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**SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 1887.**

## **THE TAXATION QUESTION.**

The interchange of views between the gentlemen who met our country representative to discuss the question of civic assessment last evening was spirited and interesting, if not very conclusive. In this matter of taxation experience in the actual working of a law is about the only thing which will convince people that a system which they thought right is really wrong, or vice versa. Notwithstanding all that has been written upon the subject, it is a surprising thing that many persons believe, or profess to do so, that the object of the "income men" is to increase the taxes on real and personal property five fold; that is to say, that their views are adopted the man who now pays \$10 taxes on his house will then pay \$50. Such persons do not stop to think that if this were the case the city revenue would be increased to some thing like \$200,000. One gentleman who spoke at the meeting, emphasized the case of a widow lady who had \$1,000 invested in a house, and asked if it was right that she should pay as much on this as a man should pay on his salary of \$1,500. This is an extreme case, and as such may be well taken in illustration of the rival principles. A man with an income of \$1,500 would pay under the present law, say \$60 taxes. It would be a piece of monstrous injustice to make the widow in question pay \$600 on her house. There would be something wrong in the civic administration which would cause such a tax to be imposed that language could hardly express it. But the "income men" would not propose any such assessment. They have shown that to raise the forty old thousand dollars required for city government a rule of 1 per cent. or thereabouts is necessary, and not to cumber the case with fractions we may take 1 per cent. as the rate under the present law. The full value of real property, personal property and income. In one sense these are true. Mr. Blake does not now regard himself as authorized to speak as a party leader, and when politicians make him will no doubt take the earliest opportunity to formally resign his post. He did so after the last general election, and it is quite right that he should do so now. The party should be at liberty to choose a new leader, if it so desire, and Mr. Blake is certain to give them an opportunity of so doing. Whether he will refuse to accept the leadership again is it is tendered to him, as it will be, is quite another matter. If he consults his own feelings he will not. He has frequently expressed his desire to withdraw from public life, and has remained at his post only at the urgent solicitation of his political friends. It need surprise no one if he proves unwilling to bear the responsibility of the leadership any longer. We shall greatly regret it if he does so; not because the party has not other men in it who can lead it, and who perhaps might be able to lead it better than Mr. Blake, but because we would prefer a liberal leader, the true patriot and broad principles which animate Edward Blake, rather than to achieve instant victory under the cleverer tactics of any other man in the arena of Dominion politics. A victory of the liberals under Blake would mean more for the future of Canada than any other political event within the possibilities of the existing political situation.

## **MR. BLAKE.**

Reports are circulated that Mr. Blake is about to resign the leadership of the liberal party. In one sense these are true. Mr. Blake does not now regard himself as authorized to speak as a party leader, and when politicians make him will no doubt take the earliest opportunity to formally resign his post. He did so after the last general election, and it is quite right that he should do so now. The party should be at liberty to choose a new leader, if it so desire, and Mr. Blake is certain to give them an opportunity of so doing. Whether he will refuse to accept the leadership again is it is tendered to him, as it will be, is quite another matter. If he consults his own feelings he will not. He has frequently expressed his desire to withdraw from public life, and has remained at his post only at the urgent solicitation of his political friends. It need surprise no one if he proves unwilling to bear the responsibility of the leadership any longer. We shall greatly regret it if he does so; not because the party has not other men in it who can lead it, and who perhaps might be able to lead it better than Mr. Blake, but because we would prefer a liberal leader, the true patriot and broad principles which animate Edward Blake, rather than to achieve instant victory under the cleverer tactics of any other man in the arena of Dominion politics. A victory of the liberals under Blake would mean more for the future of Canada than any other political event within the possibilities of the existing political situation.

## **A BIG FIRE.**

A New Richmond Hotel Destroyed—Loss of Life.  
 BERTALLO, N. Y., March 18.—A fire was discovered at 3:30 this morning in the New Richmond hotel. The alarm was sounded, and the fire department responded promptly. The house contained a large number of guests, and their heartrending shrieks could plainly be heard. Leaders were raised, and as many as possible were saved. A large number of the guests were unable to effect their escape. At 4 o'clock the entire Richmond hotel, St. James' Hall and other property in the block were doomed to destruction. The whole place burned like a tinder box. The corridor in the centre building acted as a great funnel and as the flames streamed up the guests found themselves imprisoned by a wall of fire. The screams of the guests could be heard for blocks. At the third floor windows two guests were seen by the crowd to fall back into the flames. One man jumped from the fifth floor to the roof of a two story wooden building adjoining. He was seriously injured. The fire was extinguished by the fire department. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. The fire was caused by a gas lamp in the kitchen.

Frederick because there were more of them, relatively, than elsewhere. Even if this is the case, which we do not admit, the logic of the claim is not very apparent. If it would be wrong to tax one man five times as much as his neighbor upon the same amount of property, it does not make it right to tax a hundred men on the same unjust principle. All that the "income men" asked is that they shall be treated the same in Frederick as they would be if they lived elsewhere in the province.

## **THE TERMS OF UNION.**

Mr. Mercier is about to give our politicians a nut to crack. He intends to have a conference of the local and federal governments, if he can, to discuss the terms of the union. Everybody concedes that the financial terms of confederation have not proved satisfactory. They looked fair and reasonable at first, but experience has shown that they were not, and they have been the subject of more or less tinkering ever since. In considering this subject it must be borne in mind that all the money, as well for local as for federal purposes, comes out of the pockets of the people, and if the provincial governments are to get any more money the people will have to pay out so much more, unless an arrangement can be made whereby the federal government can get along with less. What Mr. Mercier seems to have in mind is the adoption of some scheme whereby the local revenues will expand with the business of the country, and not remain at a fixed sum, no matter how the calls upon it increase. Instead of fixed subsidies he would seem to prefer a percentage of the federal revenue being paid to the federal provinces. Such an arrangement would not of itself reduce taxation at all, but accompanied by a redistribution to some extent of the powers of the local legislatures it would probably be found to work satisfactorily. The financial question is the only one to be considered. Such a conference as is proposed would doubtless endeavor to clearly define the powers of the local legislatures that the danger of a conflict of jurisdiction would be reduced to a minimum. After twenty years of experience of union the people are less disposed than ever to surrender local legislatures. For economy's sake and for efficiency they may be willing to top off all useless appendages, but they will not readily consent to the removal of the local legislatures being abridged in the slightest degree. Associated with this is the right of disallowance, and we think that any conference which fails to secure the absolute independence within their jurisdiction of the local legislatures will fail of accomplishing one of its chief objects. Such a conference might very properly deal with the constitution of the senate. Instead there is set a subject of legislation or administration, which is not, with the utmost propriety, discuss and make a deliverance upon. Expressions of opinion from a conference, gathered from all the provinces, would carry with it great weight, and would be far more reliable test of public opinion than any declaration of the Canadian parliament, in which party lines are so strongly drawn that anything approaching a non-partisan conclusion on any topic is scarcely to be hoped for.

## **NEWS CONDENSED.**

**Cardinal Manning** has heartily endorsed the policy advocated by Cardinal Gibbons towards the Knights of Labor.  
**Lanarkshire miners** have resumed work, the masters yielding the sixpence advance of the wages demanded by the men.  
**The Duchess of Otranto** committed suicide in Paris on Tuesday by blowing herself up with a revolver. She was overpowered with grief at the recent death of her husband.

## **Removable darkness enveloped London**

at noon on Tuesday. It was as dark as midnight in the entire region of Charing Cross, Whitehall and the Strand, the atmosphere being pitchy black. In the east and southeast portions of the city it was somewhat clearer. Snow was falling heavily at the time.

## **The Paris Journal des Debats**

has a dispatch from Vienna saying that Baron Von Schönerer, the Prussian minister to the Vatican, has suggested that the Pope convene a European Congress to settle the Eastern and Egyptian questions. As such an event, the dispatch says, Prince Bismarck, being in Berlin, would be in a position to suggest that the Congress be held in the city of the Kaiser.

## **The Sultan of Morocco**

has prohibited the sale or purchase of intoxicants in all kinds and has abolished the state tobacco monopoly. The sale of tobacco has become a free trade, and the state has lost a large source of revenue.

## **It is reported that W. C. Endicott,**

U. S. Secretary of war, has resigned. Mr. Manning, ex-secretary of the treasury, has been called to England to accompany his wife and daughter.

## **It is now believed in Wall Street**

that the Baltimore and Ohio deal has been successful. Russell Sage and Jay Gould are said to be in the deal.

## **It is now believed that the number**

of deaths by the Boston and Providence fire, disaster has been at least 30 persons. The total loss is estimated at \$200,000.

## **Half the business portion of Raleigh,**

N. C. has been burned. Twenty-three houses, including the city hall, were destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000. The fire was caused by a gas lamp in the kitchen.

decent man would accept a seat in parliament under any other condition. Fancy Mr. J. K. Stewart sitting in parliament for Carleton, when his opponent had twelve hundred more votes than he had. Imagine Mr. Baird sitting for Queen's, while the choice of the people remained outside. If the returning officer in Queen's is sustained in his pretension, the same rule will likely hold good in Carleton, but what chance the whole thing will be. And this leads us to say that only men of good average intelligence ought to be appointed returning officers.

## **"What is Woman's Worth?"**

asked a fair damsel of a crusty old bachelor. He did not know, so she said: "W. O. man" (double you, O man). But a woman feels worth little if disease has invaded her system and is daily sapping her strength. For all female weaknesses, Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription" stands unrivaled. Send 10 cents in stamps for pamphlet to World's Dispensary Medical Association, 263 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

## **HAIR**

and faded, may have new life and color restored to it by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. My hair was thin, faded, and dry, and fell out in large quantities. Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the falling, and restored my hair to its original color. As to dressing for the hair, this preparation has no equal. — Mary N. Hammond, Stillwater, Minn.

## **VIGOR**

appearance of the hair, may be procured for an indefinite period by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. A diseased scalp caused my hair to become harsh and dry, and to fall out freely. Not until I commenced using Ayer's Hair Vigor. Three bottles of this preparation restored my hair to a healthy condition, and it is now soft and abundant. My scalp is cured, and it is also free from dandruff. — Mrs. E. R. Fox, Milwaukee, Wis.

## **Ayer's Hair Vigor,**

Sold by Druggists and Perfumers.

## **PERFECT SAFETY, prompt action,**

and wonderful curative properties, really place Ayer's Pills at the head of the list of popular remedies for Sick and Nervous Headaches, Constipation, and all ailments originating in a disordered Liver.

## **Ayer's Pills,**

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.

## **There are no additional details to report,**

except the following revised list of dead, dying and injured. As far as can be ascertained, the dead are as follows:— Kate Kent, servant; William Purcell, of R. G. Dun A. Co's; Mark (labourer, day clerk at the hotel); Mr. Johnson, a Toronto railway man; the Wolf of Lockport, servant; Jacob Kahn, New York; Henry M. Ramsey, New York; Maggie Mulvan, Buffalo; Mary Nolan, Buffalo; Those who were seriously burned or injured are:— J. H. Finch, Scotland; C. W. Moore, Buffalo; W. A. Haron, Helena, Mont.; W. B. Dubois, Syracuse; W. J. Mann, Buffalo; Jennie Mann, Buffalo; Matt Shanton, Buffalo; Charles Clinton Bidwell, Buffalo; Minnie Waller, Buffalo; Mrs. Kate Pierce, Buffalo; Nellie Welch, Buffalo; William H. Brown, Buffalo; Geo. F. Michaels, New York; W. J. McKay, Niagara Falls.

## **A servant girl named Kate**

was severely injured by the explosion of a boiler at the hotel. The walls of the burned building are a menace to life and until they are removed and the ruins cooled no search for the bodies can be made. It is undoubtedly the fact that at least 30 persons perished. The total loss by fire will be \$400,000; the insurance is about \$200,000.

## **An excess of animal food**

and a partial closing of the pores of the skin, during the winter months, cause the system to become filled with impurities. These can be removed and the blood purified and invigorated by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Price \$1.

## **Dr. Kovalinski, a very busy Russian**

doctor, tells frightful stories of the number of lives lost in his country. There is a room for rent on all the country roads and they are all being used by the Russian army.

## **Oil lamps in cars have been discarded**

on the London roads for several years. The new gas giving place to electricity. The London and Brighton road, which uses all three systems, has decided to abandon both oil and gas. In the annual report, recently published, it is explained that it costs \$200 a year to light a train of cars with gas, \$350 with oil and \$500 with electricity.

## **Ayer's Hair Vigor stimulates the hair**

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