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THE OUTLOOK

The Opposition forces have entered upon the closing days of the present campaign with confidence and enthusiasm.

When the Opposition took up the fight there were, admittedly, some misgivings as to the result, since it was recognized that a large majority had to be overcome. But a few days dissipated those misgivings. Each day has brought greater confidence that the Opposition campaign will result in success.

The Opposition candidate in his personal canvassing, has met with a success which even the most sanguine of his supporters did not anticipate. The Opposition meetings have without exception been well attended and marked by evident enthusiasm. On the other hand, at least two of the government meetings did not materialize—one at Cork and one at Hanwell.

As the people have become more and more familiar with the facts of the government's record of waste and extravagance and debt increase and mal-administration of bridge work, and as they have become seized of the unfortunate fact that the Hazen government has accomplished absolutely nothing toward the construction of the much-needed Valley Railway—as these things have been realized, the tide in favor of Mr. Burden, the Opposition candidate, has swung steadily stronger.

And the careful exposition of the Valley Railway question by Mr. F. B. Carvell, M.P., has convinced the people that only by voting for Mr. Burden and thus declaring in favor of the immediate acceptance of the offer to build a high-class road to be operated by the Intercolonial—an offer which Premier Hazen received weeks ago and concealed from the people—can they bring about the early construction of a serviceable road down the Valley.

These different agencies have turned the people strongly against the Hazen government and its candidate, Dr. Morehouse, Bridge Inspector. The cause of the Opposition was never so bright in York as it is today. Scores of former Hazen supporters are under the Opposition banner, and more are coming under the flag of victory every day.

Burden, Victory and the Valley Railway—that's the slogan.

AS TO AGRICULTURE

Government speakers and government papers have been trying to persuade the people of York that they should vote for the Hazen candidate because the ministry he supports has done a great deal for agriculture. What are the facts?

The premier, in making up his ministry, passed by the farmers and chose a medical doctor to direct the Department of Agriculture.

In order to find a policy for the doctor the government appointed a commission to travel through the provinces and Ontario to obtain hints for the Commissioner of Agriculture.

The commission, made up of partisans of the ministry, cost the people of the province about \$7,000.

No action has been taken by the government upon the report prepared by that commission at such great cost to the people.

Out of every \$25 of its revenue in 1910 the Hazen government gave \$1 for agriculture, whereas the old government gave \$1 out of every \$24 out of its much smaller revenue for the same purpose.

The government imported a number of race-horses from Kentucky, many

of them badly blemished, one at least having to be sent back to Kentucky because the men who purchased the animal found it of no use whatever.

The cost of administering the Department of Agriculture—that is the salaries and expenses of the office staff—are increasing every year.

The government has appointed as a poultry expert a Sussex barber who happens to be the brother of one of the Kings county members supporting Premier Hazen.

Under the present administration the number of butter factories in the province and the number of cheese factories has greatly decreased and the output of butter and cheese has decreased.

These are facts, shown by the official reports, bearing on the agricultural policy and administration of the Hazen government.

The Farmers' and Dairymen's Association in convention here declared that the government is not assisting agriculture as it should be assisted.

On this record, does this government deserve the vote of a single agriculturist of the county or the vote of a single man who is interested, as all should be, in the progress of this great industry?

The dirty falsehood which appeared in Saturday evening's issue of the \$20-a-day journal to the effect that the Opposition is using an immense campaign fund in the present contest would be humorous were it not for the fact that it charges the Opposition party with using methods of which decent men do not approve. However, no mis-statement is too vicious for the hack organ in its desperate effort to stem the tide of defeat against the government.

Two men, members of one family, were paid nearly \$2000 in 1910 for supervising work on York county bridges. Is that the way the people of this country want the public money expended? A vote for Burden on Thursday was a protest against this gross extravagance.

A large number of Carleton county Conservatives were brought down to Meductic on Saturday evening for the express purpose of bothering Mr. F. B. Carvell, M. P. in the debate with Hon. Mr. Flemming. They succeeded to this extent: Mr. Carvell was unable to make himself heard during the fifteen minutes that was supposed to be his for rebuttal purposes after Mr. Flemming had concluded his address. That is one way to try and win an election—by preventing an opponent from obtaining a fair show. But it's not the decent honorable way by any means and, more than this, such tactics cannot offset the plain facts which the Opposition has put before the people.

At the Hazen government rally to-night Mr. O. S. Crockett, M. P., is one of the speakers. Mr. Crockett might seize the opportunity and tell the people just where he stands on the question of reciprocity. He should be man enough to state his position and then abide by the results.

We learn from the \$20-a-day Gleaner that Messrs J. K. Pinder, M.P.P., close friend of Hon. Mr. McLeod, spoke at Cross Creek last week with Mr. H. W. Woods, M.P.P. Both gentlemen the \$20-a-day organ says made stirring speeches and "Mr. Pinder's unanswerable logic combined with the eloquence of Mr. Woods elicited loud applause from the audience." Candidly, it wasn't very kind of the hack organ to poke fun at these gentlemen in such a bare-faced manner.

Hon. Mr. McLeod and Hon. Mr. Maxwell, as our news columns show today, indulged in a wordy warfare at Poklok the other day. More than Mr. Maxwell are disgusted with the mess Mr. McLeod has got things into in York county. Still, Mr. Maxwell and Mr. McLeod should remember that they are ministers of the Crown and should preserve their dignity at least in public. A pretty spectacle, truly—two cabinet ministers wrangling with one another in a public shop before several private citizens!

Many false reports will be circulated in the government interests in the next few days. The people should not be deceived. They should remember that a member of the cabinet told the people that the government had signed a contract for the building of the Valley Railway a week ago; and the premier himself had to deny officially that the statement was correct.

Liberal Opposition Meetings

MONDAY

WOODLANDS—Speakers—W. L. McFarlane and others.
CROSS CREEK—Speakers—Hon. C. W. Robinson and N. W. Brown.
MAGUDY—Speakers—S. B. Hatheway and others.

TUESDAY

MARYSVILLE—Speakers—F. B. Carvell, M. P. and A. B. Copp, M. P.
BURTT'S CORNER—Speakers—Hon. C. W. Robinson and others.
UPPER PRINCE WILLIAM—S. B. Hatheway and others.
POSTERVILLE—Speakers—A. F. Bentley, M. P. P. and E. H. Allen.
MCNUTT'S MILLS—Speakers—Dr. D. R. Moore and others.
CENTRAL HAINESVILLE (Afternoon)—Speakers—Geo. F. Burden and others.
UPPER HAINESVILLE (Evening)—Speakers—George F. Burden and others.

WEDNESDAY

SMITHFIELD—Speakers—S. B. Hatheway and others.

PREPARATIONS FOR CROWNING OF KING GEORGE

London, March 27.—With the Coronation less than two months distant all England is astir with preparations for the celebration. Brilliant pageants are being organized.

Leading up to the climax of Coronation Day, there will be many Imperial and Royal ceremonies. On May 12, King George and Queen Mary will drive to the Crystal Palace to open the festival of the Empire, which is to be an imposing exhibition of the greatness of Britain's Imperial resources and a demonstration of the wonderful progress made in commerce art and craftsmanship.

In addition to the Coronation ceremonies on June 22, there will be the Royal Progress through the streets of London on June 23, the Naval Review off Spit Head the next day, the gala performance at the Opera on June 27 and the service at St. Paul's on June 29. Then will come the visits to Ireland and Scotland, to be followed by a journey to Carnarvon for the investiture of the Prince of Wales on July 13. More than 30 miles of London streets will be traversed by the King and Queen during May and June and it is estimated that the Coronation and its attendant spectacles will be witnessed by ten million spectators.

One week-end drunk who was arrested by the police obtained his freedom this morning by making the usual deposit.

Ottawa, Ont., March 27.—His Excellency the Governor General is giving sittings at Rideau Hall for a bust of himself, which is being executed for the Ontario government. The sculptor is Hamilton McCarthy.

Hon. Mr. Morfiss and Mr. A. R. Slipp, M. P. P., were billed to speak together on Saturday evening. While driving to their meeting the gentlemen probably discussed their mutual friend, Hon. Mr. McLeod. It would be interesting to know just whom they would call a "political sham." It's well known whom the \$20-a-day Gleaner, which speaks for Mr. McLeod, called a "political sham" about a year ago. Oh fie, Mr. Slipp.

Mr. J. K. Pinder, M. P. P., is outwardly supporting the McLeod candidate, Dr. Morehouse. But then, you know, the government is going to guarantee the bonds for that Nackawick railway. That makes a difference to Mr. Pinder.

A vote for Mr. Burden will be a vote in protest against the present waste and extravagance in the handling of public money and a vote in favor of a high-grade, competing railway down the St. John Valley.

THE OPPOSITION STAND GIVEN IN A NUT-SHELL

The following self-explanatory letter was received on Saturday by the Liberal Executive here:

"At the regular meeting of the Official Quarterly Board of the Methodist Church on the Nashwaak Circuit a motion was unanimously carried; That the committee of each Political Party be requested to send no liquor to the polling places at Nashwaak Village and Taymouth, on the 30th inst.

Daniel R. Chowan,
Supt.
Wm. Monroe,
Rec. Steward.
Taymouth, March 24th, 1911.

In reply the following letter was sent today:

"Fredericton, March 27, 1911.
"William Monroe, Esq.,
"Rec. Steward Nashwaak Circuit Methodist Church, Taymouth, York County, N.B.,

"Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of a resolution unanimously carried by the Official Quarterly Board of the Methodist Church on the Nashwaak Circuit to the effect that the Committee of each Political Party be requested to send no liquor to the polling places at Nashwaak Village and Taymouth on polling day. "It affords me very much pleasure to say that the Executive of the Liberal Party for York County determined at the beginning of the campaign that no liquor should be sent out to Liberal Committees throughout the County, and that this resolution has been and will be strictly adhered to."

"I am
Yours very truly,
"E. S. Carter,
"Liberal Organizer.

It may be said that the Opposition campaign has been and will be conducted in a way with which people can rightly find no fault. Decent methods have been employed and will be employed at all times. Fake stories, made up entirely out of whole cloth, have been circulated by the newspaper opposing Mr. Burden in this county. All that need be said of them is that they are absolutely false, statements such as are to be expected from a paper for which no tactics are too despicable.

AT THE BIJOU

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THE HARDWARE PEOPLE

CARVELL

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Union Jack and in the same breath implored the people to help the Hazen government build the road to benefit the State of Maine.

He closed his speech with a pitiful appeal to the electors to let the Hazen government have at least five years of power. His speech was disappointing to his supporters, who expected at least an intelligent discussion of the Valley Road from his point of view. Instead they heard only criticism and ridicule of the federal government, a few stories and a pathetic appeal to the sympathy of the electors.

LATE JAMES BYRNE

James Byrne, a highly esteemed resident of Sussex, died at that place Sunday night. The deceased was 84 years of age and was a native of Tyrobes, Ireland. He leaves his widow and the following children: Sarah at home; Alice, wife of Dufferin W. Harper, manager of the Bank of New Brunswick, Riverside, Albert County; Madam Mary Byrne, of the Sacred Heart Convent, London, Ont.; Felix and George at home; James P. Byrne M. P. P., barrister, Bathurst; Dr. Thomas Ives Byrne, Chatham, N. B. and the Rev. E. J. Byrne, rector of the Sacred Heart Church, Norton.

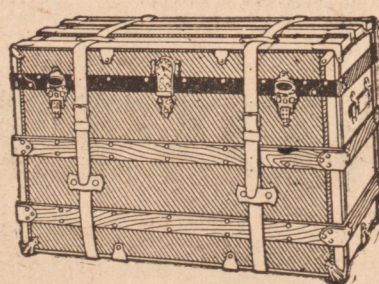
KINGSCLEAR

March 22.—The weather has been very stormy of late, but we are in hopes of some fine winter weather yet. Mr. Charles Murray has sold his beef cattle. Quite a number of our young men have returned from the lumber woods.

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