

OTTAWA CORRESPONDENCE.

Last week was an exciting one in Ottawa. Sunday was Jean Baptiste Day, and the French-Canadian who had observed more joyfully than usual, awoke on Monday morning to learn of the assassination of President Carnot and the death of Madame Alberti, which latter, however, was happily counteracted next day. Early on Tuesday morning the fire alarm brought thousands from their beds to view the burning of Booth's new saw-mill, said to have been the largest and best equipped in the world. Soon it was daylight, and then the bustle and work of election day commenced. The proceedings were carried on quietly enough. It was in the evening the excitement arose when the returns began to come in, and continued till midnight. After a day's interval to recover breath, the Colonial Conference opened on Thursday morning, and Thursday night the grand banquet was given in their honor at the Russell House, whence up to 2 a. m. on Friday a jolly good fellow. There has been a number of weddings in Ottawa since people were more interested than others. It is now known that whether Mowat has a clear majority or not, Meredith is not it, while the P. P. A. are out of sight altogether. Those who expect to defeat Mowat were very much too sanguine. They overlooked the strength of his position and the influence at his command. It may be said that the good temperance people of the Island to be told that the Christian Premier of Ontario, the lecturer on the "Evils of Christianity" depends to a very large extent upon the liquor dealers—their sales of Ontario, for his political life. As I have had occasion to remark in a previous letter, the whole licensing system is under the control of the Provincial Government, the license fees go into the Provincial Treasury. There are only 3,000 liquor licenses issued, and as the holders of these are all dependent upon the Government for their existence, from the moment naturally they are Sir Oliver Mowat's obedient servants. Then, we must remember that all these licenses are required to contribute to the election fund—a proof of this has been published more than once—and from 3,000 men in that business, what could be easier than to raise half a million dollars.

where the Protestants are in the majority. Bronson had 200 and better more than his colleague O'Keefe, who, in Lower Town, had over 300 more than Bronson. Besides all this, the Protestants, in the mountains, in the Grays had the assistance of the mill owners and the electric railway. J. R. Booth, the lumber king, is a Conservative in Dominion politics, and a Grit in local matters—his business is his politics, and he looks after No. 1. He employs thousands of workmen, all of whom who live in Ottawa were good for Bronson and O'Keefe. Then Bronson's own men were a large factor in the vote. Nominating day John W. McRae, the leading spirit of the electric railway, signed Mr. Durocher's papers. Within 48 hours he saw his minister, Mr. Durocher retired, and John W. worked hard and successfully for Bronson and O'Keefe. It was to his interest to do so. There is no doubt that money was spent lavishly. It is currently reported that Bronson expended \$25,000 in the last election day. McVeity polled a large vote, everything considered. He announces that he is going to stay in the field, and be on hand at the Dominion election. The Electric Railway Company held its annual meeting last week. Last year they carried 2,772,281 passengers, or over 8,900 every working day in the year. Their cars are 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. The number of miles travelled by their cars was 759,433. The company's rolling stock consists of 22 open cars, 31 closed cars, 3 open trailers, 3 closed trailers, 2 open trailers, and 53 electrical equipments. Prof. Robertson, whenever he returns from the lower provinces, always has a good word to say for the Island. This is what he told a newspaper the other day about the Island: "The dairy industry had made rapid progress during the last few years. At the government dairy station on Prince Edward Island about \$1,000 worth of cheese is being made daily. The farmers are quite enthusiastic over the new business which has been established in their midst. In 1892 there was only one dairy station in operation on the Island; this year there is 15, of two of which butter is being made. Arrangements have been made for a very large gathering of farmers at Charlottetown in August, when it is expected that the Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen will be present. Mr. Robertson says that about 8,000 or 9,000 people are expected to attend the gathering, and that the Government will be glad to accompany him to the Maritime provinces at that time to speak at one large gathering in each of the provinces. He will visit Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and the Maritime provinces. The Maritime provinces offer unsurpassed opportunities for dairy farmers who want to emigrate from Great Britain and who have from £500 to £2,000 of capital, together with the valuable experience which they have gained in the Old Country. Great interest is being taken in the visit of the Australian delegates to the Colonial Conference. No pains or expense is being spared to make the occasion a memorable one in the minds of our distinguished guests. I cannot attempt to give any report of the conference or any description of the entertainments offered the visitors. They will remain in Ottawa for ten days, and then, unless they are proceeded to Montreal and Toronto, where other demonstrations will be held in their honor. The delegates are said to be a lot of practical business men, and there is only one orator among them, the Hon. Nicholas FitzGerald, an Irishman of course. Sir John Thompson's speech at the banquet for ten days, and he is said to have delivered, undoubtedly, the finest he ever delivered. Political friends and foes sat charmed by his eloquence, and applauded vociferously. Mr. Laurier's speech was also in excellent taste. It is also unnecessary to observe that Cartwright was not present—he would have been a wet blanket on the festivities, had he been there. It is a pity that our country does not wait, when they would have made his mark, as well as Laurier. I think it must have been a compositor's error that inserted Senator Power's name for that of Senator Power's in a recent letter of mine. Senator Power is represented as saying that he was opposed to the ballot. It should have read Senator Power.

between your lips, you are eligible for the highest pinnacle in Ottawa society. You will be invited to all the five o'clock teas, lawn tennis parties, card suppers, &c., and you will have the pleasure of reading your name among "the fashionable" who were present at Mrs. So-and-so's kettle drum on Wednesday afternoon. Each of the three English speaking dailies has a society column once a week, which keeps us posted upon the movements of "the fashionables," and who are engaged, and when they are to be married, &c. Here is an extract from "Rhoda Dendron's" letter to Saturday's Free Press. After discussing a lot of "fashionable" matters, she concludes: "In spite of the hot weather there have been a number of card parties given lately. Three this week on Sandy Hill and four in the classic precincts of Metcalfe and Cooper streets. Sometimes the game is whist, sometimes euchre, sometimes polo and sometimes poker. Last winter poker playing among the Ottawa society began to assume amazing proportions. Leaving out those who play for fun, or whose playing is fun for adepts, there is a surprisingly large number of women in the different social circles, who play up to date in the vernacular of the poker player—is enough to make the judicious clutch his purse with alarm. If the weather were only cooler, I could talk about Ottawa society at greater length, but it is somewhere around 95 in the shade today, and I feel "feble, flaccid, comatose and inept." This is the celebration of Dominion day, and the Ottawaites are doing justice to it. All business establishments are closed; there are picnics everywhere, and horse races and a balloon ascension. The Government are celebrating the anniversary by an all day session of the cabinet. July 2nd, 1894.

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A BIC PICNIC The Second Methodist Church SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC will be held ON MONDAY, JULY 9th, AT ELLIOT'S MILLS. one of the prettiest places on Prince Edward Island. All kinds of games, baseball, football, &c. Good fishing and a good time for all who may attend. Ten and 15c refreshments. Trains will leave at 9 o'clock, local time. Return trip only 40c.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.—The Review of Reviews, Donalson's Magazine and McClure's Magazine, all for July and all excellent in their way, have been received by THE EXAMINER.—It is pleasing to have Mr. McPhail's assurance that the butter contractor for Falconwood, has taken away the bad butter in supply, and proposed to let better future. We rely upon Mr. McPhail to see to it that no influential government contractor shall impose foul milk to be used, upon the lunatics at the hospital.—Another old and respected resident of Charlottetown has, in the great majority, Simon D. Fraser, for the past twenty-eight years proprietor of the Rocklin House, died somewhat suddenly this morning, leaving a wife and eight children. Mr. Fraser was a native of Scotland. His daughter went to his room to remain with him, but having to go out for a few minutes, during her absence the messenger came, and when she returned she found Mr. Fraser dead. He leaves a wife and family of three—two daughters, and a son—to mourn.

FRANK HUTCHESON, Secretary. AUCTION SALE. The undersigned will offer for sale by Auction on Upper Saint Peter's Road, on Monday 16th July, At 2 o'clock p. m. The Standard Crop of 35 acres Bay adjoining the property of the late Ralph Brecken, between the Upper and Lower St. Peter's Roads. Also at 3 o'clock p. m.—The Standing Crop of 50 Acres Bay on Lower St. Peter's Road, adjoining the property of Benjamin Wright Esq. Terms at sale. A. A. McDONALD, W. W. SULLIVAN, FRANK HUTCHESON, Trustees in the Owen Connolly. 35 dt 1 st wyl.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Coal, Public Buildings," will be received until Wednesday, 15th July next, for Coal supply for all or any of the Dominion Public Buildings. Specification, form of tender and all necessary information can be obtained at this Department, on and after Wednesday, 27th inst. Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, EQUAL TO FIVE PER CENT. OF THE AMOUNT OF THE TENDER, WHICH WILL BE FORFEITED IF THE PARTY DECLINE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT within the time specified, or if he fail to supply the coal contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

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TELEGRAPHIC. SPECIAL OPERATORS TO THE EXAMINER. THE COLONIAL CONFERENCE. The Pacific Cable Project Endorsed. OTTAWA, July 5. The first practical result of the Colonial Conference has been announced. After a discussion of the Pacific cable project for three days, the Commissioners passed resolutions expressing the opinion that immediate steps should be taken to provide telegraphic communication, free from foreign control, between the Dominion of Canada and Australia. A resolution was adopted, asking the Imperial Government to undertake the survey of the ocean bed of the proposed route, the expense to be borne in equal proportions by Great Britain, Canada and the Australian colonies. The Queen has sent a gracious reply to the greeting from the Conference.

A Fatal Disaster. A shocking disaster occurred yesterday on the river-Deise, resulting in the loss of nearly 200 lives. A ferry boat with 200 persons on board was being drawn across the river by means of a chain. The chain parted. This raised a panic on the boat, in the midst of which the vessel capsized from being overweighed on one side. All the occupants of the boat were thrown into the water, and most of them were drowned.

An Anarchist Plot. The Gantois asserts that the archives of the Elysee Palace contain documents showing that shortly before the late President Carnot went to Lyons, a plot was in existence to kidnap Madame Carnot and hold her as a hostage against the punishment of the anarchists under arrest and awaiting trial.

Prohibition Convention. MONTREAL, July 5. The Prohibition Convention has completed its labors. Mr. Fisher's resolution condemning the French treaty was adopted at the close of this Convention. The Dominion Alliance elected its officers: Senator Vidal is President. Among the Vice-Presidents are Hon. D. Laird and Mr. S. W. Grabbe.

Scull Race in London. LONDON, July 5. The racing race for the Diamond Sculls here yesterday was won by Nickalls, who easily beat Ryan, of Toronto.

Sudden Death. OXFORD, N. S., July 5. Fred Batten, manager of the stone quarries, Wallace, while in his boat with his son, fell over dead.

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