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SIR LOMER GOUIN TENDERED BANQUET BY QUEBEC LIBERALS; HON. MACKENZIE KING A SPEAKER

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The Compromise Cabinet.

"The other particular in which regard for constitutional government has found significant expression in this province is the attitude assumed by the leading French-Canadian Liberals towards representation in the compromise cabinet at Ottawa, whether it be in its first or in its last instalment, the old Unionist government or the present so-called National Liberal and Conservative organization.

"It is an open secret that nothing short of frantic efforts have been put forward by those in power to secure Sir Lomer as a member of the federal administration. It is equally well known that like overtures were made to more than one member from this province formerly in the administration of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. All have consistently and persistently refused to violate the reverent regard in which constitutional procedure is held in the province of Quebec by lending the prestige of their names and high position as a cloak for subterfuge and usurpation of rightful authority in matters of government.

"We now hear some, who formerly assailed Quebec, deploring its isolation. Isolation from what? Not from Canada, for the general sentiment towards Quebec is friendly, and relations are steadily improving. No, such 'isolation' as exists from a government, itself isolated from Canada, not only in Quebec, but in Ontario and west and which maintains a precarious hold upon power through a house of commons which has ceased to represent the people, if indeed it ever did represent them, in any true sense of the word.

Quebec Liberals True.

"Shall we say that the refusal of Liberal Quebec to have anything to do with the government means a refusal to take part in the working of the institutions of the country? By no means. On the contrary, by that refusal, the Liberals of Quebec are asserting their determination to uphold the constitution by keeping aloof from usurpers. They are remaining true to representative and responsible government. When these are restored—which will not be long hence—Quebec will be found once more represented by responsible ministers, and its leading citizens doing work for our common country worthy of the traditions of Lafontaine, Doiron, and Laurier. Canada will once more have the benefit of the Political genius of the French-Canadian race and of Quebec's regard for the constitution and our free political institutions."

Women and Soldiers.

The Liberal party believes that the new electorate that has arisen since 1911, including most of the soldiers and all of the women of Canada, have a right to be consulted. It maintains, however, that the methods by which the present parliament was brought into being were arbitrary and fraudulent to a degree which destroys entirely the representative character of parliament."

"On the side of constructive policy" said Mr. King, "the Liberal party believes that there are problems arising out of the high cost of living, abuses in the nature of profiteering, inequalities in taxation, revisions of the tariff problems of soldiers' civil re-establishment, of railroad management and railway rate control, of agricultural and rural development, of industry and industrial relations in the cities and towns, and of electoral reform, all of which require special and immediate consideration. Needless to say that in its conduct of these matters, the Liberal party, should it be returned to power, will be guided by moderation and toleration, of orderly progress and the avoidance of extreme positions and measures." At this point Mr. King dealt with the tariff. He said: "The Liberal party believes that the most important of all matters is the early restoration of representative and responsible government. This is an issue greater even than the tariff. As regards the tariff, the prime consideration is that it shall be made by, or in accordance with the will of the house of commons fairly representing all classes of the people of Canada. The first requisite, therefore, of a revised tariff, is a truly representative house of commons. Such a body does not now exist."

Sir Lomer Gouin Speaks.

"I am no longer chief, but I think I am capable of still aiding in the fortunes of my party and the welfare of my country. In entering the ranks as a private but faithful soldier, I look at the horizon and I take occasion to tell all my old companions in arms, young and old, to have confidence in

the destinies of our party, but let the sentinels be vigilant."

This was the key note of Sir Lomer Gouin's speech and he went on to declare that he had not the ambition nor the intention of entering into the federal arena. "I seek with all men of good-will the means of emerging from the state in which we are, and finding again the path of progress and prosperity which we have lost."

In his view there was only one way to do this, and that was to return to the policy of justice, of tolerance, of conciliation and of foresight which under Sir Wilfrid Laurier "gave us peace and the fifteen years of prosperity in our national life," from 1896 to 1911.

Sir Lomer claimed that the situation of the province of Quebec compared advantageously with that of any other part of the Dominion and the good name of the province was known in all the money markets of the world.

CANADA AND GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP

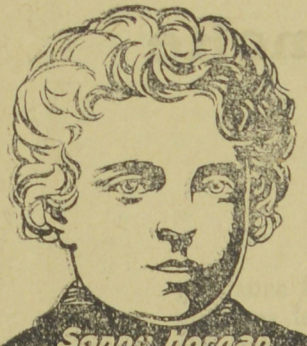
At the recent annual meeting of the Bank of Montreal, Sir Vincent Meredith had this to say to the shareholders on government ownership in Canada and the financial situation:

Canada today has a very large National Railway System, which is being operated at a heavy loss, thereby increasing the load on an already heavily tax-burdened country. Sooner or later some means must be found to relieve this situation. Some confidently believe that by proper public administration of the lines, deficits can be cut down. My own view is that the proper solution will be found if the Government, at the earliest feasible time, divests itself of ownership and operation of the roads and places them under corporate control upon terms fair to the country and upon conditions that will ensure the service for which the construction of the lines was undertaken.

"To sum up, the situation in Canada at present, as I view it, is that while there does not appear to be any cause for apprehension, there is every reason for the exercise of the utmost measure of caution. Canada cannot disassociate herself from world conditions and world conditions are not satisfactory. On this continent the two years supervening upon the Armistice have been marked by unexampled trade activity and prosperity, a circumstance common to the conclusion of all great wars, but the reaction has set in and may not yet be in full play. Happily Canada is well buttressed on many sides, and the exercise of prudence and sagacity should enable her to meet the shock of falling prices, restricted credits and deflated currency, without serious impairment of her commercial and financial vitality."

Barnum may have been right in his century but now aren't two born every minute?

L. A. Buckley of Halifax, Boys' Work Secretary, is at the Barker House.

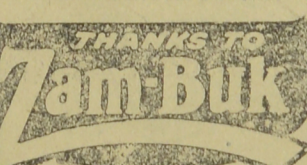


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