

SAURDAY EVEN'G, JAN. 8, 1881

It is reported at Ottawa that Senator Fabre is to be appointed permanent agent of the Government in Paris, and that Mr. Deblot, of Beauport, an uncle of Mr. Caron, is to be named Senator in his stead.

GAZ Reporter: "We feel totally unable to sympathize with the Mail over the defeat of Alderman Close, for the majority of Toronto on Monday. The attempt to 'run' the municipal elections in that city on a strict political basis was a mistake of a grievous kind."

MA. SPRINGER has moved a resolution in the U. S. Senate calling on the Secretary of State for information in reference to the Halifax fishery award relating to the alleged fictitious statistics and perjured testimony; also whether the Government had taken steps to secure a verification of the statements of Prof. Hinds.

SEAPORT EXPOSITOR: The Syndicate are to have everything and the country nothing. There is to be no competition, taxes and no duty: They are to be permitted to purchase their supplies in the cheapest markets and bring into the country without let or hindrance free of duty, while the business man and the farmer are handicapped by a heavy tax on every article which they wish to import and consume.

THE Manitoba members have presented to the Government a written ultimatum, in which they demand certain important amendments to the contract, and state that if these amendments are not conceded they will be constrained to vote against it. It is stated that the Government said they could not obtain the concessions demanded, and added, that every effort to protect the interests of the South-Western Colonization Railway would be taken.

It is an understood thing that the Syndicate agreement will be carried through without any modifications. Sir Charles Tupper signed it in good faith on behalf of the Government. The Government pledged themselves to carry it through the House and they intend to do so. The matter was virtually settled in caucus, but there were a good many Conservatives who will vote against it, being firm in the conviction that the sacrifice to be made to secure the roads is too much.

Or the Syndicate meeting in Montreal the Witness says: "One of the best and most significant features of the meeting was its totally non-partisan character. The chairman confessed himself a supporter of the Government as regards the N. P., and the mover of the condemnatory resolution which carried, was a Conservative, and of a representative character. We are glad to record the fact that last night's triumphant demonstration in favor of a great national issue was heartily joined in by Conservatives and Liberals alike."

THE Montreal Herald places the Minister of Railways in a very unenviable position when it quotes from his speech delivered in the House as far back as March 5, 1875, in which Sir Charles Tupper values the lands in the Northwest at two dollars an acre, and "that could safely make it (the proposed railway grant) worth five dollars per acre providing he had the selecting of the land." In his late speeches, however, he says: "Therefore I think you will agree with me, that one dollar per acre is a fair calculation."

A NEW SYNDICATE.

Most Favourable Terms Proposed.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Globe says: I am in a position to announce that a Syndicate of well-known capitalists, railroad contractors, and business men has been formed for the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway on terms eminently more favourable to Canada than those now waiting the ratification of Parliament, and which Sir John Macdonald is forcing upon the country. While I am able to give the foregoing all the force which confident knowledge of its accuracy can lend, I am not in a position to speak so authoritatively respecting much that follows.

The political complexion of the Syndicate will be mixed. Among the names of those who are rumored as likely to enter the Syndicate are Sir William Howland, and H. H. Cook, M. P. of Toronto; J. McLaren, of Buckingham; Colonel J. Walker, of London; Colonel Allan Gillmore, of Ottawa; J. Carruthers, of Kingston; W. H. Howland, and a number of others. It is even believed by some that Dr. Schulz, M. P., and W. Gooderham, Jr., of Toronto, will eventually enter it.

The terms of the new syndicate will construct the Pacific Railway on a cash basis of twenty million dollars instead of twenty-five as now proposed to be given, instead of twenty-five million acres of land, to be equally proportioned among the three sections of the road, according to the relative cost of constructing each section. The new syndicate will probably consent to postpone the construction of the line on the north shore of Lake Superior, if the country desires it. Apart from this the details will be more favourable to the country than the details of the present contract.

The United States Census.

The New York Tribune says: The New Year gift from Washington is an approximate report of the census of 1880, authorized by the Superintendent, and believed to be very close to the final result. It makes the population of the United States 50,162,558, though the footing of the population given for the States and Territories separately is 150 less. The increase since 1870 is 30.07 per cent. It appears that the rate of increase which prevailed before the war has now been almost precisely realized. Indeed, the population in 1880, as estimated some years ago by Mr. Elliott, of the Census Bureau, on the theory that the loss resulting from the war was 3,100,000, and that the rate of increase from 1840 to 1880, excepting for that difference, would be exactly the same in each decade according to the mathematical principle of equal second differences, was 50,888,000. The variation of this estimate from the actual result thus far ascertained is only 725,442, and a greater variation than that must be attributed to defects of the census of 1870 in some of the Southern States, if the new census be accepted as correct. Supposing that the loss directly caused by the war was 3,866,000, and that the census of 1870 was so far inaccurate that the actual population was then 294,559 greater than the population returned, the rate of increase according to the law of constant second differences would now be precisely maintained. If the same rate should be preserved for the three decades the population would be about 63,770,000 in 1890, 79,412,000 in 1900, and about 97,078,000 in 1910.

The Southern States appear to have increased faster than the Northern. The Southern, including all the sixteen formerly slaveholding States, have a population of 18,508,176.

Inland Revenue Returns and Statistics.

The report of the commissioner of inland revenue for the year ended 30th June contains the usual returns and statistics. The revenue for the year is considerably less than for any one of the preceding four years, the amount being \$4,972,908, as against \$6,087,688 for 1879, and \$6,376,832 in 1876. The decrease is chiefly under the head of excise, and though this is doubtless partly owing to the ex-warehousing of spirits, in 1879 in anticipation of an increase of the duty, it will not account for the whole of it—the amount being less than for any year since 1875. The increase of duty may have operated to decrease consumption, but it has certainly stimulated still further during the year was one-third more than during the previous year. It is noticeable, however, that there was a steady decrease in the per capita consumption of spirits and wine in the twenty years since 1861, and scarcely any increase in the consumption of beer. The quantity of malt manufactured, entered for consumption and exported was largely in excess of the average for the preceding four years. During the year 26,419,244 lbs. were used in the manufacture of malt liquor, and 2,474,434 lbs. in distilling. The production of malted tobacco shows a considerable increase being 681,481 lbs. in excess of the annual average for the preceding four years. There has been a steady increase in the consumption of cigars of Canadian manufacture since 1873; the percentage in that year being 27.91 of Canadian to 72.09 of imported, while for 1880 it was 81.5 of Canadian to 18.5 of imported.

Monthly Cattle Fairs.

- ACORN—Thursday following Guelph.
BOSWORTH—Saturday before Guelph.
CLIFFORD—Thursday before each month.
CHARLETON—Third Thursday in January, April, July and October.
DODDAR—Monday before Elora Fair.
ELORA—Tuesday in each month.
DIATON—Saturday before Guelph.
DUNDAS—Tuesday before Orangeville.
ELONA—Tuesday before Guelph.
A cattle fair will be held at the Junction Hotel on Monday in each month as the Elora Fair.
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month.
ESN GROVE—Pikeville Station, Brant County, on Tuesday in each month.
ESN—At Erin Village, on every Monday.
EXMIRA—Second Monday in each month.
FERGUS—Thursday following Mount Forest.
GALT—Tuesday in each month.
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.
HARRISTON—Friday in each month.
HARRISTON—May before the Guelph fair.
HILLSBURG—The Tuesday before the second Thursday in the month.
HOCKLEY—The last Thursday in January, April, July and October.
HANOVER—Monday before Durham.
HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
LUTHER—Tuesday before Orangeville, before and second Wednesday in each month.
LITWORTH—First Friday in each month.
MONO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.
MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.
MARR—Second Wednesday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
MOUTH FORSTER—Third Wednesday in each month.
MANSVILLE—Monday before Guelph.
NEW HANOVER—First Tuesday in each month.
ORANGEVILLE—Monday before the Guelph Fair.
ORANGEVILLE—The Second Thursday in each month.
PALMISTON—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
PARKTON—Monday before Durham.
ROCKWOD—Tuesday before Guelph.
ROCKWOD—Officers of February, April, June and August.
SHELLEBURNE—Wednesday before Orangeville.
SHELLEBURNE—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
WOODSTOCK—Second Thursday in each month.
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month.

Miss Geddes, ORGANIST OF ST. GEORGE'S.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

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Mr. Forster stated that 168 persons were under police protection in Ireland, and there had been 2,373 agrarian outrages up to the end of December.

The debate on the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne was resumed.

Mr. Parnell charged the London press with entering into conspiracy against the good name of Ireland. He denoted the actions of the Land League, which he declared always reprobated outrages. Parnell concluded by moving that peace in Ireland cannot be promoted by suspending the constitutional rights of the people.

Mr. Forster said that Mr. Parnell must have known that the result of his speeches would be the committal of outrages.

O'Donnell and O'Connell rose to a question of order. The speaker ruled that Mr. Forster was in order. After a strong speech from Gibson attacking the Government for dilatoriness and denouncing the Land League, the debate was adjourned.

A COUGH, COLD, CATARRH, or SORE Throat requires immediate attention, as neglect oftentimes results in some of the most dangerous diseases, such as Bronchitis, Pneumonia, etc.

Brown's Bronchial Troches are offered for sale, many of which are injuries. The genuine "Brown's Bronchial Troches" are sold only in boxes.

Those languid, tremulous sensations, causing you to feel scarcely able to be on your feet; that constant drain that is taking from your system all its elasticity; driving the blood from your cheeks; the continual strain upon your vital forces, rendering you irritable and fretful, can easily be removed by the use of that marvellous remedy, HOP BITTERS.

Special Notices.

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The undersigned has been instructed by Mr. D. Morehouse, who is about leaving the city, to sell by public auction, at his residence, on the corner of Douglas and Wolrich streets, in the city of Guelph,

On Tuesday, the 11th day of January, at twelve o'clock, noon, the following city properties, viz.—Lot number twenty, situated on Glasgow street, in the survey made by M. C. Schofield for Donald Guthrie. Also lot number seventy-nine, situated at the corner of Edinburgh and Argyle streets, in the survey made by M. C. Schofield for Adam Johnston Ferguson.

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THE WONDERFUL MAN.

A REVIEW

Of the business done at our establishment during the past year gives us ample cause to congratulate ourselves upon the success that has attended our efforts to place before our patrons the best value and most desirable goods in the market.

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