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## OPPOSITION IS READY

Plans of Campaign Discussed at Meeting in St. John on Friday

Will Put Candidates in the Field for the Approaching Bye-elections--The Party Leadership

(St. John Telegraph)

A meeting of leading men among the local opposition began here on Thursday and was continued yesterday. Hon. C. W. Robinson came to St. John and conferred at some length with the others present, and the number included leading men from almost every county in the province.

It has been known for more than a year past that Hon. Mr. Robinson desired to get out of local politics, but hitherto members of the opposition have prevailed upon him to remain at his post, and while he has again expressed a desire to be relieved, no real decision has been reached in the matter. Hon. Mr. Robinson will continue to act with the opposition at least and the party will devote itself energetically and strenuously to the work of organizing for the general campaign in case the local government should decide to bring on the elections.

All those present yesterday expressed themselves earnestly in favor of immediate organization and said strongly that the opposition was in a position to make a good showing in the legislature during the coming session, as well as at any by-election or in a general election if one came along soon.

There is some talk about F. B. Carvell entering local politics, but nothing definite has been heard about the matter as yet.

Another report is that James Lowell will be a candidate for the vacant seat in the city and county. From information submitted to the meeting yesterday, it is evident that the party is in good fighting condition and that its leaders and lieutenants are determined to carry on the work with spirit and energy from this time forward.

If Premier Flemming decides to go to the people at once the opposition is ready.

If he decides to hold the bye-elections in St. John, Charlotte and Sunbury and have a session before an election, the opposition made its plans to meet the contingency.

They had reason to be greatly satisfied with the result of the last election from a provincial point of view. In only five counties out of fifteen did the Tories have a majority—York, Sunbury, Kings, Kent and Charlotte. Albert and St. John both gave the Liberal candidates majorities and one of the leaders said today that the opposition members naturally feel that without the insidious and fake canvassings that were used against the federal government, without the influence of Hazen who has for many years been the chief of the provincial government party in power and out of power; and with the extravagant and reckless methods of administration and the great dissatisfaction felt with their administration of the roads and bridges, with the favoritism and graft that is a scandal in every one of the 150 parishes in the province; with vacillating and unsatisfactory position of Valley railroad affairs, the electors of New Brunswick are quite prepared to follow the example of the people of the dominion and destroy the power so strongly entrenched.

## WILL GET THE LASH FOR ASSAULTING GIRL

Woodstock, Ont. Oct. 14.—Stating that the young girls of Woodstock must be protected, Magistrate Ball, in the police court yesterday, sentenced John Falconer, a young Scotchman to six months in the Central Prison, with ten lashes because he had been found guilty of criminal assault upon a 17 year old girl. Falconer was arrested some days ago and was found guilty of the charge brought against him.

Mrs. Rainsford Balloch has been visiting Mrs. Balloch on Waterloo row.

## REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT IS SPREADING IN CHINA

Rebels are Well Equipped and are Confident of Success---Reported that they have been Organizing for Over Two Years---Troops have Mutinied and Officials are in a Panic--Pekin now under Semi-Martial Law--Residences of Officers Under Guard

Peking, Oct. 13.—Eight train loads of troops started today from Peking-Fu province of Chi-Li, for the affected district.

The revolutionists have informed the consuls at Hankow that they will respect all treaties and loans and indemnities contracted by the Chinese government. A well informed revolutionary sympathizer told the Canadian Press today that the rebels would leave the capture of Peking and Shanghai to the last because of the danger of foreign complications. He said the utmost confidence seems to prevail among the rebels. It is stated that they have been two years perfecting their organization and now have members in all the government offices.

The National Assembly showed revolutionary tendency last winter and the reassembling of that body in a fortnight is regarded with anxiety. The provincial assemblies almost without exception are anti-government.

All the available railway cars are carrying to the south troops who will be used first to guard the line and thereafter in an attempt to recapture the towns taken by the revolutionists. It is reported that the rebels today allowed the weekly express to leave Hankow crowded with refugees. It is believed the rebels found over \$1,000,000 in Mexican money when they raided the treasury at Hankow and also obtained 500,000 in the same coin from the Hankow merchants.

### TROOPS MUTINY

Peking: The spectre of civil war throughout middle China looms up strongly since the rebel capture of Han-Yang arsenal today.

It is reported tonight that the troops at Chang-Sha, the capital of Hunan province, mutinied when their officers attempted to disarm them and joined the revolutionists, who then captured the city. Communications have been cut.

Rebel soldiers have captured Yochow in Hunan province. Officials throughout the Yang-tee Valley are in panic and outbreaks in other important points are expected hourly. The provincial troops are wholly unreliable.

The rebels hold a considerable portion of the southern section of the Peking-Hankow railway. They have issued a proclamation to the effect that if troops are started southward the rebels confederates will destroy the great Yellow River Bridge.

### GOVERNMENT STUNNED

The government is stupefied by the defection of the troops and the manifest organization of the revolutionary movement. After a lengthy cabinet conference Yuan-Shih-Kai offered the post of military commandant in the Yang-tee valley to Prince Tsai-Tao, who, with the imperial family returned from Young-Ping-Fu where extensive manoeuvres were planned for next week.

The minister of war, General Yin-Chang, will personally command the Wu-Chang and Hankow relief expedition. He left this evening for Peking-Fu where two divisions will entrain tomorrow.

Admiral Sah's squadron left Shanghai today.

Pekin has been placed under semi-martial law. Heavily armed soldiers and police are guarding the residences of the police and high officials. All the city gates are guarded and comers are closely scrutinized.

## GIANTS AND ATHLETICS DO BATTLE TODAY

(Canadian Press.)

New York, Oct. 14.—Cool and slightly cloudy weather is the prospect this afternoon for the opening game of the world's baseball series. Early this morning a thin veil of clouds tempered the brilliance of the sun. It was superb football weather but a trifle too cold for ideal baseball. The temperature at 8 o'clock was 51 degrees.

McGraw never predicts and seldom makes any claim before-hand.

"It looks to me as if it were going to be a nice day," was his cautious comment this morning. "You want to know about the Giants? Well, they are ready. Every man on my team is fit and I am satisfied with them. I don't predict a victory in the series. It is a bad habit, and besides, I am superstitious."

Connie Mack was likewise pleased with the weather.

"A fine day," he declared, "and that augurs good luck for Philadelphia. My team is prepared for the world's championship series, except for one man, but I am making no excuses. If we are beaten it will be because the Giants are better."

## CANADA'S FINANCES IN HEALTHY STATE

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—The financial statement of the Dominion to the 30th of September, shows that for the six months of the current fiscal year, the revenue amounted to \$64,069,524, an increase of \$7,921,331.

The ordinary expenditure was \$35,933,456, an increase of \$824,784 and the capital expenditure \$12,318,027 a decrease of \$112,109.

## PACKING COS. HAVE FORMED A COMBINE

(Canadian Press.)

Montreal, Oct. 14.—Announcement is made that three of the large packing concerns situated at widely different points throughout the country, have come together with a view to extending business and reduce expenses.

The new company is to take the name of the Matthews-Laing, Ltd., is composed of:

The Geo. Matthews Co., Ltd., with places at Hull, Peterboro and Brantford.

The Laing-Blackwell Co., Toronto, Ont. The business in its several lines will be carried on as heretofore.

Mr. W. E. Matthews will be the president and the board of directors will be composed of officers from the different companies.

The intention of the company is to extend its business in all lines and to largely increase its plants and equipment to meet the growing trade of the country, both in export and local business.

## LITTLE BOY KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Toronto, Oct. 14.—Robert, 3 year old son of William Dick, 778 Manning Avenue, died last night from injuries received in an automobile accident. The little lad ran in front of a delivery automobile belonging to the Star Newspaper. Andrew Buchanan, the chauffeur carried the child to his home, and then went for a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Boone have returned from Presque Isle where they were attending the marriage of their grand daughter.

## CONNAUGHT WELCOMED

Quebec Ablaze with Electric Lights as he Drove Through Streets

Vice Regal Party Left for Ottawa at Midnight by Special Train Prepared for the Occasion

(Canadian Press.)

Quebec, Que., Oct. 14.—Quebec was ablaze with electric lights last night and, as the Duke of Connaught drove through the principal streets on his way to the railway station to take the train for Ottawa, the Duke and Duchess were greeted by the greatest enthusiasm. Not since the tercentenary celebration has there been such a display, all the public buildings being aglow with lights. As their Royal Highnesses passed down to the station there were displays of fireworks and crowds of people assembled all along the route to give the vice-regal party a greeting. Party cheers rang out as the carriage containing their Highnesses passed by. The luncheon at the Chateau Frontenac in the afternoon was a brilliant affair, and the Dominion cabinet were all in attendance. This function was followed by a state dinner at Spencer Wood and there was afterwards a reception at Spencer Wood. All of these functions were most brilliant and attended by the leading people of the Dominion.

His Royal Highness left for Ottawa last night by special train. The train was a magnificent one, being all new cars just turned out from the Angus shops, and bearing the monogram of the Duke.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 14.—Lieutenant Governor Gibson yesterday sent this telegram to His Highness, the Duke of Connaught, on his arrival at Quebec.

"The premier and government of the province join me in welcoming Your Royal Highness to Canada." The following reply was received: "Thanks for your kind message of welcome."

CONNAUGHT."

## CANADA A GENERATION AHEAD OF U.S.

Kackensack, Oct. 14.—Addressing a gathering of Democrats here Governor Woodrow Wilson told a thousand hearers that Canada was a generation ahead of the United States in the regulation of corporate business in her banking system and in her currency system.

Canada rejected the reciprocity agreement, he said, because her people feared that by adopting it, they would open the door to the evils that prevail in the business system of the republic.

"The present contrast between Canada and the United States," he said, "is that the United States business is treacherous and discredited, in Canada it is absolutely buoyant with confidence and with hope."

## METHODIST CONFERENCE DISCUSSES TEMPERANCE

Toronto, Oct. 14.—Continuing its discussion of "Vital World Themes" the Ecumenical Methodist Conference today heard papers and addresses on "The Church and Temperance". The program included an address by Rev. George R. W. Edgewood of Belfast, Ireland, an address by Rev. H. A. Baker of Waterview, Ohio, National superintendent of the anti-saloon league, on "Anti-Liquor Legislation", Rev. J. Alfred Sharpe of England on "Substitutes for the liquor saloon", and Rev. George C. Rankin of Dallas, Texas, on "The battle against the saloon."

Mr. W. S. Tompkins of Moncton and Mr. C. S. Tompkins of St. John were at the Barker House. Mr. Wm. Barry of Toronto is in the city.

## MAIL'S GREAT TOUR OFFER ATTRACTS MUCH ATTENTION

Names of Splendid Young Ladies from all Sections of the Two Counties are Being Entered as Contestants--Still Room for More Entries in all Districts--Send in Your Nomination Today and Get an Early Start for the Trip Will be well Worth While

As was confidently expected the offer of The Mail to send six ladies on a delightful vacation tour has met with instantaneous approval. Wide-spread interest is being taken in the contest, which seemed to make an extraordinary and instantaneous hit.

As the exceptionally liberal nature of this paper's offer becomes more generally understood it is morally certain that friendly but keen competition will be seen in all of the five districts. Already many splendid ladies, both married and single, have been nominated by friends, but not all the districts are as yet represented and there are chances for some to enter and win the fine trip with very little effort. Those thus far received prove the truth of the promise made that the ranks of active candidates for these most valuable and delightful tours would be recruited from the best families of the two counties. No young lady need hesitate to compete with those already entered, or to enter, for the contestants are the pick of your young womanhood, and even to be unsuccessful in such company would be no disgrace, while the honor of winning will be correspondingly great. And the awards are greater than any ever attempted in this part of the province.

### NAMES TO BE PUBLISHED ON MONDAY

The names of those who have, or will have been nominated as candidates in the tour contest up to 12 m. Monday will appear in Monday's issue of The Mail. Therefore it behooves all who are interested but who have not as yet entered their names to do so at once. While it will be an advantage to have your names printed in the first list, it is not absolutely necessary, for the contest will be still open to new entries, and new candidates may enter at any time, even up to the last day of the contest. Some have been known to enter several weeks after the beginning of the competition and win out through hard personal effort. But to secure an even start with the others it will be well to start immediately.

### NOMINATE YOURSELVES

It is perfectly proper for young ladies to nominate themselves and secure the \$20 nomination fee to spend while away on the trip if they so desire. If you are interested in the tour and no one has been kind enough or thoughtful enough to place your name in Nomination, do it yourself. Several ladies have already sent in their names and more will likely do so before the end of the contest.

the contest. This is an age in which women "do things" and no young lady should hesitate an instant about nominating themselves for a trip they wish to take.

### TOUR DEPARTMENT OPEN

An office on the ground floor of The Daily Mail Building, has been set aside for the tour department, from which full information may be obtained, and ladies who are interested are invited to call and consult the tour manager as to the best ways of going about the winning of a membership in this splendid tour. If it is not convenient to call, phone or write, and a representative will visit those interested at their homes. This office will be open each evening for the convenience of those otherwise occupied during the day.

Enroll your name. To make this as much like a regular election as possible, the management requests that all the ladies who intend trying for the splendid tour register names as early as possible with the tour department, by clipping the nomination blank from issues of this paper, filling in with name, address and district number and bring or send to this office. Immediately on receipt of this blank full information will be sent.

The mere clipping and sending in of this blank carries no obligation, and there are no strings in the contest. It is just offer of a free vacation tour to the ladies, made in good faith as a reward for a little effort in the interest of the paper.

## A PROTEST FIELD AGAINST W. A. CHARLTON

Toronto, Oct. 14.—A petition has been filed at Osgoode Hall against William A. Charlton, Liberal member for Norfolk, in the commons, Alex. McCall defeated Conservative candidate is the petitioner, and the charges include almost every known corruption in politics. He alleges that both personally and through his agents, Mr. Charlton was guilty of bribery, treating, personation, intimidation, undue influence and various other practices, such as hiring automobiles and carriages, paying the railway fare of voters temporarily away from the constituency and promising government and other positions to people for voting or refraining from voting. This is the first protest in connection with the recent election.

## VOTE COUPON

Good for ONE VOTE for Mrs. or Miss ..... District No. ....

In The Evening Mail's Tour Contest for the ladies, if voted on or before

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21st.

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Gentlemen—I respectfully nominate Mrs. or Miss ..... who lives at ..... Street

No. .... Town of ..... District No. ....

as an eligible candidate in your Educational Tour Contest, and will do all in my power to help her win.

..... SIGNATURE

Give date and hour sent in. ....

\$20 in Gold will be presented by the Evening Mail to the first person nominating the candidate who polls largest vote of all

## TORONTO TORIES ARE VERY SORE

They Strongly Resent Mr. White's Appointment as Finance Minister

Threaten to Follow him to his Constituency and Defeat Him--Premier Whitney Endorsed White

(Special to The Mail)

Toronto, Oct. 14.—W. T. White is a Liberal.

W. T. White is closely associated with corporate interests.

These are the reasons a very considerable element of the rank and file of the Conservative party in Toronto, or the ward workers, are putting forward in opposition to the appointment of W. T. White to the cabinet.

It is well known that previous to the breaking away of the eighteen Liberals a few months ago, Mr. White was a Liberal and always was one. Why then should Mr. Borden, they ask, take him into the cabinet over the heads of men who have for years been fighting the battles of the Conservatives.

### HE THREW US DOWN

"As soon as we have put Mr. Borden into power" says one man, "he threw us down."

There is no doubt that the recent ment is very deep seated and has radiated from Toronto to outside ridings. A prominent local Conservative this morning said:—"If Tom White dares to run in any riding in Ontario a hundred Conservatives will leave this city at once to fight against him. We will take Mr. Borden's baby and put him on his front doorstep to take care of it in some other way. The whole country is in arms against this thing."

Mr. White's connection with corporate interests dates practically from the formation of the National Trust Company, an organization which has grown powerfully lucrative under his management.

### TIED UP WITH TRUSTS

He is said to be closely allied with big financial interests such as are controlled by big men of both parties. The Conservative party has claimed to be the enemy of big trusts and mergers. The realitarians say that Mr. Borden has now swallowed his doctrine in this regard in the appointment of Mr. White.

The rebellious ones are also after Sir James Whitney, who is said to have gone to Ottawa to endorse T. W. White for the cabinet, a man who, it is pointed out, was one of the most active enemies of the Ontario government's hydro-electric policy, which was designed to destroy this increasing grip of electric mergers seeking the control of Niagara Power. Why, they say, did Sir James turn smiling to this old-time enemy and urge Mr. Borden to take him into the cabinet as a model representative of the people?

In the meantime the dogs of war are lying low, awaiting the announcement as to where T. W. White will run.

Then they will be let loose and the hottest of hot bye-elections is promised.

## DEATH OF JOHN RUSSELL OF DOUGLASTOWN

(Special to The Mail.)

Newcastle, Oct. 14.—John Russell, a respected farmer of Douglastown, died last night. He was seventy years of age.

## FORMER N. B. MAN MET TRAGIC DEATH

(Special to The Mail.)

St. John, Oct. 14.—A special despatch to The Times from Boston says that Former Councilman Charles Albert Spencer of Lowell, was accidentally asphyxiated in his office between Thursday and Friday. He was born at Norbon, Kings County, N.B., fifty-three years ago.