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York's Favorite Candidate for the Local Assembly.

Maritime Farmer.

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 17, 1885.

A Shorter Catechism.

Why have we an election in York City at this time.

Because Mr. Blair appointed his relative, Mr. Thompson, to a seat in the Legislative Council.

But did not Mr. Blair promise to abolish the Council.

Yes, until he saw an opportunity to reward a relative, and then he forgot his promise.

But was not Mr. Thompson opposed to the company he was going into.

Yes, Mr. Thompson used to make fun of the Council, and call it a "home for old women," but there was \$300 a year in it for him, and besides Mr. Blair wanted to promote one relative to make room for another.

Why has Mr. Blair gained for his combination, the name of "the family compact."

Because, whenever an office falls vacant, Mr. Blair appoints one of his own connexions.

Give the names of some of these relatives who have been pensioned on the treasury by Mr. Blair.

First, Mr. Albert J. Gregory, \$300 per annum; Mr. Frank Gregory, \$500; Mr. William Wilson, \$500; Mr. George Gregory, \$1,000 criminal prosecutions; and Hon. F. P. Thompson, \$300 Legislative Council.

Can you recall any important appointments outside Mr. Blair's family circle.

Yes, Mr. J. F. McManus received the clerkship of the Circuit Court, at about \$14.87 per annum, and Mr. William Quinn the vending of law stamps, worth probably \$15 per annum.

Is not Mr. Blair a great constitutional lawyer?

Not to any great extent. He passed a law stamp bill, the principle of which was declared illegal by the Supreme Court, and he passed a bill to abolish the Governor's Private Secretary and Government House, which has been dissolved by the Governor General.

Who reduced the teachers pay ten per cent.

Mr. Blair.

Who oppresses the poor lumbermen by giving a ten years lease of the lumber lands to the rich monopolists.

Mr. Blair.

Who denies the practicability of a lien bill, and threw cold water on Mr. Wetmore's efforts to secure such a desirable measure.

Mr. Blair.

Who sat dumb in his seat in the Legislature and allowed the wild land tax bill to pass.

Mr. Blair.

Who sacrificed York on the Stock Farm question.

Mr. Blair.

Who built a private bridge across the Nashwaak for Mr. Gibson, at a cost of over \$4,000.

Attorney General Blair.

Was Mr. Blair always a follower of Mr. Blair?

A Blow at Education.

York's Schools Robbed of over Three Thousand Dollars by the Sham Reformer.

How the Third Class Teachers and Back Settlements suffer by Blair's New School Regulations.

A Farcical Inspection.

No one can deny that great progress has been made in education in our Province, in the last twelve years. During this time the population of New Brunswick increased by twelve per cent, the number of children attending schools, rose from about thirty-three thousand, in 1871, to fifty-four thousand in 1885, or an increase of over sixty per cent.

There are now about 1,750 schools and districts in Province. Thus each of the six inspectors assigned about 300. These, they are required to visit twice during the year, and in each district there are only about 113 teaching days in each term, this silly regulation would oblige him to visit

The Stock Farm Fizzle.

Blair compelled to eat Humble Pie.

A Cowardly Sacrifice of York County's Interests.

The Attorney-General's friends attempt to make very light of the Stock Farm question, and to keep the blame on the shoulders of the man who sold it. Mr. Blair played it, but they will not let him have the responsibility for the loss of the Farm to York, as made in vain.

At the past year witnessed a revolution. Mr. Blair's Education, or rather Anti-education Bill, had made shipwreck of many of his constituents.

What a truly pitiable spectacle indeed is this! In December, 1883, the organ said Mr. Wilson was guilty of Extravagance, Maladministration, Robbery and Fraud, and in June, 1885, it eats humble pie, because Mr. Wilson "comes before the constituency of York as the unanimous choice of a great party."

Mr. Wilson and the Subsidized Organ.

This is how the subsidized organ, by order of Mr. Blair, swallows Mr. Wilson, against whom it made such scandalous charges during the Mayoralty election in January 1884: It says:

Mr. Wilson comes before the constituency of York as the unanimous choice of a great party, and the proprietor of the *Gleaner* does not propose to allow the personal feelings engendered in a controversy two years ago to influence his course to-day, more particularly as Mr. Wilson had the unanimous nomination of the largest convention of people from every part of the country ever held in New Brunswick.

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What possible weight, in view of its own statements regarding Mr. Wilson in 1883, can the subsidized organ have for Mr. Wilson on this occasion. It does not offer one word of apology for the manner in which it attacked Mr. Wilson's personal honesty; it does not withdraw one charge it made against him. Does the organ still believe its charges proof to the contrary, how can it have been true? If it does, and we have no the hardihood now to urge the Electors of York to support Mr. Wilson, whom it charged with Extravagance, Maladministration, Robbery and Fraud; with being a party to a transaction that had "Jobbery Stamped on the Face of it;" with being "Directly a Party to Fraud," in obtaining money from the Bank by False representations; with having "Brought his name into disrepute," and a lot more to the same effect.

We invite the electors to peruse diligently, the articles from the organ regarding Mr. Wilson, published elsewhere, and we ask them to remember, that up to the present moment, that paper has not withdrawn one word of the sweeping indictment contained therein. Until it makes a satisfactory explanation, the electors of York will take no stock in its slobbering of Mr. Wilson just now, because the electors know that every word the organ publishes, is paid for by Mr. Blair out of the public treasury of this Province. That point we wish the electors to remember well, and to remember too, that the Mr. Wilson whom Mr. Blair attempts to thrust on the constituency now, is the same Mr. Wilson who was charged by Mr. Blair's own organ, but eighteen months ago, with being guilty of "Extravagance, Maladministration Robbery and Fraud."

The Senate's amendments to permit the sale of ale, light wines and beers, under the Scott Act, are to come before the House of Commons to-morrow.

Mr. BLAIR'S CANDIDATE!

What the Subsidized Organ thought of him in 1883

Mr. Wilson charged with Extravagance, Maladministration, Robbery and Fraud!

A Sweeping Indictment that demands Explanation.

(From the York Gleaner, Dec. 5 1883.)

Alderman Wilson and the Mayoralty.

Alderman Wilson, we believe, has a banking for the Mayoralty. He has served the city for some years and he claims to be a man of affairs for the past year. We expected it faithfully and well; that through his wise counsel much expense had been saved, and a prudent and frugal administration of the city's affairs had been maintained.

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France and China.

The following are the provisions of the treaty of peace between France and China.— French soldiers shall not enter Chinese territory; the relations between France and Annam must not be of such a character as to embarrass China; a boundary commission will be appointed to settle questions relating to the frontier by December next; Frenchmen entering Chinese territory and Chinese entering French territory shall be provided with passports; taxes at Paoan and Lungson will be collected by Chinese and French consuls appointed at these places to superintend commercial relations between the north of Tonquin and Yunan and Kwangsi; the French shall construct a railway in Tonquin, if Chinese wish to construct railway they must construct a French railway; the treaty shall endure for ten years; existing negotiations shall remain unchanged; the French shall evacuate Chinese territory directly.

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