

SHALL WE GO TO THE POLLS?

Montreal Liberal Paper Discusses Probability of General Election.

EXPRESSES FULL CONFIDENCE OF ANOTHER LIBERAL TRIUMPH.

Montreal Herald: Mr. R. L. Borden asks Conservatives to be prepared for an election. This indicates his belief that an appeal is soon to be made to the country.

Speculation as to the date of the next political contest is the politician's most exhilarating form of mental relaxation. It is not confined to the occupants of Opposition seats or the holders of Opposition tenets of belief. Government supporters are just as curious and just as much in the dark about this date.

This is true not only of the present Opposition and present Government, but of all oppositions and governments of the past and will be true of all in the future until our political system is changed.

An election must be held every five years, but an election may be held any time within the five years period if the Government of the day choose to bring it on. The final decision rests with the premier, whoever he may be, and he decides whether an appeal shall be made to the people one year after he has been sustained or two years or any other time up to five years. Then the matter passes out of his hands and the British North America Act takes charge.

It has been the custom of all governments to go as near to the five year's mark as possible. The party in power have no love for frequent elections. Every time they go to the polls they place their power at risk, and they know as well as any one else the story of the pitcher and the well. Still to go too long without an election is an indication of weakness and fear of consequences which may be fatal. Then, too, there is always the possibility of some unexpected and unfavorable condition over which the government has no control developing and catching them between it and the five year limit.

Governments have always brought on elections when they regarded the time as favorable to their success.

That is undoubtedly the reason the leader of the Opposition now believes a dissolution and election are imminent. He perhaps better than anyone else realizes that the present Government has just come through the longest session in Canadian history with flying colors. He knows the programme of progress and record of progress of the Laurier administration are approved by the country. He sees in the Grand Trunk Pacific and the development of other avenues of commerce a strong election card. He knows the tendency of the country to retain the existing Government as long as times are good, and he knows Canada was never more prosperous.

Whatever he may say, he knows that an election would result in the Liberals being returned to power with a great majority. He knows what he would do under the circumstances if he were in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's place. Therefore he warns his followers to be ready.

Still the ninth Parliament of Canada has had but three sessions. Two more can be held before the five-year stop order is deliverable. There are no clouds on the horizon, and no reason apparent why the Liberals will not be as popular after another session as they are now.

Whether another session or the next election will come first, only one man in Canada can know. That man is Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and it is doubtful if he has made up his mind.

Mounted Police Work.

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—Ernest Cashel, who murdered a rancher named Isaac R. Belt a year ago and was yesterday sentenced to be hanged on December

15th, would probably never have been convicted had it not been for the skill and ingenuity of the Northwest Mounted Police and especially Constable Penny-cuik. Cashel committed forgery and stole a horse near Wetaskiwin last October. He was arrested near Pinoka, but made this escape by jumping off a train. Efforts were made to locate him and finally he was traced to Antbracite, where he was arrested and brought to Calgary. About the time that Cashel committed the forgery, or soon afterwards, Isaac R. Belt disappeared from his ranch, situated 38 miles east of Lacombe on the south side of the Red Deer river. Some articles found on Cashel when arrested were believed to have belonged to Belt. The former was sent to Manitoba penitentiary, and, in the meantime, efforts to discover what had happened to Belt went on. The Red Deer River was dragged and Belt's body brought to light. It was clear that he had been murdered. Step by step the crime was traced home to Cashel, who was shown to have stopped at Belt's house and to have gone off wearing the dead man's clothes, and riding his pony. The argument was advanced that the body found was not that of Belt, but it was proved beyond a doubt that the remains taken from the river had the same peculiar deformity of one foot that Belt had.

Circles the Globe.

Montreal, Oct. 30.—Among the passengers by the Canadian Pacific train for the west this morning was a fifteen-year-old boy giving his name as Charles Turner and his home as Milwaukee, Wis. The youth claims to have travelled around the world alone, starting from Milwaukee two years ago.

He went first to Vancouver, where he took steamer for Hong Kong. Three months were spent in China, then on to India and the Straits Settlement. From India he went to the Cape and spent several weeks in the interior of Africa with a party of prospectors.

Returning to Cape Town, he sailed to Australia, and from there went to Paris. After touring France, Germany, Spain and Switzerland, he visited the British Isles, sailing from Liverpool to Boston. He next went through the Eastern States and has just now returned from the Maritime Provinces, and says he is going direct to his home for Christmas.

Next spring he intends to visit Siberia and Asiatic Turkey.

In conversation this morning, he said his object in taking the trip was merely to see the world. He had plenty of money and always travelled first class. On his long tour, he said, he met with many adventures, but always came out all right.

Turner's baggage consisted of several trunks, which were literally covered with labels from hotels all over the world. He also carries certificates from the chief magistrates of all the cities he visited.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pille cure headache.

A PSYCHOLOGICAL LABORATORY

To be Established at the University of New Brunswick.

All who are in any way interested in the increasing development and welfare of our own Provincial University, the "old U. N. B.," as it is fondly termed by those who have had the good fortune to study within its walls, will be pleased to learn that a new yet long desired addition is now being made to the college curriculum. Through the efforts of Dr. Riley, Professor of Economics and Psy-

chology at the University, a Psychological laboratory is about to be established. Hitherto, the students of this very important branch of study, have been at a disadvantage owing to their inability to verify in a practical way the theories and statements laid down in the prescribed text books.

The room to be used in connection with the new laboratory is large, well lighted and splendidly adapted for the purpose. It is situated directly off Dr. Riley's lecture room, in close proximity to the University library.

Much of the required apparatus has already arrived and is being rapidly set up and made ready for use. The students of the upper classes are very much interested in this sort of work, and well they may be, for not only are the experiments interesting and instructive, but they have a most direct bearing on all the great scientific problems that are perplexing the keen investigators of the present day. In addition to this, the students will have every reason to be proud of the fact that their University, of all the Universities in Canada, will stand first and foremost in this respect.

CORNS BETWEEN THE TOES.

Are removed without pain in 24 hours by Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. Insist on your druggist supplying only "Putnam's." for it's the best and safest.

Wife—When I die and go to heaven I intend to ask Shakespeare if he wrote Hamlet. Husband—Suppose Shakespeare is not in heaven? Wife—Then you ask him.

A man gave \$45 for a horse and sold him for \$54. What per cent. did he make?

A Canadian's Promotion.

Major F. St. D. Skinner of the 2nd Battalion Royal Sussex Regiment, now stationed at Shorncliffe, has been appointed Lieut.-Colonel of the first battalion and will leave shortly for India. Lieut. Col. Skinner is a son of the late Lieut. Col. Skinner of "Daneberg," Woodstock, Ont., formerly M. P. for South Oxford. He is a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston, and has always been recognized as an officer of promise. He has seen service in Egypt and only last year returned from India, where he had filled an important staff position. His Canadian friends have watched his steady promotion with satisfaction, and they will be especially pleased that a Lieut. Colonelcy has come to him so young. Mrs. Skinner and children will remain for the present in England, where the children are being educated.

Strathcona's Position.

London, October 30.—Lord Strathcona defends Sir Wilfrid Laurier's loyalty, saying that Sir Wilfrid's utterances the other day were moderate under the circumstances. Canada has received a deep disappointment in the result of the Alaska award, and the disappointment would not readily be forgotten. Nothing that Sir Wilfrid had said could justify the inference that he desired to sever Canada's connection with the mother country. Lord Strathcona added that it was impossible to understand why the boundary line in the Portland Channel originally agreed to by the six commissioners, by which the four islands would have gone to Canada, had been departed from in the final award.

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Not sick enough to lay up, but you are out of sorts, blood is weak, nerves unstrung, kidneys deranged, vitality is low. You should take Ferrozone at once; it will enrich, strengthen and purify the blood, invigorate and pacify the nerves, and increase your energy, vitality and power. Ferrozone will renew your appetite and digestion, make you sleep soundly—in fact will make you well. Try Ferrozone. Price 50c per box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50; at druggists or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Too Much Coal.

Pottsville, Pa., Oct. 30.—The order to suspend all of the forty-three collieries and washeries of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Co. for one week, for the purpose of curtailing the production of coal, went into effect today. The rule is also in effect on the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad. Crews, telegraph operators and others employed in the work of transportation of coal to the market will also be idle during this suspension period. Upwards of 30,000 hands are thus laid off for one week.

HARVESTERS WANTED.

Good Wages for Both Men and Women.

General Manager MacNichol, of the C. P. R., reports that able bodied men can find employment in the Northwest. Harvesters have this year been paid \$35 a month to gather the grain from which Ogilvie's Hungarian Flour is made. The quality of the grain harvested in Manitoba this year will probably make Ogilvie's Hungarian Flour more popular than ever.

A STRONG, VIGOROUS MAN

Is Liable to Break Down—Pe-ru-na is Sure to Restore.



ALDERMAN
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Hon. Frank Dunn, Alderman Twenty-Fourth District, writes from 232 East Fifty-Eighth Street, New York City: The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen: "There is no remedy for a broken-down system that I know of which will so effectually restore health as Peruna."

"Whenever I am overworked or suffer from the consequences of a cold a few doses of Peruna builds me up again more quickly than anything I ever tried. I find it especially valuable for catarrh. Three bottles cured me three years ago of catarrh of the stomach and I have never had the least symptoms of it since."

Very truly,

FRANK DUNN, Alderman 24th Dist., N. Y. City.

A TONIC is a medicine that gives tone to some part of the system. There are different kinds of tonics, but the tonic most needed in this country, where catarrh is so prevalent, is a tonic that operates on the mucous membranes.

Peruna is a tonic to the mucous membranes of the whole body. It gives tone to the capillary circulation which constitutes these delicate membranes.

Peruna is a specific in its operation upon the mucous membrane. It is a tonic that strikes at the root of all catarrhal affections. It gives tone to the minute blood vessels and the terminal nerve fibres. Catarrh cannot exist long where Peruna is used intelligently. Peruna seeks out catarrh in all the hidden parts of the body.

Paul Landrum writing from Atlanta, Ga., says:

"In January last I began the use of your Peruna and Manalin for what was termed organic heart trouble. At that time I could scarcely walk to my place of business without stopping to rest and on arrival felt completely exhausted. Had severe pains in my heart and general dizziness. After using the first bottle of Peruna I began to improve and today I feel that I am a sound man and I work fourteen hours a day without any bad feeling."—Paul Landrum.

A. M. Ikard, an employee of the C. B. & Q. R. R., West Burlington, Ia., writes: "I had catarrh of the stomach and small intestines for a number of years. I went to a number of doctors and got no relief. Finally one of my doctors sent me to Chicago and I met the same fate. They said they could do nothing for me, that I had cancer of the stomach and there was no cure. I almost thought the same, for my breath was something awful. I could hardly stand it, it was so offensive. I could not eat anything without great misery, and I gradually grew worse.

"Finally I got one of your books, and concluded I would try Peruna, and thank God, I found a relief and a cure for that dreadful disease. I took five bottles of Peruna and two of Manalin, and I now feel like a new man. There is nothing better than Peruna, and I keep a bottle in my house all the time."—A. M. Ikard.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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