

Today's Probabilities.

TORONTO March 3.—(Special)—Moderate winds, fair and becoming milder more especially on Wednesday.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1903.

HECTOR AND MELLISH.

"And the Philistine said, I defy the armies of Israel this day; give me a man that we may fight together. . . . And the Philistine said to David, come to me and I will give thy flesh to the fowls of the air and to the beasts of the field. . . . "And David prevailed over the Philistine. . . and smote the Philistine and slew him and cut off his head."

There are features of resemblance and there are points of strong contrast between the historic duel of David and Goliath in the valley of Ephes-dammim and that which took place last night in the Opera House between the Black Knight and A. J. B. Mellish. On the one side the boastful and defiant champion of a bad cause, and on the other the man who modestly, but courageously dared to defend the right with only such weapons as Providence had supplied him. For Mellish claims to be an educated man, a graduate of Harvard University, and Hector was never at school a day in his life. Educationally the champion of the liquor traffic had a helmet of collegiate brass upon his head, a coat of mail about him, greaves of brass upon his legs, a target of brass between his shoulders, and a fighting spear of ponderous weight. Hector had but the sling and the stone of natural powers, and with them the trained skill of the Benjamite that could send his missile true to a hair's breadth. But when the battle was over the dusky David of the fight had metaphorically felled his adversary to the ground, stood upon his prostrate form and cut off his head, and the men of temperance shouted as the men of Judah in the olden time had shouted in the valley of Ephes-dammim. The few supporters of Mellish had little to say when their champion was so signally routed—little else to think in fact than to repeat in their minds the last two syllables of the name of the valley of defeat.

It has been said that Goliath of old was greatly astounded when the stone hit him, as such a thing had never entered his head before. The same was true of the little conceited Philistine of last night's battle. Hector, David like, persistently aimed his missiles at his adversary's weakest spot—his head. Again and again the audience by their applause recorded "a hit, a palpable hit" from David's sling. The victim also knew when he was hit, and could we reproduce in a series of photographs the appearance of Mr. Mellish at the beginning, the middle and the end of the contest it would tell more eloquently than words how by degrees the conceit was taken out of him, until defeat was broadly written on his flushed face. To see him nervously scanning his notes from minute to minute was to guess that his inward question was, "When will it be over" coupled with the prayer, "Fly swifter round, ye wheels of time."

Mr. Mellish's argument was a painfully labored repetition of the stale platitudes of the saloon advocate, the plea for the right of moderate indulgence and for some form of regulation of the liquor traffic. Mr. Hector's rejoinder upon every point was crushing and especially at the close was forceful and eloquent. The meeting we doubt not will do good. The men of the liquor trade are not likely to invite another contest unless they can put up a champion of greater weight and

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ability than the puny Goliath whom many must have pitied in his overthrow last night. The sympathies of the vast audience were from start to finish overwhelmingly with the Black Knight and arguments he presented.

THE WINTER STEAMERS.

Monday and yesterday there was some telegraphic correspondence between Mr. Lord, the Agent of the Marine Department here and the authorities at Ottawa, the officers of the Minto and others with a view to securing relief for the disabled and imprisoned steamers. It appears that the Minto before being disabled ran into the ice-field in which the Stanley is fast some 200 yards; that both steamers are now some thirty miles north east of Pictou; that a horse and sled are available for the purpose of conveying coal from the Minto to the Stanley; and that the best hope of the early rescue of both boats lies in getting the Stanley free so that she can tow the Minto to Pictou where new blades can be put on her propeller.

The correspondence also touched upon the advisability of getting the steamer Bruce, now at Louisburg, to come to the rescue, or one of the strong Newfoundland sealing steamers in her stead. The difficulties in the way of such action are great, as it seems probable the rescue steamer would be forced to come around the north side of Cape Breton, encountering much heavy ice. It might be long before she could reach the imprisoned Island steamers. And yet the emergency is so great that something must be done. Freight traffic is wholly stopped and the loss to Island shippers will be very great. It is felt that for these losses they will have an equitable, if not a legal claim upon the Dominion Government, but of that more hereafter.

In the meantime the ice-boat service at the Capes is altogether inadequate. Mails cannot be brought over in their entirety, and more boats and men are demanded. Still the Capes Route is now our sole dependence, and all eyes are turned to that route as our hope for the future. The feeling is general that the Capes Route must be equipped for steam service at the earliest possible moment. Also that a third steamer of greater power than either the Minto or the Stanley is an urgent necessity. Surely even the supple and sleepy authorities at Ottawa must be aroused by the appalling disabilities to which our Province is being subjected this winter.

SAVILLE VERSUS MELLISH.

Sir,—In your last issue which contained my challenge to Mr. Mellish and your own comments on the same, Mr. Mellish gave a very guarded acceptance of my challenge. He seems to me to reason thus: If I can meet the Black Knight and defeat him it will not be necessary for me to bother meeting my younger antagonist, as he will likely burke the question, and if the Black Knight worsts me in the encounter I will be hors de combat for some time to come and would fall an easy prey to the Dundas champion. But just as strongly as Mr. Mellish has followed up his attempts to bring the Black Knight to bay, do I intend to follow him until the public has a chance to know who has the strongest ground for his belief. While I am aware that it looks presumptuous on my part to face an antagonist of Mr. Mellish's calibre, we remember that small things are often used to confound the great. I also now wish to thank you for your free advertisement of my wind-mills and to say that I am not in the field against Mr. Mellish for the purpose of advertising my wind-mill business. But a wag at my side has suggested that you wished to call to Mr. Mellish's remembrance Don Quixote's famous tilt against the wind-mill and to prepare him for what he may expect.

Yours Truly GEO. E. SAVILLE.

P. S. In regard to my waiting for Mr. Mellish and the Black Knight to settle their debate, I may say that what I had gleaned from the editorials written by yourself and in the Examiner's editorial columns I had come to the conclusion that the temperance people would not allow the Black Knight to bother with Mr. Mellish when there was so much to be done during his necessarily short stay in our Province and I thought it too bad for no one to try and combat Mr. Mellish in the strange position he has lately taken on the temperance question. Hence my challenge at the seemingly wrong time, for I find many of your readers agree with you on that point. Hoping this explanation will satisfy your readers. G. E. S.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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OF PERSONAL INTERESTS.

Rev. J. C. McMillan Cardigan, is in the city.

Matthew Smith M. L. A. Hampton was in the city yesterday.

William Campbell, Graham's Road is in the city. Last night he attended the meeting of the Black Knight.

PETER A. FOLEY left last night via Boston for Slocan B. C. where he is engaged in mining. Mr. Foley has been visiting his old home in South Shore for the past two months.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

—COME to the Rink tonight, the greatest game yet. Vics and Abbies.

—DON'T fail to attend the Zion Church Concert. See program in another column.

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—A Public Temperance Meeting will be held in the Granville Hall on Monday the 9th of March. A silver collection will be taken up.

—NOTICE TO HOMEMEN—A meeting will be held in A. S. Hewitt's office this evening at 8 o'clock to arrange for a race on the Hillsborough ice.

—ENGINEERS meet for drill tonight at 7.30 o'clock sharp, every member is requested to be present. All great coats and belts to be returned to shed.

—THE person who took a soft black felt hat from a hook at the back of the Opera House will kindly leave at this office and get his own.

—JOHN H. Bell Esq. will deliver a lecture in Fryon Hall on Friday 6th., at 7.30, also at Hampton Saturday 7th., at 7.30 in aid of the Presbyterian church. Subject 'Canada and the Empire.' 4 d 11.

—CHARLOTTETOWN School of Music. The Directors' Department will reopen this morning. Evening engagements are cancelled for this week. Choir rehearsal will take place at the studio on Friday evening at 8.30.

—YOU are not putting money into the pockets of the members of the Band when you purchase your tickets for Thursday evening. The money goes to pay for the instruments which the boys have no property in.

—THE Black Knight will give his popular lecture, "Slavery past, and Slavery present," in the Cornwall Methodist Church on Saturday evening, the 7th, inst. Mr. Hector will be accompanied by Rev. Mr. Coffin the accomplished African singer. Doors open at 7 p. m. admission 15 cents. 4 d 11

—FORM no prejudice against the 4th Regt. Band just now. You will not, when you know the facts. Show your appreciation of pluck and energy on the part of the boys in blue and assist them to pay for the instruments whose purchase was made solely for the benefit of the citizen's generally.

—We have had the pleasure of hearing Miss Edna Sinclair in her rehearsal of the part of Josephine, the Lass who loved the Sailor, in Sir Arthur Sullivan's opera Pinafore, and we can advise our readers that they may expect much. With her are associated Miss Amy Earle, Miss Josephine Smith and Messrs. A. G. Peake, L. W. Cook, W. F. Bradley, J. R. Davison, W. G. Gillespie and W. Collings, a galaxy of histrionic and vocal talent; that can not be duplicated in this Province. The opera will begin to-morrow, Thursday evening, in the Opera House and the proceeds are in aid of the 4th Regt. Band.

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