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RUSH ELECTION ORDERED.

The topic of war has been sounded, and the battle is on so far as the local house is concerned. The legislature has been dissolved. On June 1st the nominations will occur and on June 5th the people will be asked to decide who will be their representatives.

The time for reflection is short. If Mr. Whitney could do it he would make the period of suspense or conflict even shorter. He finds that the last week's work of the parliament now dead was a wrecker of reputations. Nor is the tumult and rebellion confined to the liberal press and liberal party. Conservative papers and independent papers alike condemn the secrecy with which some infamous deals were smuggled through. Letters of the Hossack kind, too, are injurious, and Mr. Whitney does not want to face many of them. Their arguments are unanswerable: So there is to be a rush election, and a snap verdict if possible.

Oh, some one may say, but the premier said there was going to be an appeal. Yes, some time in the summer or fall. It is going to be right away, in a month, because the Whitney record is not improving the more it is examined, and the critics are very busy. Turn on the limelights.

HAND PICKED GOODS.

The government has intimated that the immigrants whom Canada wants are farm labourers and railway construction men. "All others," it is intimated, "should get definite assurance of employment before leaving home, and have money enough to support them for a time in case of disappointment."

The government should go further and see that the orders of the interior department are strictly carried out. The men of large families are not wanted on the farm or railroad, and, when without means they become a great burden on any community. For the right quality of men there is room and demand, but it comes from a field where only the picked and the sturdy are fitted for the service that is expected from them. Because others reach Canada, through the misdirected energy of missionary or benevolent agencies, immigration should not be stopped. For long years the country longed for population. Of those who came to it many crossed the line and became lost in the larger population of the United States.

Now that the tide is flowing this way it should not be obstructed. The country can stand filling up with the right kind of people. These, however, should be selected, especially when the sorting process is so advisable and necessary.

PARTY THAT DOES THINGS.

A conservative print quoted some of the things which were said about the civil service by the special commissioners appointed by the government, and intimated that the party in power did not mean to do anything about them. The Laurier cabinet has in this respect been seriously misjudged. It meant business when it appointed the commission. It gave further proof of its earnestness when it followed the pointed references of the commission to the marine department by the selection of J. L. Cassels to have the men who were said to lack conscience and honesty in the performance of their public duty. It adds to the grand total of its business capacity by undertaking the passage of an act which will give Canada at once the reforms some of its people have been demanding. The aim is to rid the departments of all political pull, to give men places and promote them on their merits, to see that they are classified and paid according to their standing, and to make their future dependent upon their labour and the recognition of an independent civil service commission. The government will not be relieved of the responsibility for this appointment, but it will be subject to such tests as the commission will apply as to its fitness. The information is very acceptable. It shows that the liberals, having put their hands to the work, will not be satisfied until they have made it complete. Then they can go to the people with the reputation of being a party of action and not of talk.

THE HOSSACK INDICTMENT.

Rev. Mr. Hossack, as a disgruntled gril, is apparently a more important personage than Rev. Mr. Hossack, a disappointed independent. The clerical critic in the 1905 election, who was angered with the Ross administration, and joined in the conservative chorus, "Is time for a change," had honors thrust upon him. The gentleman who now poses as premier lawned upon

him, and welcomed him as the herald of a mighty public opinion. The conservative press gave prominence to his philippic. They were decked with flare headings and given a place upon the first page.

Mr. Hossack gloried in the fall of the liberal government. He hailed with delight the advent of the Whitney combination. He treasured all its bold and heroic leader had to say about the independents. He carefully entered in his doomsday book the promises that Mr. Whitney made when bidding for liberal support. He looked for a disappearance of the partisanship which might be exercised in a federal election. He longed and looked for that discriminating public opinion which in England retired governments so often and for very trifling departures from public virtue.

Then came the ominous summing up of Mr. Whitney's shortcomings. The government, by its works, showed that it had "obtained office by false pretences." It showed that it lost confidence by gerrymandering and hiving the liberals. The law reform, declared to be so necessary in 1904, had been dropped. In this respect there had been a conspicuous failure. The three-fifths clause on the option law was "reactionary legislation." The LaLoose deal was extraordinary and unjustifiable. The power deal, or misdeal, was not in harmony with Mr. Whitney's pretensions. The C.N.R. guarantee was a "suspicious" proceeding, suggestive of an approaching election, and the fact that "it cannot be won by players." The expenditure was increasing at an enormous rate. There has been too much government by commission.

The only consolation in the whole epistle is to be found in the closing lines, and they have been gladly quoted by the conservative press. Mr. Hossack calls upon the independents generally, liberals and conservatives, to rally to the support of a strong and able opposition. They may rally even more than Mr. Hossack expects or Mr. Whitney desires. The premier is becoming uneasy about the outlook and is shaping for a tour of the province. He is not going to hold political meetings—perish the thought—but conferences, where he can whisper his apologies and plead for the help of the party as he cannot do in public meetings.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The price of coal is lower. Oh, joy of life, how long is this experience going to last?

That man King is a hypnotist. He has convinced the English colonial office that Canada is a white man's land. Mr. Forland will please take notice and get into step.

The Christian Scientist believes that absent treatment is a present help in time of trouble. The political scientist of the Whitney cult finds absent treatment of his opponents the most exhilarating.

The federal parliament may legislate so as to limit the manufacture and sale of cigarettes. A fast age and a degenerate youth is calling, loudly calling, for some check on a great and growing evil.

A Toronto paper makes mention of the ridings or constituencies which the conservatives "hope" to carry in the next local election. It is the conclusion of the central committee. Kingston is not on the list.

The Metropolitan railway system of New York has given in recent years for political purposes half a million dollars. No wonder the stockholders have taken to watering the stock in order to make on the dividends and get back their own in the earnings of the road.

Schumacher, the oatmeal king, has passed in his checks. There is some respect for his memory. But for the inventors of the modern breakfast foods there has been laid up troubles for which in this life there can be no adequate atonement.

The Monetary Times, making its calculation on the experience of the last twenty years, and the gradually increasing gain in immigration, estimates that in forty years the population of Canada will be 55,000,000. The infants of to-day will eventually belong to a great country.

Now it is the senate at Washington which is afflicted to the point of rebellion with the corporation lobbyists. Public opinion cannot cure parliament or congress of this awful affliction, but the members can rise in their might and clean the house of them as the temple was once cleansed of the money-changers.

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That There Are Negotiations For a Ship Combine.

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WHY THE FALSEHOOD?

MORTGAGE COVERS ALL THE ROAD'S PROPERTY

And Even Property Which Might Be Acquired in the Future—Arrant Mendacity of Whitney. Hamilton Times.

One excuse given by Whitney for his violation of the principle, to which he so boastfully claimed to adhere, in giving that Mackenzie & Mann \$2,500,000 railway guarantee, was that the original mortgage given by virtue of the 1904 act did not cover the terminals of the road, and he argued that the additional guarantee, with the additional mortgage, would put the province in a better position. The statement made by the premier, but adds falsehood and duplicity to betrayal of principle. A. G. McKay has taken the trouble to look up the act of 1904, and it is found to fully cover not only all the property of the railway at that time, but even to include property which it might obtain in the future. The wording of the act is:

The said mortgage and the securities issued thereunder shall be a first charge upon the line of railway so aided, and upon the right of way and station grounds and other real estate and interest therein, buildings and other structures, and improvements, rolling stock and equipment, plant, machinery, tools, supplies, material and other personal properties, present and future, required for the purpose of the said line of railway, or in connection with the operation, and maintenance or repair thereof, and upon the tolls, incomes and revenues of the company arising and to arise from the said line of railway, and the rights, privileges, franchise and powers of the company now or hereafter held in respect thereof.

In the face of the terms of the act it is useless for Whitney to attempt to plead that he gave this guarantee in an effort to improve Ross's transaction. The Ross act contemplated a mortgage upon the entire railway, including all its terminals. If proper security was not taken under that act, the fault is Whitney's. It was under the government mortgage was taken on July 12th, 1906, and it was filed at Ottawa on October 5th, 1906. The plans of the James Bay railway (Canadian Northern railway) were approved through the city of Toronto two years before Whitney signed the guarantee, and must, unless specially excepted, have included all the terminals and property. And if any property was excepted, it was done by Whitney.

In the light of the facts, it is an arrant piece of mendacity for Whitney to attempt to excuse the giving of this guarantee by attempting to make it appear that the security provided for by Ross was insufficient. Is there something that will not bear the light in this transaction?

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

Meaning Of It All.

Ottawa Free Press. The lesson of Manchester seems to be that you can dangle old age pensions before the English voter if you like; but you "can't rob a poor man of his beer!"

Mum's The Word.

Toronto Star. Inspector James H. Hughes told a woman's rights meeting last night that women don't have votes because they can't bear arms. Can't bear arms, eh? What have women's waists to say to this?

A Neat Comparison.

Exchange. A tory M.P. well summed up the Fowler-Pugsley episode yesterday when he said last night: "It reminds me of nothing so much as a mosquito on a rubber ball. The more he worked the less effect he had."

Is That It?

Hamilton Times. The New York legislature has abolished the bucket shop. The idea is that if people must gamble they've got to do it through some respectable person who has a hundred thousand dollar seat on the stock exchange.

Puff For Hon. G. W.

Hamilton Spectator. Senator George W. Ross is of more use to Canada as a lecturer than he can possibly be rusting away the rounded out years of his life in the senate chamber. His address before the local Canadian club last night was of nothing so much as a mosquito on a rubber ball. The more he worked the less effect he had.

WENT BACK TO SEE WHY.

Then Dynamite Exploded and Man Was Killed.

Syracuse, N.Y., April 30.—W. A. Abel, a Syracuse Irishman, sixty-five years of age, was killed by an explosion of dynamite at Casenoviva. He was on a visit to his brother and had suggested the removal of a stump in the yard by the use of dynamite. He placed a charge in the stump, and when it did not explode he went to investigate. While leaning over the battery the charge went off, throwing him into the air. He was badly mangled. Death was instantaneous.

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QUEEN'S AND CHURCH.

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This morning, the trustees again met, and discussed the question from all sides. After two hours' conference, Rev. Dr. MacLaren, of Toronto, moved the following resolution which was adopted:

"After careful consideration of the memorial presented by the senate, and having regard to the fact that at the request of the general assembly the board of trustees agreed to maintain the present relations between the church and university, the board resolves to transmit the memorial with its accompanying documents to the general assembly and to ask for the assembly's advice in the premises." The motion was adopted practically unanimously, the only difference of opinion being as to the form of submission.

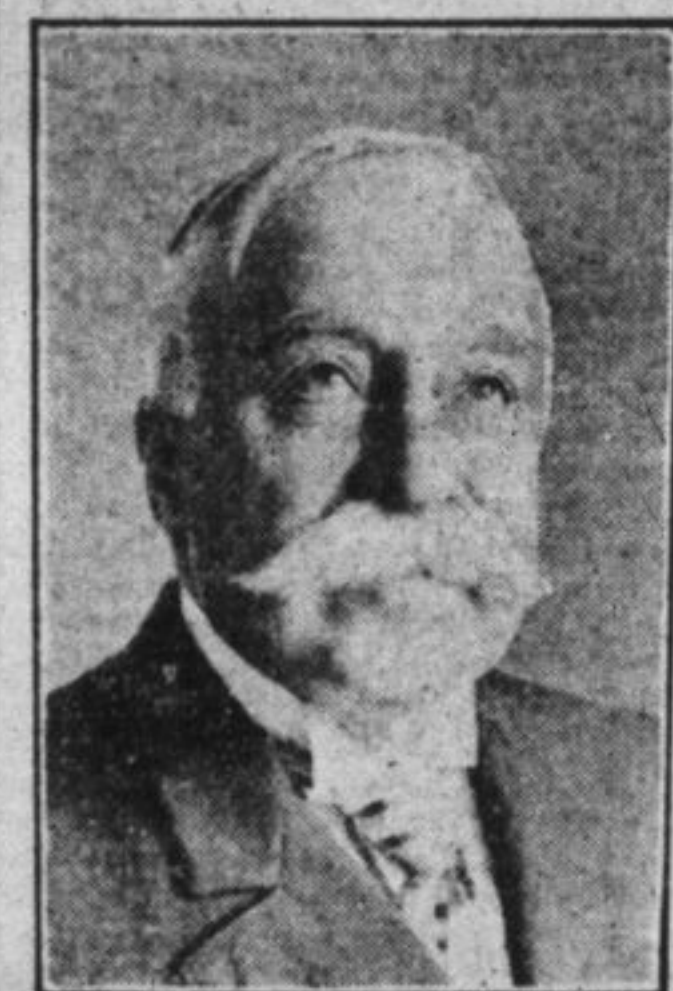
Other Business Done.

At the meeting of the trustees of Queen's University, held, Wednesday afternoon, evening, and Thursday morning, it was decided to build a stone observatory on the grounds at the south end of University avenue. Professor Patchett was made associate professor of moderns, Oscar Skelton, M.A., lecturer in political science was made assistant professor.

All reports were of a most encouraging nature, the large increase in the number of students was commented on, and the large increase in the revenue, showing, however, a balance of only \$64, after meeting the expenditures of the year.

HOW HE LOOKS.

The Hero of Manila Bay As He Is.



ADMIRAL DEWEY.

The above is the latest portrait of Admiral George Dewey and the only likeness showing this naval hero as he appears to-day. May list of this year is a particularly notable date for the admiral by reason of the fact that it marks the tenth anniversary of the battle of Manila Bay. The capture of the Philippines has aged slightly since that historic occurrence, but he carries his years remarkably well, and no person could suspect from his appearance that he was more than sixty years of age, whereas, as a matter of fact, he is now in his seventy-first year. Admiral and Mrs. Dewey a few months ago moved to a larger and more commodious house in Washington, and they have been entertaining their friends quite extensively of late. The admiral is confessedly very fond of people, but Mrs. Dewey's health has been such of late years as to greatly restrict their social activities.

MISERY AT PRINCE RUPERT.

Horde of Unemployed Live on Fish and Clams. Prince Rupert, B.C., April 30.—With no work in sight for over a month, a horde of men who, despite the Grand Trunk Pacific's warnings, descended on the terminal, are in a bad way, and to-day are eking out an existence by living on fish and clams.

The Grand Trunk Pacific authorities have decided at once to begin work on the clearing of another section of the town site on Kaizen Island. The tract covered by this decision is four hundred acres in extent, surrounding the territory which has already been cleared. The work will be done by contract, and tenders for the job in sections are now being called for, the bids to be in by May 4th.

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