

SIR HIBBERT TUPPER'S SPEECH AT HALIFAX

Advices That Party Lines Be Dropped on the Great Question of Imperial Defence—Former Tory Cabinet Minister Thinks Great Men of Both Parties Should Get Together as in Days of Old.

(Halifax Chronicle.)

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, who is on his way to England, to spend the Christmas season with his venerable father, was given a cordial welcome by members of the Canadian Club, whose guest he was at a luncheon yesterday afternoon. The St. Julien room of the Halifax Hotel was filled with a representative company of Halifaxians, who were glad to welcome a former citizen who had played a conspicuous part in the affairs of the Dominion for many years, and who is now a distinguished member of the Bar of British Columbia. Hon. Geo. E. Faulkner, president of the club, was in the chair, and introduced the speaker with graceful words of welcome, and seated at the head of the table was Lieut. Gov. MacGregor, Mr. Justice Longley and Mayor Chisholm.

A "PILLOW PICTURE."

Sir Hibbert spoke in that clear-cut, vigorous style which has given him distinction as one of the best platform speakers in the Dominion. His topic was Canada's contribution to Imperial defence, and, being avowedly "out of politics," he sketched a line of action which, he said, should not be left to either party. He painted a "pillow picture" of a round-table conference, where men dropping party rivalries in the interest of the State, would evolve a definite policy to place Canada in its proper and worthy position, alongside the sister nations of the Empire. He advocated the abolition once and forever of political patronage, which had been the curse and blight of every Government of Canada, Conservative as well as Liberal, and to unite upon a policy of sea and land contributions after the best advice in the Empire, to share the titanic burden.

"Then we might live to see," he declared, "the Bourasses, the Monks and all their ilk driven to the four winds of heaven."

The thanks of the Club were tendered to Sir Hibbert, in a few happy words, by President Faulkner.

THE DREAMS OF HOWE.

Sir Hibbert was given a warm greeting on rising to speak. A week ago, he said, he had come from the western portal of the Dominion, guarded by the Rainbow and now he was at the eastern gateway, among old friends, guarded by the Niobe. He spoke of the pleasure it was to him to be in Halifax and of the readiness with which he had answered the courteous and kindly telegram from the Canadian Club, inviting him to be present on this occasion.

He was here Sir Hibbert went on to say in the land of Howe, a statesman who dreamed dreams, who saw visions, and his grandest dream was consolidation of the Empire. A remark by his granddaughter, about dreams, "pillow pictures" she called them, was happily introduced by the speaker. Sir Hibbert thought it would be well for the people to reflect on those dreams of statesmen of bygone days, showing how much had been done in working them out. Very much had been accomplished in the work of consolidation of British interests and British power.

GREATER OPPORTUNITIES

Men like Howe and Johnstone and Brown and Macdonald had had greater advantages to solve difficult questions than had Laurier and Borden today, because of the great prosperity of the country as we have it, because of "the lure of gold" that drew so many from the study of serious political questions. These patriotic men of old could summon to their aid great leaders of men representative of the best mercantile and professional life who were ready and anxious to respond.

Today there is not such a marked ambition in the country to serve it. Laurier cannot call to his aid, with

all his forces, such men as could be and were secured of old. So also with Borden. Sir Hibbert hoped this kind of thing would not last too long. There was danger in it. He believed when party rivalries should be dropped and the best men of both parties should come together. Such a time is at hand when questions of national defence and Imperial unity are considered and factions arise to mar consolidative work.

SPIRIT OF THE COUNTRY

Not only in Quebec but in Ontario and on the Plains there was absolute indifference and selfishness as to the question of Imperial defence. He said that we should boldly face the fact that we were already in the maelstrom of militarism, that the world was an armed camp today and that nations were straining every nerve to maintain their prestige. While there was this indifference and reluctance on the part of the people to spend one farthing in the defence of the Empire, the spirit of the country he said was different and that the spirit could be aroused if we do not contribute to the defence of the Empire we are not worthy to remain in it.

In old times the subject of consolidation of British strength in America was settled by coalition. Brown and Macdonald dropped their parties and massed their forces in order to present an unbroken front.

SIR WILFRID'S PROBLEM.

Laurier has to deal with the innate selfishness of men, with a population determined to get rich quick. "We have the Liberal leader then, striving in the right line to do his duty in contributing as Canada may according to her resources, but his position was difficult. He was in the presence of factions, principled and unprincipled, and he was confronted by a party eager to gain partisan advantage, hence he had to make use of phrases such as 'the abyss of militarism,' and 'the maelstrom of militarism,' because of party politics. Sir Hibbert declared that we were in that maelstrom now and would soon be in it up to the neck. Here then, was the opportunity for the unprincipled party politician to snatch a party victory and to spoil the dreams of Howe and all those who had labored and striven for the great work of consolidation.

Sir Hibbert proceeded to speak of the loyalty of the French-Canadians in the days of Sir George E. Cartier, who had said, "the last shot fired in defence of British power in Canada would be fired by a French-Canadian" and Cartier was able to the last to remain a leader of his people. He also was the father of the Militia Act.

THE U. S. NAVY.

Our neighbors to the south of us had been quick to see the needs of defence—that this world is an armed camp—and in a few years they had built one of the great navies of the world.

Britain had obtained her splendid position in the world by sea power, and every effort was being made to continue that naval power—to maintain that Empire unimpaired. By sea power was the Empire created, by that alone could it be maintained. The men, he thought, were living in a fool's paradise who said, "We in Canada shall do nothing for Imperial defence."

ROUND TABLE CONFERENCE.

A round table conference should evolve a policy of defense on which both parties would stand. There should be unity of parties, to make Canadians absolutely loyal to a policy of sharing in the defence of the Empire. Then we could share the titanic burden, and we might live to see driven to the four winds, the Bourasses and Monks and all that ilk who would destroy and render of no

CANADIAN ELOQUENCE THAT WON IN BRITAIN

The following are extracted from addresses made to the electors by Canadian candidates in English constituencies:

Mr. W. M. Atkin (U.), Ashton-under-Lyne.—"It is as a business man rather than as a politician that I appeal to you to confer upon me the proud distinction of being your member. . . . The conspiracy against the House of Lords, largely financed by American dollars, has been exposed. Its object is to obtain Home Rule for Ireland, and other changes strongly disapproved of by the English electorate, which the downfall of the House of Lords veto would enable this faction-ridden Government to pass behind the backs of the people, without being compelled to consult them. . . . This is not the time for separation. Separation is a backward movement.

This is a time for consolidation of the Empire, not disintegration. It is around the second great question, namely tariff reform, that the Unionist party will rally. I am an earnest and keen social reformer, fervently desiring to better the conditions of the working classes of our country. All measures of social reform will receive my hearty support. Prevention is better than cure; employment is better than relief measures or charity."

Mr. J. Allen Baker (L., East Finsbury).—"The Protectionist proposals have indeed been broken by the logic of hard fact during the past year. Our trade, condemned to a rapid extinction of unpatriotic Protectionists, has improved by leaps and bounds. The percentage of unemployment has been greatly lowered. In the highly protected countries, on the other hand, the cost of living has been grossly increased that the workers have either risen in open rebellion or, as in the United States of America, have turned out of power the Protectionist party."

Mr. Joseph Martin (L., East St. Pancras).—"I support Home Rule for Ireland (including one man one vote). I support the whole Liberal platform of social reform, and also Votes for Women on the same terms as for men. If the necessary guarantees are refused to us by His Majesty I intend that it will be the duty of the Liberal Ministry to decline to carry on the Government of the country, no matter how great their majority may be, unless and until the power of coercing the Lords into passing the veto resolutions and the Parliament bill has been granted. While I support the Government policy as above stated, personally I would entirely abolish the House of Lords, such as it is today, and substitute an elected second chamber."

Dr. J. E. Molson (U., North-East Bethnal Green).—"I come forward as a candidate in favor of reform, not destruction, of the House of Lords, making it a strong second chamber. I am a strong tariff reformer and desire to see a scientific tariff introduced, carefully worked out for the benefit of the working classes of this country. To effect this I would not support a single extra penny raised on food taxation, above what is raised at the present time. . . . I believe in Colonial preference and would wish to see a more closely knit Empire, with free trade within her borders, and protection against the foreigner. I stand for a strong navy, which is essential to the continued existence of the Empire, and should like to see the navy contributed to by all the colonies, who, indeed, have already shown willingness to do their part."

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GLAD TO BE HERE.

In a more personal note, by way of conclusion, Sir Hibbert said that if he was not living in his native province it was not because of desire to be away from it. He left Nova Scotia for his health and for that alone. His happiest moments were when opportunities came to clasp the hands of people from his own province. When they came to the coast he hoped they would have as kindly a reception as he had been given back here in Nova Scotia, and for his part he would try to make it such. (Applause.)

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MARYSVILLE TOPICS

Dec. 16.—A very pleasant evening was spent by the members of the Methodist congregation on Thursday, when they assembled at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Berrie and presented them with many useful gifts.

Miss Sadie Waycott of Fredericton, was the guest of Miss Mary Gibson on Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. McConnell was called to St. John by the illness of her granddaughter, Marjorie Cowan.

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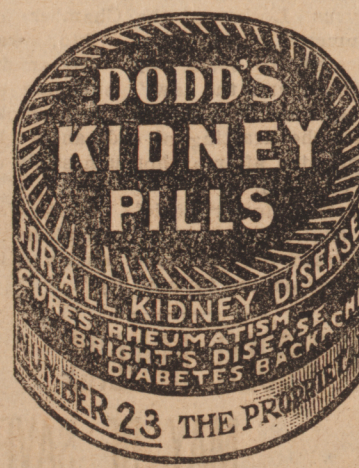
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No. 317—Suburban for Gibson and Marysville, 6.15.
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ARRIVALS.

No. 318—Suburban from Marysville 8.15.
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No. 328—Suburban from Marysville, 19.15.
No. 320—Suburban from Marysville, 22.35.

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DEPARTURES.

6:20 a. m.—Express for St. John, Portland, Boston, Woodstock, etc.
8:15 a. m.—Mixed for Woodstock and points North. Leaves St. Marys at 8:35.
9:45 a. m.—Express for St. John and points east.
4:30 p. m.—Mixed for Woodstock, via Gibson branch. (Daily).
5:45 p. m.—Express for Montreal, and Boston, Woodstock, St. Stephen, etc.
9:00 p. m.—Express for St. John and points east.

ARRIVALS.

9:10 a. m.—Express from St. John and points east.
11:40 a. m.—Mixed from Woodstock via Gibson Branch. (Daily).
11:50 a. m.—Express from Montreal, Boston, etc.
7:50 p. m.—Express from St. John and points east.
9:20 p. m.—Mixed from Woodstock and points North.
10:40 p. m.—Express from Boston, Portland, Woodstock, St. Stephen, etc.

NOTICE

To the heirs of the late W. H. White, non-residents of School District No. 2, and Village of Gibson, Parish of Saint Mary's and County of York,

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1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910
\$1.05	\$1.20	\$1.27	\$1.65	\$1.60	\$1.80	\$1.80

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1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910
\$0.80	\$0.64	\$0.72	\$0.96	\$0.90	\$0.86

have not been paid, and unless the same, with the expenses of advertising, are paid within two months, your real estate will be sold or proceedings taken for the recovery of said rates and taxes.

Dated this Sixth day of December, 1910.

WM. JAFFREY,

Collector of Rates and Sec. of Trustees

H. H. PICKARD,

Sec. to Gibson Village W. and F. Commissioners.

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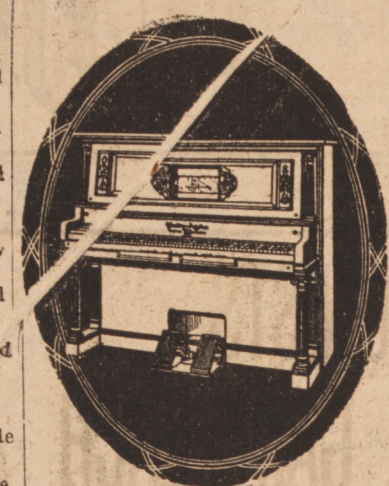
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Dated the 30th day of November, A. D., 1910.

WILLIAM T. HOWE,

Sheriff of York.

McLELLAN & HUGHES
Plaintiff's Attorney.

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