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RELIGIOUS QUARRELS

The question raised in the Orange order by the resolution from British Columbia members, favoring a definite political platform, will be productive of much discussion throughout the country, especially when taken in connection with the warlike address of Grand Master Sproule. The motion from British Columbia will not prevail, but it serves to indicate an increasing tension along religious lines in this country, which those who are not extremists on either side regret to see. Archbishop Bruchesi warns the faithful against all secret orders. Grand Master Sproule replies with a warning to beware of Rome. On both sides bitter feelings are aroused. Such a state of affairs is much to be deplored. Fortunately Canada is a busy young country, with something more important to consider than ancient quarrels over matters which only the narrow extremists on either side deem worthy of dispute today, in the face of the wider knowledge that is open to every man who cares—or rather dares—to do his own thinking. Nothing could be more unfortunate for Canada than religious quarrels, but so long as there is intolerance on one side there will be protest on the other—no matter which side provokes the controversy. In the Canada of the future many religions will rub shoulders on the street, and authority will be challenged on every hand. The time for successful intolerance, no matter whence inspired, has passed.

A LABOR PARTY

The Labor Party is at present in power in the Australian Commonwealth. Mr. Fisher, the leader of that party, is the premier. In November of last year the Deakin government was defeated in the house, and Mr. Fisher was called upon to form a cabinet. The Deakin government had passed a tariff measure which granted protection to manufacturers, but also guaranteed fair and reasonable wages to employes. After the act was passed the courts declared it to be unconstitutional, on the ground that an act to enforce wages conditions infringed upon the sovereign rights of the separate states of the Commonwealth. Premier Deakin thereupon brought in an amendment to the constitution giving the federal parliament certain restricted powers as to employment and wages, and vesting the balance in the Inter-State Commission. The Labor Party opposed the amendment and demanded that absolute power should be vested in the federal parliament to legislate with regard to industrial matters. As a result of this attitude of the Labor Party, which held the balance of power in the house, the Deakin government was defeated and Mr. Fisher became premier. Since November last, therefore, the Labor Party has ruled Australia. Indeed the conditions were such before that date that Premier Deakin was only able to retain power by consent of that party, and he is said to have been well-pleased that the crisis came and the Labor men were brought face to face with responsibility for the conduct of affairs. It was stated at the time of Mr. Deakin's defeat that the new regime would be short-lived, and a cable from Australia now brings the interesting information that all the other parties have come together under his leadership, and will present a united front in opposition to the Labor cabinet, in the endeavor to compass its defeat.

ABOUT PAVEMENTS

There can be no valid objection to members of the city council going to New England cities at their own expense, and perhaps it would even be profitable for the city to pay the expenses of a delegation to go there and make a study of pavements. It would be highly improper for them to go at the expense of a company which has paving material to sell. It is encouraging, however, to learn that the aldermen are beginning to think about pavements even if they have thought on the subject before without practical results. It is a problem of some magnitude. Let us hope that if St. John and Fredericton aldermen do go to Boston and other towns, their return will not cause such a state of the public mind in relation to pavements as has been developed in Victoria, B. C., and is thus described by the Colonist of that city:—

"The citizens of this good town have learned several things during the past few weeks about pavements. Whether or not they are any the wiser is an open question. They have learned that every pavement is no good at all; that no city after using any particular kind of paving would think of using it again, and a lot of other things like that. One alderman ventured to suggest at a meeting of the city fathers that possibly the experience of other cities on this interesting question might prove of some value, and we confess to have been to some extent of that opinion. But we know better now. Every city that has tried any kind of pavement has found it a fraud, a delusion and a snare, that is if the proprietors of other patent pavements are to be believed. It looks as if the only thing to do is to shut our eyes and pick out the first kind that comes to hand, trust to Providence and go ahead and lay it down."

REMINDS US OF L'ETONG

There is a new candidate for the honor of being the great national port of Canada on the Pacific coast. We have heard of Vancouver, Victoria and Prince Rupert, but a writer in last week's Canadian Courier nominates Quatsino as the coming successful rival of all of these. We quote:—

"There is a little bay, a bay with very few settlers about it, a bay offering excellent harborage, directly across Vancouver Island from Vancouver city. This bay is Quatsino, and just as sure as this machine I am writing on answers my fingers, so surely will this be the national port of the Pacific ocean. From one to two days will be saved, fogs and islands avoided, coal and iron and copper, fir and cedar, marble and limestone, clay and agricultural soil, gigantic fisheries, all right at its doors. The agitation of Victoria for a bridge at the Narrows opens the door to Quatsino's opportunity. Build that bridge, and in a few hours the C. P. R. trains will be across the island and unloading their freight at Quatsino."

We may infer from this prospectus that Quatsino is a sort of L'Etang of the Pacific.

GUILTLESS MR. YOUNG

In a letter to the Moncton Times, Hon. H. F. McLeod, replying to the charge that a violator of the Scott Act was appointed a vendor of school books, throws the blame on Mr. Young, one of the members for York, and then attempts to excuse him as follows:—

"It is simply absurd to anyone knowing the facts and the situation to say that he, the vendor), kept liquor for sale in his shop where the school books were. As a matter of fact, he never kept liquor for sale at all. What he unfortunately has done is this: Several times when there has been a dance or some picnic up there he has had some liquor for sale, but never in his store, so that there is absolutely no truth in the statement that the children had to buy school books in a place where liquor was sold. However, Mr. Young was no even aware that he had ever sold liquor, and as soon as it came to his knowledge he had his vendorship canceled."

Mr. Young of York must be an unusually guileless politician if he does not know the reputation of any man in his constituency who is considered of sufficient prominence to receive government patronage. The like may be said of Mr. McLeod. Had not the facts been brought out by the opposition the man who violated the Scott Act would still be selling school books and basking in the favor of the Hazen government.

Touching the recent speech of Rev. Dr. Johnson of Montreal in this city, on the subject of Oriental immigration, a British Columbia exchange says:—"The Rev. Robert Johnson, of the American Presbyterian church of Montreal, would throw Canada open to Japanese, Chinese and Hindus. If his plan were adopted, he would find his occupation gone except as a missionary to the people who would throng the country and drive the white population elsewhere. Why do people express opinions upon subjects which they cannot possibly understand? No man who knows what such a policy as Mr. Johnson advocates would mean to the country, would entertain it for a single moment."

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The board of conciliation has proved its usefulness in the dispute between the Dominion Textile Co. of Montreal and its employes. After the strike a year ago the employes returned to work at reduced wages, with the promise that the old schedule would be restored when trade conditions improved. The employes have lately been demanding the increase. A board of conciliation looked into the matter, went thoroughly into the company's affairs, discovered that there had been no increase, but rather a diminution of earnings, and therefore the company was in no better position than in May last to pay higher wages. Had there been no such enquiry serious trouble might have resulted.

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British Columbia is advertising its charms as a resort for the hunter of big game, and expects an influx of sportsmen. Moose, bear and other game that delights the heart of the Rooseveltian hunter are said to be plentiful, and in short British Columbia appears to be the New Brunswick of the Pacific coast.

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WILD PANSIES

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And we will keep abreast and meet up at the broken bridge.

Ophelia, I am sure, would know just when to look and where;
But we are far from Elsinore, and only ghosts are there!

Yet, after all, perhaps the dream was just a magic spell—
A trick, perchance, of Oberon or Puck or Ariel!

Nay, here they are! Come down this dell, I found a fairy clue:
And what a dear, delightful way to have a dream come true!

—Clarence Urmy, in Munsey's Magazine.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

HIS NEW MOTTO.

"I have adopted a new motto for my life," sighed the man who resided with his mother-in-law.

"What is it?" they inquired.

"Everything is relative."—Detroit Free Press.

A PUZZLING FACT.

Magistrate—You say you are innocent. How do you explain the fact that you were found near the scene of the robbery with the stolen property in your hands?

Prisoner—That's what's puzzlin' me, too, yer Worship.—Scottish American

SHE THOUGHT FOR BOTH.

"That's quite an ideal marriage of Watson's. Actually, I feel certain that husband and wife think absolutely alike."

"You're perfectly correct about the thinking, old man. But perhaps you've noticed that Mrs. Watson always thinks first."—Scottish American

A TRY-WEEKLY.

A New Englander was travelling in Texas on a new railroad.

"Hello, neighbor!" he called out to a fellow-traveller. "How about the southbound train? How often does it run?"

"She's a try-weekly," said the Texan. "She runs down one week and tries mighty hard to get back the next."—Judge.

WOMAN LIVENS IT.

Suffragette—What is a party without women?

Mere Man (flippantly)—A stag party.

Suffragette—Exactly. And what, sir, would this nation be without women but stagnation?—Chicago Tribune.

NUPTIAL GERMS.

She—They say there are germs in kisses. Now, what do you suppose a girl could catch that way?

He—A husband!—Ladies' Home Journal.

CHEATING THE BARBER.

In a certain Sunday School a teacher told her pupils the tragic story of Samson and Delilah. Then she turned to a little boy.

"What dou you learn, Joe," she said, "from the Samson story?"

"It don't never pay," piped Joe, "to have a woman cut a fellar's hair."—Harper's Weekly.

WANTS MORE LIGHT.

He—The major is going to be married again.

She—Why, when his wife died he said that the light of his life had gone out.

He—There's no reason why he shouldn't strike another match, is there?—Illustrated Bits.

PROVINCIAL NEWS

New Brunswick

The fishermen of Back Bay and vicinity have been paid over eight thousand dollars for sardines already this season. Many new weirs have been built and others are under construction. The fishing interests are becoming more important each year, and the numerous weirs in operation have proven a splendid investment and stimulated the fishing business.—St. George Greetings.

By a vote of 63 to 36 the ratepayers of St. Andrews on Tuesday last accepted the by-law authorizing the town council to sink test wells for the purpose of ascertaining whether a sufficient supply of suitable water for town purposes could be obtained from this source. The by-law limits the expenditure to $1,000, but the information may be obtainable at a very much less cost.

The shipment of pulp from St. George is giving employment to quite a large fleet of schooners. The addition made to the wharf and the dredging in the basin and elsewhere have greatly improved harbor conditions at the bustling granite town.

James A. Shirley has acquired the interest of his partner, Capt. N. M. Clarke, in the firm of J. A. Shirley & Co., St. Stephen, and the business will henceforth be conducted by him.

Thomas McFarlan, a native if Digdeguash, was drowned in Fish Stream about a mile above Island Falls, Me., May 10th. The boat in which he and three others were crossing to their work capsized and the others narrowly escaped sharing his fate. The body has not yet been recovered.

Mrs. McVicar, wife of Capt. Colin McVicar of Mascarene, was badly scalded, Saturday morning. While pouring boiling water from a kettle she was seized with a fainting spell and fell to the floor, the hot water going over her.

Lieut Bingham, 71st Regiment, has returned to Fredericton from Kingston, Ont. where he has taken a long course of instruction. He will likely receive a commission in the Royal Canadian Regiment.

Nova Scotia

M. J. O'Brien, the Nova Scotia railway contractor who built part of the H. & S. W., has refused an offer of $4,000,000 for his mine in the Cobalt.

The body of an unknown man was found floating near the western shore of Shelburne harbor Monday morning. It is thought that it may be that of a young sailor who was in Shelburne some weeks ago and has since been missing.

Rev. Peter Fiset, the late parish priest of Cheticamp, Inverness county, left $5,000 to St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish.

Word has been received at Windsor that Henry Earl Curry, son of Fred Curry, was drowned a few days ago in the west. He was an engineer on the G. T. P. railway. The remains will be brought to Windsor for interment.

The general convention of the W. F. M. S. in connection with the conference of the Methodist church in Nova Scotia and Newfoundland will open in Amherst next Tuesday.

It is learned that the fishermen of Mainadieu, C. B. have agreed to catch lobsters at the price offered by the packers, and many traps were set out Saturday. It was reported Saturday that the fishermen had telegraphed to Mr. Greely, the packer, that they were willing to fish if he would come and open his factory. At any rate the traps have been set out, and the fishermen may secure a license to pack their own lobsters.

The surveying steamer Elinor left the dockyard at Halifax yesterday and proceeded to Newfoundland, where she will again engage in hydrographic work. Captain J. W. F. Combe, R. N., is still in command, Lieutenant Lay has been promoted to the rank of commander.

James Hall was at Halifax on Tuesday sworn in as sheriff, and yesterday afternoon assumed the duties of the office so long held by the late Sheriff Archibald.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS

One plan of a new wharf for Arichat shows a wharf to cost $17,500. The other, a larger one suitable for a large liner to dock, at, is estimated to cost $25,000. It is the latter wharf that the representative M. P. has insisted upon having built and he government has agreed to the larger expenditure.

M. J. O'Brien, the former Antigonish man, was offered a very large sum at Montreal on Monday, said to be four millions, for the O'Brien mine, but the offer was flatly refused and later on, Mr. O'Brien authorized the statement that the mine was not for sale. It is understood that six millions would be considered but nothing less.

Herring are plentiful about the shore this spring at Cape Breton. Codfish are scarce as yet. A few salmon were caught at Lorraine Saturday, and some shad. It is thought the spring run of mackerel will be a week or ten days later this season than they were last season.

Freight sheds are to be erected on the public wharves at West Arichat and D'Escouse.

An interesting non-jury case on the docket at Windsor, N. S. and which occupied the court all the forenoon yesterday and was adjourned until tomorrow, was that of Robert Gass, of Shubenacadie, vs Alfred Dickie, Stewiacke. This is a suit for non-fulfillment of agreement and claim for $10,000 damages is made by Gass against the Alfred Dickie company.

A sad drowning accident happened Sunday afternoon when a little German boy named Peter Pizallo, aged six years lost his life in the pond at Sydney Mines.

WILL PERFECT ORGANIZATION

Meeting in Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign Called for Monday Next.

Considerable work is being quietly done by the officers of the N. B. Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis and on Monday afternoon next there will be action of more public nature when a meeting will be held at 3.30 o'clock in the board of trade rooms.

This meeting will be for the purpose of organizing the St. John branch of the association for which Dr. J. W. Daniel, M. P., is vice-president. Each county has its vice-president and its separate organization and in these branches the active work of fighting the white plague will be done. A large attendance at the meeting is hoped for.

MEDALS PRESENTED

Victors in the La Tour Road Race Receive the Trophies They Won —Every Day Club Members Win all Three

A feature of the concert held under the auspices of La Tour section, Temple of Honor, in the City Hall, West End, last evening, was the presentation of the medals to the winners of the La Tour road race held on May 18.—The concert was given by the Jones-Crawford orchestra and was well attended. The medals were presented to the boys by Hon. Robert Maxwell. All three medals went to members of the Every Day Club. W. H. Smith won the gold medal for first place, donated by C. M. Brown on behalf of the Maple Leaf Club of Carleton. E. A. Belding won the silver medal for second place, donated by R. H. Parsons and R. E. Pendleton won the silver medal for third place, donated by J. H. Belyea.

In presenting the medals Hon. Mr. Maxwell spoke of the place of athletics in the business life and encouraged the winners to keep on with their success.

The Maple Leaf Club of Carleton claims a share in the athletic boom launched there and in evidence of this the part taken in the recent race is noted.

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DR. J. R. INCH TO RESIGN OFFICE

Report That Superintendent of Education Will Retire Next Week—Sixty Years in Educational Work Here.

A well founded report was circulated in the city last evening to the effect that Dr. J. R. Inch, superintendent of education in New Brunswick, would send in his resignation to the next meeting of the local government, to be held on Tuesday next. Dr. Inch has been a prominent educationist for years and for nearly sixty has had to do in one capacity or another with education in New Brunswick. In his last annual report he foreshadowed his resignation. His health has not been of the best lately but all will wish that in the rest from his labors he will find recuperation.

In connection with the appointment of a successor, Inspector W. S. Carter, of St. John; Inspector George W. Mersereau, and B. C. Foster, principal of the Fredericton High school, are mentioned.

James R. Inch, M. A. LL. D., was born in Petersville, Queens county, in 1835. His parents, Nathaniel Inch and Anne Armstrong, emigrated from Enniskillen (Ire.) to this country in 1824. He was educated at the district school and Gagetown High school. After attending training school in this city he received a first class teachers' license in 1850. Four years later he accepted a position in Mt. Allison Academy and when Mt. Allison College was organized with university powers in 1862 Dr. Inch entered the junior class and took his degree of B. A. in 1864 and M. A. three years later.

In 1864 he took charge of the ladies' academy, which position he retained for fourteen years, during which time the institution, largely through his efforts, was placed on a sound basis. In 1878 Dr. Inch was called to the presidency of the U. N. B. but previous to that date his alma mater had made him LL. D. In 1891 he succeeded Dr. Crocket as superintendent of education.

In 1854 he married Mary Alice Dunn, of Keswick, York county. They had one daughter, who married Prof. Sidney Hunter, of Mount Allison University. Dr. Inch has been an experienced and able educationist who has been able to confer many important services on the institutions with which he was connected and on the school system of New Brunswick.

LIQUOR CASES WILL BE HEARD TOMORROW

In the police court yesterday afternoon, the cases against four saloon keepers for infraction of the new amendment to the liquor license act relating to screens came up for hearing. The informations, which had been laid by Inspector J. B. Jones, named Peter Mahoney, Wm. J. Savage and George Garnett, of Main street, and Thos. O'Brien, of Mill street, as defendants.

When the matter was called J. B. M. Baxter, who appeared for the defence, addressing Judge Ritchie, said he understood that the cases had been brought in order to get an interpretation of the law. Personally he did not think this was necessary as the act was clear enough in the matter. He thought there must be a misunderstanding on the part of the defendants and suggested that the case might be postponed till he had an opportunity to go around to their places and explain the situation.

George A. Henderson, the prosecutor, agreed to this especially as Mr. Baxter had just come into the case. The law was certainly clear enough in prohibiting any screen or other obstruction to a full view of the interior of the premises.

At the suggestion of his honor, it was agreed to take the matter up again on Friday forenoon at 11 o'clock.

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