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**HON PETER MITCHELL.**

The Montreal Star has the following to say regarding Hon Peter Mitchell's qualifications for the position of Lieut Governor of New Brunswick.

Prior to the appointment of Mr. Boyd Hon Peter Mitchell's name was prominently before the public in connection with the office; and now another opportunity is offered to Sir John Thompson's Government to do an act of justice to one of the most active and influential of the fathers of Confederation. While there may be other aspirants to the office, there can be no one whose claims, based on valuable service rendered to his native province and to the Dominion can compare with Mr. Mitchell's. Those who would follow Mr. Mitchell's record must go back to the days when he, with Tilley, Ritchie, Johnson, Fisher and other leading spirits of his province agitated for and secured for their people the blessings of responsible government and the final overthrow of the family compact. These gains accomplished, the next great step in provincial progress was the construction of provincial railways at the Government's expense; and in this progressive movement Mr. Mitchell was again a leader. In all the subsequent liberalizing legislation of New Brunswick, down to the era of Confederation, Mr. Mitchell's hand was seen. When the time arrived for discussing the union of the Maritime Provinces, Mr. Mitchell was selected as one of the delegates to the Charlottetown Conference, where Mr. John Macdonald, George Brown and their Canadian associates appeared to urge the larger union of all of British North America. Mr. Mitchell was named to the Quebec Conference from which issued the Quebec Resolutions—the basis of the Canadian Confederation; and he was also one of the New Brunswick delegates to London to confer with the Imperial authorities and draft the Imperial Act, known as the British North American Act of 1867, our present Canadian Constitution. In all these conferences and consultations Mr. Mitchell took an active part, his practical, well-balanced mind being fertile in suggestion, and of great service in the very important negotiations with which which the delegates were charged by their respective governments. In the general elections in New Brunswick, which followed the passing of this act, Mr. Mitchell, then a member of the Legislative Council, took an active part; and although the anti Confederates won the day, Mr. Mitchell persisted, during the darkest hours, in urging the Legislature and the people to accept the Union. His speeches during the interval between the first and second consideration elections were masterpieces of political oratory, and, with the influence which his abilities enabled him to exercise over the Lieutenant-Governor of the day (the uncle of the present Governor-General of Canada), and over an Anti-Union Legislature and the more moderate members of the anti-Union party, they were beyond all question the most important factor in securing the success of Confederation at the polls in the second great campaign, and thus, by bringing New Brunswick into line with the other provinces of the mainland, made the Confederation an accomplished fact. When the first government of All Canada was formed, Mr. Mitchell, with Mr. Tilley, was summoned to Ottawa to take his place in the first dominion cabinet with the department of marine and fisheries—a department which he personally organized for the first time and administered with the greatest ability and success—as all who are interested in shipping, light houses, and lake and coast navigation cheerfully testify. Under his direction the first fleet of cruisers for the protection of our Atlantic Fisheries was organized, and rendered great service in its special duty; and as Minister of Marine and

Fisheries he was equally successful in defending his administration of the fishery side of the department against both the reflections of President Grant in his message to Congress and the strictness of the British Colonial Secretary of that day, who deprecated the vigorous stand that was taken by Canada. Under Mr. Mitchell's inspiration, in defence of our Maritime rights. In fact, Mr. Mitchell's in his despatches in this connection gave the key note to that bold and national attitude, in dealing with the encroachments of the United States, which enabled more recent Canadian Governments to secure the influence and backing of the Imperial Government in the Behring Sea difficulty. Mr. Mitchell was also largely instrumental in bringing about the Halifax Arbitration between Great Britain and the United States, at which, for the first time in disputes with the United States, Canada interests were represented by Canadians, and which eventuated in an indemnity of \$450,000 being paid to Canada by the United States for the use of the Canada fisheries by United States fishermen. Although Mr. Albert Smith was Minister of Marine and Fisheries when the arbitration was held, and was knighted because of the success of the arbitration, the actual work which ensured this success was done by Mr. Mitchell. It was he who blocked out the plan of the Canadian case secured the necessary evidence, and arranged the details in most particulars. Since the overthrow of the Macdonald government in '73, he has acted independently of party, and, when holding a seat in the Commons, has rendered good service to both parties and to the cause of good government by his practical advice and action. If there is any New Brunswicker in nomination for the governorship whose record will compare with Mr. Mitchell's in devotion to the public service, in patriotic labor for the up-building of Canada, in personal sacrifice in promoting the advancement of the country,—in placing on the statute books of his native province and of the Canadian Dominion the most advanced legislation,—in power of organization or in knowledge of administration of a public department,—in independence of thought and practical sagacity in the work of government,—he is yet to be named.

**ROBERT SCOTT IS SORRY.**

Lynn's 60-Year-Old Elopee Heard From by Friends.

Robert Scott, the ex-superintendent of the Massachusetts Temperance Home, has been heard from. A friend reports him as not being far away, and that he expresses sorrow for the step taken.

Scott is really pitied by many of his Lynn acquaintances for the ruinous move he made, and they fear that he will go on the downward path at a toboggan pace, as he many times stated that he had gaged a fearful battle in order to save himself from the drinking habit.

The Boston furniture man who was enamored of Miss Wiggin is said to have parted with \$3000 or more, paid to Scott and the woman, on their promise to separate. When they secured the funds they decided to emigrate.

Lynn people who met Miss Wiggin, whom Scott at all times seemed to fairly adore, are completely nonplussed at her actions. They had looked upon her as the "salt of the earth" as one of them expresses it, and had thought her being with Scott was only indicative of interest in reform work.

Scott was steadily growing in the estimation of the Lynn people. He had a good position and appeared to be fitted for the studies.

**Coming and Going.**

E. A. Prince, Private Secretary to Mr. Timmerman, registered at the Queen this week.

Nelson A. Cliff left on Thursday morning for Florida where he will spend the winter.

Rev. Dr. McLeod returned on Tuesday from the Western Provinces where he has been attending another meeting of the Prohibition Commission.

G. F. Gregory, Q. C., A. S. Murray and H. F. McLeod went to Perth on Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late B. G. Baxter, B. A.

Chas. Masters, Inspector of Agencies for the Equitable Life Assurance Society, is in the city.

Geo. W. Parker of the Confederation Life is in the city.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF FREDERICTON.**

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—At the earnest solicitation of a large number of the rate-payers of the city, I have consented to again become a candidate FOR THE OFFICE OF MAYOR. During my occupancy of the office, I have always worked for the benefit of the City, without showing favor to any class or party. If re-elected by you in January next, I will, as heretofore, give my best services to your interests.

Your obedient servant,  
HARRY BECKWITH.

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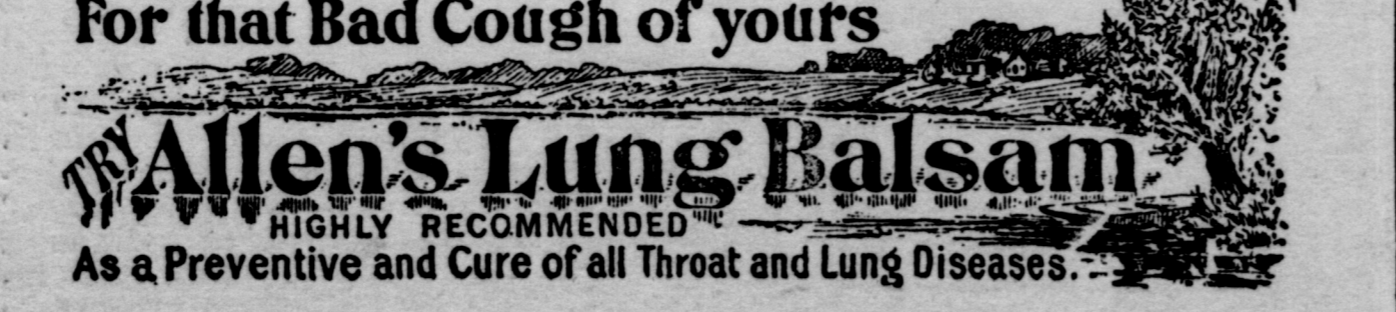
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