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**A STUDY IN CIVICS.**

City government by commission is a coming issue. It is very properly being studied upon its merits. Only those who are following it up are at all-conscious of the hold the commission idea is having upon the people. Not commissions for managing railroads, or electric and power plants, or public utilities generally, but commissions having to do with the entire government of cities.

As it was pointed out by one at a meeting last evening, it is not a new idea. Centuries ago it had a practical application in the borough life of England. It had its application in the earlier government of communities in America. Out of it the municipal system in many places has appeared. The tendency for many years was towards

**THE UNHOLY ALLIANCE.**

The resolution of the honourable leader of the opposition, and calling attention to the peculiar composition of the government—a government composed of men who prior to the election denounced each other—is leading to some remarkable revelations.

Sir Wilfrid, in his criticism of the address, said there were three members of the government, perhaps four, who were singularly out of place, and the blessing of Hon. Mr. Chamberlain, called to Hon. Mr. Borden, would be as distasteful to them "as the sprinkling of holy water upon the head of Satan." Some one had gone back on his word. Who? The premier, who had been repudiated by the nationalists, or the man (Monk) who, from the seat of the first lieutenant, had taken a back seat and refused to consort with the conservative leader?

Here was a coalition government beyond a doubt. Some one had changed his mind, his views, his attitude. Who was it? The minister of public works made an awful exhibition of himself in his personal defence. He did not deny that he

**THE HEALTH OF CHILDREN.**

The Board of Education is getting reports from the school nurse, and the reports thus far seem to furnish abundant evidence that the health of the children requires to be looked after. The board is doing everything in its power to facilitate the work of the nurse, and both board and nurse are being ably assisted by the local physicians, who are giving the city teachers lectures and practical demonstrations on defective or diseased children.

Their demonstrations consume a good deal of the physician's time. He has to visit homes or schools and pick out typical cases of illness or defect, and then he has to meet the teachers and discuss these defects. All of which consumption of time could have been avoided if the teachers had been properly trained in our Normal schools and faculties of education. But they are not being trained to-day to assist in making a simple physical and mental examination of school children. The Normal schools, however, are doing better work in this respect than the faculties of education.

The former devote about thirty lectures to physiology and hygiene, so that a relatively good training is imparted on these subjects; but in

**EDITORIAL NOTES.**

The man least heard of in the election is Hon. James Duff, commissioner of agriculture. main duty is to hold an office and be still. He is not doing anything for the farmers of Ontario.

Quehup rates on the question of remitting the public utilities to a commission. But this is not government of the city by commission. The two ideas should not be mixed or confounded.

Sir James Whitney says French is to be tolerated in the bi-lingual schools until the pupils can speak English. But what about the schools—and there are many of them—in which French is given the preference, and the inspectors unduly favour it?

Dr. Bentlie Nesbitt is reported to be some place in the west, and nego-

**RUN BY COMMISSION**

**FIVE MEN TO CARRY ON CIVIC GOVERNMENT.**

Robert Meek Related the Development of the System—Discussed at the Y.M.C.A. Last Night.

After an excellent high tea, served by the ladies of the Y.M.C.A., the young men's class of thirty or more listened to a splendid exposition on "Civic Government by Commission," from Robert Meek, who has given much time to its study and investigation. He gave the origin of the plan, British in character, and of its spread over the world, many cities in the United States lately taking it up. Really the plan is that business principles must prevail in civic government just as in the conduct of any other concern. Usually five commissioners are appointed, in the larger cities, giving all their time to it; in the smaller cities part of their time. They are paid for their services and business is promptly attended to; there is no delay in the handling of business. Mr. Meek said that "dilly-dallying was out of the question," that "frequently franchises have been granted in two days—that usually would run from six to eight months in a council to find a successful issue. Mr. Meek spoke about the initiative, the referendum, and the recall, showing the benefits of each. The recall means that on a petition of a quarter of the ratepayers, the action of the mayor, or of any of the commissioners, can be brought up and an election held to decide the people's attitude as to the conduct of the party attacked.

Mr. Meek presented the favorable points of the commission scheme as well as the objections. In summing up he declared himself in favor of the scheme and thought that the city council of Kingston should have the matter brought before it and a special committee appointed to look into the details.

The young men appeared to be much interested and when the opportunity came for asking questions were very prompt and pertinent; a quarter of an hour was spent in questioning and answers.

Ald. Elliott, one of the invited guests, offered various objections to the plan, but was favorable to the public being educated along the lines suggested by Mr. Meek. He, however, could not see that the government by commission was very much superior to the present mode of conducting public affairs.

Ald. Carson also spoke and his chief point was that a property owners' association was very much needed to take part in the administration of civic matters.

In closing, Mr. Meek intimated that his address was solely for the purpose of opening up the question, that there would be lots of opportunity for consideration and discussion and action if deemed wise.

During the evening songs were heartily rendered by the company and a pleasant hour and a half spent.

**THE WHIG'S PUZZLE.**

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