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## TORY DUPLICITY

The Toronto Globe, commenting on the action of the Tory information bureau at Ottawa distributing campaign literature during the war, says:

"The Conservative Party in Canada is disgraced and dishonored has been done to the Prime Minister, Sir Robert Borden, by the deliberate and official breach of faith committed by the responsible officers of the party for the petty sake of a misconceived party advantage and to save postage on its campaign literature. The thing done is so vulgar as to be forbidden between two gentlemen by even the primitive and rudimentary instincts of honor."

As everybody knows, the recent special session of Parliament was accepted by all members, by the Press and by the Canadian people as frankly a non-partisan session. The Liberals in the House and in the Press, then and ever since, kept faith. But at the very time Sir Robert Borden was speaking words of gratitude for the courtesy extended to him and to his proposals by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Liberals the officers of the Government party were sending through the mails, under the frank—"J. S., M. P."—of the chief Conservative whip, thousands of copies of a 32-page campaign pamphlet "The Splendid Record of the Borden Government."

"Let there be no mistake. This frank pamphlet, with its 'naval policy clearly defined,' has been so shattered by the deadly facts of the past month that only political stupidity would distribute it now as a political chicanery produced it a year ago. When the time comes the Liberals will be ready to discuss 'emergency and navy' policies in the searching light of recent experiences on the Atlantic and Pacific defenceless coasts, and with the inevitable exposures from Valcartier and elsewhere. In the meantime, are decent and honorable Conservatives willing to have this disreputable conduct of their responsible party officials go unrebuked and they, and their leaders dishonored? Who speaks for Conservative respectability?"

## LLOYD GEORGE'S GOOD WORK

In the House of Commons debate on the Bank Notes Bill Mr. Lloyd George made a very interesting statement on the financial situation. As to the banks, Mr. Lloyd George had to say that "some have not behaved well."

"I do not think they were considering their own shareholders. I do not believe that they were considering the price of their shares. They considered themselves to be trustees of their depositors and that they were not entitled to take very great risks. I think the time has come when they really ought to do it, having the credit of the State behind them. I have called their attention to complaints which have come to me, and said it would be my duty to report the decision to the House of Commons that, unless the trade of the country receives the usual facility for its performance, and even great facilities in the special emergencies, I had no doubt at all that the House of Commons will take some action to place behind the trade of the country the necessary credit in order to enable it to carry on."

These plain words will doubtless have their effect, and prompt the banks to liberate money so that the trade of the country can be carried on.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain agreed with what Mr. Lloyd George had said. He also said:

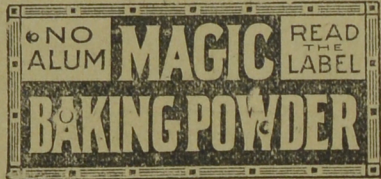
"My hon. friends may be inclined to discount anything that I say in praise of what the Chancellor of the Exchequer has done, because they may think I am somewhat responsible for it, being more in consultation with the right hon. gentleman than they; but at least they will know that it has not been my habit to lavish unqualified praise upon the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and I hope they will give me credit for sincerity when I say that I think the Chancellor of the Exchequer has handled a very difficult question, with great tact, great skill and great judgment."

A very generous tribute, which does great honor to Mr. Chamberlain. It is, we are sure, says the Westminster Gazette, a well-deserved tribute for there are no two opinions as to the skill and shrewdness which Mr. Lloyd George has displayed in these critical times.

New Brunswick's gift of one hundred thousand bushels of potatoes is a much bigger proposition than it looks to be on paper. One hundred thousand bushels is equivalent to forty thousand barrels. To transport this immense quantity of tubers, allowing two hundred barrels to the car, would require ten trains of twenty cars each.

The Canadian cruisers Rainbow and Niobe are now in commission and at the disposal of the British Admiralty. Certain people who a few months ago were inclined to speak in terms of ridicule of Canada's "tin-pot" navy should make a note of this fact.

The Canadian boys at Valcartier Camp are spending much more time on the rifle range than they are at dress parades. This is training of a kind which will be found very useful should our contingent ever get into the firing line. A modern high power rifle in the hands of a man who knows how to shoot straight is a most formidable weapon.



## COLLECTORS APPOINTED FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

At a meeting of the Finance Committee of the Fredericton Branch of the Canadian Patriotic Association last evening the following were appointed Collectors for the different Wards:

Wellington Ward—Mayor Mitchell, Donald Fraser, sr., Lord Ashburnham St. Anne's Ward—J. J. Weddall, Ald. Kitchen, Ald. Walker, J. S. Neill.

Carleton Ward—R. F. Randolph, F. B. Edgcombe, W. E. Farrell, J. D. Palmer.

Queen's Ward—Judge Crockett, Judge Barry, J. J. McCaffrey.

King's Ward—Judge Wilson, Dr. T. C. Allen, Lt. Col. Loggie, George A. Taylor.

The collectors will meet at the Board of Trade Rooms on Tuesday evening next for organization purposes.

## LUMBER JACKS SCRAP IN THE MAINE WOODS

Millinocket, Me., Sept. 10.—More than fifty lumbermen battled in the woods at Grand Brook tonight after an argument over the European war. One man was killed and three were injured according to reports which came here. Grand Brook is fourteen miles in the woods.

Two Sheriffs who went to the scene with deputies are reported to be on their way here with fifty-three prisoners. The lumbermen are part of a crew of the Great Northern Paper Company. Most of them are Poles and French-Canadians.

## CHURCH SERVICES

### REFORMED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. S. A. Baker, Pastor.  
11 a.m., and 7 p.m., Preaching.  
2.30 p.m., Sunday School and Adult Bible Class.

"The Lend-A-Hand Bible Class," extend a special invitation to the students to visit them.

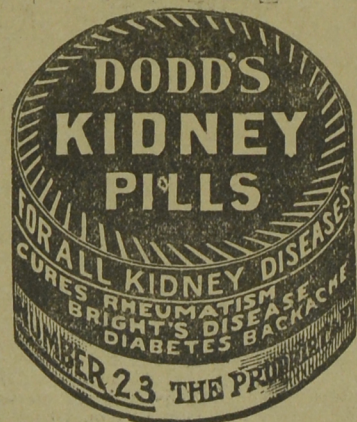
A cordial invitation is extended to all. Seats free.

### BRUNSWICK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. Newcomb, M.A., B.D.  
11 a.m., and 7 p.m., Preaching services in the School Room of the church.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. T. Marshall, Pastor.  
10 a.m., Prayer Meeting.  
11 a.m., and 7 p.m., Services.  
3 p.m., Tuesday evening Epworth League.  
8 p.m., Friday evening, Prayer Meeting.



## COMMANDING OFFICERS NOT YET SELECTED

Ottawa, Sept. 11.—The minister of militia, Col. Sam Hughes left for Valcartier tonight where he will remain, except for a few days, until the troops leave for England. The Duke of Connaught will go to Valcartier on Monday to watch the training of the troops.

Col. Hughes said tonight that the final list of commanding officers for the contingent would not be announced for a week or so yet, pending the tests which will be made next week as to their ability to handle the troops under all kinds of active service conditions.

## BRITAIN IS IN COMMAND OF THE SEAS

Ottawa, Sept. 10.—H. R. H. the Governor-General today received the following telegram from Hon. Lewis Harcourt, Colonial Secretary:

"London, Sept. 10.—The following review of the war is sent for information of your ministers, and for general publication. After one month of war, command of the sea is left unchanged in the hands of Great Britain and her allies. Main German and Austrian fleets remain in harbor, under shelter of mines and batteries. Four German cruisers, one auxiliary cruiser, two destroyers, one submarine and one Austrian cruiser have been sunk. German dreadnought and a cruiser have fled, without fighting, in the Dardanelles. Loss of the British ships has been insignificant. In consequence of this naval supremacy, over three hundred thousand troops have crossed the sea, in different parts of the world without losing a man. British expeditionary force has been carried to France, expeditions have been sent to attack German colonies in Africa and the Pacific, and French troops, protected by Anglo-French Mediterranean fleet, have been escorted from Algiers to France. Armies in Europe will be reinforced without ceasing, by troops from Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Africa and India. German mercantile marine has disappeared from the seas which are open freely to British commerce everywhere. In China Pacific, Atlantic the German ships have avoided action with British cruisers and their depredations have been small. British navy will be increased within the next twelve months by not less than ten first class ships, fifteen cruisers and twenty destroyers. During the same period Germany will not add more than one-third of this number to her fleet. Meantime, in answer to call of the government, large numbers of fresh recruits have voluntarily joined British army. Eagerness to enlist has grown markedly since British troops have actually engaged enemy. During last week in London alone, number of recruits averaged nearly four thousand daily, and on Monday last, number exceeded four thousand eight hundred. Enthusiasm for recruiting is increasing everywhere. Position in France dealt with in previous telegrams. Russian armies have invaded Prussia. Austrians have been decisively beaten by Servians and Russians. Outside Europe, Japanese fleet and troops have blockaded Tsing Tan. Togoland has surrendered to Anglo-French force, and Samoa to a force from New Zealand."

## A BIT OF HUMOR

### WOULD WELCOME A CHANGE.

Little Tommy was the son of the Smithville Board of Education, but political pull didn't seem to ease the road he had to hoe at school.

Recently the schoolhouse burned down, and when plans for a new building were under consideration, the youngster went to the "Board."

"Father," he thoughtfully remarked "don't you think we could have a round schoolhouse built this time?"

"A round schoolhouse!" was the wondering response of father. "What in the duce do you want a round schoolhouse for?"

"Because," answered Tommy, with a plaintive sigh, "I am getting mighty tired of corners."

### PAT WANTED TO KNOW.

Some time ago Pat had an argument with his wife's mother, and so heated became the conversation that Pat was eventually haled into court on a charge of disturbing the quiet of the county.

"It pains me to think," said the Magistrate in reprimanding Pat, "that you should say an unkind word to your mother-in-law. I know a man who never disagreed with his mother-in-law in word, thought or deed! Never did he speak to her unkindly! Never did he—"

"Beggin' your Honor's pardon," suddenly interrupted Pat, "might I be asking a question?"

"Certainly," responded the obliging magistrate. "What would you like to know?"

"Shure, yer Honor," smiled Pat, "en' its meself that woyold be likin' to know if the name of the gentleman yez referred to was Mr. Adam?"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

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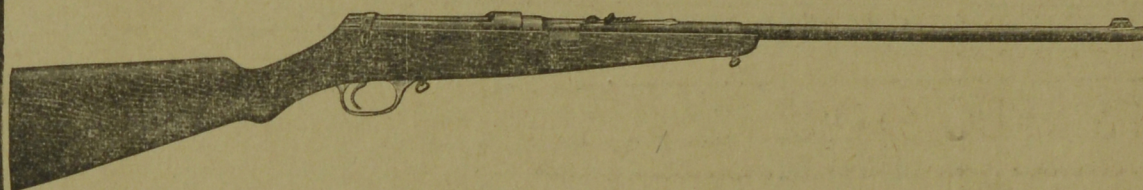
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Representative C. B. Slemp, for many years Virginia's only Republican Congressman, has been nominated for another term.



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