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STILL AFTER IT.

The members of the St. John Exhibition Association must be admired for their persistence at least. They have already been refused the Exhibit on grant for this year, and were not given encouragement in their application to the Government to join the St. John corporation in assuming the late Exhibition liabilities, but they bob up serenely again with a resolution demanding the entire grant of \$5,000 or payment of the liabilities of former shows.

Evidently the Association expects to drive the government into a position it has refused to occupy, by the very importance of the applicants for the funds.

All the arguments that in the past the members of the Association have shared the financial burdens and done the work of the exhibitions, are no doubt based on solid ground, but the city and its business men got the benefit. What is a paltry prize of a few dollars to a farmer, who perhaps travelled more than a hundred miles to show his stock or his produce. Even if successful, and only a small majority of exhibitors are, the money won would not pay the exhibitor's expenses while attending the show. The solid value of St. John exhibitions is for the mercantile houses, the hotels and other institutions of the city, and it is the gentlemen who control these who are the workers in the exhibition enterprises. They want a show this year of course, and they want the entire provincial grant of \$5,000, but they are not likely to secure the latter.

Really these St. John people are too greedy for anything, and we trust the government will stand firm in the refusal it has already given to the St. John association. It is Fredericton's turn this year for an exhibition. We have had none for eight years, and in that time the St. John association have drawn \$21,000 in grants from the provincial treasury.

BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

The rather strained relations which have existed between the people of Great Britain and France, not between the governments of the countries, for as far as the surface indicated there was no trouble in that direction, are likely to be somewhat improved by an incident that occurred at Paris this week.

The Earl of Carrington was King Edward's emissary to carry to the French government the official notification of the death of Queen Victoria and the accession of the new Sovereign. The Earl discharged his duty amid very pleasant surroundings, and good feelings. When he was received by President Loubet a military band played the British National Anthem in the court yard of the palace. Earl Carrington presented an autograph letter from King Edward in a short speech, during which he expressed congratulations in the name of the government and the people of Great Britain at the cordial relations between the two countries.

M. Loubet replied briefly, expressing the hope that the ties would be further strengthened under the reign of the new King.

A SUGGESTION.

The members of the Press Association of the upper provinces have planned a tour of the Maritime Provinces during the coming summer, but Fredericton is not included in their itinerary. Here is a chance for the Fredericton Tourist Association to get in its work. The newspaper men should be induced to make the trip up the river to Fredericton. They will be writing up their visit, and Fredericton should get into it. President Chestnut should send an invitation at once to the Association to visit Fredericton. We have very few tourists from the upper provinces, and the field is worth cultivating. A letter addressed to A. F. Macdonald, President of the Canadian Press Association, Alexandria, Ontario, might bear fruit.

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Queen Alexandra is already showing some of the tact that helped to make Queen Victoria so beloved by her people. She sent a supply of shamrocks to the Irish Guards Regiment, with a personal note of the Colonel requesting him to distribute the emblems to the men on the 17th of March. Every soldier who pinned the little national emblem on his coat lapel would have a kindly thought for Her Majesty.

Mr. Hazen criticizes the government expenditure, yet when the House was in supply he advocated a more expensive librarian, an electric light plant for the government buildings, and a new building for the Crown Land collection of birds and animals.

With a Tory majority on the committee, a Tory chairman, and a Tory lawyer in charge of the case, it is needless to expect a fair investigation of the Cook charges by the Senate committee.

GAT HOWARD'S WORK.

General Alderson's Tribute to a Brave Canadian Officer.

Mrs. Alderson, wife of Brigadier-General Alderson, commanding the Mounted Infantry Brigade, writes from Rosehill, Lynton, in Lord Kitchener's despatch of February 24 she regrets to report "that Major Howard, a very gallant officer of Canadian Scouts, was killed on February 17." I have heard more of Major Howard from my husband than is probably known in England. He was known in Canada as "Gat" Howard from the splendid way he handled his Gatling guns in the Indian rebellion, and he also fought in the American Civil War. Having volunteered as a subaltern, he went with the Canadian Mounted Rifles to South Africa last year. They served with the Imperial Mounted Infantry under my husband until most reluctantly the regiment felt obliged to return to Canada (on own Volunteers and Guards having already gone home). But Major Howard asked to be allowed to remain with General Alderson, who wrote this to me: "For some time I hesitated to accept further service from him, he having already done such continuously hard work, but he urged me 'that there might be one Canadian anyway who should see the war through' He then recruited 100 volunteers from the returning Canadian Dragoons and Mounted Rifles who have been formed into a corps of scouts—'Howard's Scouts'—and a battery of six Colt guns." My husband adds "Howard is one of the pluckiest men I ever saw." This is the gallant life which on February 17 was given for England—the perfect ideal of generous loyalty and glorious devotion.

ARE YOU A BUFFALO?

Something About the Latest American Craze.

The latest craze in the United States is an organization known as "The Buffalo Club." Its principal object is to make amusement for the swift going Americans and along this line it has been an immense success. One leading paper says that it has created more talk than a presidential campaign and laughter to make Niagara's roar by comparison sound like a sick sparrow's twitter, besides causing an increased circulation of the nation's small change.

The "club," whose members are of all ages, sexes and conditions, has only been in existence a short time, but already boasts a membership of millions, and includes in its herds all grades of humanity, from ex-presidents to boot-blacks, in fact every one who has at any time had the amount of the initiation fee, which is only eleven cents.

The "club" is nothing more nor less than a merry form of "hold up," and already it has made "Buffaloes" out of nine tenths of the United States senate, almost all the lower house, and has worked successfully on no less than seven governors. Vice President Roosevelt was initiated on the day of his inauguration, and among the others Messrs J D Rockefeller and Andrew Carnegie, are notables who have been "buffaloes" at different times.

The "club" was instituted by a Chicago man, and several members of the New Brunswick contingent to the Sportsmen's Show were "buffaloes" during their sojourn in that city. They were also given power to initiate new members, and have attended to the case of quite a number since their return home.

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LOCAL LEGISLATURE

Questions and Answers Re Sunbury Co. Br.dges.

GOVERNOR ASSENTED TO A NUMBER OF BILLS.

Entire Change to be Made in Distribution of Bye Road Money

TO BUILD A RAILWAY FROM MONCTON TO FREDERICTON.

In the legislature Friday, Mr. Burchill, of the corporations committee, reported against the bill amending the Madras School act.

Hon. Mr. Labllois, in reply to Mr. Glazier, said the contract for building the Nason bridge, across the Rosagornis river, in the parish of Lincoln, Sunbury county, was awarded to McKenzie and Simpson. The tenders were: J. A. Killam, \$1,794; McKenzie & Simpson, \$1,500; Joseph A. Noble, \$1,875; George A. and Robert A. Anderson, \$1,800; Daniel E. Smith, \$1,847; W. Brewer, \$1,630; J. E. Simmond, \$1,950; amount of extras claimed \$457.65; amount of extras paid \$100.

Hon. Mr. Labllois in reply to Mr. Hazen, said the government is aware that the bridge across the South Branch of the Oronoco River was carried away by the freshet in October. Tenders were called on 28th January last for a new structure to be completed April 15. The government is aware that as soon as navigation opens there will be great inconvenience to persons travelling from Blissville and that part of Barton contiguous to Fredericton Junction and Fredericton, and the chief commissioner wrote to the contractor, Messrs. McKenzie & Simpson, on March 13, drawing their attention to the above fact. A reply was received in which the contractors stated that they found a great deal of difficulty in securing lumber in Sunbury for the bridge and that they were obliged to secure the lumber at Petfordic, and that they are preparing the material there and framing the bridge and will be ready to ship it by rail as soon as practicable, to go and work at erection.

Mr. Farris introduced a bill to authorize the formation of farmers' institutes. He said it was proposed to form institutes among the farmers, similar to those in Ontario.

The Governor came to the house at 4 o'clock and assented to the following bills: An act to amend the game act 1899, an act further relating to incorporate fishermen's bait associations, an act in aid of the erection of cold storage warehouses, an act to provide for the preparation of a legal list of voters for the parish of Rothesay for the present year and to further amend the New Brunswick elections act of 1899 an act relating to public officers on demise of the crown, an act to amend the act 62 Victoria, chapter 20, relating to rates and taxes, an act to provide for the development of the coal areas in Queens and Sunbury, an act in amendment and addition to the act George IV, chapter 25, entitled an act to empower the rector, church wardens and vestry of Trinity church, in the parish of St. John to dispose of lots in the new burial ground; an act relating to the city of Moncton, an act to provide for the incorporation of the Greenock Presbyterian church in St. Andrews, an act to authorize the municipality of Gloucester to issue debentures to the amount of \$12,000 to complete new county buildings and for other purposes, an act to amend chapter 61, acts of assembly, 58th Victoria; an act to incorporate the Moncton hospital, an act to amend the act 63 Victoria, chapter 4, entitled an act relating to the solemnization of marriages; an act further to amend the act 60th Victoria, chapter 10, relating to the registration of births, deaths and marriages.

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DESULTORY FIGHTING

British and Boers Still at it in a Small Way.

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A Huge Monopoly. (Special to Daily Herald.)

Montreal, March 23.—Canadian rifle experts have accepted an invitation from the American national rifle association to take part in an international rifle meet at Sagiri, N. J. The best shots available have been selected and they will be commanded by Lt. Col. Ingham. They will include Staff Sgt. Hayhurst who captured the Queen's prize at Bisley in 1897.

He Crushed the Heckerler.

The man who asks questions and finds answers to them is a familiar presence at all party meetings. He is known as the heckerler. The speaker is not allowed to disregard him. If a statement is disputed, it is the orator's place to make it good. Any member of the audience may rise to his feet and shout out a contradiction whenever he feels like it, and by the custom of English public life the speaker is expected to make some reply on the spot.

Mr. Chamberlain was always a dangerous man to cross in debate, but the personal feeling against him was so bitter for years after his withdrawal from the ranks of the separatists that many an unhappy man was driven to tilt against his shield. It was delicious to watch Mr. Chamberlain's handling of the situation. He would pause when the interruption grew serious and give the heckerler a chance to make himself well heard. "Now if you will allow me I will ask that gentleman to get upon a chair that we may all have the pleasure of seeing him." A dozen anxious hands would hoist the objector into unwelcome prominence. "Now, sir," came the clear, passionless voice, "will you kindly speak up? I should be sorry if any one missed what you have to say."

The heckerler, now quite unerved, would stammer out something, and Mr. Chamberlain, listening with a malicious smile, would quietly readjust his eyeglasses and, turning to the audience, fling out a reply—cool, cutting and decisive.—Sydney Brooks in Harper's Magazine.

How Twain Introduced Hawley.

"Only one did Mark Twain appear in public as a political speaker," says Will M. Clemens in Ainslee's. "As a conscientious Republican in his political preferences Mr. Clemens took an active interest in the presidential campaign of 1880. While visiting in Elmira, N. Y., in the fall of that year he made a short speech one Saturday night, introducing to a Republican meeting General Hawley of Connecticut. In the course of his remarks Mr. Clemens said: 'General Hawley is a member of my church at Hartford and the author of "Beautiful Snow." Maybe he will deny that. But I am only here to give him a character from his last place. As a pure citizen I respect him, as a personal friend of years I have the warmest regard for him, as a neighbor whose vegetable garden adjoins mine, why—why, I watch him. As the author of "Beautiful Snow" he has added a new pang to winter. He is a serene, true man in honest politics, and I must say he occupies a mighty lonesome position. So broad, so bountiful is his character that he never turned a tramp empty handed from his door, but always gave him a letter of introduction to me. Pure, honest, incorruptible, that is Joe Hawley. Such a man in politics is like a bottle of perfume in a factory—it may moderate the stench, but it doesn't destroy it. I haven't said any more of him than I would say of myself. Ladies and gentlemen, this is General Hawley.'"

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Military operations in the southeastern part of Orange River Colony are progressing. Major Julian Byng has brought in 300 refugees, 16,000 cattle and 40,000 sheep from the Wepener and Smithfield districts. Col. Bethune has sent in 17 prisoners from Thaba N'Chu. Three hundred prisoners are now camped here. Cape Town, March, 23.—The Boer raiders in the eastern part of Cape Colony are, with the exception of almost daily skirmishes, keeping out of the reach of the British. Col. Scovell engaged Commandant Fouché and Commandant Malan near Blaauwkrans March 20. Three British were killed and four wounded, and four Boers were killed. The number of Boer wounded has not been ascertained.

Commandant Kritzinger is marching steadily northward.

It is officially reported that General De Wet's commandoes have been broken up for the present. This is probably to give the men a rest.

London, March 23.—The latest despatches from Bioenfontein show that the 200 Boers who were reported captured near Thaba N'Chu, were refugees who surrendered voluntarily. They were in a bad plight. They had recently been fighting under General DeWet and General Foirie.

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