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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.

FLEMMING'S COME BACK.

Mr. J. Kidd Fleming, the dismissed and discredited ex-Premier, was right on hand at the post-election celebration in Woodstock on Thursday night. He delivered an address to the assembled electors in the course of which he is reported to have said: "If in good health, I hope to be with you and you with me, and we will give them a further instalment within twelve months. I want to thank you for the effort you have put forth today. The result is a great victory for my friend, Mr. Smith and Mayor Sutton, and shows also that the government is stronger than ever before."

There is a plain intimation here that the dismissed and discredited Mr. Fleming intends to start as the Federal candidate in Carleton at the next election. It will be remembered that at a little gathering in this city a few weeks ago, Treasurer E. R. Teed, of Woodstock, appeared on behalf of the ex-Premier and stipulated terms under which the latter would support Mr. Smith's candidature. One of the conditions was that the Federal patronage, commandeered by Mr. Smith, should be restored to Mr. Fleming. All of the ex-Premier's terms were accepted, and he carried out his part of the agreement by supporting Smith and Sutton in the recent election. It is now to be assumed that Mr. Fleming is once more in good standing in the Conservative party in Canada.

Mr. W. F. Garland, ex-M. P., of Carleton, Ont., who made a rake-off on the sale of drugs to the Government, and Mr. A. Dewitt Foster, ex-M. P. P., of war horse fame, have no reason to be down-hearted; their rehabilitation will come next.

THE B. C. ELECTIONS.

The Montreal Mail, a vigorous Conservative, does not attempt to minimize the effect of the great Liberal victory in British Columbia upon the Borden government. While it is eulogistic of the Ottawa administration, it says quite frankly:

"And then there is the political aspect as it will affect or influence the rest of Canada, to be considered. Following the results in Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, Manitoba and Quebec in general provincial elections, and the results in New Brunswick and Ontario in some notable by-elections, in all of which Conservative prestige was lowered, the people of Canada naturally will ask the question: What effect will these occurrences have on the result of the Federal campaign, which according to some of the organs of the Government is within measurable distance? The trend of political events, in our opinion, must necessarily be disquieting to the friends of the Borden administration."

WHEN PEACE WILL COME.

The New York Outlook, in an editorial discussing the above question, says:

"Two weeks after the outbreak of the war the Outlook said: 'We believe with Hegel that God had a plan and that history is nothing but the working out of His plan in human affairs. And we believe that the Austrian Prime Minister and the German Emperor have made a fatal mistake in leaving this truth out of their reckoning in their endeavor to destroy the great democratic movement in Europe.' That faith we repeat. The end of this war will come with the end of militarism, not before. And the end of militarism will come when the German people realize the fatal blunder of the war lords, the falsity of their philosophy and the futile malice of their purpose. It may come only gradually

as the wearing away of the German forces convinces the German people that militarism has failed; it may come suddenly with a disaster to German arms so overwhelming that no explanation can destroy its effect on the mind of the German people; but it will come in Germany, as it came in our own country, when the ambitious hopes of the leaders are destroyed and the people awake to the truth."

On the day of the election in Carleton, the St. John Telegraph said editorially: "Whatever happens in Carleton county—and we do not profess to know what is going to happen there—there is a knocking upon wood in the other counties day and night, which means that the scaffold is being constructed. In the day of a general election there will be a dull, sickening thud. It is well, therefore, to read with discrimination all statements issued from the cells of the condemned. It is still the fashion in certain circles to die game. That appears to be the only consolation left at the disposal of a government which came into power eight years ago with the finest opportunity of which any group of self-seeking and dishonest politicians ever made shipwreck. When they fall—as soon they must—even their little circle of friends will say they deliberately courted not only defeat, but lasting disgrace and ignominy."

Halifax Chronicle: The boodle brigade have won out in the Carleton county by-election, and the two Government members are elected. The campaign has been a very bitter and exciting one; the Opposition put up a vigorous fight and deserved to win; but they were not able to overcome the personal strength of the Government candidate, conjoined with the forces of evil arrayed against them. But although Carleton county has been held by a reduced majority for a discredited government, we refuse to believe that the people of New Brunswick will condone the scandals which have disgraced their province.

Mr. J. M. Tellier, who is to be made Judge of the Superior Court of Montreal, in succession to Judge Charbonneau, was formerly leader of the Conservative opposition in the Quebec Legislature. He was born in Quebec Province, in 1851, and educated at Laval, and has practiced his profession as a lawyer at Joliette. He was first elected to the Legislature in 1892, and was made leader of the Conservative party in 1909, resigning his position and retiring to private life a year ago.

The recruiting campaign for the 236th Highlanders begins on Monday. The commanding officer, Lieut. Colonel Guthrie, has his plans carefully laid for a vigorous campaign, and is deserving of success. His appeal for recruits should meet with a generous response.

Through Our Sieve

Another September mourn: Only seven more days left.

Snow this week—Marguerite at the movies.

If some men had to eat their words they would soon die of indigestion.

You can't convince the license bureau that a Ford isn't an automobile.

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If you would make a man howling mad, just keep cool when he abuses you.

It's a good little wife who is willing to keep her husband's white shoes kalsomined.

The reason a lot of us have no initiative is because we're afraid to start something we can't finish.

The cheering suggestion that there is "nothing like adversity to bring a man out" is understood to apply especially to his toes, knees and elbows.

It looks as if Germany, who set out after a place in the sun, would be thankful in the end for a little moonshine.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

St. Paul's Church.

Rev. W. D. Wilson, preacher. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "God's Plan for Your Life." Evening subject, "The Light of the World." Sunday school and Bible classes a 12.30 p. m. All are cordially welcomed.

Brunswick Street Baptist.

Rev. A. F. Newcomb, M. A., B. D., pastor. 11 a. m., The Bible Society and National Reconstruction After the War. 2.30 p. m., Bible school; classes for all ages, men, women and children. 7 p. m., subject, The Returning Prodigal. All welcome.

Methodist Church.

Rev. T. Marshall, pastor. 10 a. m., prayer meeting. Services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The Rev. H. C. Rice, B. A., will be the preacher at both services. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. All seats free; all welcome.

Reformed Baptist.

The Rev. E. W. Lester will preach at 3.30 o'clock. Sabbath school at 2.30 o'clock. Social service in the evening.

The Salvation Army.

Week-end services: Saturday, 8 p. m. Sunday, 11, 3 and 7 o'clock. Sunday evening service conducted by Mrs. Wallace, pastor of the Second Advent Church, St. Marys. Everybody welcome.

[The Daily Mail makes no charge for publishing church notices, but it requests that they be written out and sent to the office before 10 o'clock on Saturday.]

Considering New Recruiting Scheme

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The cabinet had under consideration yesterday and will again today, the final arrangements for the new system of recruiting.

Sir Thomas Tait attended yesterday's meeting.

While the Government does not now plan to invoke conscription or compulsory service, the system being evolved contemplates the raising not only of the additional 130,000 men required for overseas, but all that are needed for our vital industries.

Conscription would be a last resort, but meanwhile a sort of census is proposed to establish what those enlisted are engaged at and to what degree it may be of utility to the country.

PRAISE FOR COLONEL GUTHRIE.

(Montreal Journal of Commerce.) Colonel P. A. Guthrie, in command of Military District No. 6, comprising the Maritime Provinces, has been making some very effective recruiting addresses in Montreal. Colonel Guthrie has a vivid, picturesque style of speaking and writing, and takes well with an audience. He was formerly attached to the Twelfth Battalion, later being put in command of the Tenth, when his superior officers were killed in the fierce fighting at St. Julien eighteen months ago. Colonel Guthrie was himself wounded and was on the Hesperian coming home when that vessel was torpedoed. The doughty Colonel, as commander of the White Gurkhas, rendered valiant service at the front, and deserves every honor that can come to him. He is a native of Fredericton, N. B.

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