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1 bbl. Horton Flour	\$15.50	1 tin Old Dutch	10c.
98 lb. bag Horton Flour	\$7.40	3 Snowflake Ammonia	25c.
98 lb. bag Purity Flour	\$7.50	2 Liquid Ammonia	25c.
24 lb. bag Horton Flour	\$1.90	4 lbs. Cornmeal	25c.
Cornmeal per bag	\$4.15	3 lbs. Oatmeal	25c.
Cracked Corn per bag	\$4.15	4 lbs. Baking Soda	25c.
Bran per bag	\$3.25	3 lbs. Graham Flour	25c.
SUGAR		3 1/2 lbs. Buckwheat Flour	25c.
5 lbs. Gran. Sugar	\$1.00	Bulk Macaroni per lb.	16c.
5 lbs. Brown Sugar	\$1.00	Bulk Soda Biscuits, per lb.	19c.
SHORTENING		(17c. per lb. by the box.)	
20 lb. pail Domestic Shortening	\$5.60	Fancy Mixed Cakes, per lb.	25c.
10 lb. pail Domestic Shortening	\$2.91	(20c. per lb. by the box)	
5 lb. pail Domestic Shortening	\$1.45	Finest Cheese, per lb.	38c.
3 lbs. Domestic Shortening	87c.	Mixed Starch, per lb.	14c.
1 lb. Block Shortening	31c.	Corn Starch, per lb.	14c.
5 lb. pail Pure Lard	\$1.60	10 lb. pail Corn Syrup	\$1.35
3 lb. pail Pure Lard	96c.	6 Cakes Toilet Soap	25c.
1 lb. Block Pure Lard	34c.	Best Bulk Tea, per lb.	60c.
		1 box Digby Herring	24c.
		Codfish, per lb.	10c.
		White Beans, per pk.	75c.

PREMIER FOSTER WARMLY GREETED AT ST. STEPHEN

Premier Discussed the Issues of the Campaign in a Manly and Straightforward Way—Opposition Fiction Concerning the Finances Dealt With—Hon. Dr. Roberts and Mrs. E. A. Smith Also Spoke.

St. Stephen, Sept. 30.—The Gaiety Hall in St. Stephen was crowded to capacity tonight to listen to Premier Foster, Hon. Dr. Roberts and Mrs. E. Atherton Smith. The weather was bad but people drove from outlying points to be present to hear from the speakers a clear exposition of provincial affairs as administered since the year 1917. W. F. Todd admirably occupied the chair, and after expressing the pleasure it gave him to preside at the meeting to be addressed by such distinguished speakers, he introduced Hon. Dr. Roberts, minister of Public Health, as the first speaker.

Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, the next speaker, needed no introduction to a St. Stephen audience, as she had been active in this town during the war in organizing many patriotic societies. She spoke of her interest in the campaign as purely a citizen of this province with no other motive than to do what she could to return the Foster Government to power on October 9. She spoke of the legislation of the government affecting the rights of women and gave Premier Foster and his colleagues the credit of advancing the status of the women in this province by giving them the privilege of the vote. She dwelt on the premier's interest in the welfare of all. She ended by eloquently appealing to the ladies present to organize and by their efforts return to power the best government this province ever had.

Mr. Foster on being introduced was greeted with prolonged applause. He spoke for nearly two hours without interruption, except where applause drowned his voice when he vigorously denounced the record of the Murray-Baxter government.

Hon. Dr. Roberts.

Hon. Dr. Roberts said he felt proud to appear in St. Stephen in the interest of the Foster government—an honest, progressive administration. At this time of reconstruction it was highly necessary that there should be honor in the conservation of the forest wealth, and he reminded his audience of the \$100,000 graft fund which was collected by the old government with the promise that the lumbermen's stumpage would not be increased. He contrasted that with the record of the Foster government which has increased the stumpage from \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Hon. Mr. Foster.

Hon. Mr. Foster who was next called upon was accorded a very hearty reception. He spoke for over an hour and his speech was frequently punctuated with applause. He reviewed the splendid record of the government, and made an effective reply to opposition criticism. The various scandals which had marked the administration of the old regime were touched upon in a terse manner and he pointed out that no mistake had been made by the people in dismissing their rulers in 1917. The work of the agricultural department was dealt with at length and great credit was given to Hon. Mr. Tweeddale for the progressive policies he had carried out for the benefit of the farmers. He went on to say that when the present government took office it found an empty treasury and a rapidly rising and increasing cost of the whole public service.

But today he said, with judicious management with provision being made before-hand, our accounts this year will show a surplus or upwards of \$300,000 on our ordinary account. The revenue as given in the auditor general's report for 1916 totalled the sum of about \$1,500,000 and for 1920 it will reach a total of \$2,500,000.

Provincial Finances.

In discussing the provincial finances the premier said:

The statement has been made that we have increased the capital liabilities during the period from March 31, 1917, to October 31, 1919, by \$5,262,481. While the capital liabilities have increased by this amount, the responsibility for the increase must be placed where it belongs and a large part of it upon the shoulders of the opposition.

Increase in capital liabilities from March 31, '17, to October 31, '19, \$5,262,481

Made up of the following amounts:

St. John & Quebec

Railway bonds issued \$450,000

St. John & Quebec

Railway liabilities

for construction 966,478
Bonds issued for portion of old government deficit 747,556
Expended for permanent bridges contracted by old government 634,117
— \$2,798,151

\$2,464,330

Balance for which Foster government is responsible, and expended as follows:

Permanent roads \$1,983,103
Permanent bridges 448,724
Jordan Memorial Sanatorium 25,503
O'Connor property 7,000

\$2,464,330

Permanent road expenditures, interest and sinking fund are all provided for by automobile fees.

Since we have been charged with the crime of increasing the capital debt which we have done by the amount stated, let us look at the record of those who charge us with extravagance in this regard. The debt of the province is, given in the auditor's report at Oct. 31, 1907, at \$ 5,363,000

While at March 31, 1917, it amounted to 15,301,282

An increase of \$ 9,938,282

Or an increase of \$1,000,000 per annum with no provision whatever by way of a sinking fund for its redemption.

Misleading Statements.

Statements made by Messrs. Baxter and Murray are untrue, that are responsible for a deficit of \$802,000 since we came into office. The deficit for which we are responsible since we assumed office is not half that amount, to Oct. 31, 1919. It amounted to \$327,854.24 as per statement following:

Page "A" 46 Auditor's Report at Oct. 31, 1907, at . . . \$5,363,000
Less amount funded by act of assembly 747,556.85

Balance not funded for which Foster government is not responsible. \$339,713.36

Deficit Oct. 31, 1918 134,656.98

(Included in this is Valley Railway interest \$134,449 for which we cannot accept responsibility).

Deficit Oct. 31, 1919. 327,686.22

\$ 802,066.56

LESS

Foster government not responsible for \$339,713.36

Foster government not responsible for 134,498.86

— \$ 474,212.22

Balance for which Foster government is responsible \$ 327,854.34

Stumpage Increase.

The premier pointed out how under the old government there was a gross failure to collect the stumpage. It must be admitted by those supporting the old administration, he said, that the full scale of lumber cut on the crown lands was not returned to the crown land office by the scalers. Indeed, I am credibly informed in some sections that a very small percentage of lumber was scaled and the returns merely filled in by guess. It was admitted under oath before a royal commission that no more than sixty per cent of the true scale was returned to the crown land office. Let me give you the figures of the territorial revenue from the year 1910 up to the year 1919, which were as follows:

1910 \$494,491

1911 528,439

1912 522,399

1913 501,554

1914 554,361

1915 591,905

1916 540,336

1917 544,191

Under our administration. 791,027

1918 858,166

1919 1,500,000

1920 (conservative estimate) 1,500,000

From these figures which I give you of the territorial revenue, I think I can justly claim that we are entitled to some degree of credit for the in-

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