



HON. W. E. FOSTER, PREMIER OF NEW BRUNSWICK

To The Women of New Brunswick

For the first time in Provincial affairs the full and free right to the franchise is extended to women, and all those registered have the privilege of voting on October 9. Many women will thus cast their ballots for the first time, and it is fortunate that the issues in this election are so clear-cut and clearly defined. Women electors must choose between the two parties, one led by Hon. W. E. Foster, the Government party, and that led by J. B. M. Baxter, the Opposition party.

Governments are judged on their records. Oppositions must be judged on the records of the men composing that opposition, coupled with their pledges for future performance.

Consider the record of the Foster government:

1. They gave the provincial franchise to women.
2. They have greatly extended and enlarged the beneficial work of the Women's Institutes in New Brunswick.
3. They enforced the Prohibition Act of 1916 and granted a plebiscite which will result in the Act being strengthened and made permanent.
4. They have protected the family of the workman through the creation of a Workmen's Compensation Board which does away with the necessity for legal action before the injured workman is recompensed for time lost and for doctors' bills, hospital fees, etc.
5. They have cleared the province of smallpox, rendered practically the whole school population immune from the disease and introduced a system of medical inspection of schools unrivalled by any other province of Canada.
6. They have taken steps to prevent the spread of social disease and through progressive legislation put in force the proper keeping of vital statistics, thus assuring every child born in the province its own legal rights.
7. They have increased materially the government grant to teachers and made adequate provision for technical training in Vocational Schools.
8. They have raised the whole standard of rural life through proper attention to road building, both back and front roads, making possible as well the more ready sale of and better prices for farm produce.
9. They have guarded the finances, preserved the Crown Lands and have taken the first and most important steps for the development of our Water Powers, which means eventually more work and better wages in industrial centres.
10. They have conducted the affairs of the Province throughout three and one-half years in an honest, business-like manner without breath of scandal or suspicion of wrong doing.

NOW WHAT OF THE OPPOSITION?

Their record while in power was strikingly bare of Progressive Legislation while they must face responsibility for the timber limits scandal, the Valley Railway Scandal, the South-Empton Railway steal, the Patriotic Potatoes mess, and the unsavory transactions which altogether took \$500,000 from the people of the province. And yet the Opposition party, so far, has produced no platform but this slogan:

"WE STAND FOR THE SAME PRINCIPLES."

Women surely stand for Purity in politics and all that is best in public life. Need they hesitate?

The leader of the Government, HON. W. E. FOSTER, is a family man with private life above reproach, who, at an early age, assumed the full duties of citizenship, and who is known everywhere as a man of high ideals and rare qualities. He and members of his government are worthy of every woman's confidence.

VOTE FOR THE FOSTER GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES

DICKSON, WATSON, COBURN, CHRISTIE

AN INTERESTING BUDGET FROM MILLVILLE

Government Candidates Held
a Meeting—Auto Accident
—Stricken With Par-
alysis.

Millville, Sept. 29—The farmers have had some very fine weather of late to finish getting their harvests housed. Grain that is being threshed is turning out good.

On Thursday last Mr. David Coulthard one of Hay Bros. teamsters was sent about four miles for a load of hay, the horses came back to Millville with the load of hay and was caught by Dr. L. N. Jewett. Mr. Coulthard was on the load unconscious. He was taken off and it was found that he had suffered a paralytic stroke. His mouth was twisted to one side, by Saturday he had a relapse and lost the use of both his legs. He is in a critical condition at the home of Clyde McGaggin.

A political meeting was held at Millville last night by the government party. The hall was well filled by voters who listened with the greatest attention. Mr. Andrew Dunlop was chosen chairman, and called on J. B. Dickson who was given a very hearty reception. He praised the Foster government and defied any one to show proof that one dollar was spent that was not accounted for. He touched on the stumpage question and on the government's policy of good roads. Mr. Christie promised to do his level best to promote the interests of the County. Mr. J. J. F. Winslow was the next speaker and made a striking contrast between the new and old governments.

Mr. John T. Kay, a returned soldier told how the old government had promised money for road work, but had not paid it over. Since the present government took office he had gone to Hon. Mr. Veniot. Money was promised for good work and was paid over without delay. He promised to do his best for the government candidates in this election.

In a recent auto accident here Miss Mina Kennedy had her arm broken. She was riding in a car driven by Mr. Gordon Russell of Calais and collided with another belonging to Mr. Edgar F. Cronkhite of Hawkeshaw. The accident occurred while Mr. Cronkhite was backing his car the other having run in to him.

Millville station was a busy place this afternoon when cattle and hogs were being loaded for market. Pork is worth 16 cents and beef about 12 cents here.

The United Baptist churches of the Millville field have secured the services of Mr. Brooks of St. John as the pastor for the coming year. Mr. Brooks preached two able and inspiring sermons Sunday Sept. 26th. Rev. Mr. Archer preached in the evening.

Rally Day was observed in the Sunday School with special exercises and singing. Miss Heine gave a delightful and helpful address on the Relation of the Sunday School to the Church. Mr. Brooks and the Supt. J. C. Jones also gave short addresses.

A chapter of the World Wide Guild has been organized in this place and on Monday evening held their first meeting at the home of Mrs. Gregory. After the usual routine of business, a tea was served by the ladies, and all voted it as a pleasant evening. The Guild will meet every Monday evening. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Kelly.

TURNED DOWN BY FARMERS

Moncton, Sept. 29—The Conservative Convention for the County of Westmorland was held here on Tuesday afternoon, and feeling rather unhappy, decided to send a delegation to the United Farmers' Convention to ask advice, comfort and assistance. The delegation went, and returned sadder, but wiser. They were given a rebuff by the farmers who refused to receive them.

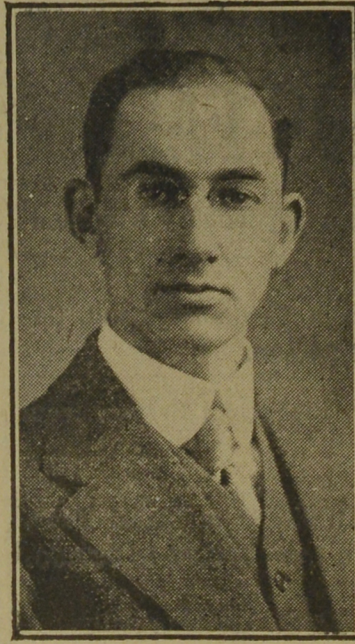
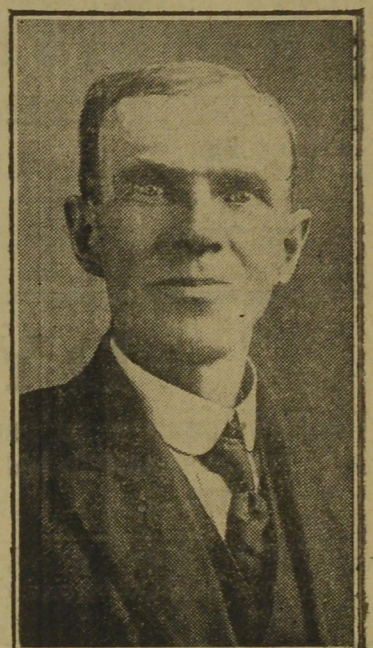
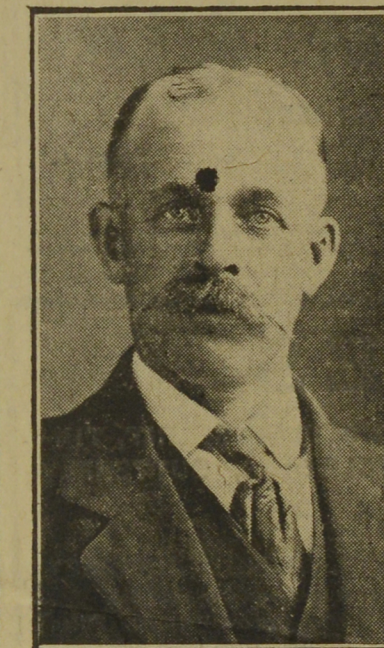
The Convention discussed the chances of several prospective candidates. Among them being Mr. H. H. Wood, Sackville; Dr. Oulton, Baie Verte; Mr. R. McDonald, Shediac; and Mr. A. J. Legere, Moncton. Ex-Ald. H. H. Warman, was ready to run on a joint ticket with the farmers but not otherwise.

When the delegation returned from cooling its heels in the anti-chamber of the United Farmers' Convention, the Opposition gathering sorrowfully adjourned till Friday afternoon.

There were 22 Conservatives present in yesterday's convention. There was no pressing demand for seats. When the meeting opened there were only ten present.

Now and then a style comes along and finds a woman at home. What we mean is that the style is adapted to that particular woman, and she does not have to be reconstructed.

THE MEN TO VOTE FOR

J. B. DICKSON,
Barrister at Law, Fredericton.P. S. WATSON,
Merchant, North Devon.

WILL MAKE INSANITY PLEA

Andover, Sept. 29—Newman Clark of Grand Falls accused of the most serious crime that can be laid against men—the taking of human life—linguishes in his prison cell here awaiting a convenient time for the empaneling a jury to hear the Crown's accusation and his reply and await their decision as to his future.

The trial was on the court calendar for September 28th, but as farmers were too busy gathering their crops, it was impossible to secure a jury without causing great inconvenience so the case has been set ahead to November 30th.

Clark has twice been married, his wives being cut loose through the divorce route. Phoebe Bell whom Clark

is alleged to have murdered on the night of March 25, was the object of his quest for a third matrimonial venture. He wooed with all the ardor of a fervent lover and on his suit being rejected, in a moment of jealous rage, it is alleged drew his revolver and inflicted wounds from which the girl died.

Defence is Insanity.

His attempts to escape arrest and his break from the Grand Falls hospital when he was being treated for self-inflicted wounds made presumably in an attempt at suicide after his attack on the girl, are well known. The defence will plead insanity, and it is expected an array of alienists will be summoned for the trial on Nov. 30th. It is hoped to secure a verdict of not guilty by reason of insanity.

Many a woman never knows what it is to be a widow.

THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY

(Extract from Premier Foster's Manifesto to the Electors.)

To sum up very briefly the Government, when returned to power proposes:

To give the greatest possible assistance to agriculture in every shape and form.

To lend most vigorous support to hydro-electric development and to further the same by using the credit and resources of the province in order that the people may have the cheapest power and light for their use.

To continue our policy for the improvement of all the roads of the province, back roads as well as front, farmers' roads as well as those for the use of automobiles, giving an equal policy for fair play to everybody, no matter where they live.

To give further encouragement to education, not only in the common schools of the province, but to vocational education and to agricultural education, so that the young people of New Brunswick will have equal opportunities with the youth of any other province.

To provide such labor legislation within provincial jurisdiction as may be called for by the findings of the national industrial conference and the international labor conference.

To conserve energetically and carefully our timber resources and to give every encouragement to the development of mining areas.

To continue our policy of protection of public health and give such assistance as we can to hospitals and institutions necessary to provide for those unable to care for themselves.

To guard the interests of the people at all times.

To maintain provincial rights.

To inquire into the best methods of inducing immigration to the province and to make such arrangements with the other Maritime Provinces as will be conducive to this.