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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11TH.

CONSERVATIVES COULD FACE POLITICAL DEATH FOR THE SAKE OF NATIONAL LIFE.

Conscription might supply Sir Robert Borden with a nobler route to self-destruction than Sir Robert's favorite, Sir Sam Hughes', route to political death.

If the weakening of the Borden Government is to mean the strengthening of the British Empire, then in God's name let the Borden Government be weakened.

If the tearing down of the Conservative party is to mean the building up of bulwarks for liberty, then let the Conservative party be torn down.

The alternative to a Conservative ascendancy would be a Laurier ascendancy. A Laurier ascendancy would draw part of its strength from the mistaken devotion of Liberals who have given their sons as freely as Conservatives have given their sons to die for Canadian nationality and British unity.

A Laurier ascendancy would have as the main sources of its strength the racialism of Quebec Liberals, the British-hating pro-Germanism of Teutonic Liberals in Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan, plus the indifference of English-speaking pacifists.

The life of a Laurier ascendancy would be dependent on the votes of racialist Liberals in Quebec and Teutonic Liberals in the west.

The treasure of Canadian Nationality and British Unity that this country's soldiers have died to save would be more secure in the hands of the Canadians who supply Sir Robert Borden with his majority than in the hands of the racialists and Teutons who would supply Sir Wilfrid Laurier with his majority.

N. B.—NO BANQUET.

The Committee of One Hundred had its chance to spread a banquet of votes for Hon. W. H. Hearst in North Perth.

But the Committee of One Hundred, G. A. Warburton mildly dissenting, helped to furnish forth the funeral baked meats of defeat to the first Ontario Premier who ever served prohibition with ACTION rather than with TALK.

Surely the Committee of One Hundred will not have the effrontery to ask the Premier of Ontario to become its guest at a banquet offered in equal honor to Hon. W. H. Hearst, who endangered his political fortunes by his WORK for prohibition, and N. W. Rowell, K.C., M.P.P., who promoted his political fortunes by his TALK for prohibition.

Ontario's Premier associated himself with the Committee of One Hundred not wisely but too well. The presence of the Provincial Premier at a Hearst-Rowell banquet would certify to the sincerity and non-partisanship of the Committee of One Hundred. That committee is underserving of such a certificate from Hon. W. H. Hearst.

THREE YEARS OF PROHIBITION

Ontario has started on what may or may not be a three-year trial of prohibition. Evidences are not wanting that a section of the Conservative party feels that it has been tricked into passing the prohibitory measure, and that its political value is open to question.

But the fact remains that prohibition is here—and probably to stay. For the majority of the Conservatives will likely decide that while it might

The Mining Stocks

The sale of Mining Stocks on the Standard Stock & Mining Exchange for the past week. Figures supplied by A. S. Fuller.

Table with columns for Porcupines, Cobalts, and various stock names like Apex, Dome Extension, etc., with corresponding prices.

Market letter of A. S. Fuller & Co.

With the exception of the excitement in connection with the recent submarine warfare the market is in good shape for a further advance.

Fundamental conditions at the mines are good, especially the gold properties, and we believe these stocks should be bought. The silver market continues uncertain and as a result silver stocks are very speculative.

It is reported that another find of high-grade ore of considerable importance has been made on the Vipond, and this along with the pending amalgamation of the North Thompson, should make Vipond one of the best purchases on the list for a quick profit.

Advantage should also be taken of the present weak market to pick up such stocks as Dome Ex., Teek-Hughes, Porcupine Crown and McIntyre.

ENFORCEMENT OF THE DOG BYLAW SHOULD BE STRICT

The by-law for the taxation of dogs in this municipality does not seem to have much force upon the owners. The unlimited supply of these canines that are seen upon the streets without a tag, proves that the by-law is of little use and is not worth that paper it is written on, owing to the authorities lack of enforcement.

Every dog should carry a tag, with a number upon it, and in case of trouble arising from these animals, the authorities would know who were the owners. The source of revenue that would be derived from these stray dogs would greatly aid in the financing of improvements, etc.

If these dogs are of value to the owners, as pets or hunters, they will not hesitate to pay \$1 apiece for this privilege. The canines that are not so taxed should be destroyed by the town.

These dogs cause a great of trouble and annoyance to the citizens in many ways, such as spreading themselves upon the sidewalks in a manner that it is oftentimes difficult for pedestrians to pass, without trampling upon them, thus probably arousing the anger of the animal, to such an extent that would cause the person to be bitten.

Why does not the Town Council put this by-law into operation? The town's treasury will be the richer and the public's safety will be ensured.

All these dogs that are an obstruction have been bad politics to adopt the measure, it would be worse politics to tamper with it now that it has been adopted. So it seems safe to assume that Ontario will be dry for three years. After that—who can tell? But current history does not make the liquor men much happier. For prohibition for communities is like unto matrimony for man—once adopted they all profess to like it.

Market Letter Homer L. Gibson & Co.

The mining market during the last week has been somewhat dull, with a few reactions in the prices of the Porcupines and Cobalts and one or two notable advances.

Ophir has shown decided strength, selling up to .13 in expectation of a strike in the cross-cut from the People's shaft.

Temiskaming is more active, as announcement of another dividend is expected at any time.

In the Porcupine list McIntyre and Vipond are the centres of interest. The McIntyre report on the quarter ending Sept. 30, should be issued at an early date. This should show greatly increased earnings for McIntyre, and should be a strong bull card for the stock.

The Vipond-North Thompson merger is again being talked of, and should be definitely decided one way or the other in the very near future. The combination would be a very strong one, with tremendous potentialities. Should negotiations fail, the Vipond is still, in our opinion, in a splendid financial position, as their past quarter has been an exceptionally profitable one.

Monday's severe break in the New York market was reflected to a slight degree on the Toronto list on Tuesday. The fact, however, that the bears did not take advantage of the break to hammer the mining market, is very good evidence that there is no extensive short interest and that the market is in splendid condition for a general advance.

We advise purchases of the better stocks, previously recommended in this column on this reaction, as we believe that present prices offer splendid possibilities for profit within a very short time.

tion on the highway should be rounded up and put into pound and the owners assessed at least \$5 for their release, as well as the price of a tag. In this way it would make the owners live up to the by-law and the purchasing of the necessary tag.

Sugar Prices Advanced

A ten-cent advance in all grades of sugar has become effective throughout Canada. Wholesalers quote on Canadian refined sugars, as follows: Royal Acadia, gran., 100 lbs. \$7.46 Lantie gran., 100 lbs. 7.56 Redpath gran., 100 lbs. 7.56 St. Lawrence, gran., 100 lbs. 7.56 Dominion gran., 100 lbs. 7.51 St. Lawrence, Beaver, 100 lbs. 7.46 Lantie, Blue Star, 100 lbs. 7.46 No. 1 yellow, 100 lbs. 7.16 Dark yellow, 100 lbs. 6.96 10-lb. bags, 15c over granulated bags. 20-lb. bags, 10c over granulated bags. Two and five-pound cartons, 30c over granulated bags.

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Tenders shall state the amount per cord on pulpwood, and per thousand feet, board measure, or pine, that they are prepared to pay as a bonus in addition to dues of 40 cents per cord for spruce, and 20 cents per cord for other pulpwoods, and \$2.00 per thousand feet, board measure for pine, or such other rates as may from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, for the right to operate a pulp mill and a paper mill on or near the area referred to.

Such tenderers shall be required to erect a mill or mills on or near the territory and to manufacture the wood into pulp and paper in the Province of Ontario—the paper mill to be erected when directed by the Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines.

Parties making tender will be required to deposit with their tender a

marked cheque, payable to the Honorable the Treasurer of the Province of Ontario, for twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), which amount will be forfeited in the event of their not entering into agreement to carry out conditions, etc. The said \$25,000 will be applied on account of bonus dues, as mentioned above, will require to be paid in the usual manner as returns of cutting of wood and timber are received.

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For particulars as to description of territory, capital to be invested, etc., apply to the undersigned.

G. H. FERGUSON, Min. of Lands, Forests and Mines, Toronto, August 28th, 1916.

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W. RUTHERFORD, O. KABEL, W. M. R. S.

"Ten or ten" as a sequence to the night before, and nothing but two per cent, to take the taste out of his month, brings home to the transgressor the fact that the way is growing harder.