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## DURHAM CHRONICLE

W. IRWIN, Editor and Proprietor.

Durham, Sept. 29, 1904.

### THE SOO REVELATIONS.

(Toronto Globe.)

The Liberals of Ontario have good reason to be both ashamed and indignant because of the revelations of political crime made in the election court at Sault Ste. Marie. It is not fitting that comment be passed upon ex parte statements made in evidence while election trials are in process. When the evidence given by unreliable witnesses, like those brought from Buffalo in the North Grey case, is flatly contradicted by the testimony of Canadians of character and standing, we can afford to wait the finding of the Court. But the finding of the Court at Sault Ste. Marie on the evidence submitted in connection with the "Minnie M." charges, and the very definite and unmistakable language of both the Chancellor and Mr. Justice Teetzel, release this instance and make public judgment upon it both right and timely. And that judgment cannot be other than one of stern and unequivocal condemnation. The whole story of the trip that chartered steamboat and the conduct of the gang fittingly described by the court as "rascals" is utterly disgraceful to every man directly or indirectly involved in it. That this nefarious traffic in votes, this disgusting collusion with pluggers and moral debauchees, was conducted in the interest of the Liberal candidate and ostensibly for the sake of the Liberal party made it all the more intolerable to intelligent and self-respecting Liberals, not only in the constituency, but throughout the Province. No decent Liberal will defend it, or make apology for it, or minimize its crime. The unanswered evidence is direct, the finding of the court is plain, and at no essential point can reason or decency offer either extenuation or denial. The criminality of the offence is matched only by its utter and unrelieved stupidity. All who are responsible for it deserve not only the utmost punishment provided by law, but also the unreserved and indignant repudiation of all who have voice or responsibility in the Liberal party. It is to no purpose to say that on the conservative side the corruption was as bad or worse. That saying is probably true. It has been true for a generation. But with the Liberal party it has been different. There probably never was an absolutely clean general election in this or in any other Province. There have always been parasites and grafters, and camp followers, but their presence has been resented and their services resisted by the Liberals, and the temper, and genius, and ideals of the Liberal party has not changed. The number of those who approve of corrupt election methods or who would profit by them is insignificant, and if in anything we give honest voice to the sentiments and convictions of the

Liberals of Ontario it is deliberately and determinedly condemning the conduct of those who organized and carried out the Sault Ste. Marie election offences, and in demanding that in every other constituency workers of the unsavory Sullivan species be separated from the activities of the Liberal party by a gulf as wide as that which divides decency and honor from the ugliest and foulest crime.

### SOUTH GREY FAIR.

The South Grey Fair was held here on Wednesday and Thursday of last week and if the Directors had the whole matter in their own hands they could scarcely have a better day than Thursday. Wednesday was hazy and cold, and grave fears were entertained lest the following day should also be unfavorable. The morning however broke fine, and a good attendance was predicted as a certainty.

The outside show of horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry is said to have been the best we ever had here, but the inside exhibits were not up to the standard in quantity, though superior in quality in many articles.

There was not a large display of fruit, but the judges tell us the samples were excellent for the unfavorable year. Potatoes, grain and roots were rather scarce in fact in some of the classes named the exhibit was the smallest for years.

Their considerable dissatisfaction expressed regarding the expert judges, and from the general tone of disapproval heard on the grounds, and still heard on the street, it is safe to predict that the management in Durham is not much struck on judges turned out from the government mill. Personally the writer has no opinion in the matter under immediate consideration, having no idea of the cause of grievance from personal observation, nor should these remarks be construed in any sense as a hit at the government. So far as we are able to find out both sides alike are dissatisfied with the judgment here, and the most violent and outspoken denunciations were made in our hearing by adherents of the party in power. We want it specially emphasized that the grievance is not because of any political feeling on the part of the community, but as a sincere expression of feeling on both sides that so called experts are regarded of very little account in some matters of judgment.

The south end of the Agricultural Hall up stairs was much admired during the day, the attractions placed there being nothing more or less than an exhibition of noxious weeds, collected by Mr. Alex. Firth and the pupils of S. S. No. 1. Glenelg. There were in all about 125 plants pressed neatly and glued on sheets of white cardboard. Underneath each was a neat card containing the botanical name as well as the common name of the plant or weed exhibited. This was the only exhibition of weeds, and we must say it was a good one reflecting much credit on teacher and school for the amount of work necessary to make the collection. We understand the same exhibit is in Flesherton this week by request of the Directors, and we little doubt that the impetus given to this sort of thing will materially increase the general interest in practical botany.

On the North End of the Hall, Mr. F. A. Kelsey had a large display of photographs, and from the large number to be found in front of his exhibit we have no doubt it was a lucky stroke in bringing his name before the public as an Artistic photographer. Mr. Kelsey himself is quiet and unobtrusive with very little to say and we hope his modest exhibition of photographs may speak for him in securing a good share of business.

The home made bread, buns, honey and domestic wines would fairly make one hungry, and even the strict observer of the whole decalogue would be tempted to violate the eighth commandment, were it not for the eagle eye of Sandy Binnie who stood guardian with a club during the whole day.

There was quite a display of Fancy work but for fear of incurring the ill-will of lady exhibitors we feel safer not to make special reference to the work of any one in particular. The prize list on page two will tell the successful competitors and we refer our readers to that as a source of information.

The Durham Manufacturing Company had a fine display of Cream Separators, a feature that shouldn't be overlooked as this is the baby industry of Durham over which every loyal citizen of the town must feel considerable pride. At the larger exhibitions in Toronto, Ottawa, London and Guelph similar exhibits were made by this enterprising young Company and their products were much admired in the various exhibition centres.

The Durham Furniture Company, too, had several fine pieces of Furniture on exhibition, all in quarter cut oak, some articles being of their newest designs. Hitherto the general public in the vicinity of Durham had very little idea of the fine class of work

turned out by this company. We were pleased to see them come out this year, to show what they are doing.

Barclay & Bell, had a well filled space of handsome looking coal stoves and wood and coal ranges deserving of special mention. They carry also a full line of farm implements and machinery in their show rooms in the old McIntyre Livery.

The poultry exhibit was double what it was on former years and the fowl fanciers are rapidly on the increase. The expert judge in this department we understand gave good satisfaction in awarding the prizes.

### CARD OF THANKS.

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF COURT DURHAM No. —, C. O. F. It is with feelings of gratitude I tender my sincere thanks to Court Durham No. —, Canadian Order of Foresters, for the prompt manner in which they have paid the full amount of claim specified in the Beneficiary Certificate of my son, George S., who died on the 7th inst. Just eight days after the papers were signed the cheque for \$1000 was handed to me by the officers of the Court. Feeling that the Canadian Order of Foresters is doing a noble work in paying so promptly the claims as they mature, I feel it my duty to express sincere gratitude to the order, and I can heartily commend it to all desiring the security of the protection they offer. They are a grand Organization for which I can not find words sufficiently strong to express my feelings.

THOMAS C. MORRISON,  
Durham, Ont.

Sept. 25th, 1904.

### M'DONALD MAKES REPLY.

MR. EDITOR.—In reply to Mr. S. R. Jackson's letter of the 1st inst., I would like to correct his statement about me sneaking cows across the line fence etc. Mr. Jackson's cattle and mine were at the back ends of the farms, and on Sunday morning the 24th of July I took one cow across the line fence and told Mr. Jackson next morning and also stated that I would have some more. He said it was all right and the charge was seventy-five cents this year. On August 17th I took the second cow. On Sept. 3rd I received my account and on Sept. 5th I paid it. I would ask Mr. Jackson which is the proper way to do, whether to go round the road on one's own business, or to "sneak" through the best of his neighbor's crop?

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the insertion of this denial, I am etc  
JOHN MCDONALD,  
Aberdeen, Sept., 26.

[This discussion must positively end here so far as this paper is concerned. A caller last week told us there were three fools in it, the two disputants and the editor who permitted it to go into print. We admit the charge so far as we are concerned but we don't know what the other fellows think about it.—Ed.]

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### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That a Court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' Lists Act by his Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Grey at the Town Hall, Durham, on the 6th day of October, 1904, at 2 p. m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' Lists of the municipality of Durham for 1904. All persons having business at the Court are requested to attend at the said time and place.

W. B. VOLLET, CLERK.  
Dated this 21st day of September, 1904.



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### Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of William Bell, late of the Township of Egremont, in the County of Grey, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario" 1897, chapter 139, section 38, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said William Bell, who died on or about the Fifteenth day of August, A. D. 1904, are required, on or before the

First day of October, A. D. 1904,

to send by post prepaid or deliver to David McKelvie, and James Geddes, Junior, the Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors of the said last Will and Testament will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 26th day of August A.D. 1904.

DAVID MCKELVIE, Thistle P. O., Ont.

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