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But under the circumstances I determined that the Government was right, and I determined to place at its disposal whatever influence I had with my fellow-countrymen. I have loyally supported all the war measures of the Government, have appealed to all classes of my fellow-citizens to rise to the occasion and do their share, not only in contributing money, but in the ranks by doing battle for the great cause. And I am here today for the same purpose and object, to appeal to my fellow-countrymen of all origins to do their duty, and ask all who can go to take their places amongst those who are contending for the cause of civilization on the fields of France and Flanders.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Brome.

IMITATION COLONELS.

A writer in the London, G. B. Standard, dealing with the proposed visit of Sir Sam Hughes to England, throws out the suggestion:

"I wonder if while he is here Gen. Sir Sam Hughes will consider it expedient to drop a hint around the Anglo-Canadian community that though some may be created honorary colonels it is not considered good form for such men to appear in uniform week in and week out. The minister has granted this distinction pretty freely among the civilian element, no doubt. Complimentarily merely as compliments are thoroughly deserved, but the bestowal scarcely entitles the recipient to stalk along Whitehall receiving salutes galore from the genuine article of every rank."

Commenting on the above, the London Ont., Advertiser, says:

"Vanity over the wearing of a uniform for the uniform's sake seems to be fairly universal among non-combatants. When it is the badge of service it is fitting that the wearer should feel a pride in himself, which is different. But when a man puts on a uniform knowing he will never see an hour's real service in that uniform, and struts about for the sake of showing himself and attracting public attention, it indicates that he is pretending to be something which he is pretending to be, something which he is not. In the expressive language of the time, he is 'four-flushing,' and it is fairly said by our English contemporary that the honorary colonel who parades in his uniform and accepts the salutes of men who are on active service, is not exhibiting good form, and is offensive to real soldiers. Canada is the only country on earth so plagued with 'imitation colonels.' It is true Kentucky has a lot of old men who pretend to be colonels, but most of them appropriated or received the title by reason of service in 'the wah.' They do not affect the uniform of a colonel, and they are a harmless diversion in the land of the mint julep. A Canadian service uniform is built for service; every stitch and button is for use, not display. It was never intended to be used as a lion's skin to be awarded by one great ass to his friends, the lesser asses."

A GOVERNMENT OF SCANDALS.

Mr. E. S. Carter, the energetic opposition organizer, in his speech accepting the nomination for the Legislature, tendered him by the people of Kings county, neatly summarized the list of scandals which he has been instrumental in bringing home to the Local Government. As Sir Hibbert Tupper would say, "they are mile posts in the history of this corrupt administration." Here is the list, and it is one which every honest elector should cut out and paste in his hat:

The foreshores iniquitous measure; Profits of private members of the Legislature from public work and public employment;

The pilfering by members of the Legislature of the public funds with the assistance of road supervisors and structural superintendents;

The sums taken from crown land holders and millmen by Superintendent of Scales W. H. Berry;

The improper use of the Farm Settlement Board by members and supporters of the Government;

The scandalous graft in connection with the expenditure of \$120,000 to purchase patriotic and Belgian potatoes;

The exposure of the collection of huge sums of money from the liquor dealers of St. John, which no doubt were to be used in the interests of the liquor dealers while the House was in session and while legislation affecting their interests was under consideration.

It is only natural, perhaps, under

the circumstances, that Mr. Carter's nomination should be highly displeasing to the grafters and graft press of the province. They do not want him in the Legislature because they know that while he has exposed many crooked acts on the part of the Government and its legislative supporters, he has in reality only scratched the surface. The fact that the boddlers do not want Mr. Carter in the Legislature is the very best reason in the world why the honest electors of the county of Kings should rally to his support and send him there.

It is announced that the Provincial Government has dispensed with the services of Mr. Thomas Balir, of St. Marys, who has held the position of concrete inspector. The dismissal was made by Hon. P. G. Mahoney, ex-M. P. P., the rejected of Westmorland. Having dismissed Mr. Blair, Mr. Mahoney should now proceed to dismiss himself. Rejected by the people of Westmorland at the polls, he has no right to hold office and draw his salary as Minister of Public Works. In regard to Mr. Blair, he has been in the employ of the Government for five or six years, and was considered a valuable man, especially at election times. On several occasions he was selected by Col. McLeod, M. P., for special duty at Canterbury Station on polling day. Particulars as to why Mr. Blair's services were dispensed with are somewhat meagre, but one is justified in assuming that he was fired not for offensive partisanship, but because he is a brother to the ex-Secretary of the Public Works Department.

Attorney General Baxter, who controls the St. John Standard, does not approve of Mr. E. S. Carter as an Opposition candidate in Kings. The reason is not far to seek. It was Mr. Carter who exposed the iniquitous foreshore bill, and it was on account of Mr. Carter's activity that Mr. Baxter found it necessary to return a retainer of \$500 which he had accepted from the St. John & Quebec Railway Company.

The Westmorland County Council, at its semi-annual meeting on Wednesday, voted the sum of \$20,000 to the patriotic fund. This, with \$15,000 voted at the January meeting, brings the total for the year up to \$35,000.

ON THE SIDE.

All is not soup that bubbles.

Gee! it'll soon be next winter! And the furnace to rake again!

The firm that professed to sell canned heat ought to can some around here.

Molasses up again—it ought to stick somewhere.

And now we envy the rich folks who can afford to eat bread and molasses.

"Liner Brings \$20,000,000." Dump it right here, please.

S. S. O.—Sir Sam's Own—but we can't help but notice how much it looks like a wireless call for help.

For them that like hot weather this must be the kind of weather they like.

Some women could find leisure by not going around complaining that they never have any.

Each asked to sprinkle the lawn, no two boys out of 500 do it the same way.

For superior and lofty airs, there's the fellow explaining why his tomato plants in the backyard are doing so well this year.

What a lot of famous men history has provided—Christopher Washington, Julius Columbus, Robinson Caesar, Sam Bonaparte, Napoleon Hughes.

Most of us are too timid to admit that we can't see where a war loan of billions of dollars is interesting war news.

Dog lost, answering to the name of Ypres or Przemysl. Anyone who can get him to answer to either can keep him.

If we ever attempt to paint a picture of Cupid it will look more like a girl with a fish-net than a boy with a bow and arrow.

Its up to someone to raise a battalion of liquor sellers. If they would fight for king and country like they fight for their own interests they would be the first to reach Berlin.

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THINKS GERMANY HAS LOST THE GAME

Sir Edward Morris Premier of Newfoundland Says Huns Realize the jig is up.

Paris, July 27.—Sir Edward Morris, Premier of Newfoundland, in an interview today with a representative of the Havas News Agency, declared that the Germans were beginning to realize that the war is practically finished. Premier Morris has just returned from the section of the Somme front where the Newfoundland detachment is stationed.

Before leaving for the front, he was asked by President Poincare and Premier Briand to express to his countrymen in the trenches France's admiration and appreciation of their splendid services. In his interview he said:

"The war is virtually finished, and the Germans are beginning to realize it. The battle of Verdun, the greatest battle in history, is a victory for France. It is the finest of all her glorious exploits and gives a new impulse to the whole nation."

"German prisoners with whom I talked, officers wearing the Iron Cross, told me that the Emperor and his staff seem to hear that Germany has lost the game. The collapse of Germany is only a question of time. When that day arrives we must see that the victory won by our arms is not lost by diplomatic negotiations."

A SUCCESSFUL STUDENT.

Mr. W. T. Ross Flemington Has Donned the Khaki After a Successful Course at the P. N. S.

Victoria Co. News.)

Mr. W. T. Ross Flemington, eldest son of the newly appointed Methodist pastor, left on Tuesday afternoon after a week's visit to his parents at the parsonage. Mr. Flemington closed a highly successful academic career by donning the khaki in order to do his part in the great war. He was the valedictorian at the closing exercises in connection with the Normal School at Fredericton, taking his final examinations and enlisting the next day in the Field Ambulance.

This young man has had great success both as student and teacher, and has many friends throughout the lower part of the province whose best wishes go with him wherever duty calls.

SUBMARINE STORY WITHOUT FOUNDATION

Montreal, July 26.—In an interview this morning with respect to the statement in the Montreal Gazette that a submarine waited for S. S. Scandinavian and in order to escape the submersible the vessel returned to port, remaining there for the day, Mr. G. M. Bosworth, chairman of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Limited, gave an emphatic denial to the story. He said that there was absolutely no truth in it.

PERSONAL.

Miss Isabel Likely, of Minneapolis, formerly of Marysville, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. J. Z. Currie, of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Spurden.

Mr. Benjamin Stairs, a well known farmer of Hartfield, was in the city today.

The difference between a compliment and flattery depends on whether it is handed to you or some other person.

A woman says a man is only half a man until he gets married—yes, and after that he is seldom the whole show.

Every losing ticket on a horse race represents just that much rainbow gold.

JUST TO HAND

Ladies' Patent Leather Belts

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