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Joint debates are not always profitable and sometimes result in little benefit to either party. But that of last Saturday night at Meductic has resulted in bringing to light some very important information. Ever since this Valley railroad question was first mooted there has been considerable rivalry between the two political parties for first honours in the matter. When Mr. Hazen sent the delegation to Ottawa no doubt he thought he had played a master stroke but to his surprise this delegation—some of whom by the way were among the uncourteous group mentioned elsewhere—returned home delighted with their reception at Ottawa and with the promise of the Premier that the question would receive his most favourable consideration.

Since that time Mr. Hazen and Mr. Fleming have been seeking some way to get out of the hole in which they then found themselves. That private car ride—the recollection of which seems to nettles Mr. Fleming so much—had led, the Prov. Secretary to come to the conclusion that they "must not do anything against the C. P. R." and the whole course followed by the Hazen Government since that time has disclosed to the public Mr. Hazen's intention not to interfere with the C. P. R.

For some months back there has been considerable anxiety upon the part of the people of the Valley as to whether the Dominion Government would take up the agreement for I. C. R. operation. But in accordance with the promises of Mr. Carvell this legislation has practically been enacted. THIS MEANT A COMPETITIVE ROAD. IT MEANT REASONABLE FREIGHT RATES. IT MEANT TRUNK LINE CONNECTIONS and the people were happy. But Mr. Fleming has at last been forced to disclose his hand. It is section 3 which cuts out I. C. R. operation and gives the prospect of an electric road which Mr. Hazen wants to force upon the people.

And what does an electric road mean. Even the most casual reader of the matter knows that it means C. P. R. In the State of Maine today there is a short piece in operation. A large number went from Woodstock last fall to view it and we were not overwhelmed with the

wave of enthusiasm which followed. But this is what Mr. Fleming in his effort "not to interfere with the C. P. R." wants to foist upon the people of the Valley. The debate at Meductic has established the fact that Mr. Fleming either cannot afford to, or does not dare, to break with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The Chatham World a strong supporter of the Hazen administration, has little faith in the prolonged existence of the Government it supports. It says:—"Will somebody rise and tell us what sense there is in howling for the Government to declare its policy in respect to the renewal of lumber leases seven years hence? A general election will be held in the meantime, and this Government may not be in office when the leases expire. The lumber mills are running every season without getting the desired information, and the pulp mills ought to be able to do so too."

A reading of the reports of Mr. Fleming's speech as given by the Standard and Gleaner show that Mr. Fleming did not stick to the copy prepared for him. The Standard and Gleaner gave numerous paragraphs which Mr. Fleming must have forgotten as he did not deliver them. This no doubt is the reason the Press has not reported Mr. Fleming's speech. It is waiting to find out what he ought to have said and therefore not publishing what he did say.

The people of the Valley have been led to expect that construction work on the Valley Road would commence this season. Mr. Carvell and the Dominion Government have done all possible for them to do to meet the expectations of the people. But it is not in accordance with the Fleming's programme to have I. C. R. operation. The C. P. R. must be provided for and the people—well they can "go hang."

The Tory papers with their halting lines tell of Mr. Fleming's victory. We admit that as an emotional orator Mr. Fleming may excel but it is votes and not tears which count in an election campaign. It is votes that the stirring logic, the marshalling of facts, the exposure of extravagance as shown in the speech of Mr. Carvell at Meductic, gain for the party he supports.

Andover to Welsford says Mr. Fleming. How pleasant this news must be to warm supporters of Mr. Fleming who have been expecting and talking of a Valley Road with Trunk Line connections.

Mr. Fleming plead with the people his government propose building will at Meductic to give the Hazen administration a chance. Evidently he sees the gathering storm.

MR. CARVELL FORCES MR. FLEMING

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He started in to explain to the electors the facts of the now famous "Private Car" ride. With a voice trembling with emotion he begged the people to believe him an honest man. He grew eloquent and with hands raised to heaven, denied that he even for the fraction of a second, talked with any Canadian Pacific Railway official regarding the Valley road. He evaded the main issue and switched off on the Malcolm letter. Here again he made his grand stand play. Waving a ten inch envelope on high, he begged everybody to come and see that it was marked private. This, he said, was the envelope that contained the Malcolm letter, which he mentioned was marked private. The letter itself he did not show.

He wanted the electors to understand that the Hazen administration was not going to be forced to sign bonds to build the Valley road. The standard, he claimed, was too high and the government simply would not build it. He believed that in five years under the Hazen administration the Valley road would be under construction in all the river counties. He said they did not want a government operated road from Grand Falls to St. John. What the Hazen government wanted and what they were trying to get was a line from Quebec city through the State of Maine and New Brunswick to St. John via Andover.

CONDEMNNS RECIPROCITY.

He next switched off to reciprocity and declared that if the resolution passed, Canada would be gobble up by the United States. Canada was all right. He talked of loyalty to the Union Jack and in the same breath implored the people to help the Hazen government build the road to benefit the State of Maine.

He closed his speech with a pitiful appeal to the electors to let the Hazen government have at least five years of power. His speech was rather disappointing to his supporters who expected at least an intelligent discussion of the Valley road from his point of view. Instead they heard only criticism and ridicule of the federal stories and a pathetic appeal to the sympathy of the electors.

Mr. Carvell closed the debate in a fifteen minute speech, and the crowd disbursed with cheers for Mr. Burden, the opposition candidate.

LOCAL LEGISLATURE

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Books. The reply sent him by Mr. Thomas was to the effect that the government does not appoint any vendors unless they be applicants recommended by a member supporting the administration, or, in

Mr. Fleming says the road which his government propose building will go across the State of Maine. Does he propose guaranteeing bonds for this proposed road.

any county where there is no government member, by the gentleman who there look after the interests of the administration. Thus we have the proof that even in so small a thing as the matter of school book vending, the Hazen government has allowed partisanship of the meanest kind to be the rule.

Figures are rather dry things but where it is the people's money which is concerned they will bear some examination. Hon. Mr. Robinson in the Public Accounts Committee the other day, brought out the fact that the government pays 2 per cent more to the banks on its overdrafts than the bank allows the province on its credit balance. Where large sums of money are involved, as they frequently are in provincial affairs, the difference of 2 per cent in interest soon runs up in the thousands. Yet this government has allowed itself to become so much at the mercy of the banks as to be compelled to pay much more for the use of the bank's money than the bank pays for the use of provincial money. The case is made even more remarkable than it otherwise would be by the fact that the City of Montreal, which is comparatively a small city, pays exactly the same amount on its overdrafts as it receives from the bank on its credit balances.

Mr. Robinson also found out that the Manager of the Bank of Montreal in London, England, has been appointed what is virtually a deputy receiver general for New Brunswick in London. This costs the province \$450 a year plus his expenses, and the chief duties are in connection with a loan which the province made through his employers, the Bank of Montreal. The province has never before taken action like this and, disregarding the question of the unnecessary outlay which is entailed by the payment of this gentleman's salary and expenses, it must be confessed that the situation is not one to commend itself to men of sound judgment. The situation is that one man is serving two masters, who are having business dealings of considerable magnitude one with another, and that is anything but a good policy even when the man in question is of excellent reputation as is the gentleman in this case.

The government people are very much alarmed over the situation in connection with the bye-election in this county. The Opposition has been putting up a magnificent campaign, and day after day there is coming word of many Conservatives, who, disgusted with the waste and extravagance and partisanship of the administration, are lending their best support to the Opposition candidate. Every member of the government has been announced to speak at different places in the county and some fourteen or fifteen private members behind the administration have also taken the stump. This is a striking situation in a county which last declared in favor of the government by nearly 1400 majority and in regard to which one member of the government declared that he held the county in the hollow of his hand. The government organ here, which, by the way, is paid from the provincial treasury at the rate of \$20 a day, has been threatening and coaxing the people to stand by the administration, and has even gone so far as to say that if the Opposition reduced the government's majority the people of York could not expect any favors from the administration. It is by tactics such as these that the high-minded Hazen statesman hope to prevent the reduction of the Conservative majority in this county. The latest move has been to summon Mr. O. S. Crockett, M. P., home from Ottawa. But the situation is one giving Mr. Crockett all he can do, despite the assistance of the government campaigners.

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