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#### Liberal Convention

inst., at 1.30 p. m. in the Y. M.C.A. so spent in 1910. Hall for the purpose of nominating The government continues to lose local and Dominion Parliaments.

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#### FOUR MONTHS' RECORD

Hazen is no doubt following his Do- larger amount; in the first four minion leader in holding that Canada months of 1911 it has cost the provshould not have close business rela- ince about \$450. Apparently this actions with the United States. The count, like the brook, is going to run Conservative chiefs do not believe, ap- on forever. No doubt Mr. H. A parently, that the farmers and the Powell and other friends of the gov fishermen and the lumbermen of the ernment will be glad of this. various provinces should engage in The statement shows also that business dealings with the people who \$3,200 have been spent since the close live in the adjoining country but who of the fiscal year for printing. Perhold allegiance to a flag other than haps this explains why in 1910 we that of Britain. These politicians temporarily lost the \$8,100 Gleaner. profess to see danger to the Imperial cause in any agreement which has for its purpose the extension of Canada's business relations with the United

from Mr. Hazen as premier of New portant business dealings with a big amount of this loan will startle the not long ago but without success. that the increase of business relations between the people of Canada and the United States would endanger the Dominion's connection with their declarations that reciprocity for a short time might prove the best would endanger Imperialism, why did policy. not the patriotic Conservatives of the On the other hand, it is undeniable Hazen government float their loan that in York, as in all the counties in Britain since their mismanagement of the province, the Hazen forces has unfortunately made a large loan have been losing ground. There is necessary?

Friday contains other remarkable sentatives in the House. This fact features. It shows, for instance, that gives some justification to the view since the close of the fiscal year over that the Liberals should give battle.

ter the close of the fiscal year can mean but one thing. It means that Published every afternoon (except when the fiscal year ended a number Sunday) at No. 613 Queen Street, by of accounts, which should have been paid before the close of the year, were held over that the financial showing for 1910 might be made to seem satisfactory, on paper at least. Since the fiscal year closed these accounts have been settled. These facts throw a very interesting light on the Hazen method of handling the public affairs.

> Another astonishing item given on the expenditure side of the statement is that of "Interest." This item is one of over \$113,400! In the fiscal year 1910 the total interest charges paid by the Hazen ministry were \$251,000,a record breaking sum. The question now naturally arises: If in the first four months of the fiscal year 1911 the province is called upon to pay over \$113,000 in interest charges how much will it pay in the entire year? How far will the unfortunate record of 1910 be surpassed?

For the "Administration of Justice" in the four months in question over \$6,000 'was paid. For "Executive Government," that is expenses of the ministers, etc., over \$16,500 was paid. For "Immigration" over \$4,100 was paid. Last year the total amount paid for Immigration was some \$9,000, much more than in 1909. But if in four months over \$4,100 is paid this year what a strong pros-The Liberals of York County will pect there is that the total sum spent meet in convention in the city of for Immigration in 1911 will be even Fredericton on Wednesday March 29th much greater than the large amount

candidates to contest the constitu- money on the school book policy. In ency in the coming elections to the four months in question the receipts from school books were about \$800 less than the amount spent in the school book department.

The Central Railway investigation still figures in the accounts. In 1909 it cost the province about \$2,900; in As a staunch Conservative, Premier 1910 it cost the province a slight, y

#### THE BYE-ELECTION

The announcement that a bye-election is to be held in this county on Borden retainer holds different views March 30th has been received with surprise in some quarters. It was Brunswick. If this is not the case felt that if the government should dehow can it be explained that the Haz- cide to fill the vacancy caused by en government has recently had im- the lamented death of one of the country's representatives, a reason New York company? The statement able notice would be given of the inbrought down in the House on Friday tention. Instead, however, the minisgiving the receipts and expenditures ters have rushed the contest on hopsince the close of the last fiscal year ing, apparently, that their opponents shows that the Hazen government has would not be able to make proper negotiated a loan with the Guarantee preparations for the struggle. The Trust Company of New York. The same tactics were tried in St. John

people of the province. The figures The announcement that nomination are \$464,000! A few years ago Mr. day will be March 23rd with polling Hazen and his friends were vehement a week later, makes it necessary for in declaring that the government of the Liberals of York to give the ques. New Brunswick should not find it tion of placing a candidate in the necessary to resort to the securing of field prompt consideration. Prompt loans. But now, almost as soon as consideration, however, does not mean the fiscal year closes, the premier and hasty consideration. The situation is his associates hasten to pledge the one that should be carefully canvasscredit of the province to a New York ed. The life remaining to the pretrust company for nearly half a mil-sent Legislature is not long. A genlion dollars. For a prudent and economical ministry such as Mr. Hazen any very extended period. It is proand his associates proclaim them- bable, indeed, that a general contest selves to be, the floating of this loan will be called on before another sesis indeed a remarkable step. It is sion of the House. In view of this astonishing, too, that a Conservative fact the question arises: Would it be government whose friends cry out wise for the Liberals of York to spend their energies in a by-election when the great likelihood is that the successful candidate would have but the British Empire should run to a few months to wait before he and New York and enter into business his friends would again have to take dealings with a financial house there. up the trying cudgels in a general If the Conservatives are honest in campaign? To play the waiting game

much dissatisfaction in this county, not only with the government, but The statement brought down on with the county's remaining repre-

\$133,000 has been spent in connection But the Liberals here should give with the Public Works Department on the situation in York careful and ordinary account and over \$90,000 on earnest consideration. There are two permanent account. The expenditure sides to the question raised by the of practically \$225,000 in one depart-election announcement. When both

### NEARLY A MILLION

According to the statement of the Provincial Secretary in the House on Friday, the expenditures made by the Government between October 31st, 1910, and February 28th, 1911, were as

EXPENDITURES (Ordinary)

Admin. of Justice	2 6 000 00
Agriculture	-,
	12,866.34
Auditor General's Dept	1,206.97
Executive Government	106,519.39
	16,518.86
Fish, Forest and Game Prot	227.80
	11,483.31
Immigration	4,109.50
Interest, etc.	113,416.25
Legislature	
Liquor Licenses	2,420.61
Mining and Mineral Develop	1,000.40
Natural/History Socs	100.00
Central Investigation	448.74
Printing	3,196.85
Probate Courts	3,301.64
Provincial Hospital	24,211.87
Public Health	1,537.09
Public Works	133,193.48
Refunds	274.03
Revisors	1,827.64
School Books	2,836.16
Surveys, Inspections	1,390.99
Surveys, Road Settlement	
Lands, Vic. Co	14.00
Stumpage Collection	9,359.78
Superannuation and Pension	2,359.10
Succession Duties (Coll.)	113.36
Tubercul. Commission	66.25
Utilities Commission	200.00
Miscellaneous	885.61
CAPITAL	
Subsidy, International R'way	56,300.00
Dubbidy, International It may	00,000.10

62,546 Valley R'way Survey ...... 4,472.61 Permanent Bridges ...... 90,219.43 

Commuted Pension Withdrawals ...... 2,132.68 

\$964,152.12

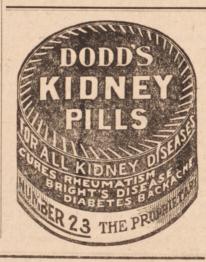
are thoroughly considered from all In the Assembly here, as elsewhere situation created by the decision Canada. reached. If a fight takes place they will throw themselves into it heart and soul. If it is decided to follow

The attitude of the Hazen govern- tramp comedian and Roller skater. ment toward the great question of reciprocity was probably well indicated ference to reciprocity was made by Mr. Bentley who, as all public-spirited men must do, realizes the almost inestimable benefit which free trade in natural products between Canada and the United States would bring to the people of New Brunswick. The reference was greeted with ironical eers from the government side of the House, Following the trail of their leader at Ottawa, the government men here live up with the "interests" as opposed to the farmers and the great mass of the people generally.

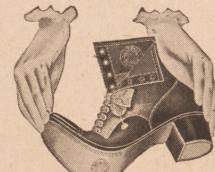
view-points, the mass of the Libergls the Liberals favor reciprocity and in the constituency will accept the the consequent development for

#### AT THE UNIQUE

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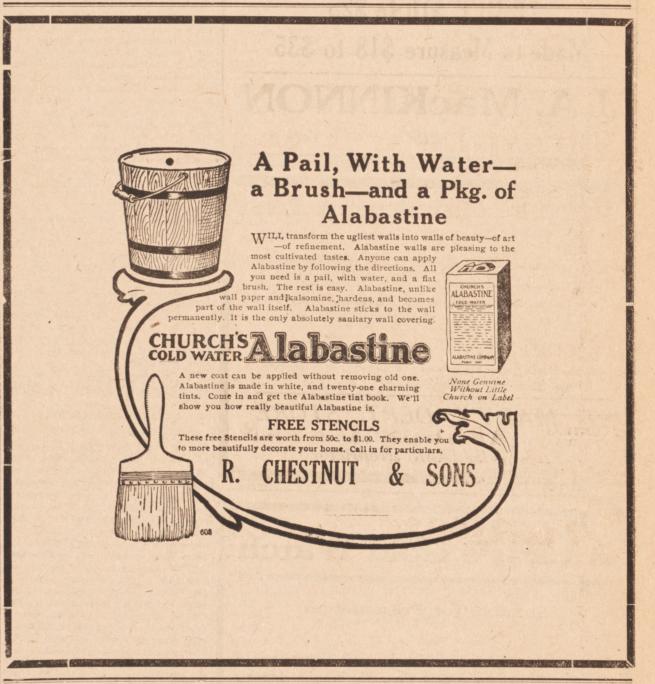
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