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The Bourbon in Politics.

Why has the Laurier Government been so successful in administration and in the department of constructive statesmanship? Chiefly because of the attitude maintained by its members towards new ideas from whatever quarter they may come.

There are men who when a new notion is laid before them instinctively begin to pull it to pieces. They object, they criticize, in all good faith perhaps, though they sometimes moved by jealousy that the idea did not first occur to them, and they end by determining that the proposal is not worth a trial.

There are other men of the receptive and responsive type, who look a new idea squarely in the face when it is brought before them, and who treat with consideration the ideas bred in their own imagination.

The Conservative Government fell eight years ago because it was a Bourbon Government. Its members knew everything. Supporters who had suggestions for the better government of Canada speedily discovered this when they visited Ottawa.

It was a Bourbon Government, too, in that it never forgot anything. Mr. Wallace and Dr. Montague, Sir Mackenzie Bowell and Mr. Haggart kept green the memory of their feuds. Take the situation to-day in the party ranks.

Mr. Monk, at the dagger's point with the most influential Conservative paper in his Province, and Ontario leaders looking blackly on at the proposal to supplant them by the elevation of Mr. Foster. We cannot so soon forget the historic speech by the rarest Bourbon of them all, Sir Mackenzie Bowell, in which he declared:

"So long as I have a voice left Hon. John Haggart and some others shall never occupy a seat in a Cabinet in this country."

That was said at Carleton Place during the last campaign, less than four years ago. Everybody knows that "some others" included Mr. Foster and his brethren of the nest of traitors. Sir Mackenzie is too good a Bourbon ever to forget. Are the people of Canada likely to turn out a Government composed of men brimful of good ideas themselves and willing to give the most sympathetic consideration to those of other folk, and send back to office the Bourbons of eight years ago with their knives whetted and their old feuds to settle? The question carries its own answer.

HEAR SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

The following are the opinions of Sir Charles Tupper, Bart. Mr. R. L. Borden's immediate predecessor as leader of the Opposition, on the subject of Government-operated railways for Canada, as delivered from his place in Parliament, in June, 1897, and regularly recorded in Hansard of that date:

"Whether Liberals or Conservatives were in power I would deplore in the strongest manner any attempt in this country by any government, I care not who they are, or who they are composed of, to construct another government railway. That is the position I take."

"We have already solved, we have set at rest forever, in my judgment, in the mind of any reasonable intelligent man, the question whether it is better for Canada to construct a railway and operate it as a government work, or by the aid of a private company."

A Novelette by Charles G. D. Roberts.

Readers throughout the United States and Canada are on the quiver of expectancy at the announcement of a new novelette by Charles G. D. Roberts. This is published entire in the November of Lippincott's Magazine. A bit of inside history concerning this "find" is that it was first submitted in short-story form to the Editor of Lippincott's Magazine. He at once saw in it splendid possibilities as a novel and suggested its expansion to Mr. Roberts. Hence, "The Prisoner of Mademoiselle de Blencourt" makes its bow to the public in a size befitting its greatness. This is a rattling good story of adventure. It is placed in the beautiful "Evangeline" country; and in picturesqueness, in power of portrayal, and in literary finish it is not surpassed in contemporary fiction.

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News from the Country.

Benton.

The farmers of the vicinity are still busied gathering the harvest of the soil. Roots and tubers are reported an excellent crop.

Building still continues. Among this weeks improvements I note that the house of Wilmot Teed has been thoroughly renovated. The work has been done by the owner and Duncan Godsoe. The shingling was an especial feature as a record was made in shingle laying by the two.

Mr. Martin Heidleberg, our new barber is receiving plenty of patronage. Having served his apprenticeship in the city of St. Petersburg, he tells many interesting stories of the lives, manners and customs of his people.

Medley Ross of Scott's Camp, spent Sunday in town. Guy Armstrong of the C. P. R. is spending a week's vacation with relatives here.

The Parker Stock Co gave an interesting and well attended entertainment in the hall here on Saturday evening last. The comedy of "How Mary married a Ghost" was well rendered.

F B Carvell, Liberal candidate, paid a visit to the village on Monday in the interest of the coming campaign. He speaks confidently of victory.

A delegation of forty or more members of Richmond Division waited upon the members of Garibaldi here on Monday, 17th inst. After a pleasant evening's entertainment they returned to Debec on the night train.

A keen rivalry has existed all through the summer months over the ambition for raising the largest pig in the place. The killing season is now on. At present Charlie Murchland hold the record. His pig tipped the scale at 198 pounds.

The chicken stew at Mrs Rankin Speer's on Wednesday last was a marked success.

Archibald Murchland accompanied by Frank and James Armstrong arrived home last week from Wytopitlock, Me. They are to start prospecting here in the interests of the Pennyroyal Pulp Co. of Augusta.

A large moose has been spied several times in his mighty stalking, in the vicinity of Paradise, on the outskirts of the village. Little has been done as yet towards downfall.

Work on the new skating rink is still progressing. The foundation is laid and framing has commenced. Mr Wright has very luckily secured the services of a highly recommended joiner of Houlton.

Good skating can be guaranteed for the winter months.

The mill of Percy Grosvenor is shut down for the present owing to a dearth in lumber.

Neil Clark and Geo Clapham are spending their vacation in Houlton. B Kerr late of the Montreal Star spent last week here. He is now working territory for the Ram's Horn, Chicago.

The latest sensation from the suburbs is a genuine bear story, which could well be comprehended from the following:—

"On the Ross farm is stationed a bear, which stalks back and forth from his lair.

Last week, Med indeed On old bruin drew head; But alas! not the bear! he shot air."

Medley is talking now of preparing to take part in the meet at Bisle next season. "AMICUS".

Greenville.

In my rambles I find the farmers all engaged in harvesting their potato crop which is the largest in acreage and yield that ever was raised in the parish of Richmond.

Milton Green of Green Road picked and his son dug with a Hoover Digger and put into the cellar 108 bbls of potatoes in 8 hours. Mr Green is 56 years of age. Pretty good work is it not? If any one in the Province of New Brunswick can beat this we would like to hear from them through the SENTINEL.

Potatoes have been selling at Debec for 90c per bbl which is nearly equal to American prices, and I believe the time is not far distant when the Dominion of Canada can handle their surplus stuff without having to pay the Americans such heavy duties on their products. CALVIN GREEN.

Skiff Lake.

Andrew Cunningham has returned from Greenwood B C; his many friends gladly welcome him home.

Messrs McKay and Nicholson did good work with their threshing machine at Peter Donovan's one day recently; they threshed 311 bushels of oats.

Miss Maggie Donovan, Canterbury Station, spent Sunday at her home here.

Frank Grant met with a sad accident. While threshing he unfortunately got his hand caught in the machine and torn off. His arm had to be removed above the elbow; at present he is in the hospital at Woodstock.

General News Items.

New Brunswick is safely in line.

P. E. L. will return four Liberals. Minard's Liniment cures Diphtheria. Laurier has re-adjusted Ontario.

All kinds of clothing for ladies, gentlemen and children, at C. M. Sherwood's, Centreville. Hundreds of people are becoming rich by patronizing this great cash store, in all lines of goods. Strangers—people from distant points, are particularly invited to make critical inspections of every department, and participate in the savings according to the amount of their purchases.

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Advices from York County state that Mr Gibson is meeting with a splendid reception in his canvass. The noble county of York should return him by at least a thousand majority. While we do not pretend to judge of the feeling in the other parishes, the sentiment in the portions of the constituency nearest to Carleton is stronger than ever in favor of Gibson.

Owes His Life to a Neighbor's Kindness. Mr D P Daugherty, well known throughout Mercer and Sumner counties, W Va, most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea; was attended by two physicians who gave him little, if any, relief, when a neighbor learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured him in less than twenty four hours. For sale by all druggists.

On other occasions the Sun has spoken well of Mr. Loggie, as all people do. He is an excellent representative of the county in the legislature and in his varied business activities.—Sun. (Then if Mr. Loggie is such an excellent representative in Fredericton, there is every reason to believe he will fill the bill at Ottawa. And yet the Sun is opposing Mr. Loggie's election in Northumberland. How inconsistent!

The Tory candidate in York in making a canvas of Fredericton Saturday ran up against some painful surprises. Approaching a former well known Conservative, Mr. Crockett was about to pull out his nomination paper for signature, when he was met with the observation from the former Conservative; "Sorry Mr. Crockett but I have already signed Mr. Gibson's nomination paper." Three similar rebuffs were met with by Mr. Crockett the same afternoon.

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