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FAILED TO BITE

Instead of meeting in a manly, straightforward way, by contradiction of their truth, and a demand for full investigation of the charges of gross Tory corruption in the elections of 1904, which Hon. Dr. Pugsley has made from half a dozen public platforms during the past few weeks, Mr. Borden put up Mr. Kemp, a venerable and guileless old gentleman, from Toronto to draw the minister of public works out, but the scheme entirely failed.

Dr. Pugsley has challenged the Tory leader to an enquiry and although parliament has been in session two weeks, Mr. Borden has not opened his mouth on the question.

The minister of public works declared in his speech at the Ottawa Liberal convention that if Mr. Borden would ask him for the New Brunswick constituency to which the \$25,000 was sent, the dates on which the money was forwarded, and the person who received it, he would be happy to furnish the information, but Mr. Borden observes a discreet silence, leaving the inference that the Tory leader is afraid to court enquiry into the matter.

It is a cowardly position for the leader of a party to assume and there is but one interpretation of Mr. Borden's silence.

The Tory leader thought that by putting up Mr. Kemp to attack Dr. Pugsley, the latter would be induced to show his hand, but the minister is not gunning for such small game as the member for East Toronto, and refused to walk into the trap set for him by the Tory managers.

Mr. Borden can have all the information Dr. Pugsley possesses with respect to the enormous Tory corruption fund of 1904, if he desires it, but he is fighting shy of the question, as too many of his intimate political associates are concerned in the conspiracy by which it was sought to wipe out every Liberal candidate in this province by means of the most colossal bribery fund ever got together for use in a single province.

WASTED LIFORT

Mr. Morrissey, M.P.P., is appealing to Victoria Liberals to seat Mr. Hazen in power at Fredericton, and he says he speaks as a Liberal to Liberals. Mr. Morrissey should discard that old chestnut, now and forever. What has he done in the past few years for the cause of Liberalism? Where was he but skulking in his tent when Mr. Loggie, M. P. was fighting the battle of Liberalism in the last federal election in Northumberland? Mission Rockers are pleasing to the eye because of their quaint appearance and they are very satisfactory to the housewife as they are so easy to keep polished and therefore save both her temper and energies. Next in this beautiful collection are a number of Oak Rockers in many different styles and designs and varying in price from \$4.00 to \$8.00 or \$10.00. What is home without one of Lemont's Rockers? And what better Christmas present would your wife, mother, brother, sister or husband desire than something they could take it easy in? And I know that Santa Claus will not pass by Lemont's large House Furnishing establishment without going in and admiring their display of little people's Morris Chairs that any little boy or girl would delight in possessing. Lemont's rockers are in all, beautiful in design, durable and what is best of all, comfortable.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Mr. Foster wanted to know what Mr. Shepley got out of the Insurance investigation. Well, he did not get what Mr. Foster received—a bad blow to his political prestige.

Mr. Borden has not yet asked for information about that \$200,000 Tory corruption fund. Dr. Pugsley has it ready for the Tory leader, but he is not of an enquiring mind just now.

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth has returned to his parliamentary duties with his health and hearing much improved, and his presence in the House is likely to have a quieting effect on Mr. Foster.

It has been established in the enquiry into the malfeasance of the St. John Chamberlain that he was in the habit of borrowing large sums from a money lender, to whom he gave notes and city bonds as security.

One of the men who formed the Montreal Tory junta to supply funds for the last federal election owns up to discounting a \$100,000 note at one of the banks on the eve of the contest, but neglects to say what he came of the money. Was it a slice of the proceeds that was sent down to Westmorland?

The local Tory organ discussing the cost of the insurance commission, says: "It does not appear that the commission accomplished much." Well to have unmasked the land deals of Foster, Fowler & Co. was something, and neither of these persons will admit that the commission's work was in vain.

Westmorland Tories were not satisfied with the \$25,000 they received from the Montreal Tory corruption fund in 1904, but promptly wired back "Please repeat the dose." And yet with all their money Mr. Em-

erson beat their candidate by 1,000 majority, and Mr. Borden continues to talk of electoral purity.

The electors of Boston Tuesday returned Mr. Hibbard, the Republican candidate, for the Mayoralty, defeating Mayor Fitzgerald, Democratic, and Coulthurst, the Independence League candidate, the first time the city has had a Republican mayor in six years. The vote stood Hibbard 38,567; Fitzgerald, 36,024; Coulthurst, 15,871. The last named split the Democratic vote and made Hibbard's election possible.

Liberals will hear with sincere regret that Mr. Andrew D. McCain of Florenceville, selected some months ago as one of the Liberal candidates for the legislature in Carleton, has been compelled to withdraw from the contest on account of physical weakness, from which he has been suffering for some time. Mr. McCain was regarded as a strong and popular candidate, but the Liberals of the constituency will take early opportunity of replacing him with a gentleman who will add equal strength to the ticket. The Woodstock Press mentions the name of Mr. J. Albert Hayden of Woodstock in this connection.

Mr. Harry McLeod, Mr. John Morrissey and Mr. Organizer Hubbard are up in Victoria county instructing the electors of that constituency how to vote in the local elections, and they have the assistance of Mr. Titus Carter and Mr. Charles Curless. Great nerve. All of them who ran, excepting Mr. Morrissey, were miserably beaten in the last election. Mr. McLeod was turned down in York by nearly 1,000 majority and in Victoria Carter and Curless polled respectively 297 and 256 against 709 and 593 for Mr. Tweeddale and Mr. Burgess, the present Liberal representatives for that county. Mr. Hazen's friends may get a straw ticket in Victoria, but they have about as much chance of carrying the constituency as Mr. Bell's airship has of flying to the moon.

THE ROCKER

First and Second Prize Essays in Lemont & Sons' Competition

Lemont and Sons have received some very interesting essays in their competition on their display of rocking chairs. Miss Gladys Gatecombe, the winner of the first prize, has her choice of \$5.00 in gold or any six dollar rocker in the store. The second prize goes to Miss Jean McKnight and is worth \$2.50. Following are the essays:

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Where will you find rest for the weary? Why, in Lemont's Rockers of course. They are among the best in the city. So inviting are these leather upholstered chairs that occupy a space in about the centre of the display! They have also a nice assortment of Rattan Rockers of very pretty design and varying from \$3.75 to \$10.00 in price. The Prairie Grass Rockers are especially attractive on account of being braided from the grass that grows on the prairies. The Mission Rockers are pleasing to the eye because of their quaint appearance and they are very satisfactory to the housewife as they are so easy to keep polished and therefore save both her temper and energies. Next in this beautiful collection are a number of Oak Rockers in many different styles and designs and varying in price from \$4.00 to \$8.00 or \$10.00. What is home without one of Lemont's Rockers? And what better Christmas present would your wife, mother, brother, sister or husband desire than something they could take it easy in? And I know that Santa Claus will not pass by Lemont's large House Furnishing establishment without going in and admiring their display of little people's Morris Chairs that any little boy or girl would delight in possessing. Lemont's rockers are in all, beautiful in design, durable and what is best of all, comfortable.

GLADYS G. GATCOMBE.

AN ESSAY ON ROCKERS.

When weary from toil, recreation or play, You sit down to rest at the close of the day. What is there will rest you or comfort you more Than a chair from Lemont's big House Furnishing store.

Lemont's is the place where you will get a good trade. In chairs or in couches, the best that are made. Especially rockers, they have them galore.

In Lemont & Sons handsome furniture store.

The delights of a rocker I need not explain.

It will rest you in health, it will ease you in pain.

If you wish one to purchase I will not say more.

Than go to Lemont's mammoth furniture store.

In youth or in age there is always delight.

In a big rocking-chair on a cold winter's night.

And many a time I have heard father snore.

In the rocker he bought at Lemont & Sons' store.

If young people would only tell what they could.

The strength of these chairs would be proved as it should.

For I've seen two in one, though I never saw more.

In a chair from Lemont & Sons furniture store.

JEAN McKNIGHT.

Prices are well served as Lucy & Co.'s big red sale.

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Ever shown in the city

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These drapes were received with a Job line of Japanese China and in order to clear same out will sell at following low prices

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THE WINNERS

Of the prizes offered to the school children by LEMONT & SONS for the twelve best essay on their Christmas display of ROCKING CHAIRS are the following

1st prize, \$5 in gold, or any \$6 rocker, Gladys G. Gatecombe, teacher, Miss Sterling; 2nd prize, \$2.50 or any \$3 rocker, Whitman A. Haines, St. Mary's, teacher Mr. Hill.

Ten prizes of \$1 each (alphabetical order): Verna L. Baird, teacher, Miss Sterling; Mamie Barton, Gibson, teacher, Miss Stanger; Susie A. Boyd, teacher, Mr. Hughes; Edith I. Clark, teacher, Miss Thompson; Dorothy Doohan, teacher, Mr. Hughes; Alberta M. Gard, teacher, Miss Thorne; Jean McKnight, teacher, Miss Thompson; Katie Parker, teacher, Miss Thompson; Harry Pond, teacher, Miss Sterling; Eleanor L. Stevenson, teacher, Miss Sterling.

We have awarded two extra prizes of a \$1 jardiniere stand each to the following: Jean Coburn, teacher, Miss Thorne; Grace Steeves, (Marysville) teacher, Mr. Day.

All the prize winners and their friends are requested to meet at our store at five o'clock on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 12th, when the prizes will be presented.

One or more of the prize essays will be published in Wednesday's papers.

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