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The Daily Gleaner

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1902

ST. JOHN BONDS.

The people of St. John are congratulating themselves on having sold, at a price above par, one hundred and twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars worth of three and a half per cent. bonds to run for forty years. These bonds have all been taken up by persons residing in St. John, the prices offered by the local tenderers being much higher than those offered by outside parties. There were some bids from Toronto, Montreal and New York for the whole issue, but none of them offered as high as par. One of the outside offers from Toronto was a shade above ninety, and another was ninety-two and a half. We congratulate the people of St. John on the high price which their bonds are bringing, but this is in part accounted for by the fact that they are non-assessable in the City and County of St. John. These bonds, which bring three and a half per cent. interest, are really as good as five per cent. bonds which are subject to assessment, for according to the existing assessment law the assessment on bonds annually would be about one and a half per cent. All the St. John city bonds are non-assessable, and this is also the case with the bonds of the City of Fredericton. This subject came up for discussion in the Legislature last session when an attempt was made to authorize an issue of bonds for the County of St. John, which would also be non-assessable. This provision was objected to by the Attorney General, who pointed out that by permitting municipal bonds to be non-assessable the bonds of the Province were being discriminated against, so that they could not be sold on as favorable terms as city bonds. Probably it will be held at some future period that the assessment of all kinds of personal property is a mistake, and then the market will be free, and all kinds of bonds will be placed upon the same footing. In the case of St. John, one effect of the assessment law has been to make city bonds a favorite security, and to divert money to their purchase which perhaps might be used to better advantage in industries or in business. When we see industries which properly belong to St. John making their headquarters at Rothesay to escape city taxation, it is evident that there is something the matter with the assessment law which ought to be corrected.

THE BRITISH TAX ON GRAIN.

The prospect of a speedy end to the war in South Africa is causing a pressure on the British Government to repeal the duties on wheat and flour when peace is proclaimed. The London Times opposes this movement, and urges the Government to retain these taxes. The decision of the Government in regard to this matter will be awaited with interest and their own fate may depend upon it. We do not believe that the British people will consent to the imposition of duties on the food of the people unless under stress of war. They may be willing to pay higher prices for their food when the country is engaged in a costly contest, but when peace is proclaimed they will demand a return to the old system. In this matter the London Times does not seem to be a good adviser. The duty on bread stuffs is not popular in England, and it is certainly not looked upon with favor in Canada. In view of the fact that Canada has granted a preference to British products it was thought singular that when levying a duty on bread stuffs Canada should be placed by the British Government, on the same footing as the United States, which has a tariff which is expressly intended to exclude British products. We do not believe that the tariff on bread stuffs in its present form can be maintained for many months after peace has been declared.

HONORARY DEGREES.

For a long time the University of New Brunswick was remarkably conservative in the matter of granting honorary degrees. The number of persons who received the degree of LL. D. up to two years ago was very small, and this was considered one of the best features of the University, for when honorary degrees are few in

number they are all the more valuable. The Centennial of the University, however, brought a large crop of degrees, most of which were granted to gentlemen representing outside colleges. In some cases the degrees were well bestowed while in others they appear to have been given to persons who had very slight claims to such a distinction. In some cases degrees were given to persons who solicited the position of representatives of outside colleges for the express purpose of obtaining an honorary degree. In our opinion degrees should only be conferred on persons who have distinguished themselves in some field of usefulness. To depart from this wholesome rule is to cheapen honorary degrees and to injure the reputation of the University. Three gentlemen are named as intended to be the recipients of honorary degrees. One of these, Rev. W. O. Raymond, certainly deserves the honor. He is a graduate of the University, and has for about twenty years been engaged in historical studies in connection with the early history of this province. If all the degrees of the University had been as well bestowed as this one there never would have been any reason to complain that they were improperly given.

BRIDGE TENDERS.

The Department of Public Works is calling for tenders for rebuilding the Leppasay station, Charlotte county, bridge, carried out by the freshet in March last. This is a large and quite expensive bridge. It is the intention of the Department to have the bridge built before next winter, and tenders will be received up to September first.

Tenders are also asked for rebuilding the Isidore Barriou Brook bridge, in Kent county, tenders for which work will be received until June 9th.

Police Court.

At the Police Court this morning, a young man, run in last night for being disorderly on the public streets, was, after some good advice from Col. Marsh, dismissed.

If it is asthma, bronchitis, eczema, or any such trouble, use Vapo-Creosote. All Druggists.

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MISS BONNIE DELANO

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MISS BONNIE DELANO.

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VERY SUDDEN DEATH.

The City Clerk of Charlottetown Stricken Down.

CHARLOTTETOWN, May 23—Hedley Palmer, barrister, clerk of city, returned from Picton last evening unwell and died early this morning. He was 45 years of age. Death was due to heart failure.

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