

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

The Stanley arrived at Georgetown, about noon yesterday.

HERBERT MURRAY started from London on Friday for Newfoundland to distribute the relief fund for the Imperial Government.

The blockade on the F. E. I. Railway was broken on Thursday last, and since then trains have been running on time, all along the line.

Mrs Isaac TOMES, North Rustico, sent to market yesterday, a carcass of pork weighing 312 lbs. It was said to be the fattest ever brought to market. Good for Rustico.

Charles McDonald of the settlement of Little Pond, Lot Fifty-six in the County of King's, in the Province of Prince Edward Island, Esquire; to be a S. B. Collector in Her Majesty's Customs—Canada Gazette.

Sir ADOLPH CARON, Hon. Mr. Angers and Hon. Mr. Oulmes were in Montreal on Saturday. The Postmaster-General remarked that the next session will be followed by one of the greatest Liberal-Conservative victories since Confederation.

Dairy Commissioner Robertson was in St. John on Saturday, on his return from this Province. He had just heard that the last shipment of Island creamery butter to England met ready sale at higher prices than the Australian article.

The LEADER in the name of a new daily paper started in Moncton, N. B., with H. T. Stevens, founder of the Moncton Times as Manager. It is a twenty-eight column, well printed and excellently edited paper. If Moncton has room for three dailies, certainly no one is better able to make a new paper success than the veteran editor Stevens. We wish the LEADER every success.

The twenty-fourth annual calendar of the Halifax School for the blind has been issued. The table of attendance shows that 59 blind persons have been under instruction during the year of whom 43 were males and 16 females. The total attendance Dec. 31st, 1894, 52 of whom 38 were from Nova Scotia, 12 from New Brunswick and 4 from P. E. Island.

The market yesterday was largely attended, with the supply, both inside and outside, large and the demand good. Prices inside were unchanged from last report, but outside produce and pork have advanced slightly. Oats were quoted at 36c to 37c; hay from 25c to 28c, and potatoes 25c. Pork advanced and sold at from 6 to 6 1/2c by the carcass. Canned corn was sold at 6 1/2c to 6 3/4c. It was owned by W. H. Smith, of New Glasgow, and was bought by J. H. Myrick & Co.

The Young Men's Liberal-Conservative Association of West Queen's have rented the rooms in the Cameron Block lately occupied by the Board of Trade. The rooms were opened Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. The leading Conservative papers of the Dominion have been ordered by the Committee and will be found on the table, also, and will be discussed on the political questions of the day. All the young men supporters of the Liberal Conservative Party are requested to attend.

On Saturday the boats crossed from Capt. Tomlinson's wharf, bringing over part of the mail that had accumulated there. This mail reached the city about two o'clock. They afterwards made a second trip across bringing over some more bags of mail which reached here between six and seven o'clock in the evening. On Sunday, again, mail was brought over the train which met with the accident, described elsewhere. A second crossing was also made, the mail reaching here about 7 o'clock Sunday evening.

We very much regret to learn that Mr. Alexander McDonald, the popular purser of the steamer "Northumberland," died at El Paso, on Wednesday last. Mr. McDonald had been in rather poor health for some years, and had passed the last few winters in the south. On New Year's day he crossed in the Stanley en route to southern Texas, in hope of improvement. He first went to San Antonio, and afterwards to El Paso, where he died. He was a native of Belfast, where his father resides. Mr. McDonald a most courteous and obliging official, and was much esteemed by the travelling public.

We trust our delinquent subscribers will not imagine, from the fact that we have said little to them for the last week or two, we have forgotten them. Not at all, we will keep them in mind. What surprises us at this is why those who are able to pay at any time, will allow their subscriptions to remain unpaid for several years. Now, do they treat their grocer, tailor or blacksmith in the same manner? If they do they commit a great injustice; if they do not why do they make the distinction? Do they imagine we can obtain our supplies and get work done for nothing, and carry on business just for the fun of the thing? Now, friends, we trust you will give this a passing thought. If you do you feel sure you will remit us a dollar at your earliest convenience.

The fourth of the Lenten Sermons was preached in St. Dunstan's Cathedral on Sunday evening last by Rev. Father Hogan. His theme was the mercy of God. The preacher showed how great was the mercy of God. His mercy surpassed His other attributes. He pointed out numerous examples, both in the old and new testament, where this mercy was manifested in an extraordinary manner. No matter how grievous the sins which we may be guilty of, if we show signs of repentance, our dear Lord is always ready to meet us more than half way. Our Lord's life upon earth was a continuous manifestation of His mercy. His own sufferings were the greatest mercy. Too often we recompense this mercy with ingratitude. However great this mercy is, we must presume too much upon it. We should, then, never forget this mercy and avail ourselves of it to obtain forgiveness for our sins and finally life everlasting.

Winnipeg advises say the remedial order to the Manitoba Government was received by the Legislature on Monday. It was expected that discussion would commence yesterday on the motion introduced by the Opposition. The subject of the order was the subject of sermons in five Methodist churches Sunday, the preachers protesting against Dominion interference with Manitoba.

Opening of the Legislature.

The Legislative Assembly of this Province, was opened by the despatch of business, with the usual formalities, by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Howland, at three o'clock, on Thursday afternoon last. The Lieutenant-Governor and Suite having arrived at the Provincial Buildings, were escorted to the Legislative Chamber, where His Honor was pleased to open the Session with the following speech:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly. It is with much pleasure that I again see you assembled for the performance of those public duties which our Constitution throws upon you. Since you last met together in your legislative capacity this Province has received a visit from His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, who was accompanied by the Countess of Aberdeen. The welcome with which a visit from Her Majesty's representative has always been received by the people of this Province was in this instance made more hearty by the knowledge of the deep interest taken by Lord and Lady Aberdeen in all that concerns the welfare of the people, and especially in everything that tends to promote the prosperity of the agriculturists.

During last autumn I learned with deep regret of the sudden and unexpected death of Sir John S. D. Thompson, Prime Minister of Canada. I am confident that my fellow-citizens for his untimely demise will be fully shared by you. The expiration of the different contracts heretofore existing for carrying on the Provincial and County Exhibitions, renders it necessary that you should be brought to you in connection with the questions of Exhibitions will be submitted for your consideration.

I marked with great satisfaction the marked increase that has taken place the past year in the production of Cheese and Butter. This industry has now become of such importance to me that I desire to lay before you a bill to facilitate the formation, incorporation, and regulation of companies for the manufacture of these articles.

Until recently the impression prevailed that fruit could not be successfully grown in Prince Edward Island. The magnificent displays at our Provincial and County Exhibitions during the past few years have effectually dispelled that impression. Particularly in winter apples and plums, the Exhibitions have proved that in the quality as well as the quantity of these fruits, our Province bids fair to hold its own with any competitors. I would earnestly impress upon our growers the necessity of exercising the utmost care in the selection of standard varieties of trees, as it is much more profitable to raise large quantities of a few good standard fruits, than to produce small quantities of many different varieties. By careful attention to this branch of industry, we may reasonably hope, ere long, to see our orchards in the value and excellence of their output, taking a place alongside of our cheese and butter products.

Measures bearing on other matters of public interest will be laid before you. The accounts for the past year will be presented to you. The estimates for the current year's expenditure will also be submitted for your approval. They have been prepared with the object of economical and efficiently carrying on the necessary public services.

Feeling confident that to the consideration of the different measures which will be brought before you, you will bring an earnest resolve to legislate in the best interests of this Province, and trusting that the guidance of Divine Providence will be vouchsafed to you in your deliberations, I now leave you to the discharge of your important public duties.

After the reading of the speech from the Throne, Hon. Mr. Peters introduced a bill providing for the incorporation of cheese and butter making Associations, which was ordered to be read a second time next day. The usual standing committees were then chosen. Hon. Mr. Peters, in moving that the House adjourn till the following day, said that under ordinary circumstances the election of a Clerk to the House would take place that afternoon. But as he noticed that there were several seats vacant—that some members who would like to have a voice in the selection of a clerk were unavoidably absent—he thought it would be advisable to adjourn until next day when a clerk would be chosen. He felt sure that every member of the House would join with him in expressing regret at the sudden death of the late clerk, Mr. Ball, who was a very competent official.

Hon. Mr. Gordon, Leader of the Opposition, said he most heartily concurred with what had been said respecting the late clerk. Mr. Ball held office with credit to himself and with satisfaction to the House. The Opposition would do all in their power to aid the Government in getting a competent man to fill that important position. The House then adjourned till Friday afternoon.

The House met about four o'clock on Friday afternoon. Premier Peters moved, seconded by Hon. A. Laird, that Angus Bruce McKenzie be appointed clerk to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Mr. Ball. Hon. Mr. Gordon moved in amendment that Mr. A. McNeill be appointed clerk and spoke of his twenty-two years previous experience. The amendment was seconded by Mr. Shaw who also spoke highly of Mr. McNeill's abilities. The amendment was lost on a straight party vote. Mr. Shaw then moved seconded by Mr. A. J. McDonald that Bernard D. McLeish be appointed clerk. This amendment was also lost on a straight party vote. The speaker was then sworn in by the speaker and the House took his seat at the clerk's desk. On motion of Hon. Mr. Peters, Mr. James H. Good was appointed clerk of the House.

The importance of a good market for the output of the factories. He was not so wedded to fruit growing as some other hon. members, and thought that legislation concerning that industry should be carefully considered. Mr. Robert on seconded the motion referred to the Royal Warrant accorded Lord and Lady Aberdeen last year, and regretted the sudden death of Sir John Thompson. Exhibitions were a matter of great importance to the farmers especially and should be made more of the interest of farmers than they are at present. The butter and cheese industry was fast coming to the front in this province, and farmers should take hold of it in a proper manner. The fruit industry should also be encouraged more than it is at present. He thought the people would give the Government credit for making an honest effort to make revenue and expenditure meet.

Hon. Mr. Gordon moved the adjournment of the debate till 10 a. m. on Saturday. The House adjourned till 10 a. m. on Saturday. The House resumed the debate on the draft address. After referring to complimentary terms to the speaker, the mover and second, he briefly criticized the various paragraphs in the speech. He thought that a very important paragraph was missing from that document which might read something like this:

"Under the provisions of the various tax acts passed last session my government has succeeded in extracting from the pockets of the province many thousands of dollars, which have been expended in defraying the wasteful and extravagant expenditures incurred by the government in the last election."

He did not think that the duties of members of the House were to be "upon" them, but believed rather that they were to be "for" them. However this was a small matter, referring to the resignation accorded Lord and Lady Aberdeen he spoke highly of the part taken by the Caledonian Society, and said that the people regretted that the government took no part in that reception. He understood the Leader of the Government was absent from the Province at the time. He also referred in feeling terms to the death of the late lamented Right Honorable Sir John Thompson, an exceptionally able man whose name would long live in the memory of Canada's sons. He was sorry to see the paragraph referring to the lamented death, it was not deemed advisable to give the deceased a more prominent position in the memorial. He was entitled to the honor which he was entitled. The matter of exhibitions was one of great importance to the people and to the Government would do what was in the best interest of the people in respect to them. The production of cheese and butter was another most important industry. The output was already very large, and the prospect was that it would be increased in the future. The fear was expressed that the large quantity manufactured would have a bad effect upon the market. He did not believe this would be the case, however, and thought that the large quantity manufactured would not have an appreciable effect upon the market. He spoke highly of the display of fruits at various exhibitions, and said that the quality was large, and the quality in every way excellent. It usually took about 40 apple trees to acre, and these trees took several years to develop. It was a new method had been devised; instead of planting a tree was only necessary to drop an apple into the hole in order to produce fruit. He most heartily concurred in the paragraph concerning the living guides, for if there was a Government that needed Divine aid it is the present one. Respecting the Public Accounts, he was sorry to observe that they were not laid before the people earlier in the year in accordance with the promise of the Leader.

Hon. Mr. Peters also complimented the mover and second of the Address upon their speeches. He took exception to the clause which the Leader of the Opposition suggested might be missing from the speech from the Throne, and claimed that the government which preceded the present one necessitated taxation. He did not care how the duties came—whether they were "thrown upon" us or "for" us, or how they came. He felt that the Government was passing good legislation. He denied the statement that the Government did nothing to sustain the Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen, and pointed out that they had done something to sustain them. He was the first person to meet the Governor-General upon his arrival, and the Government had also arranged for an agricultural meeting at Charlottetown. He was with the Governor-General during his stay, except on the day before his departure, when he had to leave for some other place. Referring to the death of Sir John Thompson, he said it was by his name he was best known. He felt that Canada had sustained a great loss in the death of Sir John and that the House should put an expression of its regret on the record. The contracts respecting the different exhibitions had expired, and new arrangements were to be made, which would be explained later on. The exhibitions were in themselves a great education, and would if possible be made even better than they had been. He hoped that fruitgrowing would become a more important industry in the future and that a good market would be found for it. Great pains must be taken with fruit. It must be of good quality and well and cleanly packed. Respecting the Public Accounts he said they had been delayed somewhat by the insertion of additional matter relating to the taxes. The late government had delayed the Accounts, and he thought what was right for them should not be postponed and subjected to the present opposition.

Mr. Shaw replied the idea thrown out by the Premier that the taxation of the past year was to be the extra-charge of the late Government, and pointed out that debentures had been issued to cover the deficit. The debt incurred by the late Government, and a large amount in addition thereto, was also referred to the view of the Governor-General, and criticized strongly the Leader of the Government in leaving the Province while His Excellency was still here to take a pleasurable excursion to Quebec. He also spoke of the great ability of Sir John Thompson and his sad death in the home of our Queen. The admission of the Leader of the Government that the exhibitions established and developed under the Liberal-Conservative administrations had proved beneficial to the country was adverted to by Mr. Shaw. The fact that growing and shipping away raw materials was exhaustive of the soil and ruinous to farmers was also pointed out, and the service rendered to the province by the Dominion Government in fostering the dairy industry and encouraging our farmers to cooperate in it was warmly approved. The superiority of our dairy products had been proved. Canada has now, as a result of the Dominion Government's efforts, captured the British market. The delay of the Government in respect to the Public Accounts was also criticized, as also the omission from the Address of an expression of thanks to the Almighty for the bountiful harvest of the last year.

The address was then submitted to a committee of the whole House and reported again. Before adjournment Hon. Mr. Peters announced that the Assistant Clerk of the House, Mr. F. W. Hughes, had handed in his resignation, as he found that his failing health made it impossible for him to discharge his duties of the office. He expressed regret at Mr. Hughes' resignation, and moved, seconded by Hon. Mr. Richards, that Mr. D. B. McNeil be appointed to succeed him. The House then adjourned till 11 o'clock on Monday.

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Mount Herbert Hall, Lot 48, Wednesday, 3rd April, at 7 o'clock, p. m.
These meetings will be addressed by the Liberal-Conservative Candidate A. Morton, Esq., Hon. D. Ferguson and others.
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March 27, 1895.

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