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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.

## THE CARLETON ELECTION.

Conservative newspapers of the baser sort are still cackling over the Carleton by-election and repeating the barefaced falsehood that there was a large expenditure of money for improper purposes on behalf of the Opposition candidates. The Daily Post, a rabid Tory sheet published at Sydney, N.S., told its readers two days after the election that it was "estimated" that from \$40,000 to \$60,000 was expended in an effort to defeat the Conservative candidates. Just where it obtained the information on which it based this remarkable statement does not appear, and it will probably make little difference to the Post to be told that its statement is a base falsehood, which only a newspaper utterly devoid of truth and a sense of fair play would admit to its columns. As a matter of fact, what money was expended in Carleton for the purchase of votes was used by the Government heeled, in a desperate effort to save their candidates from a defeat which they richly deserved. They had barrels of money and made use of it in the most barefaced way. From the Government standpoint the election was more corrupt than the local by-election held in York two years ago, when the sum of \$20,000 was expended on behalf of a Conservative candidate who was running against a life-long member of his own party. In this election not a single dollar was expended corruptly on behalf of the defeated candidate. The same can be said on behalf of the candidates who represented the Opposition in the recent elections in Westmorland and Carleton.

If the graft newspapers have any evidence to the contrary, let them trot it out.

In connection with the Carleton election, some Conservative newspapers are claiming that a result is a death-blow to Mr. F. B. Carvell, M. P., and that his defeat at the hands of that eminent purist, Mr. J. K. Flemming, must follow at the next Federal election. One graft newspaper, in an attempt to blow its own horn, publishes a statement to the effect that "hundreds in Carleton who had not voted Conservative before, voted for the Government candidates last Thursday." Let us compare the returns of the by-election with those of the general election of 1908, and see how much truth there is in this contention. The election of 1908 resulted in the return of the present Government to power. The vote in Carleton stood:

Flemming . . . . .	2620
Smith . . . . .	2612
Munro . . . . .	2576
Jones . . . . .	2165
Upham . . . . .	2165
Carvell (Harry) . . . . .	2029

At that time, the gentlemen who met defeat were running as the candidates of the government, and also had the support and influence of the Federal government of that day. In the by-election of last week the conditions were reversed in this respect, yet we find Mr. Upham, who was a candidate on both occasions, polling 91 more votes than he did in the previous contest. Here are the figures for last week's election, and they speak for themselves:

Smith . . . . .	2844
Sutton . . . . .	2771
McCain . . . . .	2252
Upham . . . . .	2220

Mr. Smith, running as a cabinet minister, and with the patronage of two governments at his back, polled just 220 more votes than he did in the general election of 1908, when he ran as a private member. A comparison of the figures of the two elections shows conclusively that the Liberals of Carleton have more than held their own

during the past eight years. Where is the evidence that hundreds who never voted Conservative before, supported Smith and Sutton in the recent contest?

Following the overturn of 1908, the Conservative newspapers forecasted the doom of Carvell, just as they are doing today. A Federal election was held in the autumn of the same year, and Mr. Carvell was elected over Mr. B. F. Smith, one of the victors in the local contest. He gave Mr. Smith another trimming in the Federal election of 1911, and notwithstanding the result of last week's election, he will in the enlarged constituency of Carleton-Victoria, defeat Flemming should he have the temerity to actually run as a candidate in the next Federal election.

Moncton Transcript: They are no respecters of persons over in England, when it comes to violations of the law, and Sir Sam Hughes' chauffeur has been haled into the Greenwich police court for exceeding the speed limit, just as if he were a chauffeur to an ordinary mortal. He pleaded that Sir Sam had a special permit to speed while on military duty, but the magistrate expressed doubts as to the legality of this. Possibly Sir Sam's chauffeur imagined that in England, as in Canada, to be in the service of a Tory cabinet minister means a right to ride roughshod over the ordinary rights of other people in the country.

Halifax Chronicle: In the Sayville wireless from Berlin we read: "But before all we must think of our heroic troops, who faced the united Anglo-French principal forces and the massed employment of material of the whole world's industry prepared during many months." Coming from the nation which boasted of its "invincible army" of supermen, and which has been preparing for forty years for the war it willed, this is a veritable whine. The bully is beginning to "squeal." He always does when he is licked.

## Through Our Sieve

Has Jack Frost mislaid his calendar?

Some men think its optimism not to put in the winter's supply of fuel.

The wise hunter will take care not to look too much like a moose or deer.

There are lots of human gramophones—people full of airs.

The French offensive is very much so just now—to the Teutons.

Unless Venizelos puts on speed he will find nothing but crackling.

Everyone looks for the first robin in spring, but who cares a hang about the last robin in the fall?

And now the sporting guns are using all their strategy to become loaded without anyone knowing it.

Some enterprising salesman must have sold Brusiloff a noiseless typewriter.

About the only factor in the milk business that isn't worrying is the cow.

The man who knows truly the least is always the one in the biggest hurry to tell it.

Hardly a day passes but what some young housewife discovers the scientific reason why some jellies won't set.

"Get some place in life's game," exhorts Rev. Christian Reiser, of New York, in his annual baseball sermon. "Run, and if you cannot score, at least reach first." But what about an occasional sacrifice, doctor?

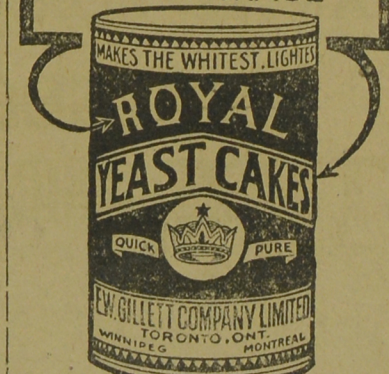
## LOWER HAINESVILLE.

Harvesting and Threshing Now On—Potatoes are a Light Crop. Other Items.

Lower Hainesville, Sept. 26.—Farmers in this locality have about finished harvesting, and some are digging potatoes, which seem to be rather a light crop, but of the very best quality.

Our threshers, W. Webb and son, have started their machine for the fall work. Mr. Webb has purchased a new separator and is doing excellent work. The Misses Alma and Ethel Bird, of Keswick Ridge, are in this place at present, visiting relatives and friends.

WHEN BUYING YEAST INSIST ON HAVING THIS PACKAGE



DECLINE SUBSTITUTES

DOAKTOWN MAN  
OFF FOR THE WEST

Mr. James Holmes Recent Victim of a Fire Bug, May Locate in Ontario.

Mr. James Holmes, the well known lumberman, of Doaktown, left last evening for Fort Francis, Ont., where he will visit his two sons, who are located there. Mr. Holmes has for some years carried on a successful milling business at Doaktown and only recently his mill was wiped out by fire. He estimates his loss at \$8,000 and had not a cent of insurance. He is positive that the fire was of incendiary origin, and although he has had a detective working on the case, he has not yet been able to locate the guilty party. While it is said that lightning never strikes twice in the same place, an exception has been made in Mr. Holmes' case, as it is the second mill he has lost by fire in three years.

His plans for the future are rather unsettled, and it is just possible that he may decide to locate at Fort Francis and engage in business.

Doaktown, and New Brunswick, can ill afford to lose a man of the sterling worth of Mr. Holmes, and his friends, who are legion, earnestly hope that after enjoying a well earned holiday in the west, he will decide to return to New Brunswick and resume business at the old stand. Big and broad men of the type of Mr. Holmes are urgently needed in this province to develop its resources, and it would be a most unfortunate thing if the act of a firebug should be the means of driving him from New Brunswick.

C.P.R. OFFICIALS HAVE  
BEEN TRANSFERRED

Montreal, Sept. 25.—The following official announcements of the transfer of C. P. R. officials have just been made:

Mr. M. G. Murphy, district passenger agent at St. John, is appointed general agent of the passenger department at Detroit, Mich., with office at 7 Fort street west.

Mr. N. R. Desbrisay, chief clerk in the passenger department at New York, is appointed district passenger agent at St. John, with office at 40-42 King street, in room of Mr. Murphy, who has been transferred.

Mr. Desbrisay is a native of the Maritime Provinces. He had been general travelling passenger agent at Montreal for some time before he went to New York.

## THE ETERNAL CITY.

Every Seat Taken at Two Performances of Photoplay Last Night.

The dramatization of Hall Caine's great novel, "The Eternal City," was put on at the Gaiety Theatre last night to crowded houses. Ten minutes after the doors were opened every seat was sold and hundreds still clamored for admission. The audience included several well known clergymen, who seemed to be much impressed by the great production. The people who had read the story expected something good, and they were not disappointed. Beyond a doubt it was one of the greatest motion pictures ever put on in this city, and Manager Fenety is being warmly congratulated upon his enterprise.

The performance will be repeated this evening.

Mrs. Arthur Stephens, Mrs. Medley White and Mrs. Edna Lawrence, of Burt's Corner, have also been visiting here.

Mrs. John Elliott and daughter Letha are spending the week-end with relatives at Cloverdale.

Rev. J. H. Coy, of Woodstock, was in this place last week in the interests of the British and Foreign Bible Society.

Mr. Robert Forman and son Earle have gone to Fort Fairfield, Me., to work at potato harvesting.

Mrs. Berton Jewett gave a knitting bee on Thursday afternoon last.

Mrs. James Wharton and little son Jasper have returned from Springfield, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Stillwell.

Fire in the blacksmith shop owned by Mr. B. Haines created quite an excitement on Thursday afternoon last. The men ran with buckets of water and soon had the fire under control. No damage was done excepting quite a large hole burned in the roof of the shop.

Miss Macle Hill, of Millville, is visiting relatives here.

Messrs. S. Elliott and W. Webb have gone to work in the Aroostook potato fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Chute attended the quarterly meetings at Marysville on Sunday, Sept. 10th.

Mrs. L. Brewer, who suffered a shock of paralysis not long since, we are glad to say, is able to be out again.

Nature paints things red in the fall and many a man is able to trace his own fall back to the time when he painted things red.

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