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## UP TO THE FARMERS TO PROVIDE THE REMEDY

Some Plain Talk from Mr. R. H. Herbert, M. P., ex-President of the U. F. O.—Says Farmers Should Not be Too Anxious to Make Money—Tells of the Work of the U. F. O.—Farmers Should Read Up on the Tariff.

St. Catharines, Jan. 27.—R. H. Herbert, M. P., for North Ontario and ex-President of the U. F. O. told the farmers gathered at a meeting in the Happy Family Theatre here this evening that they were themselves to blame for the condition the farms had fallen into and that it was up to them to remedy it.

"We have a duty to perform for ourselves and our children—placing our industries on a level with the other industries of the country," he said.

### Not for Money-Making

At the same time Mr. Herbert warned the farmers not to be too anxious about money making. "If farmers have organized for no other purpose than to make a few cents more on a basket of grapes or on a bushel of potatoes, I say for goodness' sake blow out the light and go home."

Mr. Herbert during the course of his speech, which lasted for more than an hour, dealt with every phase of the work of the U. S. O. He referred at length to the "Ottawa trip," and declared that he was not ashamed to acknowledge that he headed that delegation. If anybody other than farmers had been ridiculed by the press the way the farmers were at that time, there would have been a revolution in the country, he declared.

### Study the Tariff

Mr. Herbert advised the farmers to study up the tariff question, as the next election would be fought on that issue. "Read up all the information you can on the tariff, let your mind be a sponge and soak it in so they can't pull the wool over your eyes and hoodwink you into believing that tariff bars are good for the country."

The speaker declared that he was glad the time had come for the farm women to set the style. It would mean he said, that there would be less of this "decollette business."

Mr. Herbert mentioned the North Ontario election campaign, and spoke of the efforts made to defeat him. He had had already practically two elections and if the Union Government went out of business before the next election as some of his friends assured him it would, he would have another election to face before he could take his seat.

### Racial Disturbers Enemies

At one time he had thought that the greatest offender was the man who stole the public funds but he had changed his opinion. "The man who, for reasons I care not what, stirs up the fires of racial discord is the greatest enemy the country ever had," he said amid applause.

(At some length the speaker referred to the binder twice deals that caused some excitement a few weeks ago. Canadian manufacturers had wanted to boycott the U. F. O. two years ago. Even last year, he declared the twine manufacturers had compelled the farmers to go to the State for their twine. "But this year they say: 'You should buy in Canada!' I say that the man who helped us out of the mud and mire should get the trade this year. We have worn the knees out of our pants begging the manufacturers and now they can wear the knees out of their begging us.")

### No Doormat for Politicians

"We are going to lift our industry from the door where it has been the mat for every politician to wipe his dirty boots on," Mr. Herbert said. "Independence of thought and using their own brains made it possible for the farmers to do it in October; they



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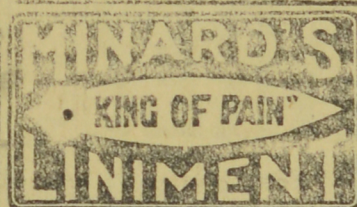
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can do it again. The chief ambition of the Drury Government is," the speaker declared, "to give the people honest government. They have their difficulties to face, but if they remain honest the country has nothing to fear."

### No Profiteers on Farms

"The city people" the member for North Ontario continued, "accused the farmers of being profiteers. They should come out to the farms and try profiteering themselves. There are no farmers with shotguns on the concession lines trying to keep them back, but they know," he added, "that there is not a farm in Ontario, unless a fruit farm, that can rent for six per cent interest on the capital invested, and that keeps them back. The high price of products does not help the farms any. You can't buy the broom for two pounds of butter now that you could have bought for a pound and a quarter ten years ago. The only way to solve the high cost of living was to lessen the cost of production and lessen the cost of distribution."

Twelve Farmer members would sit in the Dominion House next session Halbert said. It rested with the farmers to say how many more would sit after the next election. He urged them to strengthen their organization and prepare for the coming struggle.



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## CURLERS CELEBRATED THE VICTORY

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The Fredericton Curling Club held a jollification last night to celebrate the winning of the McLellan Cup by three local rinks on Wednesday at Bathurst. The winning curlers with the silverware in custody arrived on the "whooper" last night and were met at the station by a large welcoming party. The party then proceeded to the rink in Brunswick Street where an informal banquet was served and speeches made with the customary musical and other numbers.

President H. H. Hagerman took the chair and there was a large attendance of members of the club and invited guests. Speeches were made by all members of the victorious three rinks and a full account of the trip, the match and attendant circumstances given.

On the arrival at Bathurst the Fredericton curlers found that hotel accommodations were at a premium and spent the night sitting in chairs and playing cards. T. A. Belmore played J. G. Stout in the afternoon and R. Fitz Randolph against N. Thibideau and F. P. Hutt against E. P. McKay at night. Skip Belmore pulled out with a ten-point lead but at night Bathurst reduced it almost to the vanishing point when each Fredericton rink came across with a five-end making

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### Bathurst Good Sports

All the Fredericton curlers paid tribute to the sporting qualities of the Bathurst club. Interest in the match on the North Shore was so intense that four extra operators had to be kept in the telephone exchange to answer calls concerning the match.

Dr. Charles McKay who was in Bathurst was appointed mascot and performed noble duty. During the match there was but one dispute and then the stone was awarded Fredericton. Skip Belmore is said to have placed thirty five out of thirty six stones played in the match.

A. S. McFarlane in his remarks paid a compliment to the skips stating that a better selection could not have been made.

### Veterans Spoke

J. H. Hawthorne and R. S. Barker veterans of the game, also spoke. Mr. Barker said the Fredericton Curling Club never was in better position to defend the McLellan Cup, having a large membership of keen curlers. Mr. Hawthorne gave brief sketches of earlier days of the club and its connection with the McLellan Cup.

Dr. H. V. B. Bridges also was called upon for reminiscences.

### First Winning

In 1887 after the cup was donated by the Hon. David McLellan the North Shore clubs and those of the south part of the province played elimination matches. Chatham and Frederic-

ton were the final competitors. Between New Brunswick and Nova Scotia the clubs playing were Fredericton and Truro, Fredericton winning. The same year the club won the McSweeney Cup. Next day the Fredericton rinks were beaten. Thus the McLellan Cup last night first graced the table of the local club although it had previously been won.

During the banquet there were selections by the Devon Quartette and readings by W. A. Walsh.

It was announced at the close of the banquet that the Wee Neilly and Points Competition were cancelled for the week.

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