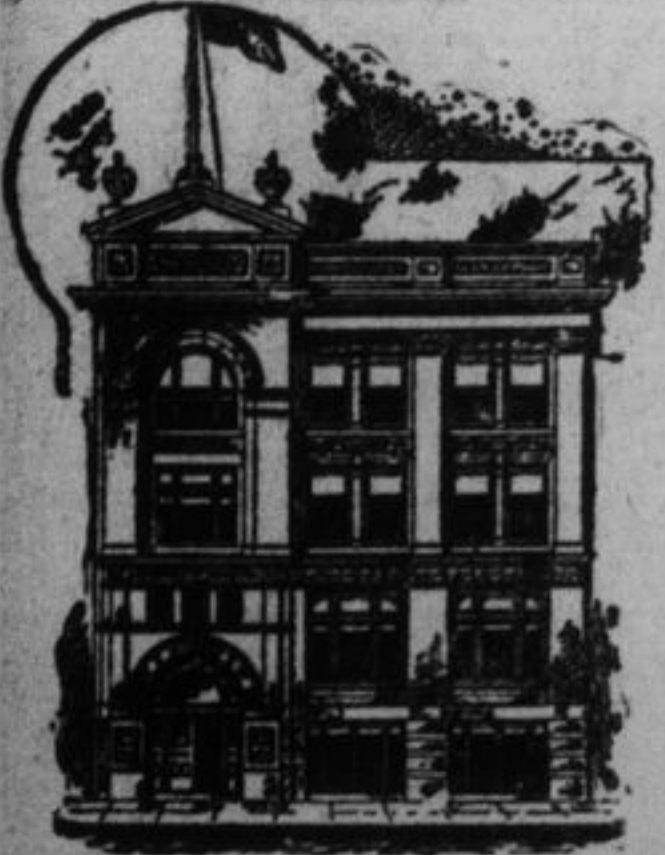


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People who long for money should take a look at Europe.

Another eternal triangle consists of hooch, fliver and coroner.

Culture doesn't guarantee success. Many a polished man has a dull finish.

What has become of the old-fashioned war that did the victor some good?

Most of the white man's burden is occasioned by the folly and greed of other white men.

Backbone won't get you far, however, if the knot on the upper end of it is solid bone.

All the pedestrians ask is a little more co-operation between horse-gower and horse sense.

Philosophy: The art that enables a poor man to find satisfaction in the knowledge that Dives is in hell.

Too many people think that hospitality consists in forever nagging a guests to make them have a good time.

If it's wrong to covet your neighbor's ass, it is equally wrong to covet the hooch he uses to make an ass of himself.

Well, if the treaties are ratified by the United States senate, it will be another example of the triumph of mind over matter.

Apparently the great need in movies is something that will give parents a pleasurable shock without corrupting the children.

A writer says much of our progress results from a sense of humor. So that's what persuaded people to use rugs on a polished floor.

When you tell your wife that she is getting prettier every day, St. Peter doubtless chuckles kindly and forgets to charge the lie against you.

The get-rich-quick shark who promises high interest doesn't agree with his victims when they can't get their money back—even in principal.

TELLING THE PUBLIC.

Nearly always if the public is informed it is fair. Its tendency is toward fairness, and it appreciates the efforts of those who, instead of trying to conceal business in which the public is interested, come right out and tell the truth about it.

The more the public knows about a legitimate business, the more likely it is that its business with the public will be conducted smoothly.

LIBERAL REORGANIZATION. The first important step in the reorganization of the Liberal Party in Ontario will be taken at the provincial convention which opens in Toronto on March 1st when a party leader will be chosen.

The man most likely to receive the endorsement of the convention as leader is F. Wellington Hay, M.P.P., the present temporary leader in the legislature who, in his recent speech at the opening of the present session of the legislature showed not only exceptional ability, but also a most sound grasp of all matters affecting the province of Ontario to-day, qualities that mark him for the position of leadership of the party.

The new leader is faced with the task of rebuilding the Liberal party on the foundations so well laid by the statesmen who achieved great things, who ennobled public life in Canada, and whose integrity and honor add luster to the pages of Canadian history.

The people of Canada are to-day looking to the Liberal party for constructive administration in public affairs, and this was abundantly shown in the provincial election of 1919 when nearly half of the entire vote of 1,153,567 cast was Liberal, and in the late dominion elections when the Liberals swept the country.

Had the Liberal party been returned to power in 1911, it is safe to assume that there would never have been U.F.O. and Progressive parties in Canada to-day. Our political history during the past twenty-five years shows that Conservative governments caused the farmers to organize, for a Conservative defeat invariably found the farmers' political agitation subsided.

From 1890 to 1896, under Conservative rule, the farmers organized thousands of Patrons of Industry lodges and disturbed political conditions generally. These were allayed by the splendid legislation and confidence inspired by the Liberals under Sir Wilfrid Laurier from 1896 to 1911.

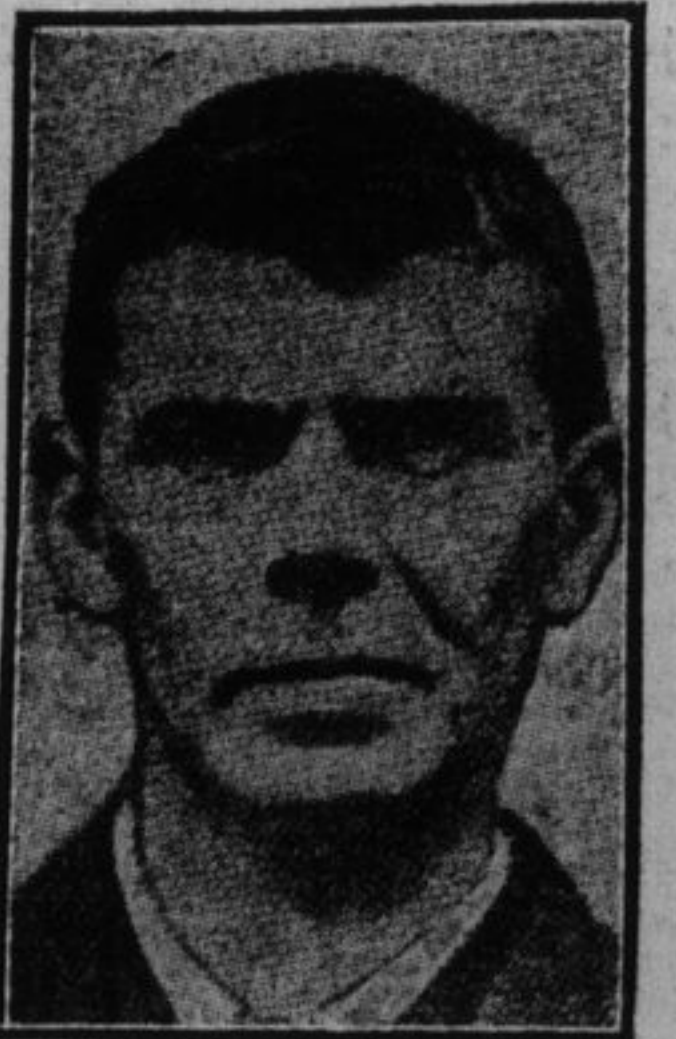
Conservative party rule breeds discontent. It was so in the federal field under Sir J. A. Macdonald in the nineteenth century and under Sir Robert Borden and Right Hon. Arthur Meighen in the twentieth century, as well as under the provincial government of Ontario from 1905 to 1919.

In 1894 the Patrons of Industry elected seventeen members to the Ontario Legislature, and in 1896 they elected three to the House of Commons. In the provincial election of 1898 they did not elect a single representative, and then ended the political movement until after the Conservatives came into power under Sir Robert Borden in 1911 when Conservative rule at Ottawa and Toronto gave a new impetus to the agrarian movement which resulted so disastrously to Sir William Hearst in 1919, and the Meighen government in December, 1921, when the Conservatives were completely eliminated west of the great lakes and east of the Ottawa river.

But though the country has suffered from Conservative rule and the people grow exasperated, and many were driven to class organization, the triumph of Liberalism saved us from a state of political chaos. The sound elements in the country voted for Liberal candidates, while the farmer organizations completed the overthrow of the Conservatives.

The relationship of parties in both the provincial and federal fields calls for the most thorough organization of the Liberal party. It must make a new beginning in this province and endeavor to obtain once more the leadership of all the progressive forces that should be united for constitutional development. The party

has a great federal leader in Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, and Mr. F. Wellington Hay gives promise of a brilliant future in Ontario.



PROF. C. R. FAY. Of Toronto University's Department of Political Science, who has come from Cambridge with a brilliant record in many roles.

Walt Mason THE POET PHILOSOPHER

Ancient Aches. There are so many ways of curing the aches that torture bone and thow, it does seem strange we are enduring the same old pains our fathers knew.

On our main street the signs are swinging, the signs of healers by the score, who'll start our dismal hearts a-singing, if we'll dig up five bones or four. By every mail I get a letter from one practitioner or two, who'd free me from the gout or tetter, the rheumatism or the flu. And all these healers I have trusted, I've paid them money by the yard; I've had my ancient spine adjusted and I've bled in rancid lard; I've taken pellets green and yellow, I've taken tablets flat and square, and, guided by some healing fellow, consumed a horse's bill of fare. I've taken brown and brindled bitters, and pills that taste like toilet soap; for he must rank with tin-horn quitters who doesn't sample every dope. And yet with all my ceaseless taking I'm where I was long years ago; and as my grand-sire's bones were aching, so my old bones much anguish know. I read how Science knocks disease, and wipes out human aches and stings; I also read some other wheezes concerning jigs that fly with wings. The Science tales are most alluring, but while I read them in my lair, I wonder why we're still enduring rheumatics, mumps and falling hair. —WALT MASON.



R. W. HEWITSON, OF TORONTO. Who has been elected secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Rugby Union.

Our Canadian Question And Answer Corner

Q.—Who and what are "The I.O.D.E."?

A.—I.O.D.E. stands for "The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire," with "The Children of the Empire," as the junior organization.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY

RETURN TO THE LORD:—Let the wicked forsake his way, and let the unrighteousness man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him: and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.—Isaiah 55: 7.

ALONG LIFE'S DETOUR BY SAM HILL

Literary Taste. Of books there is no end, they say. But of all books, my boy, the pocketbook you'll always find, the one you'll most enjoy.

Observation of Oldest Inhabitant. The old-timers who used to get an eyeful of shapely lower extremities in the papers at the barber shop, never thought the day would come when they could see even better sights on the streets of their own town.

Firms is Firms. Prop & Prop have a garage at Marjion, Kan.

Oh, Shame on You, Girls. "Pa, what is this single standard they talk about?" asked Clarence. "It's the women's demand they be given the same privilege of making fools of themselves as men enjoy, my son," replied his Dad.

Has His Ups and Downs. Each day she calls him up, she'll talk of hats or a new gown. Which makes him mad as hops. And then she always calls him down.

Been Trying 'Em Out, Jack? (Jack Warwick in Toledo Blade) A lot of men can't see much difference between the wedding march and the funeral march.—Sam Hill, Cincinnati Enquirer.

Tramp Was 1922 Model. "I suppose you are going to give me the same old song and dance about having a wife and six children who are starving at home," said the sarcastic housewife.

That's Another Matter, Gray Matter, in Fact. Says a news item, "A man's brain attains its maximum weight at the age of 20 years." But it takes at least another 20 years before he begins to have much sense.

Post Questions. Z. M. asks, "Will they be able to catch the rumors flying through the air with the new radio phones?"

Oh, Mercy! The farmer boy may love the pigs and chickens on the farm. But on the city streets in calves he finds the greatest charm.

Hair Cut Cheaper Than Buying a Violin? (McCreary County Record) Charlie Porter got a hair cut Tuesday morning.

Some Thing, She Was It. "You say he lost his mind?" "No, I said 'his wife died.'"

That Kind Always Has Room For Improvement. (Canton (Ohio) News) When you are standing up for your rights be sure you keep off the other fellow's corns.—Sam Hill. The person who insists on standing up for his rights usually requires a lot of room.

A Harder Job. "It says here Sir Christopher Wren designed 50 churches," remarked the Deacon's wife.

"Huh! What I would like to find is a preacher able to fill just one of them," growled the Deacon.

Tough Luck. "Alas, I'm never through." "Although I work from sun to sun," The bill collector groaned. "And yet my work is always done."

Daily Sentence Sermon. You never make headways by always backing down.

News of the Names Club. Volstead or no Volstead, you'll find there always Will B. Beer in Salt Lake City.

But They Can't Start Them. Jinks—I see an Eastern town has women in its fire department. Plinks—Good idea. A woman can always put out a fire every time she tries to fix it.

News From Picton. Picton, Feb. 25.—B., Kingston's house on Burn's avenue has recently been purchased by W. Jerex. Mr. and Mrs. Portie are visiting their daughter in Ottawa. Sim McCoy has been called to attend the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. C. McCoy, who was past ninety-five years of age. Mrs. McCoy lived with her daughter near Napanee. Ernest Case was a Conseccon visitor on Monday. Rev. F. Louis Barber, St. Mary Magdalen, has been to Conseccon as mis-

sloner last Friday and Sunday following. He also preached at St. Alban's, Ameliasburg, on Sunday afternoon, and gave very helpful addresses.

When a wood block, rubber covered pavement on a busy London street was taken up after eight years of use it was found that the greatest wear was on the under side of the rubber.



LATE LORD HARCOURT. Over whose death an inquest is to be held in London. It is declared he took his life by poison to escape a scandal.

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