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The death occurred in Leavenworth, Kansas, on May 3rd, of Mrs. William H. Farrell, the wife of a former resident of Brockville, at the age of sixty-nine years.

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THE END LOOKED FOR.

Dr. Spankie says his candidature in Frontenac was in the first place "urged by conservatives," so that he could not have been used as "a tool to split the conservative party." Now that he is out of the way it may not be amiss to say that some liberals in the county were expecting what has happened. They thus favoured an out and out party man rather than one who was simply disgruntled for the time and disposed to censure the Whitney government in several particulars.

As an inspector of schools, and therefore amenable to the influence of a minister who is nothing, if not a party hack, it was inconceivable how Dr. Spankie could conduct a vigorous political campaign against the government nominee. He was sure, sooner or later, to invite the hostility of Dr. Pyne. The screws may not have been applied, but they would have been and the doctor would have been forced to either give up his independence or his public position. The Whitney government has no use for anyone who stands between it and party success, and it would not have tolerated any criticism from Dr. Spankie that reflected upon it or its management of any department.

The independent proceedings of Dr. Spankie had, in consequence, the effect of showing how ineffectual is the attempt of any man, no matter how clean, energetic, popular and deserving he may be, who is not exhibiting the marks of the party's branding iron.

The Toronto World is very anxious that a number of independents should be elected to the legislature. Independents of the MacLean kind do not account for much. He is newsy in his instincts, but never pursues any scheme long enough to see it through.

TIME FOR THE CLOSURE.

The Montreal Witness has a very timely article on the blockade of business at Ottawa, and for partizan purposes. Our contemporary shows that there is something out in the argument of the conservatives that they are resisting progress on principle. It continues:

"As the premier has offered to amend the bill, it is really very hard to see what the opposition finds in this whole matter to justify its howling and its dislocation of public business. The only explanation that strikes anyone not influenced by party motives is that the opposition does not like to lose the advantage that would accrue to it by using the present partizan lists prepared by the local government. It is true that Dr. Roche and the other Manitoba conservatives who have been leading the fight against the government bill do not put their case in that way. They assert that the Manitoba lists as they stand are fair to both sides, and that the whole question at issue is one of principle. But if it is a question of principle, it is a very funny thing that such fights occur on 'party' questions alone. There are a dozen important government bills on the order paper, yet, if the government gave in in the matter of these Manitoba election lists, its opponents give assurance that the session could be brought to a close by the 1st of July! That is to say, the 'public' business which parliament was brought together to consider would receive scant attention, so long as the opposition got its way on the party question now at issue. If it does not get its way on the latter, it announces its intention to hold up the public business by pure obstruction until December! This is not government by parliament, it is government by hold-up. The right of hold-up by minorities is called in some quarters an immunity to be revered as long as it is not abused. We find it difficult to see how this principle can be harmonized at all with rational rule. To insist on debate till a matter is fully ventilated is a good thing. To obstruct for mere obstruction is nothing but despotic use of brute force."

There is something peculiar about the Manitoba voters' lists, when Premier Roblin and Hon. Mr. Rogers are summoned to the capital to direct the the war and preach the doctrine of "no surrender." The lists have to be adapted to the federal constituencies, and the suggestion of Sir Wilfrid Laurier is that the work be remitted to the judges in the impartiality of whose service there ought to be complete confidence. That everything else should suffer or go with scant attention is a pretty poor tribute to the judicial fairness and legislative acumen of the members of the commons. It is time that the closure were adopted, and that the obstructive element was put out of joint.

What has the Whitney government essayed without the aid of a commission? The biggest job is hanging fire, and Mr. Beck sees that if it passes the election it is doomed.

Where is Dr. Beattie Nesbitt? Is his rotund figure not to break into view at any point or at any time during the local election?

NO SIGN OF REPENTANCE.

The severest thing that can be said of the late member for Kingston, and the liberal candidate, by the young gentleman who is so anxious to succeed him, in the legislature, is that Mr. Pense and Mr. McKay are the last, or almost the last, of the men who supported the liberal government that "brought discredit on Ontario."

This language recalls the campaign of slander which preceded the last general election. The Ross government was attacked venomously. Nothing was too bad to say about it. It was added that the records of the departments were blotted with the details of many misdeeds. Nay, more, it was whispered that when opportunity offered the evidence would be forthcoming of political crimes which could not be defended.

Almost four years have passed, and thus far not a single charge has been made good. Has search been made for evidence? Yea, verily, and in vain, and nothing stands to the great discredit of the Whitney government so much as the fact that it has failed most signally to convict the old government of any dreadful wrong. In effect the Whitney government must plead guilty to the charge of having deliberately and maliciously maligned the men who were immeasureably its superiors.

"Mr. Whitney," says Dr. Hossack, "has, with the pigeon-holes in his possession for years, not discovered any scandal relating to the departments." And it is a declaration that stands out in bold relief with the small talk of certain tory traducers. If the Whitney government has not succeeded in unearthing anything which reflects upon the Ross government or its supporters, its little voice in Kingston is not likely to make much of a commotion.

The plea of a polished rascal in a western town illustrates a point. He had indicted a letter whose statements were read in court against him, and he said they were lies, all lies, but that he believed them at the time just as some people believed in their dreams. So the men who have lied about the Ross government, unconscionably, may have been misled, but so far they have not repented of their sins, and they have good reason to do so. The victims of pipe dreams are not always entitled to serious consideration.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The World is hot for the election of independents, but somehow it does not endorse Dr. Hossack. Why?

The Ontario Municipal Commission must pass on all municipal money by-laws. Good thing. The purchasers of the municipal securities will be better satisfied.

The Albany Club is resorting to all sorts of expedients to shut out the independents and liberals in Toronto, and will not succeed. Dr. Hossack's candidature is very popular.

It was announced that Mr. Whitney would not do any stumping in the local election. But he is chasing madly about the province and begging the people for one more chance.

The conservative press of Kingston does not seem to be aware that for many years prison contract labour was abolished in Ontario. Mr. Hanna has not explained why he revived it.

Mr. Borden cuts a great figure as the implement of obstruction at Ottawa. Any leader of a party which is at the beck and call of Hon. Bob. Rogers deserves to be humiliated.

There does not seem to be any ground for the talk of a dissolution at Ottawa. There is a lot of important business to transact, and the sooner the opposition gets at it the better.

Mr. Gladstone disliked the closure, and took time to reflect upon its use before adopting it. But it had to come in the imperial commons, and it is time that something were done about it in Ottawa.

Hon. Mr. Brodeur is making reforms gradually in the marine department. The appointment of a purchasing agent is his latest move. It guarantees the payment of lowest prices consistent with quality for departmental supplies.

It is intimated that Mr. Whitney did not refer to the college governors and park commissioners when he referred to the hirelings of the government. Well, Mr. Whitney has offered no explanation and the hirlings must take him at his word.

George H. Gooderham is said to have spent $25,000 or $30,000 in the vain attempt to break into the city council as its mayor. Now he is a candidate for the legislature and the Whitney party is very proud. His subscription to the party fund will be very liberal.

On Monday morning, Mrs. John Mills, Belleville, passed away. Deceased suffered from paralysis. She was about fifty-two years of age. A husband, one son and three daughters survive, James, Minneapolis; Mrs. S. Way, Tweed; Misses Ella and Jennie, at home.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

She Certainly Would.

Guelph Mercury.

Oh, yes! Give Miss Martin a trial. She could hardly fail to be an improvement on Pyne in the education department.

Bill Of The Session.

Canadian Courier.

There can be no doubt that the civil service bill will mark one of the greatest administrative advances which Canada has ever made.

Think Of This.

Brantford Expositor.

The conservatikes boast of having done away with the numbered ballot. There would have been no ballot of any kind but for the liberal party.

Question In Doubt.

Ottawa Free Press.

They are taking their politics seriously in Winnipeg just now. And, judging from the newspaper despatchs, one wonders whether "Bob" Rogers or the Galicians are getting the worst of the game.

Want Of The Hour.

Toronto Star.

Cobalt men complain that what they need is more railways. And when the railways are built they will look away and away to where the rails meet against the sky-line, and wonder why the trains don't bring more suckers from Toronto.

THE DEAD STOCK

Will Be in Hands of People, Not Booksellers.

London Advertiser.

One of his pre-election promises which Mr. Whitney has the assurance to claim has been carried out by the government is that of cheaper school books. In his Hamilton speech the premier was so bold as to declare that the government had been instrumental in bringing down the price of a set of school books from $1.30 to 49 cents. No one knew better than Mr. Whitney himself that the reduction applies only to a lot of books which in a short time will be obsolete.

Were the premier as straightforward as he is bold he would have told his auditors that the publishers, whose contract expires at the end of the present year, in view of the fact that the government has ordered the preparation of a new set of books are selling off the stock of readers on hand at cut prices in order to clear them out and avoid the greater loss which would be entailed in having dead stock left on their hands, and that in a few months, when the new books appear, it will be the public that will have on its hands the dead stock. More than that, if he were candid he would have explained that the cost of the new books, which the pupils will be required to have, will be as great as, if not greater than, the original price of the old ones. So far as the public is concerned, the government's juggling with the school books instead of effecting a saving of money can only result in extra expense.

TRUST THE PEOPLE.

Slogan of Liberal Party—MacKay on Gerrymander.

Toronto Globe.

We can't even afford to trust old tory Toronto this time, says the government. One man, one vote; one constituency, one representative may be all right for the rest of the province, but in Toronto we must so manipulate the constituencies as to make certain that we defeat, if possible, all labor candidates, all independents, and all liberals, and give the Albany Club the sole right to elect eight representatives for Toronto. Thus, with the members of the cabinet living in Toronto and eight nominees of the Albany Club with them on the floor of the house, the club of the Albany Club will reach the remotest corner of the province. Whether the people of the towns and of the townships will sit quiet to be whacked by this club remains to be seen. It is encouraging, however, to find the independent conservatives of Toronto refusing to be thus gagged, and they are, therefore, placing independent candidates in the field. "Trust the People" should ever be the slogan of the great liberal party.

A Sudden Somersault.

Hamilton Times.

What is the matter with the Toronto World? It is now wholesouledly apologizing for every political action of Whitney. He is simply an angel, sans wings, and perhaps the Maclean may still discover these rudimentary organs beginning to sprout with this improving weather. What magic has effected this change since the World, in condemning the infamous La Rose deal, declared:

"The payment of $130,000 to the La Rose Mining company is regarded in many quarters as too bad to explain to the country and sufficient to sully the virtue of the most upright politician even had it not been left till the eleventh hour."

Scoring The Opposition.

Ottawa Journal.

The opposition, if it were able to show that it has exhausted all means of agreement with the government upon a basis for fair fighting, might be excused for blocking all the business of parliament, but the country would have better ground for gratification if the deadlock had followed difference on a matter of large national policy rather than upon calculation of party chances in some twenty odd ridings.

Great On Taxation.

Hamilton Times.

At Simcoe, the other day, Whitney boasted that he had returned to the people $968,000 more than any other government had done in a single year. Of the other side of the matter, that he had taken from the people over $2,500,000 more than had ever been taken by any provincial government in a single year, he said nothing!

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WHAT OF THE SURPLUS?

The Revenue Provided By Ross Government.

Brantford Spectator.

The Whitney government claimed for 1907 a surplus of $605,173.

Let us apply to this claim the line of argument made by the present provincial treasurer when in opposition.

In raising the question of whether certain revenues ought to be placed under capital or current account, the Mail and Empire of February 10th, 1904, quotes Mr. Matheson as follows:

"The receipts for 1904 were $5,466,000, and the expenditure, $4,800,000. Deducting the proceeds of the timber sales and the return of the drainage debentures an ordinary revenue remained of only $4,109,000."

If Mr. Matheson were to apply his own style of book-keeping to the public accounts of last year he would be compelled to announce not a surplus, but a deficit of upwards of $800,000. The following items are, according to his former argument, capital receipts: Sales of crown lands, $1,254,303; timber bonuses, $152,223; drainage debentures, $18,225; in all, $1,424,751. Deduct these from total receipts of $8,320,419, and we have a current revenue of $6,905,668, and a current expenditure of $7,714,245, or an absolute deficit for the year 1907 of $808,577.

Then deduct from the revenues the sources of income, the introduction of which the conservatives opposed while sitting to the left of the speaker and we increase the deficit by more than a million and a half of dollars, the items being as follows:

Succession duties	$821,692
Taxes on corporations	672,241
Brewers' and distillers' licenses	75,000
	$1,768,933

Then, again, in 1904, the total receipts from mining were but $27,000. Last year the total mining receipts were $1,690,340. This is due to the opening of the Cobalt region, for which the present government deserves no credit, and which, in all fairness, along with an increased grant of $400,000, should be left out of account in considering the financial achievements of the men now in power.

In short, the more the boasted surplus is investigated the more apparent is it made that Mr. Matheson has reaped where he has not sown.

TORONTO UNIVERSITY.

Liberal Party's Policy Respecting It—Budget Needed.

Mr. MacKay in Globe.

Liberals maintain that the people's representatives should be trusted to annually vote sufficient supply for our provincial university; that estimates should annually be brought down and passed, as is the practice with reference to all other public institutions. Thus the legislature, and through the press the people of the province, who own and support the university, could and would get a more intelligent understanding and knowledge of the work done, and thus with increasing knowledge would come increasing public interest. Knowledge begets confidence; ignorance breeds distrust and suspicion. It is passing strange that our great provincial university should, as to its financial support, be placed so as to depend not upon the will of intelligent representatives of the people, but upon the size of the estates of the dead. Trust the living people, say the liberals. "No," says Mr. Whitney, "we will not. We will not allow an annual vote to be taken, and he who advocates this we openly denounce as an enemy of the university!" Thus does he hope to build up a great national university, broad-based upon the will of a people who are not allowed to exercise their will!

A familiar figure in Brockville for many years was Peter Lewis, who will be seen no more. Sunday morning he passed away at his residence, after an illness extending over the last five weeks, caused by an affection of the heart. He was aged seventy.

Mrs. John McAdam, Belleville, died, Sunday, after a brief illness. On Friday deceased was taken ill and was taken to the hospital, where she passed away. Brain trouble was the cause. Mrs. McAdam was born in Ireland seventy-four years ago.

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