

General Business. NOTICE. WELDON THE TAILOR. Is offering the best Bargains ever offered to the People of Chatham.

Miramichi Advance. CHATHAM, N. B., OCTOBER 6, 1898. The Prohibition Plebiscite. The electors of Canada, with exception of those in a few constituencies, have had the opportunity presented to them of voting whether they desire to have a prohibitory law enacted for the Dominion or not.

whether they have been officially informed of, or invited to furnish information to it. It will be well, however, for them to give attention to the subject and see that in any changes which may be made, conditions affecting the fishery on the North Shore of New Brunswick are duly considered.

The Ottawa Citizen (Conservative) says: "The course of the government on the vote as given, granting that prohibition is to have carried the country on the total vote, is not hard to predict. In view of the solid stand Quebec has taken against Sir Wilfrid Laurier will refuse to introduce a Dominion measure of prohibition, declining to coerce Quebec, and will permit the provinces to enact local prohibition measures."

where they were delivered, but throughout the country at large. Mr. J. S. Robertson, Toronto, Secretary of the Canadian Temperance League: "I do not think, in view of the smallness of the majority, that the Government would be justified in legislating on the lines of prohibition. Considering the conditions of the federation of the Provinces, such legislation at the present time would not be justifiable."

Shaw's new bakery on Waterloo street and Colwell's candy factory on Prince William street are nearing completion. Both are large and handsome brick and stone structures.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF TIMBER LICENSES. Attention of all holders of Timber Licenses is called to Section 19 of the Timber Regulations which reads as follows: "If no license is issued to any licensee under any license, not even for a year, which will not make a log at least 12 feet in length and ten inches in diameter, and if any such shall be cut, the licensee shall be liable to a fine of one month and the license be forfeited."

There does not appear to have been any organization in the maritime provinces against an affirmative vote on the question of prohibition. This may be attributed to the prevailing belief that, no matter what the vote might be, the question was only submitted to the electors as an attempt to carry out a pledge of one of the great political parties of the country made "in a moment of weakness" and for the purpose of assisting it to attain to power, which it has since done.

HON. MR. COSTIGAN'S TRIP:—A Montreal despatch of Tuesday says—Hon. John Costigan has returned to Edmonton from Peace River. He went up the Peace to a point about 15 miles above Rocky Mountain Portage. He also made a trip about ten miles up the canyon of Peace in a canoe, something that is not on record as having been done before.

A Montreal despatch of last night says: Mr. Lawrence A. Wilson, the leader of the anti-prohibitionists in Quebec province, gives out the following paragraph: "The adverse vote is composed of about one-fourth prohibitionists and three-fourths Conservatives, who wished to embarrass the present government. Take, for instance, Manitoba, where Hugh John Macdonald made it a political question. I venture to say that if politics had not been introduced, we would have swept every province. However, as it is, every large city has voted 'No.'"

Halifax Recorder:—"It was not the action of the liquor-dealers that led to the unsatisfactory result from a Prohibitionist point of view—nobody will pretend that there could not have been a much larger vote cast against Prohibition if properly interested quarters had instituted a campaign. It was not an anti-temperance sentiment. It was simply indifference on the part of three-fourths of the electors; and this being so, it indicates that the country does not call very loudly, now, for the enactment of a prohibitory law. The question in this form is probably set at rest for a good many years."

Since last week there has been no change in prices of flour or oatmeal. Cornmeal is quoted at \$2.05, cheese 9 1/2 cents, Economy meat \$5 per half barrel, best American prairie 18 1/2 cents, best Canadian 17 1/2 cents, ordinary grades 16 1/2 cents. Pure lard in tubs sells at 8 cents, in pails 8 1/2 cents and in 9 1/2 cents. Stocks of molasses are light and prices will go higher: Barbados 28 cents, choice P. R. 32 cents. Granulated sugar is quoted at 4 1/2 cents; extra C 3 1/2 and 3 1/2 cents. Eggs are in fair supply at 11 and 12 cents.

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Mythical Gold and Lumber. The Halifax Chronicle of last Friday says:—"W. H. McLellan, barrister, who was one of the exploring party who went from here on the schooner A. H. Hardy a couple of months ago to Labrador, arrived back yesterday, having left the schooner at Mulgrave and come to the city by rail."

Rev. William Patterson, Toronto, said: "I do not think the Government should enact a prohibitory law under the circumstances, the majority of Quebec and the cities being so great that it would be hard to enforce it."

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WARNING. I hereby give notice that neither the ship MALONE nor the master thereof will be responsible for any cargo or other obligations contracted by any member or members of the crew. O. A. OLSEN, master.

Of those who voted, the latest returns show that there is a majority all over the Dominion of less than 12,000 for prohibition. It was thought a few days after the polling that the majority on that side was larger, but later returns have cut it down. The summary of majorities now is as follows:—

The Fredericton Herald says:—"Only one-eighth of the registered electors of Canada voted for prohibition, and of course the government would not be justified in attempting to pass a prohibitory law with such small backing."

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Majority for: 11,850. It is probable that the majority will be lessened when the vote is taken in Gaspe on 13th.

The prohibition movement in Canada, instituted by the Laurier Government, is more in the way of a redemption of an election pledge than anything else. The idea that any serious conditions is involved in the matter may be left out of the account. We are not willing to credit the members of any enlightened government with the belief that a move so crude and unstatesmanlike is a remedy for the recognized ills of temperance.

La Mineve, Montreal says: "It does not require to be a prophet to state that, notwithstanding a majority of nearly 18,000, prohibition has received its death blow. The government will tell the temperance people that they did not register a vote of the majority of the electors in behalf of their cause, and in the second place, that such a system is impossible in view of the so clearly manifested opposition of such an important province as Quebec."

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M. S. N. COY. TIME TABLE. Will leave Chatham every morning (except Sundays) for Newcastle at 7 o'clock a.m., leaving Newcastle for Chatham at 7:45 a.m., Newcastle time. On Mondays and Wednesdays returning will leave Newcastle at about 12:30 p.m., Newcastle at 2:30 p.m., Chatham at about 3:15 p.m. On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays returning will leave Newcastle at 1:15 p.m., and Fridays at 2:00 p.m., Chatham at about 3:15 p.m. STR. "MIRAMICHI" CAPTAIN GOODFELLOW. Will leave Chatham every morning (except Sundays) for Newcastle at 7 o'clock a.m., leaving Newcastle for Chatham at 7:45 a.m., Newcastle time. On Mondays and Wednesdays returning will leave Newcastle at about 12:30 p.m., Newcastle at 2:30 p.m., Chatham at about 3:15 p.m. On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays returning will leave Newcastle at 1:15 p.m., and Fridays at 2:00 p.m., Chatham at about 3:15 p.m. STR. "NELSON" CAPTAIN BELLECK. On and after MONDAY, 12th INSTANT, and until further notice will leave Chatham at 9:00 a.m. Leave Newcastle at 9:00 a.m. 9:50 10:15 10:45 11:00 11:50 12:15 12:30 2:30 p.m. 3:20 3:45 4:15 4:30 6:00 6:50 7:15 7:10 7:30. All freights must be prepaid. J. ARCHER HAVLAND, Manager, Chatham, N. B., Sept. 1, 1898.

From Lake to Ocean. Craft built for navigating the great lakes are finding their way to the Atlantic seaboard for the purpose of engaging in the ocean trade. We have one in the Miramichi at the present time—the steamer John J. Hill—which is discharging oil at Chatham and Newcastle and is to proceed to Campbellton to land 1000 tons of railway iron. It is stated in a Montreal despatch of 4th inst. that thirty-five upper lake vessels and five steamers are on their way down the St. Lawrence and will endeavor to run the rapids, to participate in the Atlantic trade. They have been chartered by New York and Massachusetts shippers, and the move is the result of an experiment made some time ago, when a large vessel successfully ran the St. Lawrence rapids, including those of Lachine. The companies then began a systematic search for lake vessels to compete with Atlantic vessels, which they claimed were dealing too harshly with the shippers. This effort to overcome or negative undue pressure upon the interests of shippers is a striking illustration of the reconformity of commercial enterprise.

Although prohibition has won a nominal victory, it must not be forgotten that the majority of the electorate of Canada has expressed no opinion on the question. It may be argued that, having chosen to refrain from voting, they should be altogether disregarded in any decision which the government may make in the matter, but we rather think that men of moderate views and sound judgment will not take that view of the case. Even from the view point of the strongest prohibitionist there is one serious difficulty in the way of enforcing a prohibitory liquor law in Canada. The difficulty may not be insuperable, but it undoubtedly exists. It appears that in the large cities of Canada the vote is either strongly unfavorable to prohibition or the number of votes polled is small in proportion to the number of voters. That in the main is indicative of a sentiment, which is almost equally as dangerous, or different to the enforcement of prohibition. There the difficulty arises. A prohibitory law would be mainly directed against the cities which are the strongholds of the liquor traffic and in those centres the necessary public opinion would not support the enforcement of the law. No matter how strong the prohibition sentiment in the rural districts might be, it would be difficult to suppress the liquor trade in the cities where that sentiment is lacking.

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Another lobster commission is appointed and is to begin its work at Pictou, N. S., to-day. It is composed of one Ottawa gentleman, four Nova Scotians, two Prince Edward Islanders and one representative each from New Brunswick and Quebec; the personnel being: Professor Prince, chairman; Messrs. Moses H. H. Nickerson, Clark's Harbor; William Whitman, Guysboro; Donald Campbell, Margaree Forks; Henry C. Leavitt, Louisburg; Archibald Currie, Souris, P. E. I.; Stephen E. Gallant, Egmont Bay; Patrick J. Sweeney, Shediac; and Robert Lindsay, Gaspe.

St. John Letter. Several of the ultra aristocratic ladies of an Ohio town, knowing what imitators of each other we mortals be, in calico gowns are peeling tomatoes for a canning factory at three cents a peck. They think that some of their worthy but impetuous townswomen may be induced to swallow their pride and follow their example; at least that is what they say. But who knows? Ultra aristocratic ladies are sometimes in as dire straits for money as their humbler sisters, and while they are professedly working for the sake of others it may be that the price of a new fall bonnet enters largely into their calculations. Alleged and real motives of action are often as dissimilar as a bicycle and a wheelbarrow.

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