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A CHANGE OF TUNE.

The local organ of the Meighenites which seems to have at last awakened to the fact that there is a political contest on in York-Sunbury, gives vent to a lot of buncombe about an alleged deal between the Liberals and the United Farmers of this constituency. It tells of a conference held at the Queen Hotel which was attended by Hon. Mr. Crerar and goes on to say that Col. Osborne accepted the Liberal nomination with the understanding that Mr. Crerar through his financial connection was in a position to "handle" Mr. Stairs and that the Liberal executive could eliminate any aspirant of the United Farmers of the Liberal persuasion. Having trumped up this story, which Mr. Stairs and the executives of both the United Farmers and Liberals know to be absolutely false and ridiculous, it goes on to say that Premier Meighen was right when he declared that there was a secret alliance between the Liberals and the United Farmers. "But," continues the organ, Mr. Crerar and Mr. Mackenzie King are assuming an authority, which in this constituency at least, they cannot exercise." Then it goes on to say:

"Whatever of merit there may be in the United Farmers' organization, or in their principles, it is absurd to think that the Farmers are to be led at will, directed and dictated to, by a few political bosses who have been playing a Liberal partizan game from the beginning, and whose aim in their connection with the organization has been to serve the purposes and to promote the interests of the Liberal party as led by Mackenzie King. The old-line farmers of York-Sunbury, the backbone of the National Liberal and Conservative party, in this constituency, will not permit themselves to be tampered with in that way."

The "old-line Farmers" of York-Sunbury persistently refused to be dictated to by Tory bosses in May last, and it is worth noting that the spirit of independence which they then displayed, did not elicit for them any bouquets from the party organ. In its issue of May 21st the paper, which now professes such admiration for the independence of the farmers and such solicitude for their welfare, had this to say of Mr. Stairs and those who espoused his cause:

"Many farmers of York-Sunbury are seriously asking themselves what possible benefit the election of E. W. Stairs to Parliament would bring to the farmers as a body or to the community in general. As an avowed follower of Mr. Crerar and the free trade wing of the opposition in the House Mr. Stairs could not be expected to have much influence with the government of the day. The intelligent and thoughtful farmers of York-Sunbury are not to be stampeded by the radical element which would have the administration of the country dominated by the farmers in a class movement that would eliminate all other interests of the country and eventually prove fatal to the future prosperity of Canada. Mr. Stairs and the party he represents are associates of a purely class movement—a political notion which will never be carried out in this country. Such advocates are visionary with minds clouded with delusion as to the ascendancy of the farmer movement in Canada which will receive a rude shock when a general appeal is made to the electorate of the Dominion. In the meantime the intelligent farmers of York-Sunbury will not be carried away by the present campaign and place themselves in an unreasonable position merely to further the personal interests of a group of western grain growers."

The intelligent farmers of York gave their answer to the graft organ by rolling up a majority of six hundred in the rural parishes against the candidate of the Meighen government. This happened less than six months ago and it is to be assumed that the farmers are just as intelligent now and just as wide awake to the interests of the country as they were on that occasion. Possibly their minds may still be "clouded with delusion" on some points. For instance they may not know the source of the big campaign fund which thwarted the will of the people and overwhelmed their standard bearer in May last, but they are probably able to surmise that the men who put it up entertained strong hopes of getting it back should the Meighen government be returned to power. Mr. Stairs and

the other "avowed followers of Mr. Crerar" in this constituency will probably be able to shape their course during this campaign without any advice from a newspaper which had nothing but abuse and misrepresentation for them in May last—a newspaper which scarcely yet knows where it is going to land in this campaign.

The government party in York-Sunbury during the by-election campaign of May last made a strong bid for the Liberals to join with them in an effort to down the Farmers' candidate. Mr. R. B. Hanson was apparently a strong believer in this kind of warfare as is shown by the following extract from a report of a speech delivered by him at the Gaiety Theatre: "Mr. Hanson then closed his remarks with an appeal for support, during the course of which he reminded the Liberals that if they voted for the farmers' candidate they were merely 'picking a rod' which would be used to beat them when the general election came on." The government forces are now going about urging the farmers to help them down the Liberals. There is every indication, however, that the rod which was put in pickle last spring will be used not on the Liberals but on Mr. Hanson.

It is reported that many members of the National Liberal and Conservative party almost threw a fit yesterday when they read the announcement that Brigadier General Macdonell had been appointed to the senate. They thought at first that it was another case of a New Brunswick Senatorship going to an outsider, but breathed easier on learning that the general had been appointed to fill an Ontario vacancy. It is the turn of the Toronto Tories to do the kicking this time.

The farmers of York-Sunbury, who may chance to read a lengthy article entitled "Present tariff compared with the Laurier Tariff" which has been given editorial prominence by the Meighen press, will no doubt be interested in knowing that the same was supplied by the Canadian Manufacturer's Association. The article replies to statements published by the Regine Leader and makes out a very good case from the manufacturer's standpoint.

There is one point in common between the Liberals and Progressives, and that is, that both parties strongly condemn the autocracy of the Meighen Government. The Meighen Government must be defeated before we can get back to responsible government, therefore every Progressive if he believes in his party platform should support Col. W. J. Osborne the Liberal candidate.

The Canadian Government Merchant Marine ship, Canadian Volunteer went ashore in the Strait of Canso, last week, but came off without damage. The outfit now ruling at Ottawa which is responsible for the big waste of money on the Merchant Marine will go ashore on the rocks on the night of December 6th and will remain there.

Halifax Chronicle: "Premier Murray, of Nova Scotia, says that there is only one seat in that Province where the Government has any hope of winning. Well he has won often enough to be able to tell when things are coming right. His statement is significant, for Murray knows a winner when he sees him," says The Moncton Transcript.

Hon. Andre Fanteux, Solicitor General in the Meighen hard times cabinet who travelled through Nova Scotia with the Premier delivering speeches in French was refused a hearing at a political meeting in Montreal a few nights ago.

The Eris Record says the reason girls don't blush any more is simply that they don't know of anything to blush about.

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An add in the Montreal Star says Canada needs Meighen. On the 6th, Dec. the word not will be added.

What has become of the old fashioned preacher and laymen who used to make a noise over purity in elections?

Monday as the universal washday seems as well established as the Saturday night bath.

Vacation season is over when the furnace begins to yawn for its meals regularly.

Perhaps the styles have changed but we don't see any girls who are fettered with long skirts.

Perhaps the coming Winter will not be as cold as predicted but the Fall doesn't seem to be just the right time to advertise twin beds.

A woman's idea of a really kind husband is one who always remembers her birthday but forgets how many she's had.

"If travel really broadens one," muses E. J. Melton in the Boonville Republican. "no wonder so many pullman porters are big."

"To have the courage of one's convictions is all right," remarked the Man on the Car, "if the convictions are not all wrong."

Lima Beane says the fellow who drives an auto has the advantage of getting by his creditors before they can recognize him.

"A little thing is sometimes a blessing in disguise," says Mrs. Tom Thompson in the Howard Courant. "We once heard of a woman who suffered a broken leg and the women who rushed in to do first aid said that if she had been at home mending the stocking she had on she might have saved a leg."

MATERNITY HOME RUNNING BEHIND

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 of the Maternity Home. His financial statement included the following:

Expenditures.	
Cost of Smythe Street property including legal expenses	\$4,371.75
Repairs and additions	2,415.89
Furniture	1,880.46
Instruments	347.88
Running expenses (including salaries \$774.16)	2,287.21
Total	\$11,303.19

Receipts.	
Donations from physicians	\$ 524.75
Sale of goods	30.
Contribution Ladies Aid Soc.	100.
Regular fees	1,416.72
Total	\$2,071.47

It concludes—"It will be learned from above statement that the Maternity Home at the present time is running behind at the rate of \$175.00 per month and not taking into account at all the cost of the building, of the repairs, furniture or instruments."

Medical Appointments.

A letter was read from Dr. R. H. McGrath, secretary of Medical staff informing the Trustees that Dr. Mullin has been elected chairman of Medical staff and Dr. Irvine Secretary. Dr. D. W. Ross was nominated Medical Trustee for 1922. Physics and Chemistry were added to the curriculum for nurses and Dr. Irvine named as lecturer on these subjects.

The Medical staff suggests the Board's consideration of establishing an Out-Patient service in all departments.

A letter was read from D. Edwin Parent of Lower Southampton thanking Board for concessions made to him in connection with the sickness of a member of his family while in hospital.

A letter from Coun. Pat Graham of Millville, assumed his disposition to become Good Samaritan to one of his neighbors a patient in the hospital. The patient is described as one of the very unfortunate people who has met with many reverses. Mr. Graham's pleading will be considered by the Trustees.

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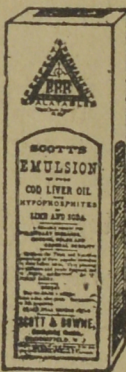
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