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SAINT GEORGE.

The observance of St. George's day in all the various quarters of the world emphasizes the fact that greatness and goodness are verywhere reverenced, and that even though the critical may after a time question the character and achievements of a hero whose history is somewhat obscure and legendary, the world cherishes the good that may be revealed in his character and gives little credit to the aspersions on his fame to which currency is given by his detractors. As was stated by Father Davenport at the banquet last evening, there were cavillers in the time of St. George, just as there are today; men, doubtless, whose acts being obscured by his achievements, envied the fame which he won and endeavored to belittle them in the eyes of posterity. So has it been from the first. Slander, like death, loves a shining mark, and the man who escapes its shafts in most instances has in his composition little that merits either praise or blame. Such reunions as that which was held at the Dufferin last night are well calculated to encourage patriotic sentiment and to tighten the cords of friendship and union between their participants. According to the best accounts we have St. George was born at Cappadocia in the latter half of the 3rd century and died, or was put to death in Nicomedia, April 23, 303. He was a man of no mean origin and highly esteemed for his temporal dignities. It is told that when Diocletian posted his edict against the Christains in Nicomedia, St. George took it down and tore it in pieces, for which the offender was subjected to the most cruel punishment. A Greek inscription on a very ancient church in Syria, dated 346, mentions George as a holy martyr. Constantine the Great, built a church over his tomb, and converted a temple of Juno in Constantinople, into a church of St. George. St. George was honored in England, during the Anglo-Saxon period, and in the reign of William the Conqueror there was a church of St. George in Oxford. England, Aragon, Portugal and Genoa chose him as their patron saint, and in 1222 a council at Oxford decreed that the day of his death or martyrdom should be observed as a national holiday. Saint George is the patron saint of Russia, the order having been founded by Catherine II, in 1769. The Mahommedans revere the saint under the name Ghergis, by whom many shrines have been erected in his honor. "He is generally represented, according to a comparatively modern legend, as slaying a dragon sent by a magician, Athanasius, to devour a princess Alexandria."

THE NEWFOUNDLAND CASE.

The hearing of the Newfoundland delegates before the House of Lords yesterday was a notable event and well fitted to attract attention to the peculiar difficulties which surround the case of that ancient island colony. Sir William Whiteway, who spoke for his co-delegates, seems to have made an admirable presentation of Newfoundland's claims and wishes, and the impression produced by his speech is said to have been an excellent one. The proposals which he submitted as those which, in his opinion ought to be accepted by the imperial government, were as follows:—

That the Newfoundland legislature pass immediately an act authorizing the execution for this year of the modus vivendi and of the award of the arbitration commission, together with all the treaties and declarations, upon instructions from the queen in council.

That the further progress of the Knutsford bill be deferred until the passage of the above act and that the present arbitration agreement shall not be allowed to operate beyond the lobster question without obtaining the prior consent of the colony of Newfoundland, in which the colony shall be represented on the commission.

That the colony of Newfoundland desires that the agreement be for unconditional arbitration on all points that either party can raise under treaties. If this can be arranged between Great Britain and France, Newfoundlund will ask to be represenied upon the arbitration commission and will pass an act to enforce the execution of awards of the commission.

There does not seem to be anything unreasonable in these proposals although they have not been accepted by the British government. It is greatly to be desired that some satisfactory way of disposing of the Newfoundland difficulties may be soon discovered. The Newfoundland delegates are now, in a measure, appealing from the British government to the British people.

FIRE DRILL IN SCHOOLS.

The admirably graphic and realistic description of the fire drill in the Victoria and Centennial schools which we published yesterday shows that the Sun need not have gone to Toronto to find a system of fire drill on which to bestow its admiration. Each of these large schools was emptied of its pupils in less than a minute and a half, and the 700 children which each contained placed in safety without the slightest confusion or disorder. This was done in the presence of the representative of the GAZETTE without the slightest notice of the intention of the trustees to turn out the schools having been previously given. In proof of this it is only necessary to say that the proposal to test the efficiency of the system of fire drill did not come from the trustees but from the GAZETTE, so that the test was one precisely similar to the actual and practical result of the operation of the system in the event of a fire. We cannot but think that the Sun owes an apology to the school trustees and the public for having done injustice to the former and misled the latter with respect to this matter, but we did not observe any acknowledgement of its error in the Sun this morning. Perhaps the apology will come later.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

The finances of the United Kingdom appear to be in a good condition. Mr. Goschen, the chancellor of the Exchequer, expects a surplus of about $10,000,000, part of which will be applied to free education. The national debt was reduced by $32,500,000 last year and the reduction of the debt since the present government came into office has been $150,000,000. This is an excellent record.

The Sun this morning vigorously defends the action of the Normal School authorities in expelling the student-teacher Teseo from the institution. The Telegraph says that further inquiries are to be made but it does not say by whom. The GAZETTE is of the opinion that the matter should be investigated by the government. Perhaps the best way to sift the merits of the affair would be for Teseo to bring an action against the school authorities. If Mr. Justice Wetmore was in his usual health and spirits he would be the proper person to try such a case. At all events the precise offence for which Teseo was expelled should be more clearly defined than it has been.

A St John lady once an ornament to the teaching profession of this city but now the wife of an eminent citizen, on reading the statement clipped from the Gleaner and published in the Sun yesterday that Teseo's expulsion from the Normal school was due to Mr. Creed and his son, quietly remarked that young Creed would not be like his father if he was not a sneak. The general opinion of Creed senior is that he is a pimp and those who know his son say that he is a chip off the old block. The authorship of the absurd article which appeared in the Sun this morning on the Teseo affair is attributed to Creed senior. The teachers in the Normal school should be high toned gentlemen and not pimps.

The new postmaster, Mr. Hanington, is an active and capable person, who will not let the grass grow under his feet and he has a fine opportunity before him of improving the post office and running it in accordance with modern ideas. At present the post office is run more for the convenience of the clerks and the caretaker than for the benefit of the public, a state of affairs for which no one perhaps is particularly to blame, but which ought to be at once remedied by the new postmaster. The latter might make a beginning by ordering the main door to be kept fully open. The post office has three doors but most of the time only one half of one door is left open and the public have to enter in single file. The outer doors ought also to be left open later than 10 o'clock so that holders of boxes could get their letters after that hour. There are many other matters connected with the post office that might be improved, but it is not necessary to state them today, the main object of this paragraph being to congratulate the incumbent on his appointment.

The Dentist and the Telephone.

A certain fresh and verdant young knight of the forceps, in this town, had a strong reminder that the first day of April was All Fools Day. They do say he was called by telephone to attend an urgent demand from a fair patient at the North end, so, packing up his little kit of pain-creating tools, he hied him to the recent addition to our city, with joy and alacrity—joy to put another victim to the torture, and alacrity to pocket the fee, but alas: when he reached his destination, like Mother Hubbard's dog, he found the cupboard bare; in other words the house empty, and slowly and sadly he returned to his office, not knowing how much he had lost in office work by his little journey westward.

What troubles this youthful D. D. S. just at present, is to locate the practical joker; his mind, wavers between some of his fellow boarders, some of the ex-boarders in the large boarding house where he lives, and he even has a strong suspicion that friends in Portland may have put up this job on him.

Notwithstanding offers of ten to twenty dollars for the required information, the conundrum is no nearer solution now than it was on the first of April last and the whole matter is the source of as much amusement to the doctor's friends as it is discomfiture to him.

Provincial Points.

The swallows, the butterflies, and the dandelions as the first spring flowers, have made their appearance on Grand Manan.

A young lad named Wilbur, about 12 years of age occupies the cells for continually disobeying his parents.—Moncton Transcript.

Mr. Fred Pettingill, of Pembroke, has leased Hotel DeMonts, at Devil's Head, near St. Andrews, for this season, and is making preparation to open it at an early date.

A boy named Johnson, in attempting to board the express train last night as she neared Moncton station, was thrown under a car and had one of his feet so badly crushed as to necessitate amputation.

The steamer Flushing found it unusually rough off North Head on her trip home on the 15th instant, and had to keep off her course and go around South Head. It was thought that she would not come over on that day, but it has to be a rough day when Capt. John Ingersoll does not show up with the mails and passengers.—St. Croix Courier.

A GRAND DINNER.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY'S FEAST AT THE DUFFERIN LAST NIGHT.

A Most Harmonious and Enjoyable Closing Feature of the Celebration of St. George's Day—Toasts Proposed and Responded to in Admirable Speeches Full of Wit and Interesting Points.

The dinner which was given by St. George's society last evening was one of the best ever celebrated in St. John, and did infinite credit not only to the officers and members of the society, by whom it was ordered, but to the proprietor of the Dufferin, by whom it was prepared. It was the very reverse of the haunch of venison described in one of Shakespeare's plays as "Ill killed, ill cooked, and ill served," for the quality of the service and of the cooking equalled in every respect the excellence of the material of which the feast was made.

The chair was occupied by the president of the society, Mr. Arthur Everitt, he sitting in the centre of the room, while the vice president, Lieut. Colonel Armstrong and J. DeWolfe Spurr, occupied the ends of the long table, against each of which was placed a cross table. The dinner did not begin until 9 o'clock, and was disposed of in about an hour and a half, after which the speeches commenced. The first toast was of course the usual one of the Queen, and it was given by the president. The second toast, the Governor General was given by J. DeWolfe Spurr. Both toasts were drunk with great heartiness but were not responded to. Lieut. Col. Armstrong then gave the president of the United States in a few well chosen and complimentary words, in which he referred to the close intimacy which existed between Canada and that country. General Warner, in the absence of the consul, responded in a very excellent speech. He expressed the hope that the time might be far distant when the toast of the President of the United States would be drunk less heartily at a St. George's dinner than it was to-night. He expressed the opinion that there never would be anything but friendly rivalry between the two countries, and that if any difficulties should ever arise and that Canada should be invaded by a foreign nation the people of the United States would not be the men to stand by and see this country injured. He trusted and believed that perpetual friendship would prevail.

Mr. H. L. Sturdee then gave the fourth toast, The Lieutenant Governor, in a highly complimentary speech, in which he said that no matter how much some of them may have differed from Sir Leonard Tilley in their political opinions they all acknowledged his worth and his excellence as a lieutenant governor. Sir Leonard, who had been invited to the feast, was unfortunately absent, owing to ill health, and therefore the toast was not responded to.

Canon Brigstocke then proposed The Day we Celebrate in a very admirable speech in which he said that we must aim to make Canada great, but that the true sources of greatness were religion and principle. These were the elements of a nation's greatness and only on their foundation could it be built firm and strong.

Mr. Porter then sang Out in the Deep. Rev. J. M. Davenport gave Our Sister Societies in a humorous strain, referring in particular to the slanders which had been current and which had been embalmed in Gibbon's history in regard to the character of the patron saint of England, who had been represented in some quarters as a dishonest army contractor who made a fortune by selling bad bacon to the army. He coupled with the toast the name of Robert Milligan, the president of St. Andrews society.

Mr. Milligan responded in a speech of some length, and then Mr. J. Twining Hartt sang "The Old Brigade" in admirable style. This was encored so heartily that in response to the unanimous requests of the guests he gave the fine old song "Drinking."

The next toast on the programme, The City of St. John, was proposed by the Hon. Thomas R. Jones, who described some of the trials and difficulties this city had passed through in consequence of the changes in its trade and the losses inflicted upon it by the great fire. He expressed the belief that the energy and industrial enterprise of the people of St. John would make good any losses which we had sustained, and that the future of the city was hopeful and promising.

Mayor Peters responded to this toast in a lengthy speech, in which he referred more particularly to the necessity for harbor improvement and to the determination of the new council to grapple with that subject and bring it to a proper conclusion. He thought that St. John was entitled to be considered the first city in the maritime provinces, and one of the most important cities in all Canada.

Mr. A. P. Tippett then proposed The Learned Professions, coupled with the names of Canon Roberts, Drs. Bayard and Thomas Walker and Dr. Barker.

Canon Roberts responded in a very humorous and excellent speech. Dr. Bayard also responded and took occasion to give a short sketch of the improvement in medical and surgical matters during the past century. He expressed the opinion that the medical profession had never been properly recognised. Dr. Walker also spoke briefly on behalf of the medical profession. Dr. Barker, who spoke for the lawyers, made quite a witty speech, and expressed the opinion that the gentlemen of the long robe had hardly received their just due in the way of honors. This speech put every one in good humor and Mr. Joseph Woodland than sang a spirited piece, In Praise of Britain.

Dr. Barker who was entrusted with the next toast, the Army and the Navy and the Auxiliary Forces, made another excellent speech in which he made particular reference to Lieut. Col. Armstrong of the artillery, and Major Markham of the 7th Hussars. Major Drury responded and was followed by Colonel Armstrong and Major Markham. All these made good speeches, not without their share of humor.

Mr. J. D. Hazen then gave the toast of The Press, and said some words of praise in regard to the papers of St. John, which he considered to be conducted with great energy and spirit, and to be deserving of the support and confidence of its people. He coupled with the toast the names of Mr. Ellis, of the Globe, Mr. Hannay, of the GAZETTE, and Mr. McCready, of the Telegraph. Mr. Ellis, in responding made a very graceful and pleasant speech, and was most heartily applauded. Mr. McCready and Mr. Hannay also responded. The latter illustrated the change that had taken place in the press of St. John in his time by stating that in 1863, the Monday morning paper was set up on Saturday afternoon, and the forms locked up at 6 o'clock P. M. on that day, so that no matter what event occurred between Saturday at 6 p. m., and Monday morning it was not chronicled in Monday's paper. Now if a piece of news which is known half an hour before the paper goes to press is not published the newspapers are supposed to be negligent in their duty.

Dr. Daniel gave the toast of The Ladies and Captain Hartt sang a song, while responses were made by Dr. Addy Mr. S. F. Matthews and others.

It was well on in the morning before dinner broke up, but everyone agreed that a more pleasant evening had never been spent at any dinner which ever took place in St. John. The spirit of the whole affair was very excellent, and there was not a word spoken or an action performed which was not in harmony with the festive and agreeable character of the occasion, or which anyone would afterwards have reason to regret.

The Duty of the Hour!

TO THE EDITOR OF THE GAZETTE:—

Sir: This morning the Telegraph draws attention, to the fact, that today Saint John is represented at Ottawa; by three Liberal-Conservatives, and, at Fredericton, by six members, in harmony with the policy of Sir John A Macdonald; and, that Saint John, has also as chief magistrate of the city a Liberal Conservative mayor. These statements made by the Telegraph, are all true; one feels like congratulating the said newspaper, upon making so many statements, at one and the same time, in accordance with truth!

Now, however, we may fairly ask ourselves what is "the duty of the hour?"—The writer, for one, has ever had but one opinion with regard to our ever open port; and that is that it should be made a free port, or, at least a cheap port for tonnage, and that the harbor should be deepened to say 28 feet at low tide; and that Saint John should have increased warehouse and wharf accommodation, a dry dock; together with increased and improved wet dock facilities, and also one or more modern grain elevators. All these improvements are absolutely necessary if St. John is to rank as a great international port, and there is no sound or common sense reason why she should not so rank as the great Atlantic winter port of Canada.

These improvements, will cost over $2,000,000; and, there is no good reason, in my judgment, why the ordinary tax payer, should be called upon to pay one single dollar, directly through our chamberlain's office, for these national and interprovincial harbor improvements. It is the duty and privilege of the government and parliament at Ottawa to come to the aid of the great winter port of Canada; and, treat Saint John, dollar for dollar, in the like generous manner which has been meted out generous aid to our great summer port of Montreal. In order to be in a position to demand, such fair treatment, at the hands of the government and parliament of Canada, this city of Saint John owes a duty to itself; and, that duty is, to my mind, clear and unmistakable; and, that is, to place the harbor in commission; and thus let Saint John rank as a great international port. Let our new city council do this and at the same time ask that parliament, which is to meet in a few days, amend the present law so as to give the mayor of Saint John and the chairman of the public works department, seats at the board of harbor commissioners ex-officio. Let the common council sink party politics and for once act in the true interests of our ever open port. ATLANTIC PORT.

St. John, April 23.

While sheriff McCormick was engaged yesterday afternoon in making evictions at Loisenring No. 3, Scottdale, Penn., a Hungarian woman named Glashko shot at him, inflicting a painful flesh wound in his hand. He took the revolver from her and she then attacked him with an axe cutting him in the foot. A crowd of strikers gathered and the sheriff was attacked by a Hungarian man. The sheriff shot the man in the mouth and the evictions were carried through.

SCHR. JOHN H. KENNEDY, Capt. Wm. Snow, arrived on Tuesday with 3000 lbs. halibut and 6000 lbs. steak codfish, making a gross stock of $350—the result of two days' fishing on the off shore ground.—Yarmouth Telegram.

THE SAW MILLS, at Goose creek, Crooked creek and Shulee have commenced operations. The bark Low Wood, chartered to load at Grinstone Island will take deals sawn at Shulee by Messrs. Prescott & Gillespie.

F. MOORE & SON sent upwards of two hundred men up the creek last week, to take advantage of the earliest rise of water to rush their lumber down.—Woodstock Press.

Forty eight persons were injured at the scene of the explosion at Rome yesterday. King Humbert visited the hospital where the injured are being cared for.

The fishermen at Fortime bay are in armed revolt and determined to resist. Thirty-four armed schooners have left Pierre, Miq., for the Banks.

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