

Chignecto Post.

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Dr. HOLLAND in Scriber for October discusses the effect of British connection upon the national spirit of Canadians, and he concludes that notwithstanding our excellent Parliamentary system, our competitive civil service, our home-made laws and home-made rulers, our fertile and magnificent territory and our romantic history, that "political corruption can thrive even where the highest prizes are not at stake; that sordid pettiness of aim may breed some smaller and more contemptible kinds of politics; that the absence of great issues means an absence of great men; and that the lack of genuine nationality and of true independence has the same depressing effect upon the country and its inhabitants in our own times as it had from the foundation of the world."

To our mind the elections show that the national aspirations of the people have gathered enormous strength, and we cannot ignore this new element in our political life.

A CONQUEROR returning to his native city bearing the spoils of valor and the spoils of glories war—an Horatius standing alone in the breach and defending with his own right arm the altars and firesides of his country, are familiar types of men whom the people greet as demigods and crown with the laurel wreath of triumph.

THESE was a full committee meeting of the Liberal Conservatives in the Council Rooms, Dorchester, on Monday evening.

The New Minister of Public Works.

Brilliant Demonstration at Amherst.

On Friday morning last, the friends of Hon. Dr. Tupper, C. B., drove out in force from Amherst to meet and welcome him, on his return from the Parroboro district. There were a six horse team, four horse double and single teams, gaily flaunting party banners and national flags, and preceded and followed by brass bands discoursing triumphant airs, the procession reaching a distance of a mile or a mile and a half—escorted him back, and through the town to Coffey's Hotel. The Doctor, afterwards addressed the electors at the Drill Shed, which was well filled with the most enthusiastic crowd.

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Two heads will not go into one hat. We had one hat for Mr. Tilley and one for Mr. Mitchell. Both were incomparably superior to Sir Albert, and it would have been a gross act of wrong to let either of them have taken one of those offices to give to him. Not having a place for him to go to, what has he got to do? He has sacrificed principle for office and what is his reward? Look at the Bay Verte Canal. He (Dr. T.) had had that scheme written up as its merita demanded; he had had it placed before the consideration of the Canal Commissioners, and adopted as a part of the Canal system of Canada; he had had a sum placed in the estimates for it; surveys made, the line located, and work was about being let, and Sir Albert begged, as a personal favor that an independent inquiry as to the route would be made. He had said he wanted the Canal, and he wanted it where nature intended it should go. He acceded to Sir A. J. Smith's request. Alfred Jones, in a Halifax speech, boasting that one of the benefits of defeating the late Government was the saving of five millions of dollars that would have been wasted in the Bay Verte Canal had Sir John's Government been sustained. The part Sir A. J. Smith took in the matter deprived the Counties of Westmorland and Cumberland and the city of St. John of that great work—a work that would have been a perpetual source of wealth to the shipping and commercial classes of this country.

Not satisfied with killing it, what did he next do? He took half a million out of the estimates for it, and put \$200,000 in it for a report to bury it out of sight. Smith and Burpee having deserted their party and principles, have now got out of power, not only, not having accomplished anything, but having struck a blow at the best interests of their Province. And now the man, who left the grip benches and came over to us, and left us again when we could not give him what he wanted, he found knocking at the door and asking for admission. His reply will be, "Too late, Sir, too late." A first time deceived in a man's mind, a second time is his fault. We will leave him as a monument of the fate that overtakes a man who betrays his party and deserts his principles. He believed the time was not far distant when he (Smith) would run to encounter our and certain defeat, and he felt confident a majority of New Brunswick representatives would be found supporting the incoming Government. He could claim some credit as a prophet, because when he last addressed them he did so on the wall. They could not see it; they saw it now. The Mackenzie Government has been weighed in the balance and found wanting. If that Province had done nothing more, it has incurred a debt of gratitude from the Dominion by sending back that very able and great man, S. L. Tilley.

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that the people are too independent to be led by old dead issues, and that no party can live year after year on a stale scandal, a scandal without a particle of fresh blood, or a new issue—a necked skeleton. Mr. Pipes has said he had committed infidelity to the National Policy—that he had brought it to life only to strangle it again. Where is it now? It has grown to be a giant, towering in strength before the whole people, a policy that is going to give prosperity to this whole land, give it new life, set in motion all the varied springs of national vitality and activity.

Mr. Pipes then delivered a short speech, re-affirming his confidence in the policy and principles of the Reform party, and regretting their defeat. Mr. Pipes has a very good delivery and makes his points well. Messrs. Townsend and Vickery, the elected local candidates, and Messrs. Oxley and T. R. Black, the latter for Mr. Lewis, also spoke; when Hon. P. A. Landry was called upon, and delivered a short address, the Bay Verte Canal being represented by so brilliant a statesman as Charles Tupper.

Result of the Election.

The following list is as nearly complete and perfect as we can make it:—

Table with columns for County, Candidate, and Votes. Includes sections for Cumberland County, Westmorland County, and New Brunswick.

Advertisements This Day.

Flower Pots 18 Dozen Flower Pots.

Tea! Tea! Tea! 25 Boxes of Tea, CHOICE QUALITY.

FLOUR

100 BLS. FLOUR, "Triumph" Brand.

Carpets, Paints, Oil, &c.

NEW ALL-WOOL CARPETS; New Taperstry Carpets; New Brussels Carpets.

Grey & White Cottons.

PRINTS & SHIRTINGS. Ladies' and Gent's Silk Ties and Scarfs.

Boots, Shoes & Slippers.

2 CASES LADIES' SERGE BOOTS; 1 case Misses' Serge and Kid Boots.

Iron and Steel.

20 Tons Iron and Steel, Including Full Assortment and Sizes required for Carriage Builders.

Window Glass.

132 BOXES, All Sizes from 7x9 to 24x36 inches.

Tobacco.

73 Boxes and Caddes CHOICE HIGH GRADE TOBACCO.

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NEW FALL GOODS; New Colored Dress Goods, 20c to 25c per yard; Straw Hats and Shapes; Black and Colored Silk and Velvet.

REMOVAL

The Amherst Warehouse Co.

CARPETS.

We buy in the best Carpet market in the world, and they are always of superior value.

FURNITURE.

A short inspection of this Department of our trade will suffice to convince customers both as to the superior quality of the Goods and the extremely low prices.

HARDWARE.

We keep a large Stock of Builders' and Saddlery Hardware, together with table and pocket Cutlery of all kinds.

GROCERIES.

A very choice lot of Family Groceries constantly on hand.

TEA-MEETING.

A TEA-MEETING will be held at the New Church, MOUNT PLEASANT, on Thursday, 3rd October.

Excursions to Quebec, Montreal, Toronto and Niagara Falls.

Tickets good to return within 30 days from the date of issue, will be sold during the month of September and up to the 5th October, as follows:

NOTICE.

A FIRST or Second Class MALE A. TEACHER wanted to take charge of the School in School District No. 2, Bay Verte, Westmorland, for next term commencing 1st November.

Just Received.

100 SIDES Spanish Sole Leather, FOR SALE CHEAP FOR CASH.

Advertisements This Day.

American Furniture

Just Received from Boston: 10 DRESSING CASE CHAMBER SUITS, handsomely painted, walnut trimmings; 7 Walnut Extension Tables, from 7 feet to 10 feet; 2 Walnut Filler Extension Tables; Gents' and Ladies' Rocking Chairs; Students' Chairs, Patent Rockers; Large and Small Easy and Rocking Chairs, in walnut; Walnut Centre Tables, with and without Marble Tops; Hair Cloth Sofas, Lounges; Bostons, Chairs, Nurse Chairs; Spring Beds, Case Seat Chairs; And a full line common Furniture.

NEW GOODS!

Just Opened, Sept. 25th: BLACK LUSTRES, from 12c. up to 47c. per yard; Black and White Prints, extra value and New Patterns; Bilk and Cold Cashmeres and Merinos; Ladies' & Gent's Linen Handkerchiefs; White Shirtings, &c.; Black and White Silk Scarfs; Laces, Frillings, Laces; Gent's Black and Cold Bows & Scarfs; Linen and Paper Collars and Cuffs, &c.

Tobacco and Cigars.

JUST OPENED: Fine Chewing & Smoking Tobaccos Real Havana Cigars, &c.

Fish.

ON HAND:—Codfish, Pollock, Herrings and No. 1 Shad, for sale low.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to me are respectfully requested to make payment in full before the 1st day of December next, otherwise their accounts will be handed over to a lawyer for collection, as I have disposed of my place and business.

A CARD!

To the Electors of the County of Albert. GENTLEMEN,—I beg to offer my best and warmest thanks to those electors who so kindly gave me their support at the last election.

St. Anne, Ottawa River.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. THE letting of the works at St. Anne has unavoidably to be postponed to the following dates:—

Lime / Lime!

Just Received per Schr "Eda." 50 Casks of Lime

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JUST RECEIVED! HARDWARE. THE Subscribers are about MOVING their STOCK OF GOODS to other Premises, and for the next 30 DAYS Will sell the following Goods at Reduced Prices: Builders' Hardware, Glass, Paints, Oils, Putty, Zinc, Nails, Locks and Hinges, Blacksmiths' Bellows, Anvils, &c.

COTTON WARPS! WHITE AND COLORED Cotton Warps, FOR SALE LOW. PRESCOTT & HARPER, BAY VERTE, N. B.

Drying Lumber, &c. GEORGE WOODS, THE WELL KNOWN Organ Manufacturer. CAMBRIDGEPORT, MASS.

Local and other Matters. ACADEMIA has this year 70 students. A New Academy of Music is commenced at St. John. THE Agricultural Exhibition takes place at Sackville on 15th October. OIL, SOLE LEATHER, just received by J. R. Ayer.—Advt. next week.

THE new Methodist Church at Fairfield will be opened on the 6th October. Particulars in our next. A New Masonic Hall, 100x40 and two stories high, was dedicated at Newcastle on Friday night.

THE body of George Greer, aged 65 years, was found on the roadside at Simonds on Monday evening last. He was a feeble old man and in falling face down had probably smothered. A LAD NAMED GUNN, whose people reside at Han'sport, N. S., accidentally shot and killed himself on Thursday. He was riding in a cart with a horse and a pig, leaning on the muzzle, when it was in some way discharged. Medical assistance was procured, but he died in a short time.

ORDINATION.—The holy order of Priesthood was conferred on Saturday at St. Mary's Cathedral, Halifax, by the Archbishop, on the Rev. W. B. Hamilton, of Amherst.

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Business Notes. James Duncan & Co., Charlottetown, have suspended. Liabilities are nearly half a million dollars. The principal creditors are Sir James Malcolm, Liverpool, (who is on a visit to one of his family without particular preparation, as his habits were peculiar, and he had done the same thing before. The family did not think his absence a serious matter. The Ward family consisted of Ward, his wife, two daughters and two boarders, a man named Dowd and one McCarthy. It appears that Dowd left the house shortly before the murder was committed, but he had talked of going away from home. His wife concluded he had gone on a visit to one of his family without particular preparation, as his habits were peculiar, and he had done the same thing before.

The weakness of the Opposition cause in this Province Dr. Tupper ascribes to the want of a leader and a press. We have secured a leader in the able and high-minded man, S. G. Tilley. True, our metropolitan press went over to the enemy, but the rural press remained steadfast to the Opposition. The Newcastle Advocate never flinched from its principles. The St. Croix Courier waged an unceasing battle against the Grit juggernaut. In its enthusiasm the Grit Times developed into a daily, and launched diurnal thunderbolts. The Fredericton Reporter maintained a good stout fight. The St. Andrews Standard and the Carleton Place alone of the country press left the Opposition and supported Mackenzie. In the place of those two new and promising papers have been started and are doing good work in the national cause, viz., the Woodstock Press and the Bay Pilot. Two new papers, the Agriculturalist and the Chatham Advance were started in the Government interest. Dr. Tupper ought therefore to be proud of the support given his cause by our country press. In the city the New Dominion made a brilliant fight for the Opposition alone, until the Sun rose to disperse the political mists that had hung like a nightmare over St. John.

As we expected the elections have relieved Mr. Mackenzie of the cares and responsibilities of office. He will now have an opportunity of retiring into comparative quiet. With others we looked for the defeat of the Government, but certainly not one so overwhelming. The Opposition journals told us to prepare for a great triumph, but as the Toronto Globe and St. John Telegraph assured us that Ontario was Grit to the backbone and that they were sure of a majority of FORTY, we were very moderate in our expectations. But when, instead of a majority of forty, they are in a minority of EIGHTY, the folly of regarding them as reliable judges is at once apparent. No doubt there will be cases of political decapitation on both sides, for elections are not yet run on purely patriotic principles. Nothing can now be done to change the result and Messrs. Mackenzie & Co. will have to bow down and out. In the glory or disgrace of their expulsion, we in New Brunswick have had very little to do, and as a consequence we find ourselves in the pitiable plight of having sacrificed our all for the sake of those who cannot help us if they could. Our Declaration passed off very quietly. Mr. Rogers having been declared elected, in a very moderate and unpretending manner thanked the electors for placing him at the head of the poll, and proposed to do all he could to promote the country's welfare. Messrs. Mackenzie and Donville, followed in good natured addresses, joyously remarking that in the three-handed game they had played, they had come out the losers, but assuring Mr. Rogers that his success would be the only way to secure their hearty support. As Hon. Mr. Hanington, M. P. P., was present, calls were made for him to speak, to which he responded for nearly an hour, in a temperate but telling speech congratulating the recent triumph and warning the Opposition that a better day had dawned upon us. Just as the crowd was dispersing, James Donville, M. P. P. and A. E. Killam, Esq., M. P. P., drove up, when several cheers were given for the must speak. No man can truly report James Donville's addresses, and especially now when flushed with victory. Suffice to say, it was fiery, flaming, exhaling, and took. There are all sorts of rumours in circulation and gossip has it that the validity of the election is to be tested in the Courts, but of this your correspondent is not informed. When the news of the great victory reached here on Wednesday the rejoicing was general. Oulton Hall was gaily decorated with flags to celebrate the defeat of the man who said he would "throw up his hat and cheer when the British flag would be hauled down from the Citadel." In the evening bon fires blazed in honor of the event. We have little else to write about matters in general are not much talked of, and a week or two must elapse before we can come down to the ordinary level.

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ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION. Special to Chignecto Post. MONCTON, Sept. 25.—The demonstration in honor of Hon. Messrs. Tupper and Tilley was a magnificent affair. Mr. Tilley arrived at noon and Dr. Tupper at 4 o'clock. Although the people had only a few hours' notice of the coming of the distinguished gentlemen, a large crowd headed with a band of music, met the party at the Station and escorted them to the Weldon House where a party of twenty-five sat down to dinner. Amongst those present were James Donville, Esq., Hon. Peter Mitchell, R. A. Chapman, J. L. Black, A. E. Killam and others. At seven o'clock, a torch light procession, half a mile long escorted the party to the Bank, where two or three thousand persons awaited their arrival. D. A. Duffy, Esq., was called to the chair. An address of welcome was read by H. T. Stevens, Esq. Mr. Tilley spoke three quarters of an hour, and was followed by Dr. Tupper, who spoke an hour, and by Messrs. Donville, Mitchell, Chapman, Adams, and Senators Botsford and Black. These addresses were enthusiastically received by the largest gathering ever held at Moncton. Messrs. Tupper and Tilley are on their way to Ottawa, and leave to-night.

A Child's Opinion—A Fact. Stanley had recovered from a very serious illness, brought on by too close application to his books, in his earnest endeavors to outstrip his little schoolmates in the race after knowledge. His little brother, Percy, a youth of three summers, as was quite natural, held a very high opinion of the medicine (Robinson's Phosphoric Emulsion of God Liver Oil with Lacto-Phosphate of Lime) that had produced such gratifying results, but at the same time had a very warm affection for it on his own private account. After having enjoyed sundry "refreshers" from the nearly empty bottle, which by common consent had descended to him, he critically holds it up between his eye and the light, and with the air of a chief justice, remarks:—"Mamma, I like 'zat better's lobster."

THE Subscribers have provided a large new SAIL BOAT, For Pic-Nic Parties and Excursions, Seating about 20 persons. A careful man in charge. Terms reasonable. FRANK H. MORICE, FRANK HICKS, Sackville, July 9, 1878. Sent Free, by Mail! ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED FOR: PAPER BAGS, printed or unprinted, 6d.—the cheapest in the market. Bill Heads and Letter Heads—very cheap. Posters and Dodgers, for Tea Meetings, Sales, &c. Cards and Tickets, in variety, cheap. Magistrates' Blanks, &c., on hand. Send your orders to CHIGNECTO POST, Sackville, N. B.

800 SACKS COARSE LIVER-POUL SALT; 100 Sacks FINE BUTTER SALT; 1000 Bushels St. Martin GROUND FISHERY SALT. FOR SALE LOW BY aug1 M. WOOD & SONS.

TO BUILDERS. ON hand and to arrive—90 Casks of LIME, which will be sold low for cash or on time. Also in Store: 1/2 ton Fresh Ground Buckwheat Meal, for sale low. June 21 JOHN BELL.

JUST RECEIVED: 86 PACKAGES, Comprising an Assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, MILLINERY, SMALL WARES, &c. CLOTHS, in Costings, Tweeds, Flats, Presidents, Naps, Meltons, &c. DRESS GOODS, in all the Latest Materials and Newest Shades. VELVETS, Velveteens, Ribbons, Frillings, Wool and Silk Fringes, Galoons, Buttons, and Dress Trimmings in great variety. TRIMMING SILKS and Satins; Window, in Plain and Fancy; Women's and Children's Hosiery and Gloves; Flannels; Blankets, in Grey and White; Shirtings; &c. &c. A complete Assortment of TAILORS' TRIMMINGS in Stock. We invite the attention of the Trade to the above. Terms and prices to be had on application. For the mercurially preventing premature death from disease, read PHOSPHOGEN, pamphlet, just published, to be had free, from all Druggists.

EVERITT & BUTLER, ST. JOHN, N. B. JUST RECEIVED: STEEL SHOVELS and SPADES; Steel Manure Forks; Tables and Pocket Cutlery; T Hinges, assorted sizes; Horse Nails; Curry Combs and Saddle Irons, &c. Sept 4 J. F. ALLISON. Crockeryware & Glassware. WHITE & GILT STONE TEA SETS; White Stone Cups and Saucers; Glass Lion Sets; Glass Lion Preserver Dishes; Glass Lion Pickle Dishes, &c. On Stock in this line will be found complete. Sept 4 J. F. ALLISON. Cotton Warps. Blue and White Cotton Warps. Sept 4 J. F. ALLISON.

TO BE FOUND. A few more Pieces of Black Greenades, Printed Muslins, English Cambrics. Arriving late, will be sold Low. A LOT OF REMNANTS, at and near cost, in lengths from 2 1/2 to 11 yards, well suited for Children's and Misses' Wear. These are bargains.

ONE LOT Silk and Worsted Challies. Worth 50c. and 60c. offered to clear out for 25c. a yard. Anyone wishing a Summer Dress, should try and secure one of these. Lace Mantlets, worth \$1.50 for 50c. Men's Dress Shirts, Ties and Collars. Broad Cloth, Tweeds and Costing. English Hard Hats. Selling at Bottom Prices. AMHERST, N. S.

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