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CAUSE FOR ALARM

The Tory newspapers make little or no attempt to defend the Flemming administration from the charge of extravagance made against it by the Liberals. They admit that the expenditure has increased, but declare that the money was spent for necessary public works and that the people have no right to complain. During the last year of the old administration the total annual expenditure was \$960,093.12 which is admittedly a very large sum. Mr. Hazen, Mr. Flemming and other lesser lights of the Tory party, travelled up and down the country denouncing the government of the day and telling the people that ruin was staring them in the face, and could only be averted by a change of administration. The result was that the old administration was put out of office and another led by Hon. Mr. Hazen was installed in its place. One would have supposed that in view of the solemn promises made to the electorate that the new government would have made some pretence at practising economy, but they evidently forgot that there was such a word in the English language before they were in office a month. The first year they ran the expenditure up to \$1,042,196; the second year it soared to \$1,255,381, the third year it rose to \$1,317,875, while last year it reached the enormous total of \$1,403,546.85. The government has been in power a little more than four years, and in that period, instead of practising economy as promised they have actually succeeded in increasing the controllable expenditure by \$443,453.73, and last year they fell short of making ends meet by \$56,000.

Now compare this with the record of the much abused old administration. In 1882, the year before the late Hon. A. G. Blair was called upon to administer the affairs of the province, the total expenditure was \$614,236.15 and it will be generally admitted that the public service in those days was fairly well looked after. The old government remained in power until 1908, and the expenditure in 1907, was \$960,093.12, a total increase of \$345,856.97. In other words the increase of expenditure during the twenty-five years the old government was in power was less by \$97,759.26, than the increase in four years under the present administration. And this is the record of a government which went into power pledged to exercise the strictest economy. If the province was on the verge of bankruptcy in 1907, when the annual expenditure was \$960,093, how much worse is the condition of affairs today, when the expenditure exceeds \$1,400,000 and is still piling up? Is it any wonder that thoughtful men in all parts of the province have become alarmed over the situation and are crying out for a change in our provincial rulers.

Discussing the nomination of Mr. Fred C. Squires at the Carleton Tory convention last week The Woodstock Press says:—"Fred C. Squires is a young man, born at Bath, N.B., but one who is well known throughout every section of Carleton. No man can put more vim in a fight than can Fred Squires. He is a human dynamo, always active and doing things. The Press believes in the young man in politics. Fred Squires enters the game, determined to play it honestly, and there is no reason in the world why he should not win out." Well, "the human dynamo" remained in the game just four days. His candidature was not popular with the rank and file and he was forced to step down and out.

Tory heeler who make a practice of distributing "tangfoot" about the country at election times had better beware. The deputy sheriff this year is also Scott Act Inspector and he has authority to confiscate anything in the form of spirituous or malt liquors which he finds lying around loose. Being a conscientious and painstaking official he will be pretty certain to discharge his duties fearlessly and without favor.

The Liberals of Carleton County in convention at Hartland yesterday nominated Messrs. Geo. W. Upham, Chas. L. Smith and Frank Shaw as their candidates for the Local Legislature. Mr. Shaw is a new man but his two colleagues have had considerable legislative experience. Mr. Upham was a member of the late House and rendered yeoman service to the opposition. Mr. Smith sat in the House from 1895 until 1903, when he resigned to become postmaster of Woodstock. The ticket is a strong one and should have no difficulty in winning out over the candidates of the extravagant pledge-breaking government.

As Mr. Copp pointed out in his speech at Hartland, Mr. Flemming has, since his memorable ride in Van Horne's private car, presented the C.P.R. with the Central Railway, the Gibson and Minto Railway and the Pinder Railway and he has his plans nicely laid to make the big corporation a present of the Valley Railway. It is about time he was brought up with a round turn.

St. Andrews Beacon—If Premier Flemming would be well advised he will cut out this banqueting and blowing of trumpets and get down to straight business. New Brunswick wants a premier who will work—not a vain carpet knight, who likes to have his ears tickled with praises of himself.

The Liberals of St. John City, in convention last evening, nominated Messrs. W. E. Foster, F. J. G. Knowlton, J. W. Kierstead and W. J. Mahoney as candidates to contest the city at the ensuing local elections. The ticket is an exceptionally strong one and stands to win a great victory on June 20th.

Sentinel—The "Junta" has issued a "manifesto" that boarding houses and hotels run by Liberals are not to be patronized by Valley Railway employees. Actions like these are disgusting the better element of the Conservative party.

Woodstock Sentinel—The Quebec Contracting-Flemming-Gould-C. P. R. Equestrian-Hippodrome, after playing a one week stand here, have moved to Meductic, where they will perform for a limited time. Other dates and stands to be announced.

At a public meeting in Woodstock last night Mr. F. B. Carvell branded as false and slanderous the Tory statement that he was seeking by means of an injunction to hold up work on the Valley Railway.

The people of New Brunswick are getting tired of wind-inflated politicians. They want men in control of affairs who will settle down and work for the province.

POLICE FORCE CHANGES

Policeman Jones retired from the force last night, having resigned some time ago. Anthony Chapman, a former member of the force, went on duty in his place.

WATER RISING FAST.

The heavy rains of the past few days have stopped but the water in the river is rising still and probably will reach a point as high as that reached this spring. Everywhere country roads and bridges have been damaged by floods. Some anxiety has been felt concerning the ability of the booms to hold the logs, but it is expected that they will stand the strain. The rainfall during May has been 7.21 inches, the heaviest on record.

MONDAY'S BALL GAMES.

There will be two ball games Monday between Woodstock and Fredericton at Scully's Grove. The first will begin at 10 a.m., and the second at 2.30 p.m. Lamb, formerly of the Marathons, and Connolly of Boston, are expected to be available as pitchers for Fredericton.

DEATH AT DURHAM

The death occurred at Durham yesterday of Shelburne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Estey, at the age of eighteen years. He had been subject to epileptic fits for some time but his death was quite unexpected. Besides his parents he leaves six brothers and six sisters. The funeral will take place on Sunday at two o'clock with services by Rev. Mr. Chouin.

HAD A BUSY TIME.

The various Tory factions held caucuses here last night and made a strenuous effort to straighten things out for the pow-wow this afternoon. Mr. John Young and his supporters, including Ald. Guthrie, John R. Buchanan and Joshua Chappell, held forth in Crockett and Guthrie's law offices. It is understood that they passed a resolution endorsing the policy of the Flemming government.

THE STOCK MARKET

(By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co., 604 Queen St. Fredericton, N. B.)

New York, June 1—Close observers of current dealings in the stock market state that recent weakness has been largely the result of absence of support from important sources rather than any important pressure to sell. Professional operations have been quick to turn this situation to advantage and have succeeded in uncovering stop orders from scattered sources in a volume sufficient to impart a tone of heaviness to the general market. If adequate support is not forthcoming in the near future, it is quite possible that further stop orders would be caught and that the market may pass through a period of mild liquidation. Technical conditions, however, are too sound to permit of any severe or prolonged depression.

	Open	Noon
Amal. Cop	81 1/2	82 1/2
Am. Smelt	81 1/2	82 1/2
Atchison	105 1/2	105 1/2
Brooklyn	86 1/2	87
C.P.R.	266 1/2	266 1/2
Great Northern Pfd	132 1/2	133 1/2
Northern Pacific	119 1/2	118 1/2
Penn	123	123
Reading	166	166 1/2
Southern Pacific	108 1/2	109
Union Pacific	166 1/2	167 1/2
U. S. Steel Com	66 1/2	67 1/2
Cement Pfd.—5 @ 90 1/2; 20 @ 90.		
Converters, Com.—25 @ 46 1/2; 50 @ 46 1/2; 50 @ 46 1/2.		
C. P. R.—100 @ 266 1/2; 8 @ 266 1/2; 50 @ 265 1/2; 5 @ 266.		
Crown Reserve—200 @ 3.10.		
Detroit United Ry.—50 @ 67 1/2; 25 @ 67 1/2.		
Dom. Steel—150 @ 67 1/2; 25 @ 67 1/2; 50 @ 67 1/2; 100 @ 67 1/2.		
Montreal Power—115 @ 208 1/2; 28 @ 208.		
Scotia Coal Co.—50 @ 96.		
Ogilvie's Com.—23 @ 131.		
R. & O.—5 @ 117 1/2; 30 @ 117 1/2; 70 @ 117 1/2; 5 @ 117 1/2; 30 @ 117 1/2; 25 @ 116 1/2; 25 @ 116 1/2; 230 @ 117 1/2; 25 @ 116 1/2; 25 @ 116 1/2; 230 @ 116 1/2; 25 @ 115 1/2.		
Rio—50 @ 138 1/2; 10 @ 137 1/2; 95 @ 137 1/2; 60 @ 137 1/2; 270 @ 137.		

The Indiana conference of typographical unions will meet at Muncie, Ind., July 21

CHURCH SERVICES

METHODIST CHURCH

The pastor, Rev. Neil McLaughlan will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School and Senior Classes at 2.30. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the close of the evening.

BRUNSWICK STREET BAPTIST

Tomorrow services will be held at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. H. MacDonald, presiding at both services.

Sunday School at 1.30.

The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed in connection with the morning service.

GEORGE STREET BAPTIST.

Rev. J. W. Wilson, pastor. Prayer meeting at 10 a.m. Preaching service at 11 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m.

Evening service at 7 p.m. Baptisms at close of service.

UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH GIBSON

Rev. W. H. Jenkins B. A., Pastor. 11 a. m. Theme—Seeking the Kingdom of God; and what Jesus meant by it. Is it now or in the future? 2.15 p.m. Sunday School. 7 p.m. Theme—"The Children, their Teachers and Lessons; and what about the Moving Pictures." Seats free and all are welcome.

New England cotton mill owners employ approximately 100,000 operatives.



Monday next, June third, having been proclaimed a public holiday in celebration of the first anniversary of His Most Gracious Majesty King George V, since ascending the throne all loyal citizens are requested to observe the same accordingly.

W. S. HOOPER, Mayor

City Hall, May 31, 1912
261—June 1.

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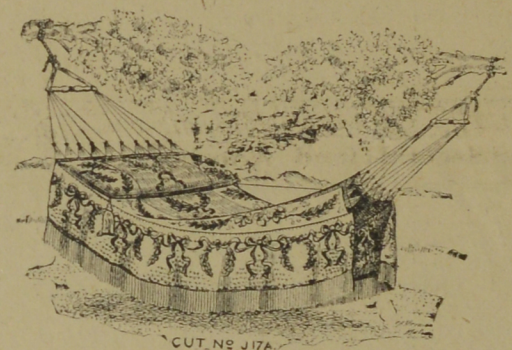
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