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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.

LOYALTY IS LACKING.

"Construction," a journal which speaks for the various interests in the building industry, says editorially in its September issue:

"When the Government of Canada sees fit, as it has done, to offer a gratuitous insult to the engineering, architectural and contracting interests in this country, it is surely time for a vigorous protest. In giving the designing and erecting of the new Dominion arsenal at Lindsay to a New York firm, it has been guilty of a crime against the public welfare which should not be tolerated by the people of the Dominion.

"The weak-kneed attempt on the part of Hon. A. E. Kemp to justify the action of the Government in giving this work to a foreign company, by inferring that Canadian architects, engineers and contractors were not competent to undertake this important work, is adding further insult to injury, and like hitting a man below the belt after he has been struck on the face. Failing to find an excuse for getting outsiders to do work for which the people of Canada are paying, and which could be as well done by men who are going to be called upon to pay their share of the upkeep of this government institution, the would-be defender of the Government's action takes it upon himself to belittle the ability of the men already injured.

"From the method pursued in placing the arsenal contract the Canadian Government proves itself guilty of stupid ignorance and a lack of loyalty and patriotism, intolerable at any time, but under existing circumstances little short of criminal. Its ignorance of the fact that there is hardly a building in the United States, either public or private, that could not have been as well designed by Canadian architects or erected by Canadian contractors, might be excused, but its treasonable disloyalty to the men who have been affected by the war more adversely than any other group, is unpardonable.

"The day the corner stone of the Dominion arsenal was being laid with great pomp and ceremony in Lindsay by Sir Sam Hughes, members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association were in New York putting in tenders for material for this building.

"Toronto manufacturers found it necessary to go to the United States in order to get a chance to bid for a share in supplying their material to a building for which the people of Canada are paying. Could absurdity be extended farther?

"In striking contrast to this free and easy method on the part of the Government and private corporations of ignoring Canadian worth and ability at the expense of the general welfare of the country, is the wall imposed against up by the Federal government of the United States. As an actual illustration of this might be mentioned the case of a Hamilton architect who competed for and won a competition on a building which was to be erected in a city not far from the Canadian border. This successful architect, whose work was judged on its merit, was not allowed to enter the United States to superintend the erection of the building. The Federal laws of the United States include under their alien labor act, which controls the entry of foreign labor into their borders and places in the same class as mechanics the architect, the engineer and the contractor.

"It is up to us as architects, as engineers, as contractors, as manufacturers, to see that our own laws are made at least as far-reaching as those of our neighbor, where it is in the public interest to do so."

A Woodstock despatch to the Standard says: "The successful outcome of the voting in Woodstock is attributable to the energy and management of E. R. Teed." Who is E. R. Teed? According to sworn evidence given before the Dugal Royal Commission he was the treasurer of a boodle fund of \$73,000 extorted from the lumbermen of the province. And it was this high-minded purist who managed the Government's campaign in Woodstock!

If it is true as reported that the Government candidates in Carleton were backed by a boodle fund ranging from \$50,000 to \$100,000, it is a safe gamble that the money was advanced by somebody who expects to be reimbursed two-fold from the public treasury. In due time no doubt the story in whole or in part will reach the public, as was the case in York county two years ago.

On the day before the British Columbia election, the Victoria Colonist uttered these warnings:

A vote for the Liberal candidates means a vote—
To close the public schools;
To close the public hospitals;
To stop all public works;
To default in interest payments;
To stop all public salaries;
To plunge the province into chaos.
Notwithstanding all this the people voted Liberal overwhelmingly.

A powerful sermon by Rev. A. F. Newcomb, dealing with the problems which will await solution when the great war is over, will be found in another part of this issue, and will repay a careful perusal.

Toronto Globe: New Brunswick seems to be in a chronic state of political crookedness. Perhaps the public audit of election funds and politicians' fortunes would help matters there and elsewhere.

The result of the election in Carleton demonstrates one thing—that there are 2300 voters in the county of Carleton who cannot be bought or influenced by glittering promises.

Through Our Sieve

Fire the pile!

Light, light the bonfire high!

They're still frying in fat in Athens.

And will a horesman sweep through the dead of night?

Don't let the Huns know about the bonfires—they have no sense of humor.

Do your Christmas chopping early—if you've got the wood to do it.

When Greek meets Greek there are resignations.

Youth watches the clock, age the thermometer.

The lull in Brusiloff's typewriter is ominous for somebody.

Kissing, says a savant, is only a reaction in chemistry. Watch the chemistry classes grow.

There's something wrong with the small boy who isn't the victim of a chronic case of hunger.

Ever notice how people are present when anyone happens to say something nice about you?

If the boys really eat those nuts they are knocking off the oak trees they will wonder who put the ache in acorn.

A successful financier is a man who can separate other men from their money without the aid of a sandbag.

What has become of the old-fashioned boots that it was necessary to set in a pan of water at night so that they wouldn't squeak next day?

At the Gaiety.

Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 25 and 26, Mabel Taliaferro in "Snowbird," a Metro production. It's good.

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The following were among the telegrams received by Hon. B. Frank Smith, congratulating him on the result of the election in Carleton:
Fredericton, N. B.

To Hon. B. F. Smith,
East Florenceville.

My heartiest congratulations on your great victory.

Sgd. J. W. Brankley.

Cardigan, N. B.

To Hon. B. F. Smith,
Congratulatory. Lies and mud-slinging never succeed.

Sgd. O. E. Morehouse.

J. K. Pinder.

Fredericton, N. B.

To Hon. B. F. Smith,
East Florenceville.

As usual, you have also this time done it up artistically. Hearty congratulations.

Sgd. Jas. H. Crockett.

Fredericton, N. B.

To Hon. B. F. Smith,
East Florenceville.

Congratulations magnificent victory. Carvell and his mud-slingers have their answer.

Sgd. R. B. Hanson.

REMEMBERED BY FRIENDS.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Creed are Recipients of Presentations.

Mr. Frank S. Creed, who is to manage the branch at Sussex for J. Clark & Sons, farm implement dealers, is to leave for Sussex on Thursday, accompanied by Mrs. Creed and family.

Yesterday Mr. Creed was presented with a travelling bag by the teachers and officers of the Sunday School of the Brunswick Street Baptist Church, of which he has been the faithful secretary for many years.

Mrs. Creed, who has been active in the work of the church, was also kindly remembered. She was made a life member of the Women's Missionary Aid Society, Mr. John T. Clark generously providing the fee of \$25. Lady friends of Mrs. Creed connected with the church presented her with a dozen silver tea spoons and a pearl pendant. The presentation was made at the close of the after meeting in the vestry of the church on Sunday evening.

U. N. B. RUGBY PRACTICE.

Football Squad Out Saturday Afternoon—Prospects Not Bright.

The Rugby football squad of the University of New Brunswick was out for practice Saturday Afternoon. Prospects for an extra good team are not bright, as many of the players have enlisted, and others have graduated.

The four half-backs of the 1915 team are all gone, and several forwards also. Capt. E. deB. Millidge has taken a commission in the field artillery for overseas service, and the team will be in charge of Vice-Capt. E. V. Saunders.

There will be no coach this year, nor any intercollegiate matches. It is expected, however, to play teams from the various military units.

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