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"With malice towards none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right, let us finish the work we are in, to bind up the nation's wounds, to care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow and his orphans, to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and a lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations."—Abraham Lincoln.

## BRITISH COLUMBIA POLITICS.

Later advices from Vancouver, B. C., state that the majority rolled up against Hon. Charles E. Tisdale, Minister of Public Works in the Conservative government was 4,571, instead of 4,160, as at first reported. There is to be another local by-election in Victoria on Saturday of this week, which is being looked forward to with the keenest interest. The candidates are Hon. A. C. Plummerfelt, Minister of Finance, and Mr. H. C. Brewster, the Opposition leader. The latter is a native of Albert county, New Brunswick, and is looked upon as a likely winner. The vote in Vancouver last week, which resulted in such an overwhelming triumph for the Liberals, was a surprise to both parties. It shows that public sentiment is against the Bowser government and its doom is sealed.

Commenting on the British Columbia elections, the Vancouver correspondent of the Toronto Globe says: "The two by-elections yesterday would seem to indicate that when the Bowser government again appeals to the electors, as it must do before the end of May, the coast province will have a Liberal government."

"A variety of issues were mingled in yesterday's contests. In December last Sir Richard McBride, after serving twelve years as Premier of British Columbia, resigned, and has accepted the Agent Generalship in London, letting his mantle fall on the shoulders of Hon. W. J. Bowser, who had long been recognized as the driving force of the McBride cabinet. During McBride's twelve years in office, British Columbia Conservatives have built up a record for machine politics and arbitrary rule which since hard times struck the province have proven anything but an asset. It was hoped by the leaders that the departing Premier would bear this record away with him far beyond the electors' ken. But all the attempts of Hon. Mr. Bowser to make the electors believe he had a clean sheet was really starting afresh, and was entitled to a chance to make good, have proved vain. This was one point. Another was the fact that in the Legislature elected in 1912 the sole opposition consisted of two Socialist members from Vancouver Island mining district. It was stated plainly by the Liberal campaigners that a stronger Opposition would be beneficial to Liberals and Conservatives alike, and this has proved an unanswerable argument."

The McBride-Bowser plunderbund has pretty well stripped British Columbia of its rich natural resources, and the people are feeling the effect today of bad government. McBride got out while the going was good, turning the ship of state over to Bowser. The Legislature, which is called to meet this week, expires by lapse of time on June 1st.

More than 500 lepers at large in the United States constitute a menace of serious possibilities unless proper steps for segregation are taken, in the opinion of physicians, nurses and others who testified before the Senate health committee at Washington in support of a bill to establish a national leprosarium. The witnesses, all of whom made extensive personal researches on the subject, agreed that the 300 persons under treatment in the country's free state or municipal leper asylums included less than one-third the total of those afflicted. They declared that the disease was rapidly spreading; that the danger of a serious epidemic was real, and that segregation was the first demand in the campaign against it. It was the consensus of opinion among those who testified that about 50 lepers were at large in New York city, 80 in Chicago and at least one or two in each of the large cities throughout the country. They declared that individual victims were treated in many instances with great inhumanity by local authorities interested chiefly in shifting the burden of care to other communities.

The list of expenditures in connection with the Fredericton Experimental Farm appears in another part of this issue, and makes interesting reading. It is quite evident that the patronage list is rigidly adhered to by the

superintendent in the purchase of supplies. He found it necessary to purchase a farm wagon from a plumbing concern, while a fruit growing company looms up as dealers in Franklin stoves, etc. The chief patronage dispenser for Northumberland was called upon to supply cedar posts, while our own Mr. John A. Young, M. P. P., managed to ring in on a lumber sale. There is very little evidence of economy in the long list of payments.

It must not be forgotten that the patriotic potato steal was pulled off after Hon. G. J. Clarke took over the Premiership from Mr. J. Kidd Fleming.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Gold handled by a dentist is always at a premium.

It isn't always the strongest man who supports the largest family.

The love that dwells in a cottage never thrives on terapin and champagne.

Lend a man a quarter today and he's apt to strike you for a dollar to-morrow.

A woman never thinks of anything important to say until some other woman is talking.

The only excuse some couples have for marrying is that the woman wants a home and the man wants a servant.

Some business men fail because they waste their time in fooling with trifles that they could hire a boy to attend to for \$3 a week.

PROHIBITION QUESTION  
CONSIDERED IN CAUCUS

(Canadian Press.)  
Toronto, Ont., March 2—The Mail and Empire says:

Hon. W. H. Hearst laid his prohibition proposals before the Conservative members in caucus, and while there was more or less difference of opinion in respect to the announced policy, the government is assured of united support when the bill is presented in the House. The discussion yesterday was general in character, no definite provisions having been submitted, the details of the legislation being left to a later conference. Unless present plans are altered, it is likely that a referendum vote on the prohibition bill will be taken about midsummer. Some individual members favor passing the legislation, but deferring the vote until after the war, in order to be fair to the voters in uniform.

## CHANGES IN BUSINESS.

Several changes in business locations in Queen street are to take place May 1. R. M. Campbell, who has conducted a dry goods business in Fredericton for many years, is to re-establish such a business in the store now occupied by H. S. Campbell as a shoe store. H. S. Campbell is to take the store now occupied by Parent, Bird & Co., grocers. The latter it is said, will remove to York street.

## TO BE TAKEN TO DORCHESTER.

Harold E. Barker, Roy Garnett and James L. Morrison probably will be taken to Dorchester penitentiary tomorrow to serve terms in the penitentiary. Afterward James Higgins will be taken to the Provincial Hospital, as his mental condition makes him dangerous.

## STOCK MARKET

New York.	
Air Brake.....	ex d. 139
Tobacco.....	194 1/2
Crucible.....	73 1/2
C. P. R.....	164 1/2
Lead.....	65 1/2
Pacific Mail.....	26 1/2
Studebaker.....	136
Union.....	131 1/2
United States Steel.....	80 1/2
Montreal.	
Bridge.....	205
Textile.....	76
Shawinigan.....	130
Span River.....	85 1/2

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Clarke and Baxter Have Inside Track  
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K. C.s Pushing Their Claims

The likelihood of their being two vacancies on the Supreme Court bench of this province in the spring, is causing quite a stir among Conservative lawyers. Mr. Daniel Mullin, K.C., of St. John, looks upon himself as the natural successor of Chief Justice Landry and is making a strong pull for the position. Mr. R. A. Lawlor, K.C., of Chatham, is also showing great activity and is backed by influential North Shore interests. The Acadians of the province feel that the vacancy should be filled by one of their number and Mr. F. D. Robidoux, Conservative M.P. for Kent, is making a strong effort to land the plum. Then there is Mr. W. B. Chandler, K.C., and Mr. M. G. Teed, K.C., who are well into the race. Mr. Teed made a hurried visit to Ottawa this week in connection with the matter. Mr. Teed keeps in close touch with public sentiment and he feels that it is now or never with him.

Those close to the inner circle of the party say that it is no secret that the judgeships have been promised to Premier Clarke and Attorney General Baxter, with the understanding that they cling to the local government ship long enough to pilot it through another election. It is then planned providing the party is returned to power, a possibility which is considered very remote, to turn the premiership over to Hon. J. A. Murray. Win or lose, the knowing ones say, the judgeships will go to Clarke and Baxter.

## BOOM EXPECTED

(Continued from page eight.)

ing was under the direction of Lt. Col. W. H. Gray, recruiting officer for Sunbury and Queens, Lieut. J. J. H. Doone of the 104th Battalion, and Col. Gray were the speakers. Three men volunteered. At Covered Bridge one of the best recruiting meetings ever held in York county took place in Oddfellows' Hall. Mr. Gordon W. Woodcock was in the chair. The speakers were Rev. A. F. Newcomb and Sergt. Major H. T. Brewer. The five volunteers gave their names to Sergt. Major Brewer. They are Lawrence McKay, Frank McCrae, Turney Manzer, Fred McGivney, John Urquhart.

A strong recruiting committee was appointed. The personnel is as follows:—Mr. Gordon W. Woodcock, president; Miss Gertrude M. McGivney, secretary; Miss Alice Coughlan, Mrs. Wm. Ross, Miss Agnes McDonald, Miss Ethel Clarey, Miss Margaret McDonald, Miss Mae K. Hurley, Mr. Clark Sutherland, Mr. James McLaggan, Mr. Aaron Fraser, Mr. Sandy W. Fraser, Mr. Frank McCrae, Mr. Wm. Ross.

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N. B. FRUIT GROWERS'  
ASSOC. ANNUAL MEETING

A big fruit show in St. John next autumn is contemplated by the New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association. The provincial department of agriculture is to be approached at once and asked to guarantee financial support and assistance. The annual meeting of the association took place last night in the City Council Chamber, President H. H. Smith of Hoyt, in the chair. President Smith presented his annual address, which expressed hope for a good apple season in 1916. The past season was characterized as below the average.

Officers were elected as follows: H. H. Smith, Hoyt, president. S. B. Hatheway, Fredericton, vice-president.

A. G. Turney, Fredericton, secretary-treasurer. W. B. Gilman, Springhill, and J. P. Jewett, Sheffield, directors.

## 2 - DAYS LONGER - 2

OWING TO SEVERE WEATHER CONDITIONS, DELAY IN STARTING, AND THE INTERRUPTION OF DOLLAR DAY, WE HAVE CONCLUDED TO CONTINUE

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FOR THE BALANCE OF THIS WEEK.

We find a lot of ODDS AND ENDS in our Linen Department, which we have decided to clear out at 25 PER CENT DISCOUNT OFF REGULAR PRICES.

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1 dozen Cloths, sizes 2x2 1/2, 2x3, 2 1/2 x 3; also a few dozens Napkins to match some of these Cloths.

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SPECIAL BARGAINS IN "SHAMROCK" LINENS.

12 only H. S. and Embroidered Linen Pillow Cases, \$1.98 pair.

6 dozen only Special Napkins at \$3.25 per dozen.

15 only 2x2 1/2 Damask Cloths at \$3.90 each.

12 only 2x3 Damask Cloths at \$4.50 each.

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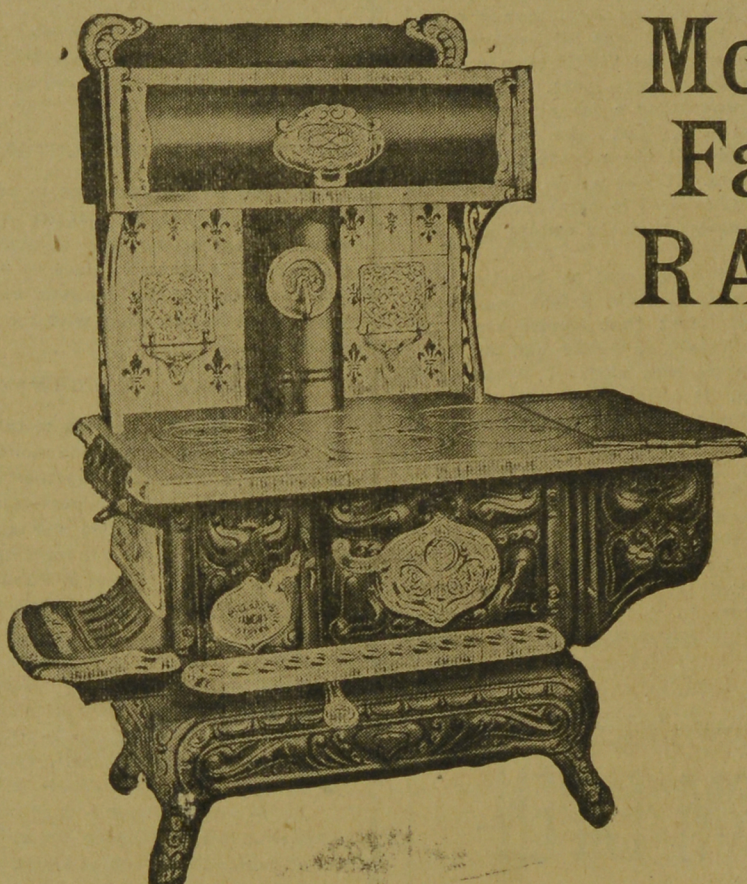
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