

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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THE POLICY FOR THE FUTURE.

Is the hour of defeat it is well to anticipate future victories, and to adopt those prudent measures which will ensure them. There can be no doubt that the Premier's victory was due largely to the Premier's tactics. The Gerrymander Act, the Disfranchisement Act, the Plebiscite vote, the Land Office manipulation, the recent lavish expenditure upon roads and bridges, the appeal to the country while the country was yet in the dark as to the state of the public accounts, the unscrupulous use of whiskey and money by the Government party, all these wrong and unjustifiable measures contributed towards the great victory which Messrs. Peters & Peters and their political friends have achieved. It is none the less certain that, while the Liberal-Conservatives fought a square and honorable battle in the face of these great odds, they were wanting in some respects. They were wanting in organization. The fact of the small vote in Charlottetown and Belfast and other districts, proves that vigorous and systematic efforts were not made to get the vote in. It is clear that if the Liberal-Conservative party is to take advantage of the opportunities which will be opened up by it, perhaps in the near future, its members must organize effectively. The Liberal-Conservative Association ought, in our opinion, to be re-organized as to be ready to meet every emergency which may require united action. If the Liberal-Conservative party had been thoroughly organized it is probable that some mistakes would have been avoided. A mistake was, in our opinion, made when it was decided to go to the country without publishing the Liberal-Conservative platform. Men will not fight strongly for a mere name. But they will fight for and stick to a principle which they believe to be right. By publishing their reasonable and prudent policy in respect to the questions before the country during the recent contest, the Liberal-Conservatives might, it is true, have given "pointers" to the Government party. But they would, we believe, if they had done so, have obtained many votes in each constituency which were drawn away to the grifts as a result of the clap-trap arguments, the blandishments, and intimidation and "human devices" of Government canvassers. The Liberal-Conservative party should, at once, begin to consider the policy of the future and they should formulate it in time. The financial problem has been committed to Mr. Peters. Let him solve it satisfactorily if he can. There remain other questions upon which the Liberal-Conservative party may well appeal to the people. How to avoid such bribery and corruption as were rampant in the recent contest is one of the questions which ought to be considered. There must, ere long, be a revulsion of popular feeling against all foul and demoralizing methods of winning elections. A means of preventing these is the abolition of canvassing. If ambitious candidates for Legislative honors, and their agents, were prevented by law from approaching electors, asking for votes, using arts of intimidation, bribery or bribery, there would then be obtained a free and fair expression of public opinion upon measures and men - after full discussion upon the platform and in the press. The practice of politicians going round the country kissing the babies, praising the wives, pulling out the bottle for the "old man," tossing a five-dollar bill to the cat, buying puppy dogs at high prices, hinting at mysterious barrels of flour, etc., is humiliating to high-spirited and honorable candidates, and disgracing to all electors possessed of right feelings. We believe that the abolition of canvassing would be a strong and popular plank in the platform of the Liberal-Conservative party. It might be well to consider, also, the liberal principle of "one man, one vote," and, in view of the great and apparently increasing power of the mortgage, the ballot system which is now prevalent, if we mistake not, in all other parts of North America, in Australia and in Great Britain. A new policy ought to be pursued in respect to the Government Farm, and the promotion of agriculture. Indeed, there is now, and there will be in the future, abundant material out of which a well organized Liberal-Conservative party may form a strong platform upon which to march to victory. But organization is the first duty. We hope that the Young Men's Liberal-Conservative Club of this city, recently established, will continue its meetings throughout the present winter, and that the Liberal-Conservative Association of the Province will at once be placed upon an effective footing. Our veteran leaders have, for the most part, passed from the scene of political activity; the younger men must now prepare to win the triumphs and undertake the responsibilities of the future.

CHRISTMAS CHARITY.

The Summerside correspondent of the Guardian throws a new light upon the actions of the Government missionaries in the recent days. In reply to his question, "Was there any money paid for votes?" one of these gentlemen replied: "No, positively. In our canvass we met with a good many hostile people, whom we promptly relieved, regardless of their political prejudices, and we were pleased to find that many of these came out and voted for us. At this season of the year the members of our association are in the habit of dispensing charity wherever needed. This year our canvass brought us out possibly a little earlier than usual, and many have been the means in some cases of anticipating the visits of our good old friend Santa Claus, but we never, in any instance, allowed the cold breath of political partisanship to interfere with our deeds of benevolence. Of course, he added, there is a possibility on special occasions, such as Thanksgiving, Christmas and elections, when the various feelings incident to these occasions are allowed to be more than ordinarily generous."

Here was the explanation. It wasn't to buy votes that the missionaries were so active all over the Province; it was to dispense charity in anticipation of Christmas! No wonder the poor electors were under mesmerism influence on election day, and that the Liberal-Conservatives who didn't pay money in charity were left in the cool shades of opposition.

STARVING IN BOSTON.

Thousands Craving for Food, Shelter and Clothing. The Boston Herald says: "The workers of the charitable organizations make the statement that hundreds of people who never knew what cold was before, are now starting in cold rags to-day. Every organization is dealing with a class of people it has never met before, and scores of cases are related of people who go days and days without food or fire before they will admit their condition. Missionaries say that families are being broken up and children placed in kindergartens and missions until many institutions are crowded. The industrial homes where men cut so much for food, bed and board, have filled the lecture rooms with workers, and the lecture rooms have been made upon them; the people in the employment bureaus are besieged with applicants, and in many cases employment bureaus have been forced to take up charitable work. A number of missionary workers seen by a Herald reporter say that scores of people they meet have moved into cheaper lodgings, sold their furniture, borrowed money at exorbitant rates, sold cooking stoves and purchased cheap oil stoves with which to cook the small amount of food they manage to get and heat the house. Hundreds who apply for employment in the clothing trade, and who have their cases investigated it is usually found there is no food at home. Landlords find it impossible to collect rent. A great deal of time is being spent by the charitable societies, especially those of a private nature, in looking up people who will not apply for aid, mechanics and clerks who have been out of employment for months, have spent all their savings, and are unable to earn enough to pay board and lodging. Many stories are told of wives and daughters who have lived in comfort, making applications for work after the men of the family have walked the streets without finding anything to do. Others tell of men who formerly earned good wages doing chores, shoveling coal snow, or working for a few groceries in the food yards. There are cases in the hospitals of people there dying of hunger and in many instances these people could not force themselves to ask for charity. The labor union have been filled with people from the present depression say it is impossible for people in comfortable circumstances to realize the amount of suffering in the city at present.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

A Buffalo Girl Very Nearly Buried Alive—She was in a Trance. One of the most fashionable families in Buffalo, N. Y., has narrowly escaped having a horrible tragedy enacted in their house, and by their innocent instigation. One day last week Coroner Ransom was aroused by a telephone call from the house. The order was imperative that he come at once and remove a corpse before the neighbors were stirring. The coroner hastily summoned Rodney, the official undertaker, and went directly to the place. The lady who had died was a young, well-formed young woman. The body lay on its back, the hands peacefully folded on the bosom. The coroner pronounced it a natural death from asphyxiation, and ordered the remains removed to the morgue to await autopsy. The undertaker's first assistant, with easy familiarity born of frequent handling of the dead, grabbed the body and drew the body toward him, when he felt an unmistakable jerk. He called for Dr. Ransom. The coroner made a closer examination, but could discern no pulse. "She's dead, all right enough," said he. "I tell you it's alive," said the assistant, putting his ear to her heart. The coroner stooped and applied his ear, and could barely hear the pulsations. A mirror was placed over the girl's face, and she showed a trace of vapor. "This isn't our case," said the coroner, "you take the coffin out and I'll call a doctor for the living. You only wish to do for the dead. Upon the arrival of the physician the girl was resuscitated. Here was a case of suspended animation or trance, he determined. Next day she was as well as ever. Very fortunately, indeed, it was for her that the undertaker's assistant was so sceptical than the coroner, or she might have been frozen to death on a slab at the morgue.

TO LODGE IN CHURCHES.

Chicago's Poor to be Furnished With Meals There. The action of the churches of the north side of Chicago, in declining to open their doors for the sheltering of the homeless men of Chicago, who are now compelled to find lodgings where best they can, will doubtless soon be followed by the churches of the other side of the city. The plan is to throw open either all or a portion of each of the churches named for lodging for men. Strict regulations as to cleanliness and sobriety will be enforced, but it is hoped that many of these men will live in for those unable to pay for lodging. Money contributed will be used for the purchase of food. Women of the churches will make up the deficiencies, while the men interested will attend to their distribution. Nothing similar has ever been attempted by the churches of Chicago. It is commended on all sides, but there is one objection, and that is, provision for women and children. Many of these are homeless, but there are no places provided for them. As it now stands there is nothing but the police station, where scores of these shelterless are crowded to suffocation.

A TRIP TO EUROPE.

An ex-British Consul's Experiences—A Friends Kindness Protects Him from an Old Enemy. F. J. Criddle, of New York, formerly British Consul at Mobile, Ala., and Charlotte, S. C., who about to start for Europe found himself short of a valuable article which he feared he would not be able to obtain in Europe. He wrote to a friend who had previously supplied him: "Last year, when suffering from the worst cold I ever experienced, for which medical skill appeared to afford no relief, you kindly gave me a bottle of Hawker's Balsam of Tolu and Wild Cherry, and I wish to thank you for the relief at once, and in a short time I found that the cough had entirely left me. I have carefully hoarded a little of the contents of that first bottle, and I would not obtain another, and I wish to have such a valuable remedy at hand." In response his friend supplied him with more of this valuable remedy. Mr. Criddle thus expresses his thanks to our generous friend for his kind gift, and his friendly remembrance to you. I shall always recommend Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam wherever I may be, as I consider it without an equal for the cure of coughs, colds, etc." Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam is manufactured by the Hawker Medicine Co., St. John, N. B., and is a perfect cure for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, and all forms of throat and lung troubles. 25 and 50 cents a bottle.

The St. John's Globe praises the Patriot for its energy and ability in the recent campaign; and shows that it does not know much about the matter. It announces that the "Patriot" is "elected" to a seat in the Legislature. The praise of the Globe will be appreciated by the Hon. David Laird for what it is worth.

SOURIS NOTES.

We are informed, whether correctly or not, that it is the intention of the Post Office Department to take off the postal car from Charlottetown to Souris during the winter months, and for what reason we have not heard. We cannot understand how it is that the car is to be left on between Charlottetown and Georgetown, and taken from us, as the citizens of this end of the county have a right to enjoy the same privilege and benefits that the other parts of the Island do; and we further say that it is not too late that Mr. Brecken, of the Post Office Department, cannot obtain for the citizens of Souris a respectable and suitable building for the post office. If he is unable to do anything in the matter, public meeting should be called and a requisition sent to Ottawa to see if we could not obtain at least a respectable and convenient office for our worthy postmaster to carry on his work in. We would suggest that the office in Mr. Allan McDonald's new building be rented at once and fitted up for this purpose, as it will be at least a respectable office and will meet with the approval of the general public. Mr. Paquet and Mr. Mr. Brecken will do their utmost to have this most important matter attended to immediately, and an office obtained that will meet with the requirements of the public.

DISTRESS IN THE STATES.

Thousands of Miners Without Food and Clothing. A late despatch from Iron Mountains, Mich., says: Michigan's mining relief committee discovered nearly 2,000 miners, women and children in this county to-day that will have to be supplied during the winter. Dickinson county, with a population of 15,000 persons, and 6,000 men who are able to work, has nearly all its poor families and expended half the poor taxes to be collected next year. The county authorities issued thirty thousand dollars' worth of bonds, but on account of a legal hitch were unable to sell them. The county is now without a dollar of money. Individuals have helped to the limit, and there are two thousand mouths to be fed by charity. This number, by a most conservative estimate, will be increased to three thousand. Of the vast number that was thrown out of employment by the closing down of the mines, fully 40 per cent. left the city. In Michigan, before the outbreak of business set in, had a population of 11,000. The estimate now is that there are only between six thousand and seven thousand here. In the late summer and early fall, the unemployed, who were crowded into the tenements, and the streets were filled with the homeless, and the situation quickly grew serious. The only relief yet received was from Menominee, from where 600 barrels of flour were received, sent by Congressman Samuel Stephenson.

DOUBLE VICTORY.

It must be gratifying to our Canadian people to learn of the double victory at Chicago of the well-known pianist, Oscar of Octavia Newcombe & Co., who have been awarded medal and diploma for both their upright and grand pianos. This is not only a great victory for this firm, but a most flattering tribute to the possibilities of our manufacturing industries in Canada. The judges on pianos at the Chicago Exposition made the following report upon the Newcombe Pianos: "The upright piano receive an award for tone quality of a high order of excellence, full and musical, with fine singing power, and duration, well-made, a well-regulated action, light, elastic and prompt touch. The best material and highest class of workmanship are found in these pianos. The cases are artistic and finished in the best manner." Mr. S. N. Barker is agent for the Island for these magnificent instruments.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Advertisements under this heading charged 50¢ at the rate of ten cents per line. Solid gold rings at G. G. Jary's. dec19 Special cash discounts off all Xmas goods this week.—Mark Wright & Co., Ltd. Watches at special prices this week at G. H. Taylor's. dec19 Carter's almanac for 1894 will be ready for delivery this evening. Get a copy. Price 15 cents. By express to-day grey lamb caps, mufflers and collars.—Stanley Bro., Brown's Block. dec19 Solid silver watches at G. G. Jary's. dec19 Tickets for the concert to be given by Rosa D'Erina, in the Lyceum, on Wednesday and Thursday nights, can be had at Bankin's, Reddin's, and Watson's drug stores. 4¢ Nickel clocks selling cheap at G. G. Jary's. dec19 Solid gold gem rings at G. H. Taylor's.

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A QUESTION.

The leading editorial in the Guardian yesterday morning, referring to the recent tragedy at the Queen's Arms, charges the crime to drunkenness, and calls on the citizens of Charlottetown to bring into effect the Scott Act in order to prevent a recurrence. Is it possible that the editor of the Guardian is not aware that the crime referred to was committed at a rum shop in a place where the Scott Act is in force, and that the alteration which ended in the tragedy commenced in the shop? What does the man mean? Why doesn't he call on Prosecutor Matthews, who passes the door every time he comes to town, to enforce the Act and close up the den? The Scott Act is in force in the Royal City, and why not enforce it, now that the election is over, and all fear of losing votes for Peters is past.

NEWS NOTES.

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Another Letter From Santa Claus.

I have now arrived in this city after a long journey, all the way from Germany. My stand is in the big window of CARTER'S BOOKSTORE, where I shall talk from morning till night, telling the passer-by of the beautiful Books, Toys and Fancy Goods in the New Bookstore. You may not know the name of my language, but from the crowds of people saw yesterday going into the store equipped and coming out with arms full of I am here for. I want to tell you that CARTER'S BOOKSTORE is my HEAD-QUARTERS this year, and I have chosen it because everything there is NEW and up to the times, and I don't want my young friends to be given old stock of years past when nice new articles can be bought so cheap. Follow my advice and make this the MERRIEST CHRISTMAS OF YOUR LIFE.

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SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

The Past Atlantic Service.

LONDON, Dec. 19. In regard to Sir John Thompson's statement, to the effect that the arrival of an agent of an English shipbuilding company was expected in Ottawa daily to negotiate with the Government respecting fast Atlantic steamship service, it is believed to refer to Napiers, of New Glasgow, with whom Hector Cameron and the Armstrongs have been negotiating for some time past. Napiers have been given to understand that the Dominion Government is willing to increase the annual subsidy from \$500,000 to \$750,000.

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ODDS AND ENDS.

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MANTLES, ULSTERS, DOLMANS AND JACKETS.—Our choice stock of Winter Garments are offered at prices which make us beyond question the cheapest dealers in these goods.—James Paton & Co. The balance of our ulster and mantle cloths clearing out at reduced prices.—Paton & Co. For Genuine Bargains in Carpets and Oilcloths, we have the largest and best assortment in the Province, we take the lead. We are bound to please everyone. Our prices are such as will please the keenest buyer. Jas Paton & Co. GLOOMY FOREBODINGS.—"Velvet will be worn as much as ever this winter," said the editor of a prominent New York journal in an amusing fashion journal. "Yes, I am afraid the velvet on the collar of my last winter's overcoat will be more worn than ever, before the robins next again," was the pessimistic reply of the moulder of public opinion. WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.—We have tried everywhere, but can find no better assortment than Paton & Co's. They have the largest and best stock to choose from. FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE.—We would respectfully call the attention of the people of Ch'town to the special bargains we are giving in winter underclothing now. Our bill cost week was a decided success, both in quantity and quality of the goods sold. Let the good work go on until every man in the city shall be clothed in a suit of Paton & Co's celebrated underwear. We will continue selling that special line at a dollar and ten cents for a few days more. Don't wait until they are all gone and then regret it. Jas. Paton & Co. ONE FOR BRIDGET.—An Irish girl, who was a servant to a lady, was complimented by her employer on the elaborate ornamentation of a large pie at dinner. "Why, Bridget, you are quite an artist. How did you manage to do this so beautifully?" she enquired, thinking to rally her for the company's sake. "Indeed it was myself that did it, mum," said Bridget, with a malicious grin. "Isn't it pretty, mum? I did it with your false tairn, mum."—Roseleaf. PERS.—We have resolved to dispose of our large and valuable stock at the very lowest prices. We also guarantee that the prices are the lowest and the value the very best ever offered in this city. As there are at all times in the market, however, large quantities of inferior goods which never so utterly satisfactory as that they really would not be cheap at any price, the fact that purchasing at our store is an absolute guarantee of getting supplied from the most reliable and cheapest source.—Jas Paton & Co. For the largest assortment of Silk Handkerchiefs, try James Paton & Co's. The largest European city park is in Denmark. It is called Deer Park, and contains 4,200 acres. The fact is that our dress goods never were so attractive, never were so varied, never were so stylish, never were so pretty, never were so admired, and never were so cheap as they are now. Jas. Paton & Co. "I am really at a loss," said the young minister, "to know why you did not like my last sermon." "Didn't you consider my argument?" "Yes," replied the young man, "exclusive of my 'Washing Star.'" "Money will buy any of the good things we sell—suits, overcoats, ulsters, reds, furnishings, and you can get that money back if what you buy turns out not to be the best you take it for. Jas. Paton & Co. "Man wants but little here below." But this is fact that dante—He's sure to get a little less. Than the little that he wants." HIGH-CLASS FURS.—We have resolved to dispose of our valuable stock of Furs at the very lowest prices. The value is the very best offered in this city, and no lady should buy before seeing our Astracans, Persian Lamb, Astracans and Beaver Capes, Muffs, Bows and Collars in great variety.—James Paton & Co. Mrs. Faddley.—What a rude woman Mrs. Faddley is! She always looks back at people who pass her. Mr. Faddley—How do you know? Mrs. Faddley.—Why, I caught her at several times myself.—Judge. NEW-CLASS FURS.—We are now showing a superb selection of fine furs. 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