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THE POLITICAL ARENA.

The Reform Party Solid and Sanguine.

A Grist of Good Men Put in the Field.

James F. Lister Selected by West Lambton.

Mr. Laurier's Nomination in Richmond and Wolfe, Que.

Montreal Annex of the "Red Parlor" Denounces Reciprocity in Any Form.

TUESDAY'S NOMINATIONS.

The Liberals made the following nominations yesterday in Ontario:

Addington—G. W. Dawson.
Brockville—D. Derbyshire.
Cornwall and Stormont—J. G. Snetsinger.
East Bruce—R. Traux.
East Elgin—Dr. Wilson.
East Northumberland—M. P. Ketchum.
East Peterboro—Thomas Rorke.
Lincoln—William Gibson.
North Essex—Wm. McGregor.
Prince Edward—Dr. Platt.
South Wellington—James Innes.
West Northumberland—J. Hargraft.
West Lambton—J. F. Lister.

The Conservatives made the following selections:

East Huron—A. H. Musgrove.
East Bruce—Henry Cargill.
East Peterboro—John Burnham.
Monck—A. Boyle.
North Grey—James Masson.
North Wellington—L. P. Clarke.
Ottawa—J. M. McDougall.
South Grey—John Blythe.
Welland—Dr. Ferguson.
West Toronto—Col. F. C. Denison.

LIBERAL NOMINATIONS IN NOVA SCOTIA.

Annapolis—W. Chipman.
Cape Breton—J. H. Murray and J. O. McPherson.
Shelburne—Thomas Robertson.
Digby—E. A. Bowers.
Queen's—F. G. Forbes.
Halifax—A. G. Jones and E. Farrell.
Lunenburg—J. Eisenbauer.
King's—D. Borden.

QUEBEC LIBERAL NOMINATIONS.

Richmond and Wolfe—Hon. W. Laurier.
Chambly—Mr. Prefontaine.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND NOMINATIONS.

Liberals—L. D. Davis and W. Welch.
Conservatives—D. Ferguson and P. Blake.

WEST LAMBTON.

SARNIA, Feb. 10.—The West Lambton Reform Convention to-day was one of the largest and best ever held in the county. The Town Hall was filled to the doors. Mr. Trotter, of Petrolea, president of the West Lambton Reform Association, was in the chair, and Mr. George Leys, the secretary, attended to the duties of his office. The credentials handed in showed a full representation present from every municipality in the riding. The unanimous nomination of the convention was tendered to their former representative, Mr. Jas. F. Lister, who responded in a powerful speech, traversing the alleged reasons given by the Government for dissolving Parliament in spite of pledges given to the House and the country, and in violation of the constitutional rights of the people. Mr. Lister's telling arraignment of Sir John Macdonald's administration aroused the enthusiasm of the large audience to the highest pitch. He was followed by Mr. Graham, ex-M.P.P., who said East Lambton was ready to do its duty on March 5, and show Sir John Macdonald that his reign of deception and humbug is at an end. Mr. Charles Mackenzie also delivered a practical address on the great public issues the people have been called upon to decide.

Strong resolutions in support of the Liberal policy and the leaders of the great Reform party were carried amid the heartiest applause. A vote of thanks was given to the chairman, and, with cheers for the Queen and Mr. Lister, the convention closed. The feeling throughout the riding is one of unbounded confidence in the result of the election, not only in West Lambton but throughout the Dominion.

NORTH ESSEX.

WINDSOR, Feb. 10.—To-day was nomination day for the Reformers of North Essex. It was an enthusiastic meeting, and if the enthusiasm shown is an indication of how the people of Essex feel the north riding will follow in the steps of the south. North Essex is for unrestricted reciprocity. Even the Conservatives are in favor of the trade policy of the Reform party, and many of their most prominent men threaten to bolt and vote for that policy which will give them increased markets, prices and land values. By 2 o'clock the 155 delegates gathered in Lang's Hall. Promptly on time President Luke Montreuil took the chair, and in a neat little speech called for an informal nomination. The names proposed were: Gaspard Pacaud, ex-M.P.P.; George Wintermute, ex-warden, Maidstone; D. W. Mason, ex-mayor of Sandwich; Warden Boutellier, of Belle River; George Bartlett, Windsor; R. Sutherland, Windsor; Francis Cleary, E. Elliott, T. M. Morton, Dr. Brien, ex-M.P., and Wm. McGregor, ex-M. P., Windsor. All of the candidates spoke for unrestricted reciprocity. All withdrew except D. W. Mason, Gaspard Pacaud, ex-M.P.P.; Wm. McGregor, ex-M.P., and George Wintermute, ex-warden of the county. The balloting resulted in the nomination going to Mr. McGregor.

During the balloting, W. D. Balfour, M. P. P. for South Essex, was loudly called for, and on reaching the platform was received with tremendous cheering. He gave an excellent address. On motion of Messrs. Pacaud and Wintermute, Mr. McGregor's candidature was made unanimous. Mr. McGregor addressed the meeting briefly, thanking them for their support. A course of campaign meetings will be immediately instituted.

EAST ELGIN.

AYLMER, Feb. 10.—The Reformers of East Elgin met in convention in the Town Hall here this afternoon to select a candidate to contest the riding at the pending Dominion elections. A larger or more enthusiastic gathering never assembled in the riding. The St. Thomas delegation numbered 60. They chartered a special train on the Grand Trunk. They presented an imposing appearance as they marched from the station to the hall; decorated with badges and headed by Dr. J. H. Wilson, ex-M.P. The townships also sent full delegations. Every delegation reported a stampede from the Tory ranks of farmers who are tired of the National Policy, with its monopolies and rings. J. McGlenn, of St. Thomas, president, took the chair.

Mr. Orlo Seeley, of Bayham, amidst enthusiastic applause, nominated Dr. J. H. Wilson, the efficient member in the late Parliament. Geo. Upper, of St. Thomas, a Michigan Central engineer, seconded the nomination. Dr. Sinclair, of Aylmer, amidst loud demonstrations of approval, moved that the nomination be made unanimous. Israel Morse, of St. Thomas, seconded the motion, which was put and carried amid a storm of applause.

Dr. Wilson, in a brief address, accepted the nomination and thanked his friends for the renewed expression of their confidence in him. Speeches were delivered by J. C. Dance, ex-M.P.P., G. H. Haight, E. G. O'Donnell, W. O. Pollock, Wm. Chamberlain, Frank Hunt, L. Law, Dr. Sinclair, Wm. Deo, Walter Lewis, W. E. Leonard and A. Hess. The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen and Dr. Wilson. The Town Hall was packed with delegates, and all agreed that it was the most enthusiastic political gathering ever held in Aylmer.

SIR ADOLPHE'S HARDSHIPS.

OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—The haste of the Government to snatch a verdict has resulted in a preliminary set-back to one of themselves. Sir Adolphe Caron, who had been hunting for a constituency, had finally settled on Chicoutimi, when it was discovered that the returning officer had returned the writ to Ottawa, with the statement that he could not get the notices posted in time for nomination day. There will have to be a new writ issued for Chicoutimi, fixing the election there for a later date. In the meantime the Ministerial dove is looking for a resting place amid the political flood.

HAMILTON.

HAMILTON, Feb. 10.—The political situation here remains quiet. The Reformers are working away for the return of Hon. J. M. Gibson, and everything looks bright for a successful ending. The convention of the Conservatives has been called for to-morrow night. It is well understood that Alex. McKay will be one of the candidates, but the second has not been determined upon.

THEY DENOUNCE RECIPROCITY.

MONTREAL, Feb. 10.—A meeting of the Montreal annex of the red parlor was held in the Temple building this afternoon. Hon. Senator Drummond presided and nearly all the manufacturers of the city were present. A resolution was presented and carried denouncing reciprocity in any form. This complicates the situation still further, because it places the manufacturers and Sir John Macdonald at variance on every question.

KINGSTON.

KINGSTON, Feb. 10.—The Reformers of Kingston do not remember a more enthusiastic meeting than that held in the Golden Lion block last evening. The two large halls, each capable of holding probably 800 people, were packed to the doors with voters, the majority of whom were workingmen. Never before in the history of political campaigns have so many workingmen congregated together in the city. J. D. Thompson, president of the Reform Association, presided, and in his opening remarks stated that Mr. Gunn, the winning card, had accepted the nomination of the Reform Association. It was a sure tip that he would be the winner on March 5 if the Reformers worked together in harmony. The meeting indorsed the nomination of Mr. Gunn with mighty cheers. All through the evening they thoroughly indorsed the speeches made, and more particularly those which pictured bright times in the result of unrestricted reciprocity, the best market for the producer, the cheapest market for the consumer. The committees have got to work with a vim and energy that augurs well.

NORTH LEEDS AND GRENVILLE.

MERRICKVILLE, Feb. 10.—At the mass meeting of the Liberal party of the north riding of Leeds and Grenville the nomination of Mr. F. T. Frost, of Smith's Falls, was most enthusiastically indorsed by the entire audience rising to their feet. Mr. Frost contested the riding in 1882 unsuccessfully, but eight years have worked a change in the feelings of the electors here, and his prospects in the coming contest are most encouraging. He is by far the most popular man in the riding.

EAST BRUCE.

WALKERTON, Feb. 10.—In response to the president, Mr. A. Cameron, the largest and most influential body of Reformers ever convened in Formosa met there to-day. Delegates from every polling sub-division in the riding were present. The following gentlemen were nominated: H. P. O'Connor, Q.C., M. P.; R. Truax, manufacturer and reeve of Walkerton; A. Waechter, reeve of Brant; Captain Findlay, of Brant, Thos. Inglis, of Carrick, John Henderson, reeve of Carrick. Excellent speeches were made by all the nominees. All resigned in favor of R. Traux, whose nomination was then made unanimous by a standing vote. Loud cheers were given for the candidate, who thanked the convention for the honor, and in accepting reminded them that he required the hearty assistance of every Reformer in the riding to work until polling day, when he had no doubt the riding would be redeemed. The party goes into the contest with a confidence that presages a glorious victory on the 5th of March.

CORNWALL AND STORMONT.

NEWINGTON, Feb. 10.—The convention of the Reformers of Cornwall and Stormont, held here to-day, was the largest and most enthusiastic ever held in the county, several hundred electors being present and every municipality well represented. Dr. W. A. Munro presided. John G. Snetsinger, of Moulinette; D. B. W. McLennan, Q.C., Cornwall; D. P. McKinnon, South Finch, and C. J. Mattice, Cornwall, were nominated, but all except Mr. Snetsinger retired, and his nomination was made unanimous amid loud cheering. The outlook is most encouraging. Dr. Bergin is thoroughly discredited with the people by his unfulfilled promises, and ever so many of his life-long supporters will vote for him no longer on this account and on the reciprocity question. Mr. Snetsinger's friends count confidently on success by a good majority on the 5th March.

ADDINGTON.

NAPANEE, Feb. 10.—A mass meeting of Reformers was held this day in the Town Hall at Harrowsmith to elect officers and choose a candidate for the Riding of Addington. Mr. James Aylesworth, of Tamworth, the president of the Addington Reform Association occupied the chair. The following gentlemen, ardent Reformers every one of them, were nominated: Geo. W. Dawson, Wm. Haycock, G. B. Aylesworth, George Morrison, Robert Madden, T. W. Lucas, G. B. Howell, H. McKim, H. M. Deroche, E. J. Madden, H. D. Shibley, W. B. Mills, P. Vanluven, M. Stoness, W. Shannon, H. Keach, John Bertram, B. H. O'Loughlin. One by one these gentlemen declined. George W. Dawson was the last name called, and he accepted the nomination and gave a short address on the issues now before the electorate. The meeting cheered the various speakers lustily, and all present left the hall elated by the hope of success. Mostly farmers were present, and the hall was well filled.

LINCOLN.

ST. CATHARINES, Feb. 10.—A mass meeting of those in favor of the Liberal policy of wider trade relations with the United States and the general views of the Reform party convened in the opera house at 1:30 p.m. to-day. Mr. J. B. McIntyre, president of the Reform Association, occupied the chair and a large number of prominent gentlemen took seats on the platform. Mr. William Gibson, contractor, of Beamsville, was nominated amid thundering cheers. Mr. Gibson on being introduced was received with applause and prolonged cheers. He thanked the convention for the favor conferred upon him. He was ready for the contest, and would fight to win. Mr. John Crerar, Q.C., of Hamilton, addressed the meeting upon the trade question in a rousing speech. With three cheers for the Queen, for Wilfrid Laurier and for Sir Richard Cartwright, dispersed the most enthusiastic political meeting ever held in Lincoln.

THE ENGLISH PRESS ON THE SITUATION.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The Times says it is impossible to feel entire sympathy with either side in the Canadian struggle. The situation is so curiously complex and the play of forces so subtle that it would be rash to speculate on the result.

The Chronicle says the fact that Mr. Blaine treats Canada's advance with hauteur causes surprise in England, but it is easily explained when once we grasp the fact that Mr. Blaine is maturing a great scheme of policy wherein Canadian reciprocity forms a rather trivial element. When he examines the Macdonald proposal in the light of his great Pan-American Zollverin scheme and the McKinley Act we greatly fear he will have nothing whatever to say to it.

LIBERAL CONVENTIONS.

Feb. 11—North Perth at Listowel.
Feb. 11—South Huron at Brucefield.
Feb. 11—Halton at Milton.
Feb. 12—North Norfolk at Waterford.
Feb. 12—East Lambton at Watford.
Feb. 12—West Huron at Dungannon.
Feb. 12—East Simcoe at Orillia.
Feb. 12—North Wellington at Arthur.
Feb. 12—East Lambton at Watford.
Feb. 12—South Grey at Durham.
Feb. 13—Kent at Chatham.
Feb. 13—North Simcoe at Stayner.
Feb. 13—West Bruce at Kincardine.
Feb. 13—South Middlesex at Delaware.
Feb. 13—Center Wellington at Fergus.
Feb. 14—North Waterloo at Waterloo.
Feb. 14—North Oxford at Woodstock.
Feb. 16—North Middlesex at Ailsa Craig.
Feb. 16—South Norfolk at Port Rowan.
Feb. 16—South Waterloo at Galt.
Feb. 16—North Brant at St. George.
Feb. 16—South Oxford at Ingersoll.
Feb. 16—Haldimand at Cayuga.
Feb. 16—South Oxford at Mount Elgin?
Feb. 17—West Elgin at Bismarck.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTIONS.

Feb. 11—South Wellington at Guelph.
Feb. 11—South Essex at Kingsville.
Feb. 11—Center Wellington at Fergus.
Feb. 12—North Essex at Windsor.
Feb. 12—North Middlesex at Ailsa Craig.
Feb. 12—Lincoln at St. Catharines.
Feb. 12—North Perth at Milverton.
Feb. 12—East Simcoe at Orillia.
Feb. 12—North Simcoe at Stayner.
Feb. 13—West Huron at Smith's Hill.
Feb. 14—South Wentworth at Hamilton.
Feb. 14—North Oxford at Woodstock.
Feb. 14—North Waterloo at Berlin.
Feb. 14—South Brant at Brantford.

NOTES.

Dr. Lanctot has been chosen as the Liberal candidate to oppose Mr. Desjardins in Hochelaga.

The Liberals have selected Mayor Michaud, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, as their candidate to oppose Mr. Girouard in Jacques Cartier.

In an election meeting in Montreal Monday night Premier Mercier declared himself in the most emphatic manner a supporter of Mr. Laurier and the Liberal party in the coming elections.

The Ottawa Free Press says: "The Government propose to provide for Mr. J. C. Rykert, the disgraced of Lincoln, by appointing him special judge of the Maritime Court of Ontario. The work of that court is now performed by County Court judges, but Rykert insists that his political friends must vindicate him, and prove that he is no worse than they are, by making him a judge."

It was reported in Toronto yesterday that nine Liberal members of the Nova Scotia Legislature would resign their seats in order to run for the Dominion House. Among these are two or three Ministers. Mr. Longley has gone to Annapolis to attend the Liberal Convention there. The Nova Scotia Government has thrown itself heartily into the contest in the Liberal interest. It was not thus in 1887.

CHEATING AT CARDS.

The Topic of Talk in London "Society."

Scandal in the Prince of Wales' "Set"—Action for Heavy Damages Begun.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—All classes of society are talking about the slander action brought by Sir William Gordon Cumming, who is one of the Prince of Wales' set, and one of the most popular men of club life and society generally, against five others of the same set, Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lycett Green, Mr. Stanley Wilson and Mr. Berkely Levett, on the ground that they imputed to him dishonest conduct while playing cards. The scandal has been whispered about for ten days or more, and as the whispers grew louder, Sir William Gordon Cumming had nothing to do but to bring the action. He is a member of the Marlborough Club, of which the Prince of Wales is a member, and of the Turf Club, and has the entry to the best houses in Great Britain. He is major and lieutenant-colonel of the Scots Guards, into which he exchanged from the Grenadiers in 1888. He is a well-known figure at the principal race meetings, at which he entertained or was entertained by some of the best known members of the sporting world.

Mrs. Arthur Wilson receives credit for putting the story afloat. She is the wife of the great Scotch shipbuilder, whose income is £100,000 a year. He is a great entertainer, and is frequently honored by the Prince of Wales' set at Grosvenor Square and Tranby Croft. Mrs. Lycett Green is the daughter of Mrs. Wilson.

The foundation for the story is laid at Tranby Croft, time the Doncaster race meeting last autumn. Sir William war a guest, and among the other guests were the Prince of Wales, Lord Coventry, and General William Owens. The five persons against whom the action is taken were playing baccarat with Cumming. Finally the game was stopped and Sir William taken aside and accused of unfair play. He indignantly denied this. The charge was that he shoved some stakes over the line, so that he had a reasonably sure thing against the bank. The accusers were determined, but promised to keep the matter a secret if he promised to sign a letter promising never to play cards again. This, it is said, was at the suggestion of the Prince of Wales. This is the story, and if the latter part be true it will be the strongest point against him. The secret was not kept, hence the action for slander. The defendants secured the services of Mr. George Lewis, who secured Sir Charles Russell. Sir William's counsel is Mr. Gill. Sir Charles Russell knows all the points of the game, and Mr. Gill is probably not far behind. If the case comes to trial it will create a tremendous sensation. The chances are against it, for the Prince is opposed to publicity. Anyway, it will not come up for six months. Meantime Sir William has sent in his papers asking to be allowed to retire on half pay. They have not been accepted yet. The commander-in-chief may order a military inquiry, as it would be a gross injustice to allow a brave soldier and accomplished gentleman to rest under a cloud for months. Sir William has an income of £12,000 a year. He is a justice of the peace and deputy-lieutenant of county Moray and deputy-lieutenant of county Banff. He has medals for bravery in the African campaign of 1879, Egyptian campaign of 1882 and with the Camel corps on the Nile in 1884. He has never married.

Idiocy Treated with the Knife.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 10.—An unusual surgical operation was performed yesterday at the Cincinnati Hospital, the object of which is to reclaim a child from idiocy. The patient was 4 years old. She cannot talk and has all the appearance of confirmed idiocy. A sister, 16 years, is an idiot. It was found that the skull was abnormally compressed and prematurely ossified. The physicians decided to remove a portion of the skull so as to allow the brain to develop. The operation was successfully performed. A strip half an inch wide and five inches long being removed, and the scalp neatly joined over the space. The child rallied and appears to be doing well.

A "Balloon" Bank Gone Up.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 10. — The Mechanics' Co-operative Bank, capital $200,000,000," which announced its organization in a highly colored prospectus here last summer, has collapsed. The officers last summer explained that the institution was a national building association, organized under the building association law of 1851. They said there was not actually $200,000,000 behind the concern, but there would be by and by when all the stock was subscribed for. Stock was issued at $200 a share, payable at the rate of $1 per month. Many poor people, mostly women, took stock in the concern. Jan. 20 the bank "filed" a report with the bank department, signed by Isaac B. Potter, president, and Thomas Birkett, secretary, stating the total receipts for the year 1890 were only $5,242, of which $2,352 was contributed by the directors for the expense fund. The liabilities were placed at $5,109, and total assets at $2,689. Mr. Potter claims to know but little about the concern. Andrew Wall, who was its president, resigned in October last, and claims everything was then all right.

St. Andrew's Brotherhood.

TORONTO, Feb. 10. — St. Andrew's Brotherhood was continued yesterday. Rev. Dr. Mockridge, assistant rector of Holy Trinity, made an eloquent appeal for free and open churches, and Canon Dumoulin made a strong appeal for the internal reformation of episcopacy. Resolutions were carried adopting St. Andrew's Cross, the organ of the American Brotherhood, as the Canadian organ, and indorsing the action of the Canadian delegates to Philadelphia and the convention and concordat formed there between the American and Canadian Brotherhood. Messrs. Dumoulin and Heath were appointed Canadian representatives on the Joint Committee. The following council was elected from Toronto: F. Dumoulin, N. F. Davidson, W. Walklacke, C. Evans, C. E. Rudge, C. D. Heath, G. N. Mackenzie. From outside: F. Garth, Montreal; S. Woodruff, Woodstock; E. B. Louche, Peterboro; A. D. Bliss, Ottawa; A. E. Rennie and W. B. Halcombe, Hamilton; A. R. Bunnell, Brantford; J. E. Perry, Guelph. An open meeting was held in the evening, attended by the Bishop of Toronto and others.

"A stitch in time saves nine," and if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla now it may save months of future possible sickness.

FOR CANADA ALWAYS.

Carling's Attempt to Make Capital Out of the School Children's Celebration.

What the Originators of the Fete Think About It.

School Trustee Cook was the originater of the Dominion Day demonstration of the children of London last year. He assured the editor of this journal that the demonstration would be non-partisan, that it would be conducted on non-jingo principles, that it would not be used to instill enmity or a love of bloodshed into the hearts of the rising generation, and that its sole object was to foster a Canadian national sentiment. Further, Mr. Cook promised that the trustees would never countenance the making of the demonstration an agency for obtaining political capital for anyone.

Mr. Cook was interviewed by an ADVERTISER reporter yesterday. Asked if he still held to the opinions expressed by him last June, he replied, "Most decidedly I do."

"Then you do not approve of Mr. Carling's attempt to make political capital out of our school children's demonstration, as was done by him in his Toronto speech?"

Mr. Cook—I object to any man, be he politician or be he private citizen, who would strive to divide our people into two hostile camps, gratuitiously assuming that any section of them are hostile to the Union Jack or our national institutions. I took action in this matter because I heard a teacher say that Canada would never be anything till we had a big population of Yankees and their capital here. My idea was and is that, though every good settler should be welcomed, we should all be Canadians. I held and hold that what we need is a national Canadian sentiment. We have the country, we have the natural resources, all we need is faith in our country, freedom to make the best of our splendid opportunities and a cultivation of the sentiment that Canada is worth living for. By adopting these means we can keep our young men here, and make them look to our country for its future rather than to any external influences. A day for instilling national patriotism into the little ones was what I wanted, and we had it. Both sides of politics are equally represented, and there was no distinction in creeds. Such a union is strength, and fairly represented the Union Jack. To try to make it appear that one half the community were hypocrites when they countenanced our gathering is calculated only to hurt future celebrations and do injustice to a large section of the community. I hold that all men are patriots till they prove that they are not.

Mr. E. H. Johnston, M.A., another of the trustees who went hand-in-hand with Trustees Cook, Yates and Stephenson, the committee, was also interviewed. He said: "The demonstration of the 'Hoisting of the Flag' was inaugurated for the sole and only purpose of inculcating patriotism in the youth of our city, and had no partisan significance whatsoever, as it owed its grand success to the united exertions of members of both political parties."

IN THE FIELD.

Names of the Candidates for Election to the Dominion Parliament.

The following are the candidates nominated in the different provinces up to the present date:

Ontario.

Constituency.	Ministerial.	Opposition.
Brant, S.		Paterson
Bruce, N.	McNeil	
Essex, S.		Allan
Elgin, E.	Ingram	
Grey, N.	Horsey	
Huron, E.		Macdonald
Hastings, E.		Burdette
Kingston	Macdonald, Edw'ds (Ind)	Gunn
Leeds, N., and Grenville		Frost
Leeds, S.		Fredenburg
Lanark, N.		Mohr
Lennox	Wilson	
London	Carling, Taylor (E.R.)	Hyman
Middlesex, W.		McFarlane
Northumb'land, E.	Cochrane	
Northumberland, N.		P. Mitchell
Ontario, N.		Cockburn
Oxford, S.	Walsh	Cartwright
Peterborough, W.	Stevenson	
Prince Edward	Miller	
Prescott	Routhier	
Peel	Culla	Fetherstone
Perth, S.	Sharp	
Renfrew, N.		Barr
Victoria, N.	Hughes	
York, N.	Pegg	
York, W.		Clement
Welland		German
Wentworth, N.	Wardell	Bain

Quebec.

Beauharnois		Poirier
Quebec, E.		W. Laurier
Quebec, W.	McGreevy	
Montreal Center	Curran	
Montreal, W.	Smith	
Jacques Cartier	Girouard	Michaud
Hochelaga	Desjardins	Lanctot
Rimouski		Tache

Nova Scotia.

Annapolis	Mills	
Antigonish	Thompson	
Cape Breton	McKeen, McDougall	
Colchester	Archibald	
Digby	Jones	
Guysboro	Fraser	Kirk
Halifax	Stairs, Kenny	Fraser
Hants	Putnam	
Inverness	Cameron	
Kings		Borden
Pictou	Tupper, McDougall	
Queens	Freeman	
Richmond	Gillies	Flynn, Paint (Ind.)
Shelburne	White	
Victoria	McDonald	Ross
Yarmouth		Lovitt

Prince Edward Island.

King's	McDonald, Muttart	McIntyre, Robertson
Queen's	Ferguson	Davies, Welsh
Prince		Yeo, Perry

New Brunswick.

Charlotte	Chipman	Gilmor
King's	Foster	
Restigouche	Moffatt	Haddon
Gloucester	Burns	
Pontiac		Taylor (E.R.)
Albert	Weldon	
Carleton	Vince	
King's		Domville
Northumberland	Adams	

Mrs. Moses Abbot, Hammondsport, N. Y., was in consumption for twenty years, became so weak as to be unable to sit up, and supposed her case incurable. She was cured by using WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.

At this season of the year Contenelene should be used for chapped hands, face and lips. This is a lotion of superior excellence, put up in 25-cent bottles and sold on a guarantee at STRONG'S Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. 24tf

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News of the Day Without Note or Comment.

CANADIAN.

The Supreme Grand Lodge, Sons of England, is in session at Hamilton.

The amount of revenue collected as Chinese poll tax at Vancouver, B. C., last month was $3,818, an increase of $802 over the same period last year.

A Toronto letter carrier named Robt. Jamieson was arrested yesterday. Several registered letters have been missing lately, and suspicion falling on him a decoy letter was used, with the result named.

Archbishop Fabre arrived at Montreal from Rome yesterday morning. He was met at the depot by a deputation of clergy and escorted to the cathedral, where the archbishop celebrated high mass.

UNITED STATES.

Abram Wight, a native of East India, died at Stockbridge, Mass., yesterday at the age of 109.

Gen. Sherman's daughter last night said: "His condition to-night is very serious, but not hopeless. Erysipelas has set in, and father is suffering a good deal of pain."

A passenger train going east ran into a freight train near Dansville, N. Y., about 10 o'clock last night. Engineer Arthur Inglehart, Brakeman Lyons and the fireman on the passenger train, name unknown, are reported killed.

William F. Wharton, First Assistant Secretary of State, and Miss Susan C. Lay, daughter of Richard G. Ley, United States Consul-General in Canada, were married at Washington yesterday. Many prominent people were present, and the bride's presents were elegant and numerous.

FOREIGN.

A sensation has been caused in Paris by the disappearance of a wealthy banker named Victor Mace.

The new Italian Cabinet will withdraw from the Chamber of Deputies all the financial bills presented by Signor Crispi.

The Correspondencea Espana, of Madrid states that negotiations for a new treaty of commerce with the United States are in progress.

The London News declares that since the deposition of Parnell neither Gladstone nor any leading Liberal has had any communication directly or indirectly with Parnell.

The building of the Finance Ministry at Rome, a gigantic edifice put up in 1870, threatens to collapse, being faulty in construction. It will cost $2,000,000 to make the necessary repairs.

In spite of the hitch in the negotiations between the opposing sections of the Irish party the meeting called by Mr. McCarthy for Thursday next will be held. Justin Huntley McCarthy, M.P., announces he will not seek a re-election, as he is absorbed in literary pursuits.

Business Embarrassments.

MONTREAL, Feb. 10.—Wells and Crossly, boot and shoe manufacturers of Craig street, assigned this afternoon with liabilities of $40,000.

Peter Harknes, drygoods merchant, has assigned on demand of Mr. J. M. Paisley liabilities of $6,000.

TORONTO, Feb. 10.—Boyd Bros., drygoods merchants, made an assignment Monday. Liabilities are put at considerably over $100,000, but their financial position is not yet clear.

For a Spiritual Song.

A Christmas Story.—A poor country congregation found itself badly in want of hymn books. The clergyman applied to a London firm, and asked to be supplied at the lowest (church) rates. The firm replied that on condition the hymn books contained certain advertisements, the congregation should have them for nothing. Necessity knows no law, and the minister sorrowfully complied, thinking to himself that when the advertisements came they could be removed from the leaves. The hymn-books arrived, and—joy of joys—they contained no interleaved advertisements. At the thanksgiving service the good parson joyously gave out the Christmas hymn, and the congregation sang the first verse with fervor. When they reached the last line they found that this was what they had been singing:

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