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**LIBERAL CONVENTION.**

The Liberals of Carleton County met in Convention in the Opera House on Wednesday afternoon to select a candidate for the coming contest. There was a large and representative gathering from all parts of the county. John Harper, County President, was in the chair. The following nominating committee was appointed, Town of Woodstock, H. Paxton Baird; Parish of Woodstock, Reginald Dibblee; Upper Woodstock, Rev. Geo. T. Hartley; Lower Richmond, Dr. Griffin; North Richmond, F. I. W. Watson; West Wakefield, Albert Bell; East Wakefield, Frank R. Shaw; Simonds, John Perry, jr.; Wilmot, Joseph Cheney; West Wicklow, Robinson Longstaff; Front Wicklow, E. R. Squires; Front Kent, John Farley; Johnville, Charles Gallagher; East Aberdeen, Albert Corey; West Aberdeen, P. B. Millie; Peel, William Smalley; Front Brighton, Joseph Pierson; East Brighton, Stephen Orser; Northampton, Robert Brown.

The committee recommended the nomination of Frank B. Carvell, M. P. P., and the convention accepted the recommendation. A public meeting in the Opera House in the evening was largely attended. Mr. Carvell's speech in accepting the nomination was well received.

Sir Louis Davies on being introduced to the meeting said the struggle between the two great political parties in the Dominion would soon be on and he wanted to discuss some of the issues on which the fight would be conducted. The record of the two parties was familiar to everybody. When the Conservatives retired in 1896 the commerce of the country was in a most depressed condition; business was at a standstill and the national debt was increasing rapidly. All that was now changed: Times were good and the people were hopeful. It was charged against the Liberals that they had failed to keep the pledges they made to the electors and had done nothing to promote the welfare of the Dominion. He took up the report of the Ottawa Convention and showed what promises the Liberals really had made and how they had carried them out. They had not promised to introduce free trade, but to reduce the tariff to such a point that it would meet the needs of an honest, economical and efficient administration of public affairs. As a principle protection had been eliminated and a revenue tariff substituted, so that in that regard the Liberals had redeemed their pledge.

Mr. Foster had asked if the prices of staples were now any cheaper. The Liberal party had never promised to control prices. It had simply undertaken to reduce the taxation on goods and that undertaking had been honestly carried out. As an illustration, on cotton goods alone the reduction had been from a rate of 35 per cent. in 1896 to 23 per cent. and it was so with many classes. The effect of the British preference was to cheapen not only the goods coming from England, but all that were sold in competition therewith. On woollen goods, the Foster tariff imposed a duty of from 50 to 55 per cent., but under the present tariff that rate stood at 33 per cent. Nails, the price of which Mr. Foster often alluded to, were now taxed at 33 cents per 100 pounds as against 75 cents under the former regime. On coal oil there had been a small reduction in the duty and the privilege of importing in tanks had been granted.

There has been no pledge to decrease the public debt. The Liberal party had merely stood for the strictest economy in view of the alarming increases going on. The Conservatives were adding six and a half millions a year, but the Liberals during four years had merely added \$7,000,000, of that sum \$2,500,000 had been left by the Conservative to be paid so that the average annual increase had been but \$1,100,000. The Liberals had therefore effected a saving as against the Conservative record of \$5,400,000 per annum. Immense public works and enterprises had been carried out for this small increase. The pledge of economy had been applied to expenditure as well. The expenditure had gone up from \$38,000,000 to 43,000,000, but it was a matter of book-keeping. The Yukon which had no existence in the Conservative times, accounted for \$2,800,000, but the Yukon had paid back the full sum and \$250,000 besides. So it was with the Intercolonial. The government railway had passed into the hands of a man of great capacity and that was why Mr. Blair was so greatly abused. The extension of the Intercolonial Railway represented with the growth of business a very large increase in the expenditure, but the receipts were even larger and there was now a surplus. Mr. Foster spent \$38,000,000, but he only had \$34,000,000 to do it with. That was the height of extravagance. The Liberals were spending \$42,000,000, but they had a revenue of \$51,000,000. Sir Louis showed what large sums had been paid out of revenue which had in times past been paid out of capital, and last year all charges had been paid and a surplus left of \$677,000. In the last four years of Conservative rule there had been a deficit of \$4,380,000. In the four years of Liberal rule there had been surpluses aggregating \$14,000,000, representing a betterment of \$18,000,000. The minister of marine and fisheries then took up the subject of preferential trade. The Conservatives had talked much about imperial interests, but they had not struck a single blow for imperial unity during their entire regime of 18 years. It had remained for the Liberals to give effect to the popular sentiment in favor of England. He went on to show how under the Liberal policy trade with Great Britain had increased.

Hon. A. G. Blair told the audience that the Liberal government could make out a strong

case and confidently appeal to the people of Canada. The great men of the Conservative party had passed away to be succeeded by men who gave themselves over to petty jealousies and general treachery. The situation of Canada today called for better men than those who fell before the verdict of the people in 1896. In Sir Wilfrid Laurier the country had a capable premier and Mr. Blair spurned the idea that the people of Canada would not give him their heartiest support because he was not of English origin.

When Mr. Fielding had introduced his tariff in 1897 Sir Charles Tupper had declared that general ruin would come upon the country, but his fears had not been realized. Business of all kinds revived and gave evidences of new life. Then the Conservatives began to claim that their policy had been preserved. Even though this were true as Mr. Paterson had recently pointed out the Liberals seemed able to get better results out of it than their predecessors. Mr. Foster was going about declaring that the tariff had not been substantially reduced because the present government were collecting more money as taxes than were collected in 1896. Was that statement true? It was not. If the Foster tariff had been applied to the imports of last year the duties collected would have been \$5,000,000 greater. (Applause.) That much had been saved to the people last year so that it was absurd to say there had not been a substantial reduction in the taxation. Why, however, had the people paid more in 1900 than in 1896? An illustration would make this plain. Suppose instead of charging \$3 for a given railway passage the company reduce the fare to \$2. At the end of the year the man who travelled back and forth twice as many times as he had previously could not properly complain that travelling had become dearer. That was the case of the taxation. The people were paying more taxes because they were buying more goods, but the rate of taxation had been reduced.

Mr. Blair asked if it was mere coincidence that prosperity came to the country in such large measure with the advent of the Liberal party to power? The enterprise and policy of the government had affected matters in some measure at least. There had been great railway development. The Intercolonial had been extended and as a result the business of the road had increased from \$3,000,000 to over \$4,000,000.

Sir Charles Tupper was stating on the platform that the government had paid \$7,000,000 for a miserable ramshackle tank-bark railway to extend the Intercolonial to Montreal. Had any persons present been over the road? Then they knew that the Drummond County was a high class line, equal to the best part of the Intercolonial. And it had cost exactly \$1,600,000. "Development" was the word inscribed on the Liberal banner and the people had a right to expect of the government the fearless expenditure of money for the opening up and betterment of the country. Mr. Foster might talk loudly about the expenditure of money but he could not point to a word of condemnation in parliament for one single item of that outlay.

The saintly Mr. Foster who now lectures people on the subject of integrity had not even challenged the Crow's Nest Pass vote which he now denounces as a deal. All this could be proved by Hansard. The gentleman who sat dumb in parliament when the money was being voted ought to be disqualified from talking on the subject when on the public platform. In conclusion, Mr. Blair appealed for a loyal support of Mr. Carvell, because the cause he espoused was a good one. He was a worthy standard-bearer of the Liberal cause and he asked the electorate of Carleton to give him a triumphant return. The speakers were given a good reception and made a good impression.

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It suits the political leaders to let the people still think that politics exist, and may be the body does, but the soul has been buried some years ago.

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Many an honest man enters the lists in this great game. One of two things happen. He doesn't stay honest or he doesn't stay in politics.

The first rule of the game is that "every man has his price." Men who would spurn a money bribe, men who would scorn an offer of stock, are bought by their political ambitions.

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It is for this that party leaders strive, not for great principles of patriotism, not for a stable currency, not for an anti-expansion platform.

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Politics quadruples the cost of government. Sinecures are made that districts may be carried, that faithful pack mules may have stalls and fodder.

Politics make men dishonest, the leaders resorting to bribery that they may have power.

Politics elevates to high places in the government men of mediocrity, not because they can best fill the position, but because they can be used as the leaders see fit.

Let a man with a will of his own, with honesty of purpose, with high ideals of government, with an old-fashioned idea serving the interests of the people, by accident slip into a political position of importance—and it is by accident always that he does slip in—he finds his hands tied by the leaders of his party, his work undone by the men he puts in office, his plans thwarted by his supporters. He never is re-elected. He sometimes resigns.

Politics is gambling with the fate of the nation, and dishonest gambling at that. And if I were boss there wouldn't be any politics. SOLOMON SLOAN. —New York Herald.

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**Soldiers in Camp**

Ex-Sergeant William Johnston of the 10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, writes:—"It is impossible for me to speak to highly of Dr. Chase's Ointment for piles or any itching skin disease. It is simply invaluable many of our men used it while in camp and received excellent results." Members of the Canadian contingents took 1000 boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment with them to South Africa to relieve the suffering of campaigning life.

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TAKE NOTICE that there will be sold by Public Auction in front of the office of D. McLeod Vince, Barrister-at-Law, on King Street, in the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, on THURSDAY the ELEVENTH day of OCTOBER next at the hour of three of the clock, in the afternoon, the following lands and premises namely:—All that certain lot piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the said Town of Woodstock, on the East side of Richmond Street, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—"Commencing at an iron stake placed in the South West angle of a Lot leased by the said R. E. Guy Smith to one Amariah Wright by Indenture of Lease dated that first day of June A. D. 1894, thence Easterly along the South line of said Wright lot to the River Saint John, thence Southwesterly along the said River to the North line of land owned and occupied by H. N. Payson—thence Westerly along the North line of said Payson's lot to the East line of Richmond Street aforesaid, thence Northerly along East side of said Town to the place of beginning, Excepting and reserving out of said lot the right of way across the said lot of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Ferry Road." Together with the buildings and improvements thereon.

The Above Sale will be held under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Assignment of Lease by way of Mortgage bearing dated thirtieth day of October A. D. 1895 and made between the said James Wolverton and Alice M. Wolverton his wife of the one part and Sarah Hazen of the said Town of Woodstock, Spinster, since deceased and Elizabeth Chipman Hazen of the said Town of Woodstock, Spinster of the other part which said Assignment of Lease by way of Mortgage is Registered in the office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the said County of Carleton in Book U Number Three of Records on pages 753, 754 and 755, default having been made in the payment of the money thereby secured.

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