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HOW MATTERS LOOK AT THE CAPITAL.

NOBODY KNOWS WHAT WILL BE THE RESULT OF THE ELECTION.

Sir Charles is the hope of the Tories.— Liberals United in Support of Laurier.— A Fight Which will be to the Finish Between the two Parties.

OTTAWA, Jan. 28th.—To say that excitement prevails here is putting it mildly. It is felt that an election will be on soon and that the result may lead to a complete change. It is undoubtedly true that the liberals are more full of hope than they have ever been before. They are well organized and seem quite devoted to their leader. It is possible that Sir Richard may have caused them some embarrassment by his caustic allusions to the boodling propensities of the people of Nova Scotia; but Sir Richard is pretty well understood. The conservatives are all pretty cocky, looking to Sir Chas. Tupper as the man who will reorganize them, and lead them to victory. There is an undoubted feeling of distrust in the old party. For years past they have always gone into the fight with the skill of Sir John Macdonald as leader. Fighting without him is like the French fighting without Napoleon. The general feeling is that the election is anybody's victory.

The Late John C. Winslow.

The death of John C. Winslow Post Master at Woodstock was not unexpected. From the time that he was taken seriously ill, at the beginning of the New Year, until it was told that he was no more, few people had hope that he would recover, and when after reviving somewhat for a day, he sank again into unconsciousness, the public recognized more keenly than before that a fatal termination of his illness must result. He passed away early last Wednesday morning. To say that he will be missed in the community, is but proclaiming what is on everybody's lips. Mr. Winslow was a man of sterling principle and of high honor. He was kind and charitable to a degree, and no one ever appealed to him in vain for assistance. While well ad-



vanced in years he preserved much of his youthful manner, and among those who mourn most sincerely are a number of his friends, much younger than he was at the time of his death. Mr. Winslow was born in Fredericton on the 24th of May 1826, and is the second son of the late J. F. W. Winslow, Esq., for many years Sheriff of the County of Carleton. Mr. Winslow studied law at Fredericton in the office of D. S. Kerr. He came to Woodstock and formed a partnership in law with the late Edwin Jacob. Afterwards he was in partnership with the late James Edgar, and still later with W. B. Chandler. In 1872 he was appointed post master. He was also registrar of probates, succeeding the late D. L. Dibblee. In earlier days Mr. Winslow was very prominent in social affairs. He was at one time lieutenant in the artillery corps of which Jas. Edgar was captain. He was also prominent in Masonic circles. He had experience as a newspaper man, being proprietor of a paper called "The Acadian" of which Jas. Edgar was editor. In 1859 Mr. Winslow married Charlotte L. O'Donnell a daughter of Samuel O'Donnell of Amherst, N. S., deputy crown land surveyor of the County of Cumberland, N. S. Mr. Winslow leaves a widow and four children, J. N. W. Winslow of Woodstock, Mrs. Robert, Mrs. Sjustedt and an unmarried daughter, Pauline. The funeral on Friday was largely attended. Among the floral offerings were a cross from Mrs. J. C. Winslow, the widow, made up of white roses, hyacinths, fuchsias, smilax, carnations, maiden hair ferns and narcissus, azaleas. From Miss Pauline Winslow, pink carnations, hyacinths, smilax and asparagus.

cross. From J. N. W. and Mrs. Winslow, cream roses, white azaleas, hyacinths, lily of the valley, white carnations, calla lilies and purple violet; Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bostwick, cream roses, fuchsias, white azaleas, smilax, purple and white hyacinths. Miss Wetmore, Mrs. Nevers, (Houlton) and Miss Wateral (Philadelphia) cream roses, lillies, fuchsias, smilax, azaleas and carnations; Lt. Gov. and Mrs. Fraser, a cross of pink roses, fuchsias, cream roses, carnations, calla lillies, ferns, etc; the Misses Connell a basket of calla lillies, heliotrope, roses and ferns; Inspector King, cut flowers, pink roses, narcissus, fuchsias, ferns and smilax; Mrs. Robert, pillow of white carnations, roses, lillies of the valley, pink carnations, calla lillies, ferns, smilax, azaleas and fuchsias; Mrs. Sjustedt, anchor of cream roses, white carnations, azaleas, fuchsias, lillies of the valley, narcissus, maiden hair ferns, smilax, asparagus; from Mr. Winslow's brothers, pink roses, white carnations, lily of the valley, fuchsias, narcissus, ferns and calla lillies; Mrs. Jas. Jordan, cross of evergreen; bouquet of cut flowers from Douglas Winslow beautifully made up of pink carnations, pink roses, calla lillies, hyacinths, fuchsias, smilax, cream roses; Miss Lottie Sjustedt, yellow roses, pink carnations, fuchsias, narcissus, smilax, etc. Mr. Alex. Henderson, sheaf of ripened grain.

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral were Inspector King, Mr. Alfred Street, Fredericton, Mr. A. R. Wetmore, Fredericton.

The remains were conveyed from the home to St. Lukes church. The first part of the service was said by Archdeacon Nesles, the hymns "My God my Father, While I Stray," and "Abide With me," being sung.

Odd Fellows Ball.

The ball in Graham's Opera House last night, given by the Independent Order of Odd fellows, was a grand affair and an enjoyable one to all except the people who were foolish enough to stay at home, and to them it will always be a matter of regret. The room was a vision of bunting, and chinese lanterns. The electric shed its light on pretty girls, rich dresses, fine uniforms, and good dancers. In front of the balcony the flags of Great Britain and the United States were gracefully draped and they were joined together by the three links of the Odd Fellows order, indicative of Friendship, Love and Truth. The charters of Carleton Lodge, No. 41 and Meductic Encampment No. 8 were on the walls. Robinson's Orchestra poured forth some fine music from the stage. The committee of management, J. S. Leighton, Jr., J. H. Wilbur, Jr., John Williamson, John McKenzie, Albert Fields, Geo. Lee, John Burpee, Dr. Hand, Robt. Kennedy and Charles C. Comben had done all things essential and necessary to the production of a good time, and the good time was produced. Col. Dibblee was floor manager, assisted by Grenville James, American Consul. The dining rooms were on the second floor, presided over by John Williamson, whose very acceptable catering on this occasion was a fine advertisement of his restaurant on Main street.

About 700 invitations had been issued, and besides Woodstockers, they drew into the festivities ladies and gentlemen from St. John, St. Stephen, Fort Fairfield, Caribou, Presque Isle and Houlton. The Grand March and Circle was led by staff captain C. A. Fox of Houlton, wearing the beautiful uniform of his office, and just following him were other Odd Fellows in uniform. Taking it all in all, it was a pleasant social affair, and I hope I'll look upon its like again.

Discriminating Against Canadians.

About a dozen bills have been introduced in Congress for the purpose of restricting immigration into the United States. The venom of most of them seems to be directed against this country. The bill introduced by Representative Corliss, for instance, will exclude British subjects, residents of the Dominion of Canada, from coming into the United States during the summer months and engaging in the mechanical trades and labor. Mr. Corliss says a large number of brick masons, carpenters, plasterers and laborers annually come into Detroit and other cities of the United States from their permanent homes in Canada, and compete with American citizens during the season best adapted for such labor, and at the end of the season return to their Canadian homes with the fruit of their labors. The bill bars out blind persons and cripples disqualified from earning a livelihood unless it is shown that such persons are not likely to become public charges; all persons over 15 years of age who cannot read any language, and Canadians coming to the United States temporarily for the purpose of engaging in a mechanical trade or manual labor with no intention of becoming permanent residents or citizens.— Toronto World.

A Liberal Elected.

Charlevoix has elected a liberal, with the good majority of 300. The new member's name is Auge.

THE COUNCIL SETTLES QUESTION OF TIME.

THE GOVERNMENT IS ASKED TO TURN THE HANDS BACK.

A Vigorous Meeting of the Town Council. They Decide that the Glidden Matter Must be Settled.—"Local Time" will be Adopted for the Future.

The mayor and all six councillors took seats around the board on Monday night and got to work. After some constables had been appointed the all absorbing question of the time came up. Coun. Leighton presented a petition signed by 251 ratepayers asking that the council change the town clock to local time. Coun. Leighton then moved seconded by Coun. Gallagher that the government be asked to move the hands of the clock forward from standard to local.

Coun. R. B. Jones rode into the list in defence of standard, and he said all that could be said in its favour. He at least asked that the vote on it be deferred to the next meeting.

Coun. A. E. Jones rose in defence of local and bold and vigorous was his defence thereof. "Local time is what we want. Standard is good enough for railroads, but we have no use for it. It is an advantage to travelling men, but we don't intend to cater to such people. Men have sworn so much about the change that they have spoiled their chances of a heavenly home. Why, your worship, a fellow can't tell the time of day. He can't get to a funeral at the right time."

Coun. Leighton said there were many names on the petition of men who had worked toward the adoption of standard and were now sick of it.

Coun. Gallagher would also vote for local. He had favoured standard last year because he thought everyone wanted it, now, he saw how unpopular it was, and thought the public had a right to have their wishes complied with.

Coun. Leightons motion was carried amid the applause of the citizens present.

Coun. Leighton for the committee on the Glidden case, reported that the town could settle the matter by paying \$1000. Coun. Leighton then moved, seconded by Coun. Churchill, that Mr. Appleby be requested to take no further step in the matter and that \$1000 be given Mrs. Glidden for her claim.

Coun. R. B. Jones said he couldn't consent to settle the matter. This was not a fight for a few dollars, nor yet a fight against a woman, but it was an effort on the part of the town to learn what rights they had in the way of placing and protecting their hydrants. The Supreme Court of the Province had divided two to three on the case, and one of the three had some hesitation in deciding against the town. The biggest ratepayers in town wanted the case fought, and he would give his vote for fighting it out.

Coun. Gallagher favored a settlement. Coun. Grant hadn't changed his opinion on the case from the very first. It was miserable business for the town to be fighting a poor woman. It had been said of him that he had been bought over to favor a settlement, but he referred anyone who thought so to late Coun. Carr who knew what his opinion had been from the first.

Coun. A. E. Jones didn't want to fight a woman. If the town wanted to make a test case they had better practise on a man.

In putting the question the mayor asked those favoring it to stand.

Coun. Leighton objected to this. The mayor had no right to divide the house without first taking the yeas and nays.

His worship got the clerk to look up the rules of order and he decided that he had a right to divide. The motion was carried five to one. The mayor was slightly wrath with Coun. Leighton for questioning his procedure and invited him to be not quite so emphatic in the future. To Coun. Leighton's defence of himself his worship only replied "That's all right Johnnie." But Coun. Leighton returned to the attack and read the rule that when a division was demanded the mayor could divide the house, and he called the mayor's attention to the fact that no one had demanded a division.

The mayor's answer to this was crushing "Didn't I demand a division? Ain't I anybody?" And so the rule of order was settled.

John McCormac was re-elected to the board of school trustees. Homan McMullin's request to be appointed constable was denied.

The council adjourned to next Monday night.

Lecture.

A large congregation assembled in the Advent church on Monday night, to hear Dr. Barker's lecture on "Ourselves as others see us." The lecture showed up the humbug of the medical and legal profession, as well as of the pulpit. It has been characterized by one as "full of mother wit and pointed to a degree."