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—Browning.

London, Tuesday, June 8, 1897.

PROCLAMATION:

ABERDEEN, CANADA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, etc., etc.

To all to whom these presents shall come or whom the same may in any wise concern.—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

O. MOWAT, Esq., Attorney-General, seems to us Canada, sitting that a day should be set apart for the purpose of affording our loving subjects, the people of Canada, an opportunity of celebrating the sixtieth anniversary of our accession in such a manner as to manifest their devoted attachment to Our Throne and Person, and their thankfulness for the prosperity which, under the blessing of Almighty God, they have enjoyed during Our reign.

NOW KNOW YE, that We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, have thought fit to appoint, and do appoint, TUESDAY, the TWENTY-SECOND day of June, A. D. 1897, to be observed throughout Our Dominion as a day of general thanksgiving and rejoicing on the occasion of Our Diamond Jubilee.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-Devised Council and Councilors, the Right Honorable SIR JOHN CAMPBELL HAMILTON-GORDON, Earl of Aberdeen, Viscount Forth, Baron Haddo, Methil, Turvey and Kellie, in the Peerage of Scotland; Viscount Gordon of Aberdeen, County of Aberdeen, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; Baronet of Nova Scotia, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, etc., etc., Governor-General of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, in Our said Dominion, this TWENTIETH day of APRIL, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixtieth year of Our reign.

By command, R. W. SCOTT, Secretary of State.

The Opposition Leader in London.

James Pliny Whitney, barrister, Morrisburg, leader of the Opposition in the Ontario Legislature, opened his campaign in London last night, addressing a meeting in the Music Hall, along with his lieutenants, Messrs. Matheson, of Lanark; Miscampbell, of Simcoe, and Magwood, of Perth.

Mr. Whitney is a fluent talker, a plausible arguer, but not even his friends will say that he is a man of the ability of Wm. R. Meredith, who attempted the task that he now essays, and failed. Indeed, Mr. Whitney consoled his friends in his address last night with the assurance that if he failed to displace the Liberal Administration at the ensuing general elections, better men have failed.

The address of the Opposition leader was mainly a series of complaints. He lamented that the Ontario Government had not conducted the affairs of this province on the lines followed out by a Dominion Conservative leader. Instead of that being regarded as a fault by the large majority of the electors of Ontario, it will be placed to the credit of the Liberal Administration of Ontario that its policy was not on the lines of the late Conservative Administration of the Dominion. Mr. Whitney's leaders at Ottawa, whose policy he thinks should be our model in Ontario, gave away the timber limits of the country to their political friends on their own terms. The Liberal Government of Ontario sells every stick of timber that it disposes of by public auction to the highest bidder. It was an unfortunate suggestion that Mr. Whitney, in the exuberance of his admiration for his party friends at Ottawa, permitted himself to make.

Mr. Whitney makes another peculiar complaint against the Government. It is that where the Opposition members have shown a wrong to exist, the Administration have applied the remedy. Because of this readiness to perfect the management of public affairs, even on the advice of a political opponent, Mr. Whitney intends that his policy shall not be made public till after he gets into power! Then, Mr. Whitney, the public will be a long time in the dark. Mr. Whitney complains of the expense of public school education, but he is surely aware that the people

manage their own schools and control their municipal exchequers. He says there are too many examinations, and that the Minister of Education is responsible. There are today far fewer examinations than there were in the days of Dr. Ryerson; the policy of the Government, indeed, is to discourage multiplicity of examinations.

Mr. Whitney cavilled at the record of the Government with regard to the administration of the liquor traffic? He not know the variety of policies which his party has proposed in the Legislature? Will he now tell the province what the policy of his party is with regard to the liquor traffic? He refused to give the Legislature any information on the subject. Perhaps he means to treat the people whose support he seeks in a similar manner. The public like a courageous man.

Ever since the present Government took office, the Opposition have alleged that we were on the eve of direct taxation—that the province was spending too much. When asked in the House where the expenditures should be curtailed, they have generally been unable to point to an item that could fairly be cut off. Take the management of our public institutions. There is not one of them that is not more economically managed than similar institutions in other provinces, or in the adjoining states. And Dr. Tuke, the Australian expert, who visited this country some time ago, asserted that the Ontario asylums for the insane were the best equipped and the most economically managed of the many that he had inspected in both the old and the new world. We believe that with careful management of our forest resources, the day of direct taxation in this province is in the far distant future. Whether the forests are to be managed on the economical, careful lines laid down by the Ontario Government, or are to be controlled on lines laid down by men more anxious for the success of the Conservative leaders at Ottawa than for the welfare of this province, remains for the electors to say. As vitally interested in the welfare of this great province, we do not doubt that their verdict will be for Canada First!

Commend us to Mr. Huddart, the steamboat line promoter, as a man of assurance. He is not at all well pleased with the Canadian and British Governments for arranging with Petersen, Tait & Co., for an ocean steamship service, and he asserts: "I believe if Canada is to receive a fast Atlantic service she will receive it through me, or it will be deferred indefinitely."

The False Information Sender.

Persons who think it a good joke to send bogus news to newspapers, with the intention of injuring their neighbors, apparently do not understand the risk that they run; but if caught in their malicious transactions a plea of ignorance would be no excuse for them. Under section 429 of the Dominion Criminal Code, it is enacted that "everyone is guilty of an indictable offense and liable to two years' imprisonment who, with intent to injure or alarm any person, sends, causes or procures to be sent, any telegram or letter or other message containing matter which he knows to be false." Those who are tempted to write bogus marriage notices, or to write other false information about their neighbors, ought to reflect on the risk they run. No one would seriously endeavor to save from the penitentiary the man or woman who would engage in despicable business of this kind.

The Rochester Express says that in the City of Mexico first-class American butter is sold at retail at 55 cents a pound. Canadians ought to take a share of that gilt-edged trade.

The Two Policies.

Mr. Magwood, M.P.P., complained at the Ontario Opposition meeting last night that the policy of the Government has for years been a continuous one. In that respect it is unlike the policy of Mr. Magwood's friends. For one campaign, as we all know, the Ontario Conservative policy was founded on "Facts for Irish Electors," when the cry was that the Irish had not been properly treated by the Administration—that not enough of Catholics were in public office. That cry, ill-founded as it was, failed. Then Mr. Magwood's friends tried an opposite tack. They asserted that the Catholic population had been too generously treated—they were opposed to making separate schools more efficient, and they made a campaign against the Government of Ontario on an anti-Catholic cry. That outcry being equally ill-founded, the Opposition were worsted. Now they are in great trouble as to how to shout, and their former supporters in the constituencies are at their wits' end to know how to assail the Administration. Some of the leaders argue that all past "principles" advocated by the Ontario Conservatives should be declared hereby

left alone, and the simple formula presented, "We want the office." In view of this extraordinary condition of affairs in the leadership of the Opposition, it is interesting to note that the men in power are steadily proceeding with their policy of effectively aiding in the development of the great natural industries of the province—the agricultural, mining and timber-growing. On the prosperity of these callings depends the welfare of all the others.

The Canada Baptist, in its notice of the recent convention of that denomination in London, says:

"London is an ideal convention city. Its broad avenues, extensive parks, gardens, terraces, and trees, are now in all the glory of spring verdure, and all the appointments of this city of 35,000 people are most inviting. In all directions around the city, there spreads the broad acreage of one of the most fertile districts of Ontario." Strangers are always charmed with London. No more agreeable place in which to live, do business, or spend a holiday is to be found on the continent.

A Cry for Praise.

Among the complaints made by Mr. Whitney, Opposition leader, at last night's meeting in London, was one to the effect that while the newspapers supporting the Government had all ways had high praise for the Ministers, the newspapers supporting the Opposition had no warm praise for himself and his friends.

This is very sad, and we hope that our city contemporary the Free Press will proceed at once to gratify Mr. Whitney and his associates in the manner craved by him.

If Mr. Whitney reflects a little, he will probably reach the conclusion that he and his friends may be blameworthy.

The trouble is for the press of the country to know just who the Opposition leaders are.

When Mr. Meredith was leader, of course he was known to all. He was succeeded by Mr. Marter, who was praised as heaven-born by the Opposition press. But he held office for a brief year, and then was dropped out of sight, though he still sits in the House.

In the last Provincial campaign in this city, Dr. Ryerson and Mr. Howland and Mr. E. E. Sheppard were brought here as prospective Conservative Ministers. Mr. Whitney now introduces in their places Messrs. Magwood, Miscampbell and Matheson.

With so much of the hide-and-seek about the Opposition leaders and their policies, Conservative editors may be pardoned if they remain somewhat non-committal.

The following companies are incorporated this week, showing that new enterprises are being gone on with in various parts of Ontario:

The Brantford Water Chute Company, capital \$2,000, in 50 shares.

The Windsor Specialty Manufacturing Company, capital \$10,000, in 100 shares.

The Ontario Mercantile Agency, capital \$2,000, in 20 shares.

The Patent Cloth Board Company of Parry Sound, capital \$100,000, in 100 shares.

The Harrison Flax Manufacturing Company, capital \$6,000, in 20 shares.

The Sturgeon Falls Pulp Company, capital \$100,000, in 100 shares.

The Wingham Farmers' Flax Company, capital \$7,500, in 25 shares.

The American Remedy Company of Ontario, capital \$1,000,000, in 10 shares.

Not Overpaid.

One of the speakers at last night's Opposition meeting in London complained that too much money was paid to the men who conduct the Ontario Agricultural College. It is doubtful if any more money is paid to the energetic staff who are charged with promoting the staple industry of the province than is necessary to retain their services. We do know that when the late Dominion Government desired to appoint a dairy commissioner at Ottawa they chose one of these over-paid Ontario officials and paid him some \$2,000 a year more than he was being paid by the Government now denounced as extravagant. It is also well within the knowledge of many people in this province that expert teachers at the Guelph farm have been taken away by States governments over the border, and given much larger salaries than they could get here.

The college, under the oversight of Hon. John Dryden, is doing a good work for Ontario agriculture. It has produced most important results in the development of the cheese and butter industries, and our progressive farmers have not been slow to avail themselves of its aid.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC AT RAT PORTAGE.

Winnipeg, Man., June 8.—The provincial health authorities have received information that there are at present 97 cases of typhoid fever at Rat Portage. Seventeen fever patients from that place are now in the General Hospital here. The chairman of the health board has notified the authorities of the hospital of the danger of infection to other patients and attendants. He has also notified the railway authorities of the danger involved in carrying fever patients on cars, and the mayor and health officer of Rat Portage have been notified that no more will be admitted to the General Hospital here.

MINE DISASTER.

Gas Explosion—300 Men Barely Escape With Their Lives—Several Injured.

Monongahela, Penn., June 8.—By an explosion of gas in the Black Diamond mine of the Brown Coal Company, two miles south of here, several men were injured and 300 barely escaped with their lives. The explosion occurred about 7 o'clock, and a rescuing party went immediately into the mine and all of the men were taken out before they were overcome by the deadly after-damp.

CAREFULLY MANAGED.

Good Showing Made by the Merchants and the Montreal Banks.

Montreal, June 8.—The Merchants' Bank has issued a report of one year's business. The net profits of the year, after payment of interest and charges, and deducting appropriations for bad and doubtful debts, have amounted to \$542,439.92. The balance from last year amounts to \$79,277.50, making a total of \$621,717.42. This has been disposed of as follows: Dividend No. 56, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, \$240,000; dividend No. 57, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, \$240,000; total, \$480,000. Amount carried forward to profit and loss account of next year, \$141,717.42. At the Bank of Montreal's annual meeting, which was held yesterday, satisfactory reports of the year's business were presented. General Manager Clouston, in addressing the shareholders, took a hopeful view of the situation, but urged extreme caution. Senator Drummond urged the necessity of a stable fiscal policy. The old board of directors was re-elected.

ELEVATOR'S BIG DROP.

Six Persons Injured in New York Post-office.

New York, June 8.—The elevator on the Park row side of the postoffice, used for carrying freight and employees, fell from the fifth floor to the basement yesterday. The accident was caused by the breaking of the elevator rope.

The injured: Capt. J. J. Cox, post-office examiner, internal injuries; Geo. W. Daly, postoffice clerk, internal injuries; John Murphy, laborer, broken ankle and other injuries; Joseph Luff, broken hip; Thomas McCann, Brooklyn, broken back; Frank Birdsall, railway postal clerk, broken leg.

LOSS ABOUT \$20,000.

Waterford, Ont., Has a Scorching—Several Buildings in Ashes

Waterford, Ont., June 8.—Early yesterday morning it was found that the store belonging to Henry Series, and occupied by C. Lundy & Co., general merchants, was in flames. Soon the adjoining buildings caught fire. Henry Teeters' hotel and barns, Wm. Perkins' shoe shop, and a house occupied by Mrs. Picklaver were also totally destroyed. The fire started in the oil room of Lundy's store. It is the general opinion that it was set on fire, as there had been no fire for some time. Total loss about \$20,000; insurance on Lundy's stock, \$4,000, and \$1,000 on the building; Teeters', \$2,000; others not insured.

COLLISION IN THE THAMES.

The Ystroom Foundered and Two Passengers Drowned.

London, June 8.—The steamers Bittern and Ystroom, both bound for Amsterdam, collided in the Thames early Sunday morning. The Ystroom foundered, two of her passengers being drowned. The remainder of her passengers and her crew were taken on board the Bittern, which was damaged. The Bittern's second officer and carpenter were drowned.

EARTHQUAKE IN IOWA.

Lansing, Iowa, June 8.—An earthquake started many citizens of Lansing between 4 and 5 a.m. yesterday. The shock, which lasted several seconds, was accompanied by a rumbling noise heard at Waukon, eighteen miles away.

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THE GRIP.

Dr. Radway & Co., Gentlemen: I have used your Ready Relief for more than twenty-five years with much satisfaction—have used it for La Grippe, Pneumonia, Pleurisy and all sorts of aches and pains and have found it unfailing every time. Respectfully,

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