

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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THE END NOT YET.

The dissatisfaction over the shelving of the Philosopher of Bothwell does not seem to be abating. Way Mr. Mills, a veteran in the Liberal ranks and a man intellectually the superior of many of those who have been chosen to assist in the direction of the affairs of state, should be ignored in the forming of the Grit cabinet the admirers of that hon. gentleman do not seem to thoroughly understand. The Toronto Star, a paper which gave Mr. Laurier strong support in the recent campaign, has this to say on the subject: "David Mills was an able stalwart of the liberal party before Mr. Laurier was a possibility; he was doing sledge-hammer work for the weakly opposition when Sir Oliver Mowat, Mr. Fielding and Mr. Blair had no thought of helping their party to victory in the Federal arena. Now these gentlemen have stepped into the place Mr. Mills helped to win, and he has been given the cold shoulder while Mr. Patterson and Mr. Tarte, who went down with him in the elections, are to have safe seats and portfolios found for them. It is a bitter cup from which Mr. Mills has been forced to drink. But, perhaps, the reason may be found in his attitude on the school question, which was not that of his party, and which was extensively used by the Tupper party."

Again, in a London despatch to the Montreal Star, dated July 15, it is stated that:—"Hon. David Mills was questioned to day by a reporter about the political situation, but declined to discuss it. A significant editorial deploring Mr. Mills' exclusion from the Cabinet appears in the Advertiser, and is thought to express the opinions of Mr. Mills' friends and, perhaps, the honorable British Empire. It concludes: 'To Western Ontario Mr. Mills has long been a name of respect. Less a politician than a statesman, he has, doubtless, been less 'hustling' than some others, but permanent national regard and influence seldom go to public men of the 'hustling' type, and we make bold to say to-day that no man from the Atlantic to the Pacific possesses more of the statesman's hold upon the reading and thinking public than the Hon. David Mills. No man would have contributed more to the mental resources of the new administration. Public opinion will not be satisfied unless the great gifts of this eminent 'son of Western Ontario' are turning to account in the service of his country at the earliest possible moment.'"

The London Advertiser, it may be pointed out, is the leading grit organ of Western Ontario. In the matter of the shelving of Hon. Mr. Mills it is in line with the Chatham Banner, the Ottawa Free Press, and other grit papers. Even our own Patriot seems disposed to shed a sympathetic tear.

AT HIS OLD TRICKS.

It would seem by the tone of our despatches to-day that Hon. Mr. Blair's efforts to induce a straight Conservative to retire in his favor have proved fruitless, and he has now determined to exercise his persuasive powers upon Albert and Dr. Lewis. What the outcome of the champion manipulator's efforts in this constituency will be remains to be seen. The deal which Mr. Blair is alleged to have attempted in his efforts to secure a constituency for the Commons have attracted the attention of the press and politicians of the Upper Provinces, and some of the papers have been speaking out concerning them. The Montreal Gazette has this to say:—"Mr. Blair's hand has not lost any of its cunning by its owner's transfer from Fredericton to Ottawa. At the last New Brunswick Provincial election Mr. Blair's administration was practically beaten, but he went into Northumberland, took a man elected on the Opposition ticket into his Cabinet, and through the recruit's influence saved himself and his Government. Now, as a Dominion Minister, instead of seeking a seat in a Liberal camp, he is reported to have again gone into the enemy's camp, and has persuaded Mr. Blanchard, the Conservative representative of Restigouche, to retire in his favor. By this means he takes a seat from the Opposition and strengthens the Government in a Province where it is weakest. The line of action is bold and effective, but few will call it creditable, and it reflects no honor on either of the parties to it."

Referring to the same deal, the Ottawa correspondent of the Mail and Empire says:—"A private telegram to-night states that Mr. Blair has selected Gloucester, and that Mr. Blanchard, a Conservative, will make way for him. If this is true, it illustrates a curious phase of New Brunswick politics. The Liberal members from that province are intensely jealous of the interloping Premier, and he is reported to have ready to make room for them. Mr. Blanchard is a Conservative in Federal politics, and a Blarite in local politics. It is likely that the political alliance, as well as ties of friendship, have induced him to step aside for a political comrad-looker for a constituency. The incident will be without parallel in the political history of Canada."

These are a few of the opinions along this line that might be quoted. But it is not necessary to pursue the subject further to-day.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

At the annual meeting of the Council of the Dominion Alliance, held in Toronto last week, it was decided to send a delegation to the Federal Government to plead for prohibition. Among the vice-presidents elected were Hon. David Laird and Mr. S. W. Crable for Prince Edward Island.

Halifax Herald: The grit organ praises the new ministry, and says that it should be noted there are enough grits to make another ministry just as strong and good. Which is rather funny, seeing that Laurier has had to ransack the house of commons, the senate, and three provincial governments, and take two men from the defeated in the late election to make up his ministry, and after all has not got it completed yet.

Acadia and Therapeutics is the title of a pamphlet just issued by the Plant Steamship Line, a copy of which has been forwarded THE EXAMINER by Mr. H. L. Chipman, of Halifax, Canadian agent of

the Company. The pamphlet has been prepared by Mr. Frank Presbury, and it is well written and beautifully illustrated. The illustrations include many views in Nova Scotia, Cape Breton and Prince Edward Island, and the attractions of each place are cleverly presented.

The Ottawa Citizen remarks:—"The Toronto Globe publishes a large picture of Sir Richard Cartwright which shows his handsome and aristocratic features to advantage. But the praise of the Knight contained in the letter press is limited. The sorrowful truth is that Sir Richard has been turned down, and Mr. Fielding promoted over his head."

And, as the Halifax Herald adds, what makes Sir Richard's degradation all the worse, are the threats made by the organs of his party to abolish his department at the earliest possible moment.

The Ottawa Free Press rises to remark that "one of the most important elements in our system of government is a strong and effective opposition." The paper goes on to say that "the miserable want of spirit in the letter press in power will be incapable of rightly performing the true duties of an opposition." Is it possible that the sublime Mowat, the divine Laurier, the immaculate Tarte, the illustrious Cartwright, the beauteous Blair, and the rest of the petriotic, pure and benevolent statesmen of the Liberal party, need watching?

Sir Oliver Mowat, Minister of Justice, has been appointed to the Senate for the Quinte District, made vacant by the death of Mr. Reel. Sir Oliver is as cautious as ever. He has lately leased a residence in Ottawa and proposes to bring his family there. But it has transpired that the lease covers only three months, so that the cautious Sir Oliver may at the end of that time surrender his tenancy. Sir Oliver, it is said, does not intend to remain in the Ottawa politics any more. Before the session of 1897 he will make way for Mr. Geoffroy, who has been promised the reversion of the important Department of Justice.

THE ELECTORAL VOTE.

An Estimate of How the States May Go in November.

(Chicago Inter-Ocean.) The free silver Democrats concede the Eastern States of Maine, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and Vermont to McKinley, as the issues now stand. These states have 117 votes in the Electoral College. The free-traders, however, have not even a fighting chance in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin. These states have ninety-two electoral votes.

If Idaho had been nominated, his friends claim, the Democrats might have carried Iowa. But with the prohibition question out of the way, Iowa gave a Republican plurality of 79,596 in 1894, and a Republican plurality of 39,470 in 1895. In both years the free-traders had a majority over all others. Kansas was claimed by the Democrats and Populists in 1895, but the Republicans carried the State by a plurality of 81,384, and had 74.34 per cent. of the whole vote. These two States have 23 electoral votes, and are carried by Thurston against Bryan for Senator in 1894, has eight electoral votes. Here are 240 votes, more than a majority of the Electoral College, not counting Oregon, Washington, California, the Dakotas, or Kentucky, Missouri or Maryland.

The free silver Democrats claim Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Texas, Virginia, of the Southern group, while the free-traders claim Kentucky, Maryland, Delaware, Tennessee, Missouri and West Virginia. The Democrats claim the naturally Republican States of Colorado, Montana, Idaho, Nevada and California. The silver issue, a d d the Dakotas on that and other issues. They hope to divide the Republican party in Oregon and Washington on the silver issue.

The Southern group has ninety-seven electoral votes, and includes the States of including Washington and Oregon and Utah, thirty-five votes. Concede all these States to the free silver Democrats, and they have only 191 electoral votes. Include the Dakotas and Nebraska, and they have 206.

Throw Maryland and Delaware to the Republican or sound-money column and they have 193; count Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee and West Virginia in the Republican column, and the free silver Democrats have 147 electoral votes, and the Republicans have 390.

OUR EXPORT EGG TRADE.

(Montreal Trade Bulletin.) Canadian eggs, like Canadian bacon, are gradually winning their way into the English markets. The principal demand is for our fresh and pickled eggs, refrigerator stock not being wanted at all on the other side. The exports of fresh eggs have begun rather earlier than usual this year, as the demand for these seldom sets in before August, when the flush of the foreign supply into Great Britain is over, and prices commence to strengthen and afford a more profitable market for our fresh laid August eggs, which are considered the best of the year. This season, however, 2,250 cases have already been shipped, against only 78 cases for the corresponding period last year. Liverpool is the chief market for Canadian eggs; for of the above quantity 1,622 cases went to that port, 455 cases to Glasgow, and 19 cases to Bristol. A small lot of 10 cases went to Antwerp. As stated by us last week, some heavy contracts have been made with English firms for November-December delivery of pickled eggs, at prices ranging from 6s. 3d. to 6s. 9d. per long hundred of ten dozens.

A very choice line of belt buckles just opened, also belt ribbon.—Moore & McLeod. Read Paton & Co's. offer in their ad to-day. Twelve dollars will buy you a nice Tweed Suit, made from your measure in any style asked for. See them before they are all gone.—S. A. McDonald. July 16-31

NEWS NOTES.

The Hamilton Spectator is engaged in celebrating its jubilee. The Spectator bears its fifty years with all the jauntness of youth.

A despatch from Madrid to the London Standard says that the relations between Spain and the United States are now on a satisfactory footing.

It is not evident that the army worm is so destructive in New Hampshire as at first reported. Farmers are very uneasy, however. The worm is more destructive across the Vermont line.

The correspondence between Great Britain and the United States for a treaty has been made public. The draft treaty provides for two arbitrators, one to be appointed for each nation.

The Quebec Conservatives meet in that city on Wednesday to arrange for the local campaign, which will be fought after the next session of the Legislature. By the flux of time the general election is due by March next.

The Greek government has decided to send reinforcements of troops to the Greek-Turkish frontier owing to the strained relations between Greece and Turkey, immediately growing out of the Cretan insurrection.

The fiercest fight since the strike of the Brown hoisting works began, occurred at Cleveland, Ohio, on Friday last, and a mob of 15,000 men stoned and jered the police and the latter were charged with fixed bayonets several times and many of the mob were badly wounded.

The report of the death of General Jose Maceo, of the insurgents' army, is semi-officially confirmed. It is stated that he was court-martialed and shot by order of the Spanish Government. Garcia for insubordination. This action, it is added, met with the approval of Gomez, the rebel commander-in-chief.

From Novang, Sherbourne county, Minn., comes news of the fatal poisoning, at Santiago, of a family of nine children named Allen, caused by drinking lemonade on July 4th. The lemonade contained some poisonous ingredients. The children died one after another and the parents are still very sick.

A despatch from Cannes, in the Island of Crete, to the London Times, says that the Turks advanced to the attack on Apokorona, which has already been taken by the under cover of shells from the men-of-war. They had fifty killed and were defeated, and the Times correspondent says, have now withdrawn.

There seems to have been quite a lively time at the Prohibitionists' convention at Toronto, between the plain farmers and the Prohibitionists who use prohibition to help along as far as it may the Liberal party election schemes. The latter won. There was no violence done to the traditions of the organization.

A sea monster, hitherto unknown in these parts, is said to have made its appearance in Bedford Basin, Halifax. It is described as between thirty and forty feet in length, with a head resembling that of a horse. Its body never appears above the surface, but creates a commotion in the water for some distance.

The petitions of the government of Russia and Germany asking the privilege of establishing banks in Peking for the purpose of transacting Russian and German Commercial business, have been refused by the Chinese government. China is conducting negotiations with the United States with the view of the establishment of an American bank in Peking.

The Peary expedition sets forth once more in a ship well named the Hope. Their aims this time are moderate and are therefore the more likely of accomplishment. They will not try to reach the Pole, but will seek more knowledge of the Arctic regions nearer home. Still, the expedition means hardship and adventure, and all brave men will wish them luck.

The twenty-first renewal of the Great Kington two-year-old race of 500 sovereigns, the owner of the second horse to receive 50 sovereigns out of the race, five turlongs, took place at Sandown Park, London, on Friday, and was won by Blue Water; Hyacinth second, St. Nicholas third. The British stakes of 10,000 sovereigns for three and four-year-olds, about a mile and a quarter, was won by St. Fransquin; Regret second, Troon third.

In the House of Commons last Friday George N. Curzon, under secretary for the Foreign Office, announced that a complaint had been made by the Christian insurgents in Crete that the Turks in that island had further violated the armistice which had been agreed upon by the Turks and the Christian rebels, by making an attack upon the town of Apokorona, where many persons, including women and children, are reported to have been killed.

P. J. O'Connor, of Savannah, Ga., has been elected President of the International Ancient Order of Hibernians. John C. Weadlock, of New York city, has been re-elected vice president and Thomas J. Brennan, of Columbus, Ohio, treasurer. Bishop Foley, of Detroit, has been elected to the University fund for the endowment of a chair in the Catholic University at Washington, D. C. reported that \$19,000 of the required \$50,000 had been subscribed, and the remaining \$31,000 would be in his hands in a short time.

Judges Johnson, Dennison and Cole, of the Southern Department of the Kansas Court of Appeals, have handed down a decision which declared invalid the Kansas divorce law that has been in operation for twenty-five years, and which is estimated that from 35,000 to 50,000 mismatched couples have been separated. It was argued by the attorneys in the case that such a decision would disturb the property rights and custody of children adjudged in divorce proceedings since the law has been operative, but the court replies that the legislature is responsible for that. The case on trial was that of E. P. Shepherd, error from Ford county. The lower court made a ruling sustaining an objection to allowing the husband to testify. Upon this point the case was appealed.

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NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL.

When the Cabinet Will Prepare for the Session.

Sir Oliver Mowat's Opinion of the List of Queen's Counsel.

OTTAWA, July 20.

It will be the first week in August before the cabinet reassembles to prepare for the session.

Hon. Mr. Tarte went to Montreal on Saturday. He sent a chill through the Public Works Department during the day by calling for a detailed list of the employees. This, it is believed, is preliminary to further decapitation.

The grit organ here, the Free Press, on Saturday had the following: "It is understood that Sir Oliver Mowat is not disposed to see the legal profession made ridiculous by a number of persons, unfit alike from personality and status, to sport the distinction of Q. C. The list recently presented to the Governor-General is to be revised, and wisely so." Your correspondent is in a position to state that Sir Oliver's action goes beyond mere revision. He has recommended that the entire list be cancelled. Inasmuch, however, as the Governor-General has approved the list, it is difficult to see how His Excellency will justify himself by withdrawing his approval on the mere ipse dixit of Sir Oliver.

Blair Will Fall Back on Albert.

St. Jons, July 20. Opinion seems to be settling down to the conclusion that Hon. Mr. Blair will not find a regular Conservative to retire, but will fall back on Albert County and Dr. Lewis.

Hon. Mr. Fielding Resigns.

HALIFAX, July 20. Hon. W. S. Fielding has resigned the Premiership, and George H. Murray has been called on to form a new government. It is understood that Longley will be given back his old position of Attorney-General.

A Steamer Ashore.

HALIFAX, July 20. The steamer Wildcraft from Las Palmas Canary Islands, July 7, bound to St. John's, N. B., in ballast, to load deals for England, is ashore at Port Laitour, N. S.

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