



**BUSINESS NOTICE.**  
The Tenants' Counting Room is the southern hall of the Office of Mr. George Phillips, Broker, Prince William street. It is centrally situated, being near the City Hall, the Bank, News Room, Express Office, Church's Corner and the Ferry landing. Advertisements for the Tenants' should be left at the Counting Room before 11 A. M.

## The Daily Tribune.

ST. JOHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 26, 1872.

### The Westmoreland Election.

The vote in Westmoreland on Saturday was not as large as had been anticipated. Dorchester contains over nine hundred voters (non residents not included) but less than seven hundred voted. This, of course, is a heavy French Parish. Botsford, one important English Parish, threw 235 votes out of nearly five hundred. Since candidates may not "treat" or "team," a large falling off is noticeable in the interest taken in the political institutions of the County. In the case of Candidates for the Assembly, this is a manifest monetary gain, as it is related that in the Parish of Dorchester a candidate would sometimes be called upon to disburse two thousand dollars at a single election to "put the machinery in motion." It is not probable, however, even if every vote had been cast, that the result would have materially differed. Up to Nominations Day, Mr. Chapman's chances were excellent, notwithstanding the persistent and inflammatory attacks made against him, but when he boldly announced sentiments on the School question in opposition to those held by nine tenths of his English and Protestant supporters, the election was good as lost. From the Nominations many of his English friends went home thoroughly changed as to the course they should pursue, and the voting of Saturday proved to be a Waterloo defeat. There should be no blinking of the result, which is a decided condemnation of Sectarian Schools and a fair indication of the result that would be reached in every constituency where the Roman Catholic vote does not predominate, in the event of a general appeal to the whole body of Electors. As Roman Catholics are the minority in every County except Gloucester, Kent and Victoria, it is evident that no change in this feature of the School Act is to be expected, and agitation on the subject is waste of time. Roman Catholics may rest assured that the conscientious objections to supporting Sectarian institutions are quite as strong on the part of Protestants as are the conscientious scruples of Catholics to pursuing studies in the common, free schools of the Province. Another result of the Election, when regarded as typical of the views of the majority, will probably be the sweeping away of all special grants from the Provincial Treasury to Denominational institutions. A few of these remain, contrary to logic and the spirit of the School Act; but their end now draws near.

The bearing of the Westmoreland result on the position of the Local Government is deserving of notice. It is on the record that the Government, through a Committee of their body, headed by the Premier, pledged themselves to the Roman Catholic Bishop of St. John, that his Sectarian Schools should receive public support. It is proven that their Act, had it not been amended by the Legislature, would have enabled such Schools to be so sustained, as promised by the Government. It is also evident that the Government's Attorney-General gave it as his opinion that, even in the face of the Legislature's decision, certain Sectarian Schools could still come in and share the benefits of the Law. The action of the Westmoreland electors is therefore a stern condemnation of the two-faced policy of the Government, and calculated to weaken public confidence in that kind of free and easy politicians.

**The Indian War Ended.**  
Our readers will learn with great satisfaction from THE TRIBUNE'S Special Despatches that the British Expedition against the semi-savage tribes on the frontiers of India, has been highly successful. The war resembled in several important particulars that during expedition which penetrated the wilds of Abyssinia and avenged the honor of Britain in the heart of Africa. British troops now as then were marched through a rugged and comparatively unknown country to face dangers of no ordinary moment. The result has been equally triumphant. The Looshais have surrendered unconditionally and the country is subdued.

**Special Telegrams.**  
We see by New York papers of Thursday morning, and by "special telegrams" to St. John evening papers of Saturday, that Mr. Charles Francis Adams, the returned Arbitrator, thinks Englishmen are eager to settle the claims at any sacrifice.

The institution is that special telegrams to the evening papers are manufactured. As the telegraph never publishes "bogus" despatches, from Halifax or elsewhere; as it never appropriates other journals' telegrams, serving them up in the shape of news paragraphs, as charged by the Globe, it should be sufficiently magnanimous to state distinctly its charge, if it has any to prefer, instead of indulging in the meanest sort of insinuation.

A Hint.—The Telegraph this morning has a hit at Humphreys who was only elected on Saturday. Politicians and publicists who had entered on a crusade against the Regulations accompanying the Act, for the purpose of advancing their own political aspirations, have heard the murmur of an approaching storm of popular indignation. As Mr. Humphreys canvassed against the Regulations among Roman Catholics, with the object of advancing his "political aspirations," he will probably feel complimented by the reference to him.

### GOSSIP AT OTTAWA.

The New Brunswick Colony in the Dominion Capital—Who they are and how they spend their time—Wonderful variety of Character and Employment—The Customs, Marine and Genial Departments—The Commonsense, and the Press—Smith, Tilton and the rest.

[FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT.]

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.

Any one tolerably familiar with New Brunswick, on passing along the streets of Ottawa, or the corridors of the public offices, will occasionally recognize faces that he has seen at other times in St. John, Fredericton, Sussex, or even in the Black Bayou. On enquiry, he will learn that there is a little Colony of New Brunswickers here, embracing, in the aggregate, a large variety of character and attainments. Some are high in political position; some are in holy orders; one or two in trade; one teaching the young Capitoline idea how to shoot; one "sings ink" for an evening paper, and some belong to the noble army of masters in the Civil Service. A little cluster of the latter are to be found in the Customs Department. Here

**SAMUEL LEONARD TILLEY** exhibits his captivating smile among piles of State papers, scores of letters, and telegrams that come dropping in every half hour. An almost unbending capacity for work enables him to attend to them all, meet the Treasury Board at eleven and the Council at three, with an occasional meeting of the Commission of the Commonsense, and yet be affable and attentive to those who call. Indeed, work seems to agree with Samuel; it is noticed that his fine eyes incline to portliness, of late, and are not infrequently winked at by the managers of missionary meetings, piously solicited for him to preside? And do not the Benevolent Societies acknowledge his donations with the C.B. in large type?—And when he enters the Division Room does not all the Sons and Daughters of Temperance clap their hands? And do not the Ottawa Sunday Superintendent devote some of his time to the study of the "Sabbath School" and the "Waterloo" defeat. There should be no blinking of the result, which is a decided condemnation of Sectarian Schools and a fair indication of the result that would be reached in every constituency where the Roman Catholic vote does not predominate, in the event of a general appeal to the whole body of Electors. As Roman Catholics are the minority in every County except Gloucester, Kent and Victoria, it is evident that no change in this feature of the School Act is to be expected, and agitation on the subject is waste of time. Roman Catholics may rest assured that the conscientious objections to supporting Sectarian institutions are quite as strong on the part of Protestants as are the conscientious scruples of Catholics to pursuing studies in the common, free schools of the Province. Another result of the Election, when regarded as typical of the views of the majority, will probably be the sweeping away of all special grants from the Provincial Treasury to Denominational institutions. A few of these remain, contrary to logic and the spirit of the School Act; but their end now draws near.

**Doctor Livingstone.**  
It is ascertained not too soon for action to take the place of languid speculation regarding the fate of Dr. Livingstone, the great African Traveller. But "better late than never." Nearly three years have elapsed since the date of his last communication to England, which was couched in terms almost of deponency widely disseminated from the courageous hope and perseverance which ever distinguished him. His aim and object then was to make for and explore the upper basin of the Nile; to accomplish which untrodden regions had to be passed through, involving, it is said, the loss of his eyes and limbs; but the other way, he complained, of nearly all indispensable requisites for African travelling paralysed his hands. In compliance with the desire, supplies in aid were immediately forwarded, which, however, never reached him, owing to disturbances that meantime had arisen among warlike tribes in that district of country where his steps were arrested. For some time, at intervals, he was heard of, but in no land from native sources, but all conflicting, and therefore all unreliable. Dr. Kirke at Zanzibar, Livingstone's warm friend and ally, has never heard anything regarding him which appears worthy of belief. Lying and treachery are the proverbial characteristics of the great bulk of African tribes, and it is not surprising that his "adventures" should have been so misrepresented. It is not surprising that his "adventures" should have been so misrepresented. It is not surprising that his "adventures" should have been so misrepresented.

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As the Honorable Timothy Warren Anglin would say, making one think of the narrow and narrow of both of the nerve and pick and grasp of mind which has aided largely in bringing about to British America a similar national unity to that which the same qualities effected in the Fatherland. Was it for this that the member for Gloucester was distinguished enough to advocate the erection of a monument at the head of a department that is now more popular with his subordinates, than among whom is the former Controller of Customs at St. John, who has lately waded mightily, attained to the dignity of Deputy Head, and exhibits a superb doctrine announcing his name in the classical periods of Daily Street. Here, too, the country and accurate John Tilton figures prominently, in more than one sense, while Hardy and McGee and Haney are busied with other and important duties.

**RAILWAY COMMISSIONER CHANDLER.**  
A hale and hearty septagenarian, taking his morning exercise on the smooth and ample walks of Parliament Square, reflecting perchance on the numerous mortgages of a certain capitalist, that cover half of Westmoreland and lay over on to Albert. And now we get a glimpse of the man of Kings, who strikes an attitude as we approach, portly and plucky as when in the presence of the representative of the nation he flung a lordly defiance at Anglin and Lindley Murray, not caring "a snap" for either. Here too we meet the Honorable and gallant Colonel whom St. John sent hither by acclamation in the hour of her pride; now released from the arduous labors of Codification and Arbitration only to seek new employment in History. Dropping in at

**OUR CREED.**  
We find John G. G. Layton running the concern. He is a firm believer in Confederation, we are told, as also Mr. Knowles of St. John who is with him, who further adds free, unsectarian Schools to his creed, and is in other respects responsible for the appearance in this sphere of one of its witty denizens, the irrepressible Joseph. There we also with pride the Atlantic form of "Jonathan P.—Taylor" he—"of whom when any New Brunswicker makes mention the staff is asked about what they raise in New Brunswick, the answer is "We raise men, sir, such as this!"

If it were Sunday, which it is not, I might take you to hear Rev. Mr. Pollard,

### MATTERS IN GENERAL.

The Loss of the "Mantobah."

[From an English Paper.]

The Bucks Rocks—fatal to many a good ship, and memorable to the present generation as the scene of the end loss of the "Garonna"—proved the master of the ship on Thursday morning, of a fine vessel (as reported in our Maritime Intelligence yesterday), and witnessed the death of a woman and her two little ones, as well as of a west-country man. The work was soon accomplished. Striking near midnight, in an hour the once good ship was broken into a thousand fragments, which were scattered all over the bay by daylight. The barque "Mantobah" was built, 18 months ago, at Yarmouth, N. S., for Messrs. G. W. Moody and Sons, of that place. Her Captain (Mr. Durke), a man of about 30, also had a share in her. On Tuesday last she left Havre, in ballast, bound for Boniferry, to take in iron ore for New York. Those on board speak of the weather as favourable until about 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening, when heavy gales came on from the south and south west. Two lights were sighted at intervals, and—under lower foretopmast, foremast, foretopmast, lower mainmast, and reefed mainmast—she was running away, as it was thought, for the Bristol Channel. It was not until about midnight that she was seen at sea, and the wind had veered rather to the east of south. All seemed well, however, until an alarm of "land" and "breakers" was raised. The only chance was to wear ship, and that was tried; but she struck violently on the westernmost Buck, was soon washed off again, and in a few minutes was driven on shore. The sea made a clean breach over her, and the vessel was in a few minutes swept. Capt. Durke, his Mate, and 10 hands saw that the only chance was to make individual effort, as opportunities offered, to get ashore. The Master volunteered to make the first attempt, in order to save the eldest of his children, a little one of three, and to get a line ashore, to one arm and a line in the other, he dropped over the vessel's side on a rock, but, in an instant, was washed off, and, after a brief struggle in the breakers, lost both child and rope. He was swept off his legs, and he was not seen again. The Captain, who was swept off his legs, and he was not seen again. The Captain, who was swept off his legs, and he was not seen again.

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We hear that in the case of Henderson against the Corporation an order in arrest of judgment has been obtained from the Justice of the Peace, Mr. J. P. Pritchard. D. S. Kerr, Esq., requests us to say, in connection with the above, that what has been granted is a rule nisi for argument.

**The.**  
There is a scarcity of "Tin," not the kind that gingles in one's pockets, but block tin. Tinmiths have been out of it nearly a week, and none can be had for some time yet.

**The Holiday.**  
will, no doubt, be generally observed to-morrow. The Banks will be closed; most of the stores and shops will be shut; and there will be services in many of the churches, though perhaps not in all. In the Roman Catholic churches there will be the usual Lenten services. The English Churches will be open at 11, and Rev. Mr. Cameron will preach in St. Andrew's church at 10 o'clock on Saturday.

**The Voting in Westmoreland.**  
The following shows the result of the voting on Saturday:

Parish.	Number.	Chapman.	Welsh.
Westmoreland,	292	61	15
Botsford,	150	14	15
Sackville,	40	44	15
Salisbury,	33	39	1
Steddie,	195	297	9
Moncton,	365	130	1
Dorchester,	137	548	1
	1878	1263	2



