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THE DAILY EXAMINER

JUNE 5, 1899.

THE GERRYMANDER.

The Liberal gerrymander is not meeting with sympathy from that portion of the Canadian press which is disposed to do the right thing by all parties and constituencies. On Saturday we quoted the *Huntington Gleaner*, a Liberal newspaper, in opposition to the measure, and today the following from the *Monetary Times*, a paper credited with being favorably disposed towards the Liberals, is respectfully submitted:—

"Under the constitutional act which created the existing Canadian confederation, a redistribution of the constituencies which elect members to the house of commons, must take place after the taking of each decennial census. The next census will fall to be taken in 1901. The principle which ought to guide the distribution of the representation is, as nearly as practicable, equality of population to members. An equal number of people in any part of the country are entitled to an equal representation. This was called, in its inception, representation by population. To consecrate this principle as a rule of constitutional law and practice, the country was agitated and convulsed for a number of years, till at last the principle becoming sacred in the eyes of the people, swept away all opposition and met what was practically and universal acceptance. The simple thing to do, in all cases of redistribution, is to adhere to this principle, to give it first place, to make it supreme. Adherence to county boundaries, in the formation of political constituencies, is desirable, in giving supremacy to the principle of representation by population, and no farther. To safeguard the principle of representation by population it would have been well if the constitution had provided against the creation of unequal constituencies by the process of redistribution."

The Halifax Herald says this statement of the *Monetary Times* is eminently correct, and comments as follows:—

"Adherence to county boundaries is very well, so long as the principle of representation by population is not too flagrantly violated; but when it comes to giving 15,000 people as much representation as 50,000, adherence to them is nothing short of an outrage. The central idea of representation should be representation, and, as near as possible, a vote in one district should have exactly the same force as a vote in any other district. Neither county boundaries nor anything else should stand in the way of equal and just representation."

THE FUTURE OF CANADA.

In the course of his excellent address to the Canadian Society in New York, Hon. Mr. Foster, ex-minister of Finance, spoke eloquently of Canada and her resources. Regarding the future of Canada he said:—

"We in Canada are patriotic and intend to develop that field in which Providence has placed us. The question has been asked if we intend always to be a colony or if we intend to allow ourselves to be absorbed into this great country. We have met these questions, and I think I can fairly say that we have settled them. We do not intend or wish to become independent because sooner or later that would mean absorption in the greater power on this continent, and we are not at all sure that greater power wants us to be. We will stay in our northern part of the continent and work out our own governmental salvation. We hope that we will not always be a colonial possession with no voice in the great movements of the empire. The destiny of the British empire is not disintegration, but consolidation. We in the Dominion of Canada feel that we have just as great a heritage as the man who lives in London and as good a right to the share in the glories and responsibilities of the empire which are to come."

THAT EXTRA POLICEMAN.

Sir,—Would you kindly let me ask through the people's paper who it is that has the appointing of an extra policeman? I am informed that it was Councillor Crabbe and the Magistrate who selected a Mr. Taylor, brother of officer Taylor, to fill, for the time being, the vacancy caused by Campbell's "promotion." It is this because I would ask those gentlemen, or whoever it was, if they could not find among the thousands of taxpayers a man to fill the job without going outside the city? So far as I can learn this man Taylor never paid a cent's worth of taxes, and has absolutely no interest whatever in the city. True he owns and lives in a property outside the city limits, and has a brother at present on the police force, but that is no reason why he should get the situation of extra policeman. Besides I think they might as well, when they are about it, get a man not exceeding 23 years. Seems strange, indeed, that Taylor should get the job every summer; and I trust that those who are entrusted with the appointing of such men will hereafter use a little more discretion. Probably some one will explain why this man should be foisted upon the public.

QUERY.

THE LAMP EXPLODED

LAWRENCE, MASS., June 2.—Four persons were very seriously burned in a fire which started in a seven tenement house on Oak Street at 12.30 this morning. The fire was caused by a lamp exploding in a tenement occupied by a French family named Roleau. The bed occupied by the man and his wife caught fire, as did a chair in which their three-months-child was sleeping.

All were badly burned as was another male member of the family who attempted to extinguish the fire. All were removed to the hospital. The recovery of the child is doubtful. The two men were badly burned about the hands and arms while the woman was burned about the face and body. The damage to the building and furniture was principally caused by water.

The Rebellion of 1798.

BELFAST, June 2.—The placarding of the city with partitioned posters announcing a Nationalist demonstration to take place on June 5, to celebrate the rebellion of 1798, and the fact that there is to be an anti-Nationalist demonstration on the day, are causing the authorities much apprehension.

An Earthquake Shock.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—At 11.15 last night a sharp shock of earthquake was felt in this city. The vibrations were from north to south. Windows were broken and plaster was cracked in various parts of the city. No one was injured. The damage was nominal.

Thirty Thousand Troops Required

WASHINGTON, June 2.—Replying to the enquiries of Secretary of War, General Otis telegraphed that "he is still of the opinion that 30,000 troops will be necessary for the effective control of the Philippines."

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Queen Hotel: Louis Taylor, Summerside; A F McArthur, Conway; Thos. F Simpson, Brantford, Ont.; C F Gorham, Halifax; J D McEachern, Galt, Ont.; Cyrus Shaw, New Perth; P Kelly and wife, Maggie Kelly, Florrie Kelly, Montague.

Hotel Davies: Walter Wilson, Montreal; John Richmond, Sussex; Miss Moss, Pictou; Geo W C Oland, W N Forbes, Halifax; Hon Geo W Howland, wife and maid, City; H L Dickey, M D., City; T T Mortimore, Toronto; T W Watwood, Portland, Me.

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