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DISSATISFACTION IN QUEBEC.

The Liberals of the Province of Quebec are evidently not happy. The matter of spoils, a subject ever uppermost in the average Gri-mind, is causing the trouble. It seems that Francis Langelier, M. P., is desirous of becoming Lieutenant Governor of that Province in succession to Sir J. A. Chapleau, and it is stated that he actually has in his possession letters from the Premier promising him the position. These letters were written by Mr. Langelier about the time of the formation of the Laurier-Tarte government. But it seems that affairs have since assumed a different aspect and Sir Wilfrid does not see his way clear to keep his promise in this matter any more than he has kept it in other matters. Mr. Tarte wants Sir J. A. Chapleau re-appointed, and everyone knows that what Mr. Tarte wills the premier must do. The situation is thus bit off in a Quebec despatch to the Montreal Star:

"Although Sir J. A. Chapleau's term as lieutenant governor of this province does not expire until December next, the question of his probable successor is now discussed in this city, and the more so since it has been rumored that Hon. F. Langelier, M. P., for Quebec Centre, is not to get the position.

"This news has created an unusual amount of excitement here, due, no doubt, to the fact that Hon. Mr. Langelier was looked upon as the future occupant of Spencerwood. It appears upon the most reliable authority that on the 8th of July, 1896, a few days before Sir W. Laurier had formed his cabinet, the premier wrote to Hon. F. Langelier, informing him that owing to the latter's well-known legal abilities he would reserve him for a seat on the bench in this province, and that if on the expiration of the lieutenant-governor's term at the end of this year, he was not on the bench he would appoint him in Sir Adolphe's place. This letter was followed by another on the 11th of July, 1896, written by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to Hon. Chas. Langelier informing the latter that his cabinet was formed but that he had promised the lieutenant-governorship to his brother, and that it was a sacred promise.

"Now it appears that Hon. F. Langelier is going to be left out in the cold, as Sir Wilfrid has, it appears, informed him recently that he has made other arrangements, which he would explain to Mr. Langelier when he met him.

"This matter is not going to be dropped, and in a very short time it will probably be known who the lucky party is to be. There is talk here that if a satisfactory explanation is not given by the premier, an indignation meeting of liberals will be held in Sir Wilfrid's constituency, Quebec East. Moreover, several liberal M. P.'s of this district have visited Quebec lately and are indignant at the way matters have turned, and from present appearances Sir Wilfrid will have a hard time before he has settled this knotty question."

A flood of light is thus let in on the manner in which the Gribs manage affairs. Promises, written and otherwise, regarding judicial and other positions have evidently been made right and left in order to keep the party together. Already several of the promises thus made have been kept, and certain patriotic liberals have gone to their reward. But there are others who have not yet been rewarded, and these are chafing under the delay.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

—Ottawa merchants will hereafter be prohibited from displaying goods upon the sidewalks in front of their place of business.

—The Ottawa Evening Journal dated August 3rd, 1897, reached THE EXAMINER yesterday. It was only about two months reaching its destination!

—The wise man of the Amherst News remarks as follows:

"Both the car works and the shoe factory are working over time. The Robb Engineering Company have been working overtime also recently. These concerns seem to be able to get along without the N. P."

Whereupon it is pointed out by the St. John Sun that the boot and shoe manufacturers have exactly the same national

policy as they had before. The duty on cars and shoes have not been changed a fraction. Only one-seventh part of the duty has been taken from engines. Perhaps the Amherst concerns are able to get along without the N. P., but the proprietors will not be sorry that the ministers have broken their pledges rather than compel them to try the experiment.

—Montreal Gazette: Mr. Beckles Wilson and Mr. Percy A. Hurd, two Canadian newspaper men who have attained distinction in the Old Country, are conducting a discussion in the London press as to the true meaning of the term "American." Mr. Hurd contends that the people of the United States have appropriated to themselves the name "American," to which they have historically and geographically no right. Mr. Wilson expresses his view thus:—

"America" is the "United States of America," and the limits of America are those which Providence, the frailty of the Mexican Government and the maladroitness of English diplomacy have conceded to her.

So far as the popular conception of the term "American" goes, Mr. Wilson is no doubt correct; but geographically and historically Mr. Hurd has the right on his side. When one comes to think about it, it is rather difficult to see what the two gentlemen are quarreling about. Mr. Hurd talks about what ought to be; Mr. Wilson talks about what is; and as both are right, honors appear to be divided.

GOLD ON THE SURFACE.

Fifteen Thousand Dollars to the Ton Will be Produced by the Swamp Creek Mines.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 2.—A correspondent of the Post-Intelligencer sent to the Swamp Creek district, near Mount Baker, to investigate the reports of the discoveries of gold quartz which reports stated assayed as high as \$10,000 to the ton, has returned and in summing up his investigation says: "On August 23 last, Jack Post discovered a ledge of white quartz on Bald Mountain. When pieces of this quartz were broken up with a hammer in a considerable percentage of them flakes of gold were seen with an average of about one color in the place where the fracture was made.

"Post and his associates, Lambert and Van Valkenburg, located for themselves three claims on the ledge. Four cross ledges were also discovered, which were covered by two claims. Selected specimens assayed as high as \$1,500 a ton.

"Not one dollar worth of development work has been done on a claim in the district, and not a single drill has been struck in it, and not a shot fired.

"The actual value of the quartz ledge is a matter which can only be determined by actual development work and by a thorough mill test of rock from all the exposed portion of the ledges."

THE SULTAN SIZED UP.

What a Continental Traveller Has to Say About the Sick Man.

TERONT, Oct. 2.—Messrs. J. Bayan, of Constantinople, and A. Blais, of Paris, two Frenchmen who have travelled in every part of Europe, arrived at the Walker House this morning on their way to New York. Mr. Bayan has lived for some length of time in Constantinople and is conversant with the condition of affairs in that Oriental City. He was there during the Armenian massacre of some months ago, but, in his own parlance, kept away from them as much as possible. The Turks, however, he considers to blame, though it was an open secret that the Armenians both in Constantinople and Armenia, were furnished with arms by Russia which country also intrigued to support secret societies with the object of working against the Sultan. The latter, Mr. Bayan thinks a very clever man, a genius, in fact, but an evil one. He is a wonderful worker, and it is by his power and influence alone that the young Turkish party are prevented from having adopted the reforms which they advocated. Mr. Bayan also considers that there is not the least doubt that the Sultan is at the bottom of the disturbances in North Hindostan.

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THE GUATEMALIAN TROUBLE

When the Revolt Began—Morris Men Tortured and Shot.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., October 2.—The steamer San Blas arrived from Central American ports yesterday with the following details of the revolution in Guatemala: The revolution broke out on September 6, and was participated in by seven departments, viz., San Marcos, Quetzaltenango, Huehuetenango, Totonicapan, Mazatenango, Ocuiltepeque and Salcajá. The revolt began with an attack upon the outposts of Quetzaltenango and other districts, which proved successful. The revolutionists, however, withdrew to gather reinforcements from the surrounding country, and three days after the first shot was fired the Government sent into the field General Lecón with 1,500 men, General Toledo, with 42 pieces of artillery and 2,000 men. One battery deserted to the enemy after leaving the city.

On September 9, J. L. Castillo, aide to Morales, arrived on the scene with an immense force of malcontents from neighboring provinces, and after a sharp engagement took the city of Quetzaltenango.

Meantime, Barrios was carrying matters with a high hand among the rebels within the citadel. Needing money he applied to Don Juan Apricio, a well known capitalist, through the medium of General Roque Morales, who is noted for his cruelty. Knowing that the loan would mean financial ruin to him, Apricio hesitated and was promptly taken to the Castle and strung up by the thumbs.

Upon his refusal to accede to the demands made upon him Apricio was lashed until he fainted from the torture, and still being of durable when he recovered his senses, Morales cursed him and shot him dead. His many friends, however, had their revenge shortly after for when the city of Quetzaltenango was taken, Roque Morales was shot without a trial. Grave accusations of cruelty to women, the wives and daughters of men who had joined the revolutionists, are made against Dictator Barrios.

WHOLESALE STEALING.—The Moncton Times says: Albert Souier, who lives at College Bridge, Memramcook, struck Sediac on Saturday and did not allow the grass to grow under his feet. He is now in the lockup charged with a number of thefts. First he entered the Weldon House and stole a top coat and cap. Then he broke into C. C. Hamilton's warehouse and removed a barrel of flour at one trip, going back and securing a barrel of cornmeal. These he conveyed to the railway station where he billed them separately to himself at Memramcook. He is also believed to have stolen a robe from Mr. Scovill at Shediac Cape, and he is supposed to have been connected with a jug of liquor missing from another place. Saturday night Mr. J. D. Weldon of the Weldon House, secured a warrant and accompanied by constable W. Beals proceeded to Souier's place in Memramcook, arrested him and lodged him in the lockup. Souier says he can explain about the flour and meal. The affair created considerable excitement in Shediac, owing to the boldness and success of the operator.

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