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Belfast and Murray Harbor.

The elections for the Provincial Legislature, held in Belfast and Murray Harbor on Wednesday last resulted in the defeat of Attorney-General McKinnon and Mr Irving, both Government Candidates, and the triumphant return of Messrs McLean and Prowse, the Opposition standard bearers.

Under the circumstances and in view of all the influences brought to bear in favor of the Government Candidates the result is in the highest degree satisfactory to the Opposition and it must be equally depressing to the Government, as it plainly indicates that they have completely lost the confidence of the people.

The Government made use of all their power and resources to persuade the people to vote for their candidates; but the electors of these districts had the record of the Administration before them, and knew they were not to be trusted; consequently they rose in their manhood and turned down the Government Candidates.

As we are now approaching the festive season, when it is customary to exchange friendly greetings and present suitable mementos of appreciation, we wish to say that we are desirous of participating in these pleasing functions. We wish to be remembered; we desire to receive some Christmas boxes.

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OTAWA, Dec. 18.—On Thursday of this week two melancholy men might have been seen in this city condoling with each other.

THE GREENWAY GOVERNMENT. It is true that Greenway has not resigned. But his friends admit that Sir John beat him last Thursday by 22 to 16, and the two postponed elections seem at this writing to have failed.

NO ELECTION. It is thought that these happenings have disclosed the mind of Sir W. Laurier from the idea of any general election.

THE SORROW OF SIR LOUIS. "A knot of grief till then has seen the tears of a knight."

As the great Feast of the Nativity shall have come and gone before another issue of the Herald reaches our readers, we avail ourselves of the occasion to wish all our friends a Merry Christmas.

These comes in the Transvaal question and arrangement. The "organ of the liberal party" says that some object to the course of the premier in appointing that the despatch of the Canadian corps should not be taken as a precedent.

Liberal-Conservative CONVENTION. A Convention of the Liberal Conservative electors of the Second District of King's County will be held at Morell Hall, on Wednesday, the 3rd of January, A. D. 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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By Election Results

Table with columns for candidates, votes, and districts. Includes names like Wood Islands, Fernal, Piquet Road, etc.

Majority for McLean 55, Proulx 43. Majorities for Prowse 31, Minard's Liniment Cures Carget in Cows.

THE WAR!

Julian Ralph, describing the battle at Magerfontein in a special despatch to the Daily Mail, says: "The Boers were entrenched at Magerfontein, four miles north of Modder River."

General Buller reports to the war office as follows: "On Saturday night, Dec. 15, I regret to report a serious reverse. I moved in full strength from the camp at Chieveley."

"Col. Brookes was severely wounded. I then ordered Hillyard to advance, which he did. His leading regiment, the East Surrey, occupied Colenso station and the houses near the bridge."

THE FOURTEENTH AND SIXTY-SIXTH BATTALIONS. The Fourteenth and Sixty-sixth battalions are officially announced, after midnight, proved much heavier than the war of 1899.

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