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MR. CARVELL'S LAME DEFENCE.

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In a letter of some two columns in length, published in last week's Sentinel, Mr. Carvell makes a futile effort to deny the statement that he packed the convention of February 12th. The convention was called by Messrs Appleby and McCain and was thoroughly well advertised. Mr. Carvell gives the whole matter away when he admits that on the announcement of the convention he at once opened up a frantic campaign through the mail, writing letters to his personal friends throughout the county regarding the manipulation of the convention. He gives the names of fourteen men to whom he wrote, but he does not give us an idea of how many more he communicated with. Does Mr. Carvell ask us to believe that he entered on this frantic campaign through the mail with an eye single to the glory of the liberal party? The animus apparent throughout the letter and the falsehoods it contains are a fair indication of what his activity meant. And Mr. Carvell's too ready tongue has made it impossible for him to deny that he desired and plotted the defeat of Mr. Appleby. After boasting that he had driven certain old liberals out of the party he announced on many occasions that he would drive out the late W. T. Drysdale, the late Fred Moore and Mr. Appleby. It has always been one of Mr. Carvells proudest boasts that he has knifed some one or will knife some one, and this amiable quality has earned for him and a small clique that follow him to do his will, the name of the knife party.

Mr. Carvell in his letter says that Mr. Appleby was always willing at any time and place to turn down a liberal in order to please a tory. This is one of these falsehoods that Mr. Carvell made and has been circulating county to the difference which exists between all summer and Mr. Carvell knows it. He the party today and the party of years ago can't point to a single liberal whom Mr. Appleby ever turned down. And if there were any liberals who were opposed to Mr. Appleby's candidature they were no doubt induced to oppose it by falsehoods such as this circulated by Mr. Carvell and some of his emissaries.

Mr. Carvell seeks to give the impression that in the distribution of patronage Mr. Appleby showed favor to the conservatives at the expense of liberals. Mr. Appleby distributed a good deal of bye road money and there are magnificent results to show for it, as every man, liberal or conservative, in the districts where the money was spent, will attest. In distributing this money he adopted the plan of giving it to the bye road-commissioners who are appointed by the County Council on the recommendation of the two councillors from the parish. He followed this plan in all except about six cases when he found it more convenient to give it to some one else, but in all of those six cases but one he gave the money to a liberal. In the one case, when he gave it to a conservative, John A. Lindsay, of West Wakefield, he did so with the approval of the leading liberals of the district, and they all agreed that for the sum of \$20.00 Mr. Lindsay did over \$50.00 worth of work and did it well.

In distributing patronage Mr. Appleby's first thought was the best interest of the county and he did his work in such a manner as to make the provincial government more popular than it had ever been before in those districts where he distributed money.

Mr. Carvell does not approve of this sort of distribution of patronage. It is too open and above board and clean to suit his petty ideas of politics. Mr. Carvell would probably regard his purchase for the government of the swamp on Elm street in front of his own residence, or the disreputable looking effort at a stone fence around the post office, as a higher phase of political activity. Mr. Carvell is a fairly bright young man but he appears to have overlooked the fact that there are a large number of people who have a decided

preference for clean politics. Mr. Appleby's distribution of patronage was eminently decent and commended itself to the best thinking men in the county, and in the face of this fact Mr. Carvell had emissaries all summer traducing Mr. Appleby throughout the county and attempting to make liberals believe that he was favouring the conservatives in the distribution of the patronage. By this means Mr. Carvell succeeded in turning a few liberals against Mr. Appleby and he took excellent care to see that these disaffected spirits were at the convention and that a sufficient number of them had places on the nominating committee.

Will Mr. Carvell dare deny that the list of the nominating committee was made up by him and the knife party before the convention opened and that more than half of that committee were nominated by himself

and two other members of the knife party?

Mr. Carvell throughout his entire letter makes only too clear his animus toward Mr. Appleby. By repeating false statements manufactured by himself to injure Mr. Appleby with the party he shows the presence in his own heart of the motives that induced him to stuff the convention.

Weeks before the convention Mr. Carvell announced that there had been a fight on between him and Mr. Appleby for five years and that the last round would be fought at the convention. He insisted that Mr. Appleby was his enemy and that he would down him, and now he attempts to deny that he kept

Whatever may have been Mr. Appleby's ppinion of Mr. Carvell as a political leader Mr. Carvell can hardly say that he acted as an enemy. Mr. Appleby contributed to the fund in every election Mr. Carvell ever ran, and in his last election he secured for him the votes of a very large number of serling liberals who declared that they could never vote for him. Mr. Appleby went to them and induced them on grounds of personal friendship to himself to vote for Mr. Carvell notwithstanding his almost intolerable conduct. Mr. Appleby always had the welfare of the party at heart, notwithstanding the falsehoods Mr. Carvell manfactured and circulated as a part of his plot to pack the

Mr. Carvell, according to his own statement, is always after some one's scalp, and when there are not enough conservative scalps in view to keep his knife busy, he, with absolute impartiality, goes for a liberal.

In his packing of the convention Mr. Carvell and the knife party should have been more cautious in picking out their men, for more than one man who was approached with a proposition to join the plot thought it a little too rotten to touch, and did not hesitate to say so. The story is told by men who were asked to take part in this plot which Mr. Carvell denies.

The evidence is all one way. Mr. Carvell stands condemned out of his own energetic mouth, and by all kinds of other evidence, and at this late day no denial on his part will avail to convince the public.

It might be worth while just here to call the attention of the liberals of Carleton before Mr. Carvell brought his dagger to play in it. Then it was a united party, with no taint of corruption and jobbery and it was in the habit of winning elections. Today Mr. Carvell has succeeded in creating serious discords within it, has saddled it with a few jobs that savour of all that liberals disapprove and he has taught it that it can't hope to win elections in its old stronghold, even when the government for which it fights is no more popular than it ever was.

Contralto in St. Patricks Cathedral.

Probably the best known church edifice in America is St." Patricks Cathedral on Fifth Ave., New York. In this great organization abundant wealth abounds, and quite naturally a special interest is taken in the singing, and every effort made to have it the best that money can procure. Ten years ago the music committee were looking around to get as good a contralto as possible to fill the solo position, and announced themselves willing to pay a very large sum to the party selected. Many hundred fine voices were tried, but when the attention of the committee was called to a young contralto who had just come to New York, Mary Louise Clary by name, and they heard her sing, there was no longer any question as to who would secure the position. Clary was engaged at a very large salary which has been increased yearly ever since, in order to retain her valuable services. Clary will however shortly have to sever her connection, as it is her intention to spend the next few years in Europe.

April 29th is the date when this noted singer will appear here, and the date is daily being looked forward to with more interest, The great contralto will be greeted with a crowded house.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Occupation is the best time annihilator. Some men know just enough to make fools

Some societies spend a dollar in an effort to raise a dime for charity.

Taking a tumble and taking a drop are not synonymous, but one often leads to the other. Children's idea of a father is a man who never puts gravy on their plates when they

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TUESDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF APRIL, 1903, for the above work

Plans and specification may be seen at the Office of the Station Master at Sydney and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained. All the conditions of the Specification must be

General Manager.

D. POTTINGER, Moneton, N. B March 20th, 1903.

SPRING AILMENTS.

The Blood Needs Attention at this Season-Purgatives Should Be Avoided.

Spring is the season when your system needs toning up. In the spring you must have new blood, just as the trees must have new sap. With new blood you will feel sprightly, happy and healthy. Many people take purgatives in spring, but this is a serious mistake, as the tendency of all purgatives is to further weaken the system. The one and only sure way to get new blood and new strength is to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They actually make new, rich, red bloodthey are the greatest spring tonic in the world. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills speedily banish all spring ailments. Miss Beile Co-hoon, White Rock Mills, N. S., says.—"I have found Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a splendid spring medicine. I was very much run down; the least exertion exhausted me, and I had a constant feeling of languor and sluggishness. My appetite failed me and my sleep at night was disturbed and restless. After I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, there was a speedy change for the better, and after taking a few boxes, I felt stronger than I had done for years.

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any dealer in medicine, or by mail post paid, at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by writing direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Oat. Do not let any dealer persuade you to take a substitute. Substitutes never cured anyone-the genuine pills have cured hundreds of thousands in all parts of the world.

Henry Ward Beecher was amused when he went into a Bowery restaurant on one occasion and heard the waiter give such orders to the cook as "Ham and -," "Sinkers and cow," etc. "Watch me faze that waiter with an order which I believe he won't abbreviate," remarked Beecher at length as the waiter approached. Then he said: "Give us poached eggs on toast for two, with the yokes broken." But the waiter, who was equal to the emergency, walked to the end of the room and yelled: "Adam and Eve on a raft. Wreck 'em." It is related that Dr. Beecher nearly fainted.

BORN.

Ross .- At the Parsonage, on Thursday, the 19th just., to the wife of Rev. G. A. Ross, a

Bowlin.—At Newburg Junction, on the 17th.

MARRIED.

SCHRIVER-DUNLAP. - At Woodstock, on the 18th inst., by the Rev. F. Allison Currier, M. A., Mr. George P. Schriver, of Campbell Settlement, to Miss Dora May Dunlap, of the same place.

ALBRIGHT DICKINSON. —At the residence of pride's parents on March 18th, by Rev. J. D. Wetmore, Harry L. Albright, of Victoria, to Miss Kate E. Dickinson, of Rosedale, Carleton County.

Brawn-Dunlap. - On March 18th, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Connell St. Woodstock, N. B., by the Rev. W. B. Wiggins, A. B., Bert L. Brawn, of Millville, York County, N. B., to Miss Jennie E. Dunlap, daughter of B., to Miss Jennie E. Dunlap, daughter of Andrew Dunlay, of Upper Haynesville, York County, N. B.

DIED.

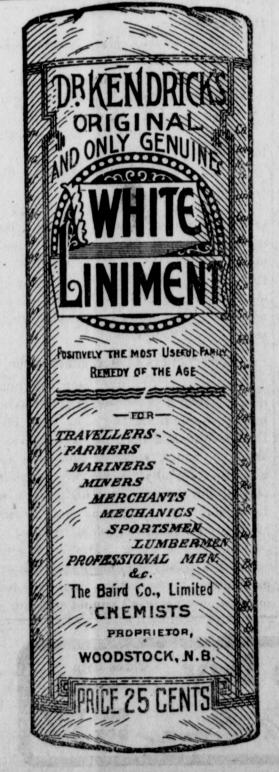
Carter.—At Lower Windsor, Carleton County, March 14th, of brain fever, Marion C., aged 1 year and 9 months, daughter of Colin C. and Josephine E. Carter.

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