to find any one who resembled "Jim" in any respect. It is now believed that the man who is wanted has got on board a sailing ship and escaped.

BOIESTOWN.

August 12.—The weather of late has been very uncertain much to the annoyance of the farmers who have not finished haying. The Oneida Medicine Company which have been here since the 6th are still drawing a full house. They are to remain over Sunday. A great deal of their medicine has been sold since the Miramichi. Harold, aged ten, son of Dr. Fry of the Indian Medicine Company, had his arm broken while playing in Richard's mill on Tuesday. He had got his arm in some way caught in the machinery on the second floor. It was a very narrow escape for him, but he little knew here it very bravely. He was removed to Fredericton to be attended by Dr. Coburn.

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HAMMONDVILLE.

August 11.—The storm of Wednesday night was especially heavy in Kingsclear, smashing three of the telegraph poles near E. S. Hammond's. No buildings were injured.

The team of D. P. Goodine, Myhrall settlement, ran away when hooked to a mowing machine, Tuesday. The machine struck a knoll when the pole dropped. The cutter bar flew up on the back of one of the horses cutting several holes. Young Goodine, who was driving, was thrown off and hurt pretty badly. Although one of the horses was cut in twenty places, yet no serious injury was done. Joseph Kitchen is ill; it is thought to be consumption. Capt. Hammond is convalescent. W. D. Munnell, son of lieutenant Mannell, has gone up on the Queensbury side of the river, on estate of the Wm. Long, to cut the hay in company with G. Im Hammond.

The village blacksmith purpose moving to the property purchased from Mr. Goodine in a short time. Elmwood has had quite a number of visitors during the past fortnight. Passengers are finding better accommodation at McNally's ferry, perhaps owing to the slight criticism of THE HERALD correspondent. Dr. Geo. McNally, son of coun. McNally, has returned from McGill and paid the inhabitants of Kingsclear a visit a few evenings since. The Misses Tompkins are expected from Florenceville to pay a few weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. McEwin. Joseph Myhrall has a fine pair of fat cattle which he expects to put on the market at an early date. It is rumored that King Isaac is lying in ambush with a seven shooter waiting for stage driver Phillips. The potato crop looks fair to be small, while the oat crop looks to be heavy yield. Rev. Mr. LePage preached his first sermon here on Sunday last to a large and appreciative congregation. Geo. A. Hammond and Gilbert Burgoine, the merchants of this village, are doing a rushing business. The town party to be taken place at the Miss Moffatt's on Wednesday last, was postponed on account of the ill health of one of the members of the family, who is now recovering under the skillful treatment of Dr. J. C. Mott.

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AROUND THE WORLD.

The Week's Events in Brief—The Ocean of our Exchanges.

The Homestead trouble has subsided and the men have returned to work. Judge J. C. Norale of the United States criminal court, committed suicide Tuesday morning, by taking poison. Dairy Commissioner Robertson has received a most satisfactory report from the New Brunswick dairy station. The death is announced of Sir Daniel Wilson, President of Toronto university at the age of seventy-six years. On Thursday morning the St. John Gazette office, with plant, was destroyed by fire. Covered by insurance. The summer residence of the late T. W. Daniel, known as Rockwood and situated about two miles out of St. John, was burned to the ground Tuesday night. Mr. Robert McLaughlin, who was for nearly forty years a letter carrier in St. John, and until quite recently was superintendent of city letter carriers, died on Sunday.

At a special meeting of the Joggins Coal Mining Association it was decided, by a large majority of stockholders, to sell the entire property for \$100,000 to New York. J. M. McLean, M. P. for East York, Ontario, and proprietor of the Toronto World has been arrested and taken to Goderich on a charge of criminal conspiracy. U. S. Consul, Ryder, under arrest at Copenhagen, charged with misappropriating two hundred thousand Kroner, has confessed himself guilty of embezzlement and forgery. Miss Belle McKensie, 22, stenographer, fell five stories down an elevator well in the Exchange building, on Saturday morning, Boston Wednesday morning, and was instantly killed. Charles M. Howe, real estate dealer of Buffalo, has taken up his abode in Canada, leaving many unpaid. Judgments against him are mortgages filed against his property for \$50,000. Sir Richard Cartwright made a narrow escape from drowning at Kingston on Saturday. A squall capsized his skiff. Major Drury and Capt. Gaudet of A battery affected the rescue.

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