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PARTY GOVERNMENT FOR THE PROVINCE.

Now that the St. John Globe, the Moncton Transcript and sundry other Liberal journals are perspiring with zeal for purely party government in provincial affairs, it may be observed that for over 30 years this province has given its support to composite administration.

Throughout these thirty years, with few if any exceptions, the majority in the New Brunswick house of assembly has been of the Liberal Conservative party, and it is so to-day.

Our brief recital is intended to show that New Brunswick has not, during thirty years past, been enamored of the example of party government in the other provinces.

The great questions which divide Dominion parties are all of the class over which the provincial legislature has no control. The tariff is chief of these questions.

We must draw the line somewhere, and if the line is not drawn where for a generation past it has been drawn in this province, we shall probably in the end stop at nothing short of introducing federal politics into our civic and municipal elections.

A telegram was received from the Public Works department, Tuesday, ordering the dredge Canada to leave O'Leary's wharf and move to the public wharf which is leased to Mr. G. W. Robertson.

THE WAR OF PROTESTS.

If election petitions were made purely with a view of punishing corrupt acts and securing a free and uncorrupted expression of the popular will they might be commended.

In our own province we have a number of election protests against members of both parties who had large majorities. These include Hon. Messrs. Foster and Costigan, Mr. McInerney, Col. Domville, Mr. Ellis and others.

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AN OVER CROWDED CIVIL SERVICE.

There is little doubt that the civil service, notably at Ottawa has been for a good while over crowded. The congestion has no doubt been greatest in the departments of public works and agriculture.

When public works of an extensive character were being constructed; when the census was being compiled, or the rapid and extensive surveys in the Northwest were being pushed, each of the departments named needed a larger staff than before.

It is easier for a new government to make reforms in such cases than for an old government. Beyond question the new ministers are justified in curtailing the number of clerks and messengers to such a basis as will establish the several departments on business principles.

The great danger is that with needless new appointments the service may be found, years hence, almost as much over crowded as it is to-day. There is an healthy hunger for government employment abroad in the land, and there are waiting thousands who have passed the civil service examination.

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At a Meeting held in Gagetown Tuesday afternoon, Mr. R. D. Wilnot was selected to oppose Hon. A. G. Blair.

Mr. Laurier has declared against the fast Atlantic contract, and promises other proposals including subsidies for a fast freight and mail service combined with cold storage.

Parliament meets next Thursday.

The Plan That Failed.

Scene: OYSTER-BED-INN.

DRAMATIS PERSONAE. Cardinal Jerome... a religious politician. Barney... an irreligious ditto.

JEROME—Now, that the Dog-star "Sirius" rules the sky, And, rising with the Sun, doth mark the time

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But let me tell you, faithful henchmen! That statecraft urged my summons, and you know

I sometimes doff my red cap and assume The state sombrero, such as Barney wears.

BARNEY—That's so, but I would not admit it were I you, For, once, Belair said to me, when I looked,

So stern and cute, beneath my hat at him; "Take off that broad-brim, Barney, or I'll get The Cardinal to put a head on you."

JEROME—A head? impossible—he meant a hat. Perhaps he wished that you and I should swap

Our head-gear, or perhaps our heads; because My head might be more needful than my hat.

MICKY FREE—Oh, shoot the hat. Why are we here mon oule? OJAY—That's what I want to know. It seems to me

That I have been of late but Fortune's sport. I have been fooled by friends and whipped by foes.

Since eighteen-ninety-one three battles fought, In all three worsted, and this last defeat The greatest shock of all. O! poor old man!

You might have tilled your farm and known content, Sung canticles of praise and the magnificent, Had not a false ambition lured you on—

Like those weird lights which oft at Pierre-Michel Your boyish eyes watched dancing o'er the marsh,

Like wreckers' torches to the fishermen. I often feel, of late, as if I'd been Stabbed even in the houses I might fill,

They flatter me to try a losing game And then desert me at the trying hour, Like Barney who so meanly sneaked away

Is This A Fake.

The following note enclosed in a bottle was picked up by Daniel O'Leary near Kouchibouguac beach one day last week.

Onboard the bark John Horncastle 9 days out from St. John, N. B. bound for Swansea.

Our good bark is in a sinking condition and I do not expect to see land again. If this falls into the hands of the proper person I hope he will let my aged mother know my fate.

Yours sincerely CHARLES PERKINS. Nov. 10, 1895.

To The Poor Editor

QUEBEC, Aug. 7.—An attempt at suicide took place here this afternoon at the Haras National grounds. Mr. Pierre Lepine, city editor of the "Electeur" in a fit of despondency, shot himself with a revolver no less than three shots being fired.

Pic-Nic!

The annual picnic in connection with the Presbyterian Church Kouchibouguac, will be held on the grounds of Mr. John Potter on

MONDAY, AUG. 19th.

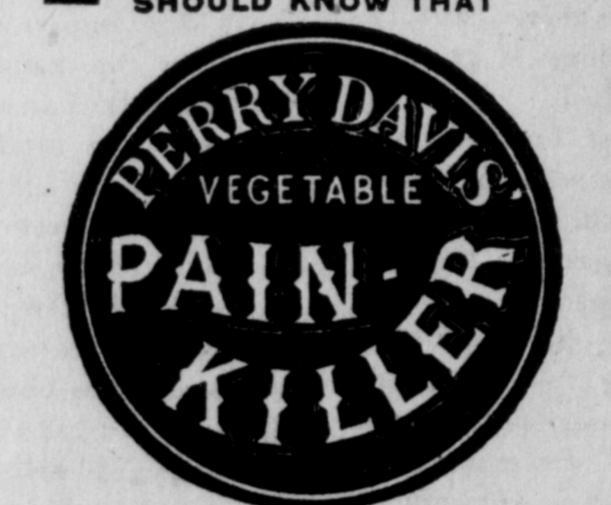
Amusements of various kinds will be provided and a good time may be expected

Dinner served from 12 to 6 o'clock p. m. Tea from 5.30 to 7.30 p. m. Prices, Dinner and Tea: adults 25 cents children 15 cents.

BOAT FOUND.

Picked up in Northumberland straits one boat which owner can have by proving property and paying expenses. CAPT. WM. MALLEY. Sch. Eddy. Kingston, Kent Co., July, 4th 1896.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Moncton and Buctouche Railway Company will be held at the office of C. N. Skinner & Sons, corner of Princess and Prince William Streets in the City of Saint John, on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of August instant, at twelve o'clock noon.

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