

ing:—W. Landon, H. Alguire, Arza Parish, Philip Wing, Ninian Bates. James L. Schofield, treasurer of the counties, was appointed receiver. A resolution was passed that the municipalities of Elizabethtown, Yonge, Leeds & Lansdowne Rear, Bastard, South Crosby, North Crosby and Bedford be requested to contribute towards the expense of the survey and exploration.

Married.—At Brockville, on the 18th inst., by the Rev. Wm. Smart, John Finlayson, of Leeds, to Eliza M. McKenzie, of Augusta, eldest daughter of the late Alex. McKenzie, of Leeds.

NOVEMBER 6, 1851.

On October 29, at Quebec, a new Ministry was sworn in, the members of the Cabinet being as follows:

Hon. M. Cameron—Chairman of committees.

Hon. F. Hincks—Inspector General.

Hon. A. N. Morin—Provincial Secretary.

Hon. John Young—Chief Commissioner of Public Works.

Hon. Dr. Rolph—Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Hon. James Morris—Postmaster-General.

Hon. E. P. Tache—Receiver General.

Hon. L. T. Drummond, Attorney-General east.

Hon. W. B. Richards—Attorney-General west.

Hon. R. E. Caron, who has a seat in the council, holding the Speakership of the Legislative Council.

Solicitor-General West, not in the Cabinet, the Hon. John Ross.

Brockville and Leeds, it will be noticed, had two representatives in the Ministry, Hon. James Morris and Hon. W. B. Richards.

Dr. H. D. Jessup had received the nomination from the Conservatives of Grenville in opposition to Wm. Patrick, the Reform candidate.

R. P. Colton's foundry was badly damaged by fire. The loss was covered by insurance. Mr. Colton sustained injuries by falling down an outside flight of steps leading to the

foundry. Three houses adjoining the foundry, and belonging to Mrs. McSween, were also damaged by fire.

Died.—At his residence in Elizabethtown, on the 26th ult., Mr. Simon Lamb, aged 46 years, much and justly regretted by a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The end of the good man is peace, and such was the end of the deceased.

NOVEMBER 13, 1851.

A general election was pending, and politics were getting hot. This week's issue of the Recorder had a lengthy article headed "Who Are You Going to Vote For?" in which the editor contrasts Ogle R. Gowan and W. B. Richards, the candidates for Leeds, in the course of which he says:—

"Who is Ogle R. Gowan? A man, whose first act, after he set foot on Canadian soil, was to set one class of his countrymen against another. With a soft voice, a ready tongue, a deceitful heart, large ambition and inordinate self-esteem, he has laid siege to religious and political feeling to exalt himself; and now bankrupt in political character, and steeped in trickery, he is loudly appealing to men whom he has often duped, to range themselves under him once more, seeking to blind their judgment by new colors hoisted at the masthead of his shattered vessel. But his colors are false. The true flag of the pirate is black, and that flag the Reformers of Leeds are well aware was hoisted at his command, to insult the most enlightened and constitutional Governor-General Canada has yet known. Let the Reformers of Leeds remember Gowan and his black flag when they are asked 'Who are you going to vote for?'"

"Who is Mr. Richards? A Canadian in birth and feeling. One who in doing honor to his country would be doing honor to all Canadians. He is no religious-political adventurer. He feels no shame in pointing to the stock from whence he sprang—the underbrush—which Mr. Gowan and his Tory friends were anxious to cut