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## A SPLENDID ENDORSEMENT.

Mr. Richard B. Hanson, K. C., who has been York-Sunbury's representative in the Federal Parliament for the past five and one half years, during which time he has carried the Conservative standard to victory on three occasions, was on Saturday unanimously chosen to contest this constituency at the election to be held on September 14th. The convention which placed him in nomination without a dissenting voice, was in the opinion of those competent to judge the largest, most representative and enthusiastic ever held in this city by either of the great political parties. This is an exceedingly busy season for the farmers; they are expected to make hay while the sun shines, but on Saturday hundreds of them pitched the job for the time being and journeyed to the city to express emphatic approval of Mr. Hanson's course as a representative and to make sure of his nomination for another term. Every parish in the two counties, and as far as can be learned every polling district was represented in the splendid gathering which thronged the Court House to capacity and joined heartily in paying to Mr. Hanson one of the finest tributes ever given to a public man in this province.

Mr. Hanson's unanimous nomination by the Conservatives of York-Sunbury on Saturday simply means that, whether he is opposed or not, he will be the next representative of this constituency in the Parliament of Canada and in the future as in the past he can be depended upon to worthily discharge his duties in the best interests of all the people. As The Mail has pointed out before Mr. Hanson is one of the ablest and most capable men who has ever represented either York or Sunbury in the Federal Parliament. He is not a native of the constituency, but the best years of his life have been spent here, and they have been years of honest toil and loyal service to a constantly increasing clientele and to the public. Mr. Hanson, like many others who have climbed the ladder to success, was not born with a silver spoon in his mouth. He came to Fredericton twenty-five years ago a perfect stranger, without friends or influence, and the success which he has achieved both in his profession and in public life has been little short of marvellous. He is probably the only man who was ever elected to Parliament for this constituency who proved himself far stronger than the party which selected him as its standard bearer. At the general election of October last he carried this constituency by a majority of 5,400, the largest ever rolled up by a candidate in the history of the two counties. No man or woman who voted for Mr. Hanson in October last regrets having done so, and should his candidature in the election now pending be opposed, there is every reason for believing that the majority in his favor will be even more emphatic than that recorded at the polls in October last. The people of York-Sunbury know a good thing when they see it, and they are firmly of the opinion that the services which Mr. Hanson will render at Ottawa during the next five years will be of inestimable value to this great and important constituency.

In honoring Mr. Hanson on Saturday by a unanimous nomination the Conservatives of York-Sunbury really honored themselves as well as the noble counties which comprise what is the largest constituency in the Maritime Provinces in point of territory—larger even than the entire province of Prince Edward Island. The constituency of York-Sunbury has great resources to be developed, and it is of the utmost importance that its varied interests should have as spokesman in the great council of the nation a man of absolutely honorable motives, a man of ability and dynamic energy, a man possessed of the courage of his convictions, one who knows the needs of the hour and has the force and ability to give expression to his views, one from whom all classes of the electorate are assured of fair and generous treatment—such a man is Richard B. Hanson, K. C., Conservative candidate in York-Sunbury.

Toronto Globe: The Stratford Beacon-Herald has spoiled a good story by declaring that the "bear" killed by an automobile near St. Thomas was

a groundhog, but neglected to add that it was a victim of the modern road-hog.

No man who ever represented this constituency at Ottawa ever had a stronger hold on the people than Mr. R. B. Hanson, K. C. Evidence of this was furnished by the great convention which on Saturday tendered him a unanimous nomination.

Mr. W. J. Taylor, publisher of the Woodstock Sentinel-Review and also of Rod and Gun in Canada, has been chosen as the Liberal candidate for North Oxford, Ontario.

Capt. J. T. Shaw, who led the Liberal forces in Alberta at the recent provincial election has been declared elected on a recount by a majority of one.

Mussolini now requires that everyone in Italy work nine hours a day, which leaves some of the more energetic younger patriots only 15 hours to parade.

A specialist is one who has his patients trained to become ill only in his office hours. A general practitioner is likely to be called off the golf course at any time.

There are compensations in bad golf: If you hok your drive into the woods you get to know the lovely wild flowers.

The approved pose for lady tennis players in roto sections is to appear to be jumping over something 12 feet high that isn't there.

The average aggressive social climber is one whose good taste hasn't progressed proportionately with his sense of class consciousness.

Travel on the highways would be much safer if intelligent anticipation of the accident were in proportion to the hysterical investigation after it.

They've reduced this thing to a point where you can get practically anything on time payments but a shave.

Women don't seem to be as fond of clothes as they used to be. Otherwise they would wear more of 'em.

An optimist is one who, when the golf ball is lost, looks first of all in the hole.

We are told to expect a severe winter. Well, perhaps we'll be used to anything by that time.

Nothing proves so irritating as a sunburned neck with a wilted collar.

Money talks, but its' not an impressive oration the franc is making.

If Time is money, Procrastination is the greatest thief of all ages.

## THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Recipes for keeping cool do not always work satisfactorily in July.

"Poverty is not a virtue in itself" says Glenn Frank. There goes another comforting thought.

Who can remember when men paid money to see a leg-show?

It seems a shame that bright, pretty children have to grow up.

Marriage in the motor age changes the girl from the front to the back seat.

Nothing is gained, when telephoning by asking for the wrong number first.

With good roads and the automobile distant relatives are not so far away as they were in former days.

It takes the average woman so long to get ready to go away for a vacation that she has to rest before she can start.

Lima Beane thinks the only thing the matter with the world is an appetite for strawberries, when prunes would be better for it.

We suppose there are some who have an idea the men employed by the weather bureau don't feel the heat, that they are cool, like the man who carries heavy cakes of ice all day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Michling of Philadelphia are stopping at the Queen.

C. H. Barnes of Scranton, Pa., is a guest at the Barker House.

## PUBLIC OPINION

### AN IMPORTANT POINT.

The Editor of The Mail,  
Dear Sir—Does not the average Church Report, stressing material advancement and almost ignoring the Spiritual condition of the Parish indicate that we are forgetting the admonition, "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness, and all these things will be added unto Thee?"

Yours truly,  
STERLING BRANNEN.  
Fredericton, N. B., July 24, 1926.

## PERSONAL MENTION

A. D. Edward of St. John is at the Queen.

R. W. Watson of St. John is a guest at the Windsor.

N. C. Kearns of St. John is registered at the Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Coll of St. John are guests at the Windsor.

W. F. Burn of St. John is at the Windsor today.

E. L. Stewart of Toronto is a guest at the Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Gallagher, Miss Dorothy Gallagher and Miss Alice Gallagher, all of Pittsburgh, Pa., are stopping at the Windsor.

## HIGHWAY FRAUDS IN NOVA SCOTIA WILL BE PROBED

Halifax, July 23—Although no statement is procurable here, tonight in regard to the matter it is learned from unimpeachable sources that the Provincial Government has launched wholesale prosecutions against Annapolis County citizens, charging forgery, perjury and obtaining money under false pretenses in connection with the alleged padding of road-work payrolls of the Highway Department.

Already six warrants have been issued at Annapolis Royal but no arrests have been made. Dates for preliminary hearings of the charges have been fixed for August 2 and 3 and W. A. Livingston, of Annapolis Royal will act as Crown Prosecutor. It is understood that the arrests will be deferred until the dates set for the hearings, and in the meantime, it is stated, a number of other informations will be laid in Annapolis County, making charges similar to those upon which the warrants already issued, are based.

The offenses charged are alleged to have been committed shortly after the Provincial elections in 1925 and about the time of the suspension of work on the highways, soon after the return of the Rhodes Government. A road foreman stated is involved in the charges, and one of the warrants issued at Annapolis is understood to be for a woman who is connected with one of the most influential families in the Annapolis Valley.

The report concerning the Annapolis County charges revives, here the story of an alleged bribing incident in another County, several months ago, when it is reported a contractor with the Highways Department offered a bribe to an engineer of the Department. Although inquiry has been made it is impossible to ascertain whether it is the intention of the Government to institute proceedings in connection with the incident.

At that time it was rumored that the Assistant Minister of Highways was about to lay a charge with the Crown Prosecutor in an adjoining county, but since then nothing has transpired in that connection.

## SPECIAL ATTRACTION AT THE CAPITOL THEATRE

"Seven Sinners is the photo play at the Capitol for Monday and Tuesday is a right good entertainment sailing under slightly misleading colors.

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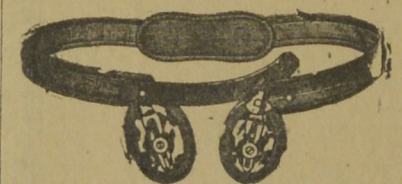
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