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THE SITUATION.

Mr. Fisher has gone to the country and has begun his canvass. We understand that he declines to submit his claims to a convention. The tri-weekly organ of the Tories has worked itself up in a fine frenzy over the situation and we confess to being amused a little over its distress. But yesterday and Mr. Fraser could sweep the constituency; to day the man whom they affected to despise and intended to ignore, to-wit, Mr. C. H. B. Fisher, has brought about "a crisis," as our contemporary puts it. The revolt of the Liberal Conservatives, as they call themselves, against the domination of the Tories has brought confusion into the ranks of the party of which Mr. Fraser is the head and front.

On the other hand, Mr. Pickard is receiving from every side assurances of hearty support. His friends, and they are neither few nor unimportant, never were so enthusiastic in his behalf; and while they recognize the wisdom of not underrating the strength of those against whom they have to contend, they go forward to the fight full of the courage which comes from, and is of itself, an assurance of success.

Our advice from Sunbury are most encouraging. Mr. Burpee has been welcomed home from Ottawa by hundreds of his friends whose number is no wise diminished from what it was in 1878, while if reports are to be relied upon there is a want of harmony in the ranks of the Tories there.

In Queens Mr. King will probably meet little difficulty in defeating Mr. Peters. Without having any disposition to rate the last named gentleman below his real value, we are satisfied that the people of Queens would make a great mistake to replace Mr. King by him. Apart from the principles which the two candidates represent, Mr. King has proved himself so excellent a member that he deserves well of his constituents.

In St. John the campaign opened by a vigorous meeting on Saturday night. The prospects of the Liberals are very bright and they express confidence that they can carry the three seats, not with ease of course, but by respectable majorities.

Carleton County is safe for the Liberals. We learn from several sources that Mr. Haddow is gaining strength in Restigouche and that his re-election seems now to be sure. Mr. Gilmor will face all comers in Charlotte with splendid chances of success, and in Westmorland Sir Albert Smith's supporters feel confident that they can return him. From the other Counties we have nothing very definite to report as yet. Mr. Adams is our authority for saying that Mr. Mitchell will undoubtedly contest Northumberland and that he himself has no aspirations to a seat in the Commons. Mr. Snowball, we are told, feels quite able to take care of himself even against the redoubtable ex-Minister of Marine.

All over the Province the prospects of the Liberals are bright, and the people may rest assured that the Tory boast that they would carry the majority of the constituencies will fall a long way short of being realized. We do not believe that the Liberals will lose a single seat which they now hold in New Brunswick.

PATCHWORK.

We read every now and then of a wonderful patchwork quilt made by this or that old lady, and in common with the rest of our common humanity we marvel at its astonishing construction. Patchwork is not uncommon in politics; but somehow the stitches never hold very strongly and it becomes necessary to keep mending and mending every little while, until at last the whole fabric falls to pieces. We have had a sample of this sort of work in our local Government during the last eight or ten years, until at last a state of things has been reached when the last possible mending has been done. If it gives way once more there is an end of it. And it is sure to give way. No man seriously believes that the Government as reconstructed can hold together any longer than until the elections are over. We have a combination with which neither Messrs. Elder and Blair, and their large and influential following, have any sympathy. Indeed, it is impossible that these gentlemen can be in sympathy with an administration so extensively Tory in its composition. We do not disguise the fact in York County that Mr. Colter has been strengthened by his appointment to the office of the Board of Works; but the consideration arises

whether it is likely that he will be able to hold the office after the elections if he is returned, or whether he will not find himself compelled to give way to admit in his place a stronger man, that is, a man who can command more support in the new House. But while Mr. Colter is thus strengthened in York it must not be forgotten that the Government depends for its existence upon the other constituencies, and if these, as they give promise of doing, return a majority of men who will be opposed to the present combination, it is necessary that the Government should return its strongest men so as to be able to enjoy a leading position in the new administration. There is no reason to regard the existing arrangement as other than temporary. A Government of which Mr. Hanington is the leader, and of which Messrs. Adams and Landry are the chief strength, cannot hope to maintain itself in popular favor. It was admitted on every hand that Mr. Fraser was the sole support of the administration in his time, and now that he is gone, those whom he has left behind have neither inherited his influence nor formed alliances which will serve them in lieu thereof. With Mr. Blair and Mr. Thompson in the Assembly the interests of York will be well guarded and a leading position in the administration of affairs during the next four years assured to her beyond a question.

A FEW FACTS FOR THE ELECTORS.

The taxes paid by the people of Canada in 1878 amounted to a little over \$22,000,000. This year they will exceed \$33,000,000.

To make the rich manufacturer richer the people are paying over \$10,000,000 a year directly into the treasury more than the Minister of Finance said was needed to meet the expenses of the Dominion; and in addition they are paying fully an equal sum in the enhanced price of manufactured articles; that is to say, the N. P. is costing the people of Canada over \$20,000,000 a year.

Of this immense sum the farmers pay the largest proportion and receive in return absolutely nothing.

The rate of unnecessary taxation, direct and indirect, upon the people of Canada is fully \$2 per week to every family in the Dominion.

In addition to saddling the country with this monstrous burden the Tories have done their best to make it perpetual by multiplying offices and increasing salaries. Take one instance out of many, that of the County Court Judgeship for Mr. Wedderburn, an appointment which was entirely uncalled for, but which was given to reward Mr. Wedderburn for his subservieny to the Ottawa Government, while he was professing to discharge his duties in the local Government.

The Tories have engrafted upon the western portion of the Dominion all the evils of European landlordism.

They have spent millions of dollars and pledged the country to the expenditure of millions more, to build up a great country on the prairies, the whole trade of which they hand over by Act of Parliament to the foreign Syndicate which is constructing the Pacific Railway.

The Tory Minister of Railways, of his own motion and without a shadow of a reason, gave to a A. Onderdonk & Co. less than \$200,000 of the people's money. Here is a sum nearly equal to the whole 80 cents per head subsidy for this Province wilfully thrown away.

These are only a few of the facts which the Tory candidates will have to justify.

A CORRECTION.

We stated in the HERALD yesterday that "shortly after the Executive assembled on Wednesday overtures were made by one of that body to Mr. Blair, who was offered the office of Attorney General if he would accept it." In this statement we have gone farther than the facts of the case warrant, and we regret it. At the time the paragraph in question was written we believed it to be true; but now that we have learned otherwise, we feel it to be our duty to say so. The mistake arose in this way. We were informed by a member of the Executive that it would be necessary to approach Mr. Blair, and having learned that Mr. Blair had been interviewed by the same gentleman, we inferred that an actual offer had been made. We have been informed by Mr. Blair that the propositions to him did not take the form of an actual offer, and, under the circumstances, we regret having referred to the matter at all.

The Sun says "The Fredericton HERALD will now be obliged to prevent York County from having the Board of Works." The Sun may have the right to "authoritatively arrange and announce" to the electors of York what they must do in

matters political; but the HERALD does not claim that it is able "to prevent York County from having the Board of Works." Mr. Colter has not yet been sworn in we know; but as yet the Government have shown no disposition to consult us about his appointment, and we beg to assure the Sun that if we could prevent him from getting the department we would not move one step in that direction. Nevertheless we intend to oppose the Government when Mr. Colter is a member of it, just as we have opposed it while Mr. Fraser was a member. Our opposition is not to Mr. Colter personally any more than it was to Mr. Fraser personally. As to York County it will have a department in any Government which can be formed, and in the new deal which is certain to come sooner or later it will be represented, if not by Mr. Colter in the department of Public Works, possibly by a stronger man in another office.

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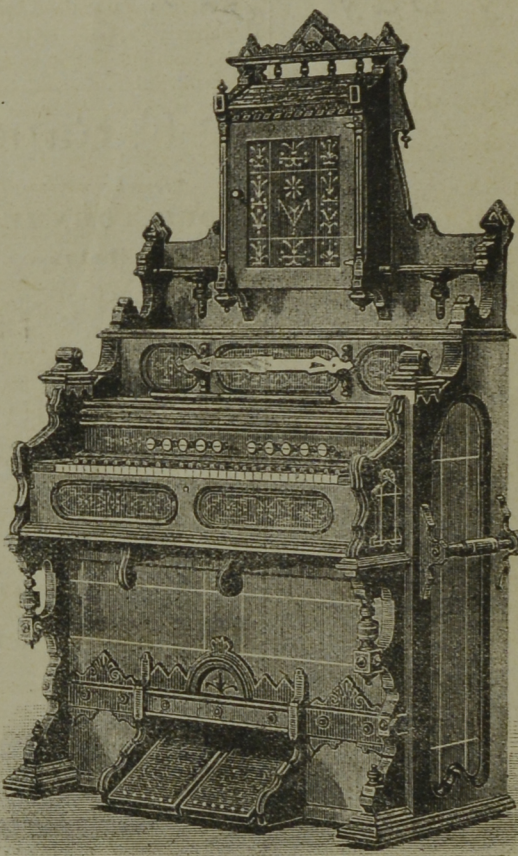
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