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WELL, SUPPOSE HE IS?

The Sun announces in a scare head five columns wide, that Mr. Borden the Tory leader is coming to St John next Friday, and that he will deliver political addresses in that city on December 7, and at Moncton the following evening. Well suppose Mr. Borden is coming to New Brunswick. Is that any reason why we should all get into a condition of great expectancy, and panic as the Sun's scare head lines would invite us to do. There is nothing so extraordinary about Mr. Borden that his presence in this province for three or four days should create a panic.

The Sun makes the mistake of asserting that "the St. John meeting will be the first appearance of the party leader before a New Brunswick gathering." This very statement shows that Mr. Borden's former visit and political address in this province made so little impression that the circumstances have been forgotten by even the Sun editor, who is ready at all times to drop down and worship the Tory leader. If our contemporary really attached so much importance to Mr. Borden's visit, it would be able to recall that he spoke at a political meeting in Fredericton in support of Dr. McLeod's candidature for the House of Commons just about two years ago, so that his meeting in St. John week after next will not be his first appearance before a New Brunswick gathering.

Mr. Borden's absolute failure to make an impression in this city is probably the reason for the Sun's forgetfulness of his appearance on that occasion. The electors of this city and vicinity attended at the opera house on that occasion in large numbers, and irrespective of party, to hear the much heralded and much puffed Mr. Borden, and they were grievously disappointed, Tories and Grits alike. Neither the manner nor the matter of the Tory leader enthused his audience. He was seen to be a nice appearing, pleasant spoken, dapper little gentleman, but as a political leader, with the force and magnetism to attract and arouse a party, he was voted a distressing failure. His address did no good to Dr. McLeod's candidature, and his visit here was certainly a great disappointment to his party friends.

Perhaps Mr. Borden has improved some in the past two years, but from the constant effort made to boom him, it is evident that he still lacks the essentials of a successful political leader.

Mr. Borden is always a gentleman, he enjoys the reputation of being a clever lawyer and a man of splendid personal character, but it would take about three men of his size as a political leader to measure up to the standard of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Let Mr. Borden come to New Brunswick; it will do his party no good, it will arouse the Liberals to action in view of the pending general election, and make them prouder than ever of their own distinguished leader, who will remain premier of Canada after Mr. Borden has suffered personal defeat in Halifax.

Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, speaking last night at Montreal, stated that the general election may be held in six weeks or six months. That is rather indefinite, and if we were guessing on the subject we would limit the time to three months.

Sir Robert Boak of Halifax, has resigned the presidency of the Nova Scotia legislative council, a position he has held for twenty-five years.

Mr. Foster declared to a Cardiff audience that "a man was not worth twopence as a statesman if he simply thought and legislated for today and not for the future." How beautifully Mr. Foster's observation applies to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's attitude towards the Grand Trunk Railway project, and what a pity for the sake of political candor that Mr. Foster is not honest enough to come home to Canada and make the same assertion.

Dr. Geo. R. Parkin, who is now in Australia, is credited with the observation that there are two menaces to the British Empire "the supercilious Englishman and the bumptious Colonial."

Hon. Geo. E. Foster delivered his first political address at London on Thursday. He sails for home on Wednesday.

THE MILITARY BUILDINGS.

Interesting Report Giving Date of Their Erection in Fredericton.

In his historical notes published in the Telegraph today, Rev. W. O. Raymond gives the following official report of the British war department 1825 on the Fredericton military buildings some of which are still standing and in use:

Soldiers barracks; two stories 22 rooms, built in 1785, will accommodate 396 men, is out of repair.

Main guard-room; built in 1789, out of repair.

Artillery barracks; built in 1790, in good repair, will accommodate 24.

Powder magazine; built in 1791, contains 100 bbls. powder, stone building, bomb proof, in good repair.

Engineer quarters; built in 1791 to accommodate one captain, is out of repair.

Storekeeper general store; built in 1791, out of repair.

Provision store; built in 1792, in good repair.

Cook-house, orderly room, guard houses, solitary cells, etc.; built in 1805, now out of repair.

Officers barracks, two stories, 20 rooms and 10 kitchens; built in 1816, wooden structure in good repair; will accommodate one field officer, 16 other officers and mess.

Sunday Services.

There will be preaching by Pastor W. R. Andrews in the Seventh-day Adventist church at 7 p. m. Subject: "The Millennium; Is it near?" All are welcome.

Baptist church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the pastor. Rev. J. H. MacDonald, B. A.; Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30 p.m. Week night services on Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7.30 o'clock. Strangers are cordially invited to all these services.

Methodist.—Rev. J. A. Rogers, pastor. Social service in lecture room at 10 o'clock a. m. Preaching by pastor at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7 o'clock p. m. Sacrament of the Lord's supper at close of the evening service.

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