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THE BYE-ELECTIONS.

The result of four bye-elections recently held has not materially affected the relative strength of the two great political parties. In Haldimand Hon. Dr. Montague has been returned by an unprecedented majority. In Quebec West, Mr. Dobell, an independent Conservative, was successful, over Mr. Thomas McGreevey, while in Vercheres and Antigonish the straight Liberal candidates were placed at the head of the poll.

These bye-elections were watched with a great deal of interest throughout the country in the belief that they would give fair indication of the drift of political feeling in Ontario, Quebec and Nova Scotia. Especially keen was the interest in regard to the effect which the Manitoba school question would have upon the votes of the electorate.

In so far as that question is concerned the country is to be congratulated upon the result. The people of Haldimand, nine-tenths of whom are Protestant, refused to be guided by the strong appeal made to their sectarian prejudices. They were urged to reject Dr. Montague because it was alleged that, being a party to the remedial order, he had unduly favored the Catholic party in the school controversy, but they responded by giving him the largest majority ever yet given to any candidate in Haldimand.

On the other hand, the electors of Vercheres and Antigonish, the great majority of whom are Catholic, gave no additional favor to the government candidates on account of the remedial order, but voted mainly according to their political feelings apart from the school question.

GENEROUS CONVICTS.

In the last issue of THE REVIEW mention was made of the proposition signed by seventy convicts in the Dorchester penitentiary, each offering to donate one of their daily meals to assist the suffering poor of Newfoundland. This, to say the least of it, a remarkable exhibition of generous self denial in a most unexpected quarter.

comparing the latter to penitentiary prisoners, when Dorchester arises to put Ottawa to shame. For we venture there are not seventy men among the 215 representatives in the commons who would deny themselves their daily dinner, supper or breakfast for a month in order to feed the hungry in a distant island. We go further. Not many churches whose membership equals the number of convicts at Dorchester can show seventy who would put themselves on short ration to feed the poor. Yet you rich, well-bred members of parliament or church members might possibly be the better for such a fast; he could get over it easily, for he might be abed late in the morning and afterward recoup himself for his lost breakfast by a more than usually sumptuous dinner. The convict has no such resources of rest or extra indulgence.

The conditions of his residence in the public edifice at Dorchester involve hard labor and a measured quantity of food only sufficient to sustain him in health. If he loses a dinner his supper will be none the more plentiful on that account.

We shall now expect Rev. Mr. Brewer to strengthen his attack against the wickedness of the great and rich and powerful by pointing to this noble example and telling the pampered ones they are unworthy of a cell within the state prison to company with such generous convicts!

In some sort these seventy convicts are a credit to Canada, and their fame should be spread abroad. Tell it in Newfoundland, publish it in the streets of St. John's proclaim it among the fishermen toiling on the banks and the question of union is settled once and forever. "Why, even the convicts in the Canadian penitentiaries are content to starve that you may be fed. Yes! seventy men, prisoners in Dorchester penitentiary, reported to be the wickedest of their kind and incarcerated hard by the Devil's half acre, give up their daily rations that you may have food. If such a spirit possesses the Canadian convict, what manner of man must the average Canadian citizen be?" Surely in face of such an appeal, Newfoundland must come into the union and the vexed question of thirty years be settled in a trice.

After all the poor convict is a man and a brother—erring and fallen, but still a brother. Under like conditions of heredity and environment, if born with a taint of crime in one's very life-blood and surrounded with evil associations and strong temptations in youth, how many of us, good, respectable citizens, might have broken the law and been cast into prison? And while reflecting thus on what we might have been under other conditions, let us not forget what the convict may become after having found true penitence even in the penitentiary. Think of the Prodigal Son, and of Mary Magdalene and of these seventy. If we mistake not every preacher in Canada may preach the better, if only for a single Sabbath, because of the Dorchester incident.

Pokeshaw Notes.

APRIL 15th, 1895.—The snow is melting rapidly, and in consequence the roads are in a bad condition for teams or pedestrians. The ice in the Bay is breaking up, and one good gale of south wind would send it out in short order.

Jerry D. Foley, Esq., has returned from his travels in the west. He looks as handsome and healthy as usual.

Mr. Ben Crowley, late of Portland, accompanied by his brother Will, paid a short visit to his parents here. His many friends regret his departure to Nova Scotia, for the summer season.

Our dashing F. J. Foley, and jovial J. J. Cowhig, left for Bangor last week.

There was a horse race on Pokeshaw beach the other day. P. M. Riordan and F. D. Foley were testing the speed of their trotters—Pat won with Shank's mare and Fitz's rubbers.

Snoopsnoodger will appear out with a bicycle and bloomer, as soon as the wheeling is good.

D. C. Whelton, M. D., has returned from Europe.

Our rising young lawyer Daniel Sisk, Jr., will bring his bride from Waterloo shortly.

Messrs. Tim Coughlan and Bernard Sisk, "Merchant Tailors," are doing a rushing trade.

The Wayside Inn has been repainted. Jim you can't turn your horse and look at the girls at the same time.

Fin says the water is very wet from the bridge down town.

The mitten did not fit Joe. Miss Mary Slater is visiting friends in New Brandon.

There were some stunning Easter costumes displayed yesterday. The "Phantom Ship" left with the ice last week. Tom, have you seen Cooney lately? TRILBY.

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Buctouche.

APRIL 22.—In last notes, through neglect no mention was made of a deserving matter. It is not often the Methodists of Buctouche have their church so appropriately decorated as it was on Easter Sunday. Surrounding the pulpit was a maze of the choicest flowers. The ladies of the church have been deservedly complimented by many for their efforts.

Mrs. Thompson has returned from an extended visit to Cape Breton.

J. A. Bourque has returned from a winter spent at Bridgewater, Maine.

J. W. Hannagan spent Tuesday in Moncton.

Word was received here last week of the death by paralysis at the St. John General Hospital of Patrick Coyle of this place. Deceased married a daughter of our hearty nonagenarian, M. Carrol.

Capt. John Smith is having the store in his new building completed. The work is being done by Isaac Carter.

A. Hanagan visited Moncton on Saturday.

P. Allen left this morning for Bayfield, to spend the week.

The schooner Comet, passed up through the draw on Saturday. Capt. Breau intends to load at King's mill, which is now running full time.

The Ocean Bride is nearly ready to be launched. Capt. P. A. Smith intends sailing for the fishing grounds for bait for N. J. Ross.

Rev. Mr. McKay, who has been faithfully laboring in the Presbyterian Church during the past winter, preached his farewell sermon last evening, to a large congregation. Mr. McKay has made many friends during his short stay in Buctouche.

This morning, a large number of the young folks were at the station to see the Misses Curren and O'Leary start for the United States. Miss Bertie Curren goes to Newton Hospital at Newton, Mass., where she intends taking a full course as a nurse. Her many Buctouche friends wish her every success. Miss Anna O'Leary intends visiting her brother, Henry, who is engaged in newspaper work in New York. They were accompanied to Moncton by W. D. Johnson.

David McIntosh is moving into the new house on the marsh, owned by Jas. Barnes.

The wind is blowing so strongly to-day that the harbor is being cleared of ice.

The draw in the highway bridge, which was repaired last year, is again thrown considerably out of its proper position.

Leon Leger is at present engaged in putting up an altar piece for the church at Bariorh.

Mr. and Mrs. Gautreau have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Henri, on Lovers' Alley.

The train is now running regularly. No. 2 is to be taken off. This will necessitate another slight change in the working staff. Dame rumor has it that Brake-man Blakney is to be Conductor, and Fireman Smith to be Engineer, at least for the present. Both are capable men. The former thoroughly understands railroad- ing although only a short time on this road, the latter is, not only a thoroughly capable engineer, but knows all about the road-bed, grades and bridges and could consequently give much better satisfaction than a new man. The company has secured the services of a good man to assist the repairer, John Coughlan. The Company has secured Vital Bourque.

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Rev. H. Haddenley's Address.

BUCTOUCHE, April 22.—On Saturday evening a number of the members of St. Lawrence Church assembled at the residence of James Barnes, Esq., where Rev. Mr. Haddenley was the guest of the evening. Judge James read the following address which was signed by the wardens and vestrymen on behalf of the Church, and the reverend gentleman's numerous other friends, and presented him with a purse of \$25:

To the Reverend Henry Haddenley: REVEREND AND DEAR SIR.—Having administered spiritually in the capacity of pastor of St. Lawrence Church during the past two years, and being now about to cease your labors not only in this community, but also intending to leave Richibucto where you have so zealously labored for the past five years and feeling that your labors in Buctouche, although slight as compared with your work in your own community, have been such as require recognition from the Church members and other friends here, therefore, on this your farewell visit, we have assembled here to do honor to him to whom honor is due.

Regretting that you have found it necessary to sever your connection with St. Lawrence Church, we, on behalf of the members and your numerous other friends ask you to accept the accompanying purse as a slight token of our regard for you. No matter where your future lot may be cast, be it in Canada, or your native home, we ask your kindest remembrance. You have been a faithful laborer in God's vineyard. May you be happily rewarded in the future with peace, contentment happiness, long-life and prosperity. (Sgd.) ROBERT DOUGLAS, warden. HENRY H. JAMES, JOHN S. DIXON, JOHN MCKEE, JAS. BARNES, CHAS. DOUGLASS, ALBERT E. PEARSON.

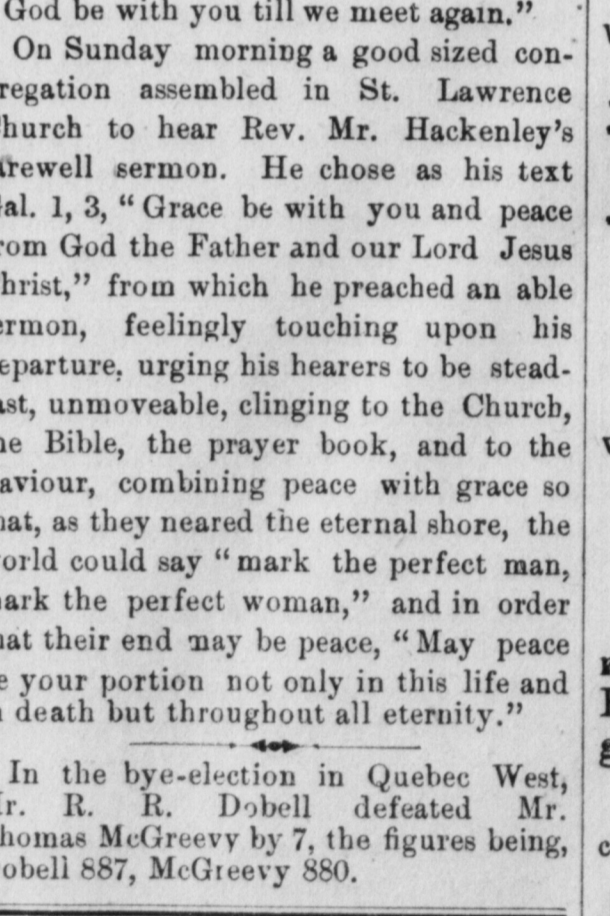
Rev. Mr. Haddenley replied very fittingly, saying that he felt flattered with the contents of the address, feeling his littleness, failings, and short comings, he had always felt that in coming to Buctouche he was coming among friends. He was sorry at severing his connection with the churches in the parish of Wellington and Richibucto, but throughout his whole life, as long as he had a memory that memory would regret his many sincere friends in Buctouche. If the people of Buctouche were satisfied he was gratified, if they were gratified he was satisfied. He hoped, and from present indications believed that the vacancy was not to be long, and whoever it might be hoped that Buctouche might be considered and consulted, as the people of Buctouche were worthy of the greatest respect and consideration. He concluded by sincerely thanking them and asking their kind remembrance, his earnest prayer was that if he should not meet his friends in Buctouche again in this life, that when the last summons came that all might tender up their account with joy and not with grief.

Piano solos were then rendered by Mrs. James, Mrs. Douglas, and Miss Bertha Douglas, interspersed with vocal solos by Mrs. James and Mrs. Douglas and a duet by Mr. and Mrs. James.

All present then sat down to an excellent oyster supper, to which hearty justice was done. A very pleasant evening was brought to a close by all joining in singing "God be with you till we meet again." On Sunday morning a good sized congregation assembled in St. Lawrence Church to hear Rev. Mr. Haddenley's farewell sermon. He chose as his text Gal. 1, 3, "Grace be with you and peace from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ," from which he preached an able sermon, feelingly touching upon his departure, urging his hearers to be steadfast, unmovable, clinging to the Church, the Bible, the prayer book, and to the Saviour, combining peace with grace so that, as they neared the eternal shore, the world could say "mark the perfect man, mark the perfect woman," and in order that their end may be peace, "May peace be your portion not only in this life and in death but throughout all eternity."

In the bye-election in Quebec West, Mr. R. B. Dobell defeated Mr. Thomas McGreevey by 7, the figures being, Dobell 887, McGreevey 880.

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