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DEBATE ON ADDRESS IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

Hon. Mr. King's Proposal for an Early Election Put Pep in the Proceedings—Sir George Foster was in Good Form—New Leader of the Opposition Acquitted Himself Well—Sir George Has Mellowed With Advancing Years.

(Montreal Star)
Ottawa, Ont., March 3—The panacea of all our ills, national and political lies in an electoral appeal to the country according to the gospel preached by the Hon. Mackenzie King and his followers.

In the House of Commons yesterday they confessed the faith they profess to embrace. On the other hand we had Sir George Foster, speaking for the Government describing the proposal of the Opposition as a clever bit of camouflage, inviting the kudos that may attach to it but incurring little risk of disaster in the end. There is no accepted standard by which the truth of the situation can be arrived at, no embarrassed jury to determine where sincerity ends and political expediency begins.

Livens Up Debate

Whatever the facts, there is no question that the election scheme with which there are some outside subscribers caused the House to sit up and take notice. It put "pep" and "punch" and personality into a debate that ordinarily is staid and stilted and perfunctory. Some of these nights there will need to be a vote on the question and a vote is always an interesting thing. There need be no question of the fate of the proposal. It won't carry. Probably if there were a chance of it carrying or being accepted it never would have been brought forward but a star rises on the political horizon and Mr. King evidently would attempt to hitch his chariot thereto, winning plaudits, perhaps, for an ostensibly courageous exploit with out dreaming of ever effecting a junction.

This annual free for all is in a class by itself, or it may be brief it may be exasperatingly long. The speeches may be of the most pointed pertinency; they may be of utter irrelevancy; some of them are intended for immediate absorption generally—and particularly yesterday—they seemed addressed to the great gallery of public opinion outside of Parliament.

It was a unique occasion in many respects. For one thing, it was the initial business session of the Commons in its new and magnificent chamber. A great big place almost too big for the far-enders to hear what is going on. The galleries were full, especially the senatorial boxes.

Again the House met under new conditions. Last year there was an acting Premier and acting leader of the Opposition. This time again, there is an acting Premier, a new draftee from the panel and a full-fledged leader of the Opposition in the House and of the Liberal party generally. The honor of the position, the traditions that attach to it, the difficulty of worthily living up to them must be somewhat harassing and disturbing factor to the

tyro, but Mr. King it was conceded did well.

Some who are accustomed to knock gave the compliment of a boost.

Foster Shows Change

In Sir George Foster we have one of the old brigade—the daddy of them all in length of service. There is little about the game he does not know. He has the cumulative knowledge of a long life of fruitful experiences. The tragedies of politics have enormously mellowed the Foster of old. The cold, caustically critic, oftentimes vehement orator, famous for his destructive broadsides seemed surrounded ever, in those days, by a barrier of frigid reserve. In its place today there is a seemingly broadened vision, a better humor, a greater charity, much more of the little humanities that find a place even in the atmosphere of political life and warfare.

Yesterday's debate started off auspiciously. The mover and seconder, especially the former, performed no ordinary stunt. Mr. Cronyn combined

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

Fredericton, N. B.,

March 2nd, 1920.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY MAJOR W. H. LAUGHLIN, Officer Commanding 71st Regiment.

The following extract from District Orders, M. D. No. 7 has been received:

DISTRICT ORDERS.

(After order)

By Brigadier General A. H. Macdonnell, C. M. G., D. S. O., Commanding Military District No. 7.

St. John, N. B., March 1st, 1920.
No. 155—OPENING OF THE N. B. LEGISLATURE—GUARD OF HONOR.

The Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick will be convened by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor on the afternoon of March 11th, at 3.30 o'clock.

The Guard of Honor, consisting of one captain, two subalterns, four sergeants and one hundred rank and file, and the regimental band, will be furnished by the 71st Regiment.

The Guard of Honor and Band will be in position facing the main entrance to the Parliament Buildings at 3.15 o'clock. They will receive His Honor with a Royal Salute (the band playing six bars of the National Anthem) on his arrival at and departure from the Parliament Buildings.

A salute of 15 guns will be fired on the arrival of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, by a detachment of returned soldiers under Lieutenant Norman Cass, University of New Brunswick. The detachment will consist of four (4) returned soldiers per gun.

The guns will be fired at intervals of 30 seconds, the first gun being fired as the command "Present Arms" is given by the Officer Commanding the Guard of Honor.

The S. O. O. will arrange to ship two twelve pounder guns and necessary ammunition to Fredericton.

The S. S. & T. O. will arrange to have guns placed in position at Fredericton. Guns to be placed on river bank near the Legislative Building.

Clothing and equipment for the Guard of Honor and the Artillery Salute will be issued by the S. O. O. to the 71st Regiment.

The 71st Regiment will issue clothing, on loan, required, to the Artillery Detachment.

All clothing issued will be withdrawn to the regimental stores before pay is issued to the individual men concerned.

The S. O. P. S. will issue instructions and forms for both the Guard of Honor and the Artillery Salute to Major A. Sterling, who is making arrangements for the Guard of Honor.

The S. M. O. will detail a medical officer to attend at the firing of the salute, with the necessary field dressing case.

Dress—Drill order. Officers will wear swords.

Officers of the Militia and C. E. F. Reserve are invited to attend the opening of the Legislature. Service uniform, with swords, will be worn.

A. H. H. POWELL, Lieut. Col.
A. A. G., M. D. No. 7.

Detail of Officers

Officer Commanding the Guard: Major W. C. Lawsons, M. C.
Other Officers: Capt. J. S. Scott, Lieut. A. E. McElveney.

Issue of Clothing, etc.

Clothing, arms and equipment will be issued from the Armory on Saturday, March 6th, from 2 to 5.30 p. m., and 7 to 9 p. m., and on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, March 8th, 9th and 10th, from 7 to 9 p. m. The guard to be composed as largely as possible of veterans of the late war.

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a felicity of eloquent diction with thought. They have broken with the social vision and a lot of wellreasoned sensible, constructive suggestions. Mr. McGregor's speech will need to be read. He spoke so low that few who gave ear could catch what he said. The dominant theme seemed to be a tribute to Canadian industry and its place in the country.

Will Last for Days

The discussion will go on for days yet. There will need to be time to dig into the situation and rake it over and consider the political consequences of the division which now must occur. The cross-benches have food for

There will be much discussion of the election proposal and a lot of it was in the air, even before yesterday but obviously it is not in the Government's calculations and, in the last analysis will be found to contain no place upon the somewhat uncertain chart of the Ministerial party.

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