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The Battle of Bull Run.

The 8th of April 1879, will ever be memorable in the annals of New Brunswick, for the stampede made by Her Majesty's loyal Opposition on that day.

There may perhaps have been another cause. Too many may have wanted a seat on the woolsack. All disinterested lovers of our country think they could best serve its interests by being generals or placed on the staff.

We feel deeply for the Opposition, for we regard it as the safety valve of the country. Without an Opposition to put on the brakes, we would soon run off the track.

Every defeat of the Opposition is a triumph for the Government, and consequently estranges from it what the people are now pleased to call independent members.

We are sorry however, to see that the Opposition has so egregiously blundered in all its attacks and legitimate arraignments of the Government.

If the Opposition could direct the affairs of state no better than it has managed its strategic movements against the Government, it had better remain in statu quo and live and learn.

The Opposition is now realizing its fondest ambition. The very object for which it went to parliament, was to guard the people's rights and interests.

Let this noble phalanx fight on, fight ever in so glorious a cause. Let it remember Wolsey, and throw away ambition. Let it serve God and its country and then it will die a happy death.

CORRESPONDENTS will please resume their favors.

Seasonal Pay, &c.

We do not know what view the contingent committee will take of these matters, or whether it will be influenced by the dull staleness of papers of the Reporter style.

It is all very well for men like the directors of the Reporter to talk, who is never likely to get a seat in parliament.

What kind of economy do these behind-the-age fogies preach? Is it economy for example for members to sit in a filthy old building for a couple of months, the rain and snow coming in on them?

Local politics are altogether beyond the control of the Fredericton Reporter or fogies of its flock.

And now for a phase of the case nearer home. What intend the committee to give the poor reporters who have sat late and early in the creaky old garret and breathed the poisoned air as it rose from below?

In a Bad Mess.

What account can Mr. Blair give to his constituents for his vote on the resolution to abolish the legislative council? Does Mr. Blair stand boldly up for sustaining this body in the teeth of the wishes of the majority of his constituents?

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the House after a sleep longer than Rip Van Winkle's, the phantom of his deed would point out in letters of fire his record—

It is sorrowful to think that a man of bright promise should in one short term so blight his name and blast his honor as in future to be naught but a reproach to his party and the despised of everyone.

We shall pass the nondescript of the House, Mr. Willis, for as he voted against this useful measure, his act was to say the least consistent. But how shall we speak of Mr. Barbaree, a man who came to Fredericton, pledged upon his most sacred word to the abolition of the Legislative Council?

During the past session some men have won for themselves a bright, others a black, record. Some of them remain in statu quo, which is certainly the worst position of all.

Northumberland.

Then Gillespie, humorous, kind-hearted soul, the favourite of the House as a joker, but out of his element altogether in Opposition politics! We are loth, therefore, from a personal regard for Mr. Gillespie, to pass further censure on him than to say good nature and humor and wit are well enough by the fireside or to pass away a dreary winter's evening, but it is not the kind of stuff of which a politician should be made.

We turn with pride to Mr. Davidson and Hon. Mr. Adams. The one the jurist of the House; a very Coke on authorities, a Blackstone on principles. He has supported the Government, and this support added to his intelligence, we set down to his country.

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"Died from an overflow of water on the brain." Let us have the city and county amalgamated. Any thing for a change. We cannot be any worse than we are.

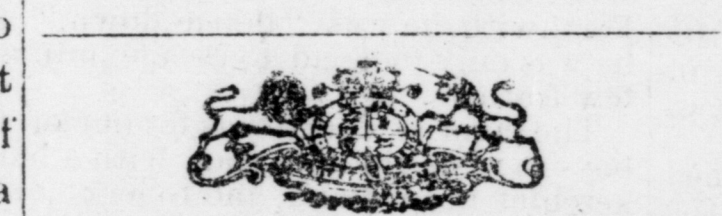
Wouldn't it be better that the whole City Council were turned into gas by some chemical process through the same channel? They are of such a heterogeneous mass, that the process whereby they could be thus converted or perverted has not, we apprehend, been yet discovered.

Let us pray for the immediate discovery, with this condition in our prayer, that we shall be protected, relieved or delivered from all future frauds. Let us have the "survival of the fittest" analyzed and see what they are made of.

Not one in house or lobbies grudging Mr. Sayre the double-edged cut given him by Mr. Secretary, Thursday. The unhappy man brought it on his own head.

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