

# The Liberal.

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RICHMOND HILL, December 1, 1904

### DISTORTING THE FACTS.

The Globe of Monday urged upon Liberals in making their selection of candidates the wisdom and necessity of nominating at their convention "men of intelligence, integrity, and honorable political aptitudes." The Globe reasons that men of undoubted honor will insist on "clean election methods which will make crookedness and corruption impossible." "A Liberal convention handicaps all campaign effort, reflects discredit on its leader, and lays up trouble for its party when it selects as its candidate a man of inferior intelligence, doubtful morality or impeached reputation." The Globe further insists on good clean men, saying that "even in constituencies where defeat is certain the candidate becomes the adviser of the Government in all matters touching local patronage." The Globe honestly points out that patronage "gives considerable responsibility and large opportunity even to the defeated candidate in a hopelessly anti-Government constituency."

Most people whether Conservative or Liberal, will admit that The Globe is right in talking so plainly to its political friends. Such editorials are along the proper lines. And as The Mail and Empire is always ready to express its horror at the least seeming irregularity in the camp of their opponents, some person might be foolish enough to expect that the Conservative organ would give its contemporary some credit for advising the Liberals in their selection of candidates. But what do we find in The Mail and Empire the following day? The Globe article distorted and given an altogether different meaning. Here is what the Mail says:—"By the Toronto Globe an appeal is made for candidates to support the Ross Government on the basis of the patronage they dispense. The organ points out that even if defeated the candidate has the patronage of the constituency; and patronage brings with it a 'large opportunity.' This is awful."

### TEMPERANCE RESOLUTIONS.

It would be too much to expect that everybody would be pleased with the temperance platform laid down at the Liberal convention held in Massey Hall last week. The resolutions there adopted have since been condemned by friends in the liquor traffic, and by extreme prohibitionists. Naturally hotel-keepers, brewers and distillers will view with alarm any proposed curtailment of their business, but we cannot understand sound temperance men still talking of "turning Ross out," because the Liberals have not gone far enough along the lines of restriction. To be sure the decision arrived at between conflicting parties at the convention was a compromise but there are worse things than compromises, and it can be truthfully said that the resolutions carried were in advance of anything ever before passed by any convention in the Province.

The resolutions declared strongly against intemperance as an evil, expressed sympathy with the curtailment of the drink trade, as well as the closing of the bars and shops under local option legislation. The men assembled recommended that no new licenses be issued in unorganized districts in New Ontario,

and that the Government should take charge of the necessary sales for medicinal or manufacturing purposes. If acted upon, resolution No. 4 will increase the difficulty of getting new licenses in this province, as a petition signed by fifty per cent. of the municipal electors will be necessary before such could be granted. And lastly it is declared that any license-holder convicted of violating the law twice shall thereby forfeit his license.

Will any honest temperance man come forward and give his reasons why the Ross Government should be replaced by Mr. Whitney and his followers.

### CHANGE IN THE ACT DESIRED

An evidence of the dissatisfaction felt in regard to the Agricultural and Arts Act which affects all the agricultural and horticultural societies in Ontario, was furnished last week at the horticultural convention in Toronto. The relation of the act to horticultural societies was discussed and a committee appointed to wait on Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture, to request that the Act be revised. It was pointed out that many counties in the Province have no horticultural societies. Were horticultural societies to be established, its grant would have to be taken from a part given to agricultural societies. The objection on the part of the agricultural societies in many counties, has been sufficiently strong to prevent the formation of horticultural societies. In other counties, where there are a number of agricultural societies, the grants to the horticultural societies are so small that they are unable to do effective work. The deputation asked the Minister of Agriculture to take steps to place horticultural societies on a footing of their own. The Minister of Agriculture agreed with the claims and a special committee representing the horticultural societies will meet to suggest changes that may be made in the act. It is probable a Provincial Horticultural Association will be formed.

The Christian Guardian of last week is an anniversary number, and gives on its front page a photogravure of Vol. I, No. 1, published the 21st of November, 1829, just 75 years ago. The last number is a very creditable one, referring as it does to many changes during the last three quarters of a century. Eleven men have occupied the editorial chair of The Guardian during its seventy-five years of life. And, as is pointed out in the last number, only one other than the present editor is now living—Dr. Courtice. The first editor was Dr. Egerton Ryerson, a gentleman of marked ability, who left his imprint on the religious world for many years. Dr. Dewart, who was the editor from 1869 to 1894, is referred to in the last number as exercising a powerful influence on the church and community.

Japan has made known the conditions on which she is ready to close hostilities. These consist in the return of Manchuria to China, the dismantling of Port Arthur and the establishment of Korean independence, with the right of the Japanese to acquire land.

Mr. Whitney, at the Conservative conference held in Association Hall, Toronto, last week, said: "Agricultural colleges should be scattered throughout the province." It is not many years since the Conservative party was against even one Agricultural College in Ontario.

It will do Mr. Whitney, Mr. St. John and the Mail and Empire no good in trying to belittle the Liberal convention by insinuating that its delegates were made up of office-holders, contractors, and those whose fares to Toronto have been paid for them. No such representative body ever sat before in convention together.

It is expected that the succession duties received by the Province this year will total \$450,000, the largest aggregate since the imposition of the duty. Last year the amount was \$380,000. The money is devoted to the hospitals and charitable institutions of the Province.

## LOST

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