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BAXTER AND VICTORY

The electors of New Brunswick went to the polls yesterday in large numbers and voted to give Hon. John M. B. Baxter and his government a new mandate to carry on. The verdict was a most emphatic one and should be very gratifying to the Premier and his colleagues.

In the House dissolved on May 26th the Baxter government held thirty-five seats and the opposition eleven with two seats vacant. In the new House the Baxter administration will have a total of thirty-one, and the Opposition which will again line up behind Hon. A. A. Dysart, will have a total strength of seventeen. After a speaker shall have been chosen the Government will have a majority of thirteen, which will be sufficient for all practical purposes. A strong and active opposition is really necessary in the interests of good government and we trust that Mr. Dysart will cut loose from fads and faddists and co-operate with Premier Baxter and in future work in the best interests of the province.

As the Mail has pointed out over and over again, Premier Baxter is the ablest man in political life in New Brunswick and has few equals and no superiors in the whole Dominion of Canada. He is a giant in his noble profession and his valuable services on many matters apart from his official duties, have been as free as air to his fellow citizens. He held the office of Attorney General in a previous government, and he also had been a member of the Federal Parliament and a Dominion cabinet minister, so it could not be said that he was looking for honors when in 1925 he took over the leadership of his party in provincial politics. He was told that his services were needed to help lift the province out of the rut into which it had fallen as a result of kindergarten leadership. That phase of the situation appealed strongly to him and he came back, buckled on his armor and sailed in. Since 1925 Premier Baxter, always a hard worker, has been a slave to the duties of his office. He has put this good old province on the map, and now that he has given the quietus to the little fellows who have been barking at his heels, it is going to stay there. In the election of yesterday the moral uplifters, who overlook the large questions in an election and see only one issue, have been taught a lesson, which they should never forget.

The greatest tribute to Premier Baxter in yesterday's election was paid by the electors of the city and county of St. John, among whom, he has spent his whole life and who know him best. In St. John County, where the Premier sought reelection the opponents of his ticket forfeited their deposits, while his candidates in the city led by Hon. L. P. D. Tilley, were swept back into the House by a majority in excess of three thousand.

The election is over and the victory won and the smoke of battle is fast clearing away. It will now be up to all loyal citizens to bury their political differences so far as provincial affairs are concerned and co-operate with the government in promoting the best interests of our good old province.

HON. LEWIS SMITH

Tears lie very close to joy, even after the battle is ended and the victory won. The defeat of Hon. Lewis Smith, Minister of Agriculture in the county of Albert was one of the regrettable features of yesterday's election. New Brunswick never had a more capable Minister of Agriculture than Hon. Mr. Smith, and no finer man ever occupied a seat in our Legislature. Should he retire from politics as a result of yesterday's adverse vote, he will go out with colors flying and the province will be the loser. The record of Lewis Smith both in public and private life

is a spotless as a star. We believe that public sentiment would strongly support any action Premier Baxter might take with a view of finding him a seat, so that his valuable services might not be lost to New Brunswick.

The election of yesterday was plebiscite enough for the great majority of the electors of this province of New Brunswick. From this time forward it is safe to say that the Liberal party in New Brunswick will not be prevailed upon to touch the prohibition question with a ten foot pole. In other words the liquor problem has been taken out of politics.

The best thing the Temperance Alliance can do now is to appoint a few missionaries to labor among the heathens in South Devon and elsewhere who voted for the Baxter Government candidates yesterday, contrary to the advice of gentlemen of the cloth.

The counties of Gloucester and Madawaska rolled up enormous majorities for the opposition candidates in yesterday's election. What a fat chance prohibition would have of getting a majority in those counties on a plebiscite.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Even Cork fell into line this time in the election and rolled up a majority for the government candidates. Will wonders never cease?

Ex-Councillor Jack Doherty seems to have put up a stiff fight in Kingsclear against the policy of government control.

It looks as if a fair majority of the people of this good old province are endowed with a large amount of common sense.

The people of St. John, who know Premier Baxter fairly well, evidently did not take much stock in the opposition cry that he had broken his pledge.

Ex-president Vroom of the Temperance Alliance was ill advised when he threw up the sponge in Charlotte and came to York to help swell the majority for the government candidates.

Both divisions of the city of Fredericton seem to have voted yesterday against the return of prohibition. They certainly went on record against any more plebiscites.

The Mail predicted that on the night of June 19th, that a whole lot of people would want to know, "What happened to Jones? The news of the Carleton County landslide came early in the evening.

Ed. Melville, of Peel, one of the whitest men who ever sat in the Legislature, was one of the heroes of the late campaign.

Premier Baxter had no time to devote to his own constituency, but he got there just the same.

Some people are already wondering when Leader Jones will fix the date for his prohibition plebiscite.

The sky pilots who worked indefatigably for opposition candidates in the late election, have another think coming to them.

There are no heathens in the town of Devon, but the election returns indicate that there are quite a number of people over there, who according to a local pastor are not Christians.

In the election of yesterday Premier Baxter jogged under the wire an easy winner. The score was 31 to 17.

Ex-Leader Dysart is no doubt having quite a laugh to himself over yesterday's election, at the expense of Peter the Great. Dysart was able to win a seat for himself, but the new leader could not.

Leader Jones deserves some credit for compelling the Postmaster General to confine his efforts to the North Shore in the late campaign.

Bacon Dickson did not like to take a chance in York in the late election, so went down in Queens for the count.

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Dr. C. C. Jones Chancellor of the University of New Brunswick announced today that Mr. Neil C. Head, the Assistant to the President of the International Paper Co. has forwarded the University the Company's cheque for ten thousand dollars toward the equipment of the new Forestry building. It will be recalled that His Honor the Lieutenant Governor was authorized to announce the Company's decision to make this donation at the En-cania in May Last. His Honor's report of his conversation with Mr. Head regarding the work of the School and the high opinion which the International Company has formed of its product was most gratifying and the prompt action of the Company in forwarding the cheque to cover the amount offered is also much appreciated. In a communication from Mr. Archibald R. Graustein, the President of the Company, he states "we are deeply interested in all matters pertaining to Forestry and it is a pleasure to be able to help your Forestry School.

This is the second contribution toward the equipment of the School, Prince Brothers of Quebec having previously donated five thousand dollars for this purpose.

The gift of the International Company will be applied largely towards the drafting and surveying equipment and will furnish everything required to bring these departments thoroughly up to date. The University is desirous also of equipping a shop and wood-testing department and hopes to secure other assistance for this phase of the work. In the meantime the provision of the drafting and surveying equipment will be undertaken at once and it is expected to have these departments in full operation by the opening of the term in September. The gift of the International Company is most gratifying in that adequate provision is now available for carrying on the work in the new quarters next year.

SAYS WOMEN'S TENNIS OF TODAY NOT SO HOT

Wimbledon, England June 20—Mrs. Lambert Chambers, former lawn tennis champion, viewed with alarm the tendency of modern girl players to develop speed rather than strategy on the courts.

"They smash shot after shot," she says. "They ape the men. They never think ahead, and their absence of strategy is pitiable.

"The worst fault is that they have over-developed the speed of the game by getting immense pace into the ball at every opportunity, and, in that way, by trying to ape the speed and strength of the men players, they are by no means as good players of the game as their predecessors of 20 years ago.

"It may be true that in the old days of long skirts and blouses some girls "patted" the ball, but the serious player of those days can still beat the "crack" championship girl of today.

PUBLIC CLOSING

The closing exercises of the Fredericton High School will be held in the Auditorium of that building on Monday, the 23rd. instant beginning 7.30 P. M.

Board of School Trustees,
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A modern Moses was much in evidence about the city hall poll in yesterday's election but hid himself off to the bull rushes as soon as the returns began to come in.

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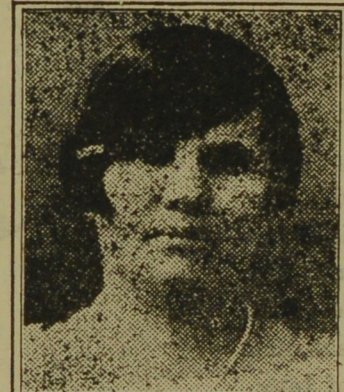
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Conservative Convention

A convention of the Conservative party of York-Sunbury will be held in the County Court House on Saturday June 28th, at two o'clock p. m. to nominate a candidate for the House of Commons. There should be a large attendance.

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Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained on application to the undersigned, also at the office of the District Engineer, Old Post Office Building, St. John, N. B.

Tenders must include the towing of the plant to and from the work.

The dredges and other plant which are intended to be employed on this work, shall have been duly registered in Canada on or before the thirty-first day of December, 1929, or shall have been constructed and registered in Canada since the said date.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, for 5 per cent of the contract price, but no cheque to be for less than five hundred dollars. Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or bonds of the Canadian National Railway Company will be accepted as security, or bonds and a cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

By order,
N. DESJARDINS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, June 10, 1930.