

Under Liberal Rule.

"THEY HAVE PROVED THEIR FAITH IN THEIR HERITAGE BY MORE THAN THE WORD OF MOUTH."

Under Liberal rule the seven years record from 1896 has been marked by a degree of progress and prosperity never before known in Canada.

Under Liberal rule a greater degree of progress has prevailed in seven years than during the previous eighteen years of Conservative Government.

Under Liberal rule the basic principles of responsible Government have been regarded.

Under Liberal rule the farmers have been more prosperous, successful and contented than they ever were before.

Under Liberal rule the manufacturers are busier and more prosperous than ever before.

Under Liberal rule workmen are more in demand and getting better wages than they ever got before.

Under Liberal rule the great Empire of the West has been opened up as never before.

Under Liberal rule the departmental administration has been conducted on business lines.

Under Liberal rule the transportation problem of Canada has received special consideration.

Under Liberal rule the finances of the country have been ably and economically handled.

Under Liberal rule deficits have been turned into surpluses.

Under Liberal rule a trade preference has been given to the Mother Country.

Under Liberal rule taxation has been kept relatively low.

Under Liberal rule scarcely anything has been added to the public debt.

Under Liberal rule tariff reform has greatly contributed to the prosperity of the country.

Under Liberal rule the revenue of Canada has increased by leaps and bounds.

Under Liberal rule the Banks have greatly increased their business.

Under Liberal rule railway construction has been most active.

Under Liberal rule the Post Office Department has been reformed and last year showed a surplus of \$304,771 as compared with a deficit of \$781,152 in 1896.

Under Liberal rule the Customs Department has been re-organized.

Under Liberal rule Canada has bulked more largely in the eyes of the Empire and the world than at any previous time in her history.

Under Liberal rule Canada has come to her own as never before.

Under Liberal rule the National Transcontinental Railway has been started.

Under Liberal rule we have a united Canada from ocean to ocean.

POLITICAL POINTERS.

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SUNBURY-QUEENS.

Nomination Day Proceedings.

Speech by the Liberal Candidate.

Dr. Hay, the Liberal candidate in Sunbury-Queens, was given a splendid reception at Gagetown on Thursday; and spoke at some length. He said:

I have to thank you for your hearty and unanimous nomination which you have given me as a candidate in the great counties of Sunbury and Queens in the support of the government of the day.

Of my shortcomings I am fully aware, and think you might have got someone who would have filled the position more ably and better than I can possibly do; but, having been nominated, and having accepted the nomination, I can promise you that so far as in me lies, I will with all my strength and energy devote myself to your interests and to the welfare of the counties of Sunbury and Queens.

I regret that recent bereavement has placed me in such a position that I am not able to do as much as I could have hoped in this campaign, and my enforced absence from the county has caused a disarrangement of our plans and the work we had arranged for; but now I am here and hope to visit as much of the county as possible in the short time at my disposal.

I believe in short speeches and action. In politics nowadays we have too many speeches, too many words and too little performance. I simply want to impress upon you the marvellous expansion of Canada in the last seven years and the comparison of the prosperity and progress of this country under the rule of the conservatives with the liberal administration of that period.

Further than that, there is the interest taken in it by the Minister of Railways, who is himself a Sunbury boy, with regard to the alternate routes being surveyed for the national transcontinental railway through New Brunswick. Which ever survey is found to be the best, we have the assurance it will be provided and we all know that wherever railways go the country is opened up, property becomes more valuable and the conveniences of life are increased and prosperity follows, and by other routes the highways may be built through the counties of Sunbury and Queens.

I do not intend to say anything against my opponent in this contest. He is well known to you all, but I only want to throw out this hint to you that, being in opposition, no matter how much he might want to do for the county, he can do nothing, his hands are tied. Whereas, if you have a supporter of the government, he can do more for the county than anyone possibly can in opposition.

The only ministers that have ever been connected with Sunbury county have been liberals. The late Hon. Isaac Burpee was a Sunbury boy, who was in the liberal government. Hon. Mr. Blair was in the liberal government and he was a representative of the county of Sunbury. Hon. Mr. Emmerson is a native of Sunbury—born right across the river here in Manguerville, and he, too, is in the liberal government. It seems to me that it is to the liberal government this county has to look.

Now I am not going to say anything more, except this: I want you all to work together and to do everything in your power and see that on the 3rd November a supporter of the liberal government is put into power, and that Sunbury and Queens take the place they ought in the county of the country.

Before I sit down, there is just one matter I want to take up, one canvass, one barnyard canvass that has been made against me through the county, and that canvass was that put the county of Queens to a great deal of unnecessary expense in connection with the smallpox epidemic. I want to tell you that smallpox in Queens was stamped out by me. I gave up my private practice in order to do it, and by arrangement with the county board of health, which arrangement was settled at a formal meeting of the board of health of the county, and the minutes of that meeting I shall read to you. (Dr. Hay then read the minutes of the meeting of the county board of health.) I agreed to take hold of these cases for two days without any charge to the county until they could secure a doctor to devote his whole time to the matter. They could not get a doctor in Fredericton, they scoured the whole county of York, to do it for anything less than \$25 a day. I then took hold, at the rate of \$15 per day, looked after all the patients and stamped the disease out of the county and the total cost to the county was \$1,405. To do this I gave up my private practice, which was then worth \$27 per day. It cost the county of York some \$3,000, Kent \$7,000 and other counties large sums, but in this county we succeeded in doing it for \$1,405. Dr. Hay then went on and told how in stamping out the disease it secured a footing in his own family, and in taking his case, he was loudly cheered by the tremendous audience, which completely filled the court house and overflowed the ante rooms and halls.

OPERA HOUSE.

"A rose by any other name would smell as sweet," is no more true than that "The Mummy and the Humming Bird," no matter what it were called, would be just as great a play; yet somehow one cannot think of a better name than "rose" for the favorite flower of many, and just as appropriate is the title, "The Mummy and the Humming Bird," for the most successful comedy of the day. In this connection it is a remarkable fact that, although few plays are ever presented without many suggestions of better titles being made, yet Manager Jules Murry, who will bring "The Mummy and the Humming Bird" to the Opera House, Friday night, Nov. 4, and Saturday matinee, only has still to receive the first intimation that anyone who has ever seen this play has even thought of giving it another name. Mr. W. A. Whitecar will play the leading part of Lord Learley.

Boston Globe: We hear fabulous stories of the age and size of men in prehistoric times. So thoroughly are these old stories of the ancient giants impressed upon the people that the French government has instituted a searching inquiry conducted by the eminent scientist, Mr. Dastre, to ascertain the exact truth. He reports that the average height of man has continued the same for thousands of years, as shown in primitive, prehistoric and historic man. The great size of ancient man is purely imaginary.

Ocean Steamers.

MANCHESTER LINERS.

Table with columns: From, To, Date. Includes routes to Manchester, Liverpool, London, etc.

FURNESS LINE.

ST. JOHN AND LONDON.

Table with columns: Leave, To, Date. Includes routes to London, Halifax, etc.

South Shore Line.

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PICKFORD & BLACK LINE.

Bermuda, West Indies, Demerara.

(Carrying the Canadian Mails.) Arrive St. John Oct. 28, 29, 30, 31, Nov. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jan. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Feb. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Mar. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Apr. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, May 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jun. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jul. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Aug. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Sep. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Oct. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Nov. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Dec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jan. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Feb. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Mar. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Apr. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, May 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jun. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jul. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Aug. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Sep. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Oct. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Nov. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Dec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jan. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Feb. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Mar. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Apr. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, May 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jun. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jul. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Aug. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Sep. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Oct. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Nov. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Dec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Jan. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Feb. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Mar. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10