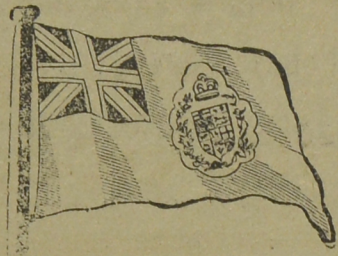


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PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS

Nomination, Tuesday Feb. 25
Polling Tuesday March 3

YORK GOVERNMENT TICKET

HON. E. H. ALLEN, Prov. Sec'y
MR. GEO. F. BURDEN, Lumberman
MR. R. W. McLELLAN, Barrister
COUN. C. N. GOODSPEED, Farmer

MR. PINDER'S SOLICITUDE

Mr. Pinder at the Tory committee rooms Thursday evening, made a plea for political purity, and even the rafters of the building cynically smiled at the exhibition.

Mr. Pinder has been concerned in elections either for himself or others for probably thirty or forty years, and he will not say that he has not been a very potent factor in corrupting the electors.

Indeed it is well known that at his home in Temperance Vale, Mr. Pinder has been the chief dispenser of the "resources of civilization" used to run elections. Mr. Pinder has not only employed financial "arguments" to secure votes for his party at the polls, but has also been known to dispense articles more stimulative of enthusiasm than cold water, and it is amazing to hear a plea for political purity from so distinguished a sinner.

If Mr. Pinder is in favor of a pure election in the present instance, it is probably because he sees no prospect for the usual boodle fund, but if such were available, how many men in York county believe that Mr. Pinder would not countenance its use in behalf of himself and his friends.

If His Satanic Majesty were to enter a public meeting and declare that he would henceforth cease from corrupting the world, his audience, while admiring his assurance, would doubt his sincerity and watch the old fellow more closely than ever.

Mr. Pinder's case is similar. People would like to believe that there is sincerity in his expressed desire for political purity, but in the light of his past record, few are misled by his present pretended enthusiasm for clean political methods.

Mr. Pinder will bear close and careful scrutiny in his new attitude, and in this connection it will be well to remember that the Gleaner observed in the last campaign that "if there are any persons in the county of York, who have confidence in him, they have not disclosed themselves."

THE HIGHWAY ACT

It is pitiful to observe the desperate way in which the opposition cling to the Highway Act as a canvas in this campaign.

It does not matter to them that Mr. Hazen and his supporters in the legislature voted for the principle of the law, and only differed from the government as to details of administration, or that the act having been found unworkable will be repealed, the premier's assurance on that head being unqualified. Mr. Hazen and his stumblers and his press continue to assail the government on the question just as if it were not a dead issue, as dead as the question of Confederation or the National Policy. The act will be repealed at the next session of the legislature emphatically declares the Premier, and a new law will be substituted more practical and better suited to the wants of the country, and the government candidates in York unqualifiedly pledge themselves to the same end. It is pretty generally agreed that the old plan of statute law was unpopular and unproductive of good results. Mr. Hazen declared that in the legislature, but the Government may make it optional with the municipalities whether they shall or shall not adopt the old plan or follow the new to be laid down in the proposed legislation. This fact, however, is assured: the present Highway Act will be repealed, and the opposition canvasses against it as dead as Mr. Pinder's chances of election in this constituency, or Mr. Hazen's likelihood of becoming premier within the next five years.

A GREAT SPEECH

The Liberal meeting at St. John Friday evening was an enthusiastic demonstration and the speeches delivered at that great gathering will give an impetus to the government campaign and encourage the friends of the administration in St. John and elsewhere throughout the province to press on to victory with renewed vigor.

The presence and speech of Hon. Dr. Pugsley aroused strong interest and hearty applause as that gentleman with his well known vigor and eloquence defended the administration from the unreasonable and false canvasses made against it, and successfully attacked the opposition leader and his lieutenants for the misstatements they are making to bolster up their failing cause. No man is better fitted to deal with the issues of the campaign than the Minister of Public Works and his very effective address will dispel the cobwebs of misrepresentation which Mr. Hazen and his supporters have woven around the provincial finances and other important issues of the campaign.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley made it clear that this is a fight between the Liberal and Conservative parties, that the cause of the local and federal government is one and the same, and that if Mr. Hazen should score a triumph on March 3rd his victory would be heralded all over the country as a Conservative success.

Dr. Pugsley also gave some attention to the small fry Tory politicians who are snarling at his heels, and who in his absence from Parliament made a foul attack on the Minister of Public Works.

The St. John meeting was also marked by effective speeches from the St. John City candidates, and Attorney General McKeown and altogether it was an unqualified success.

A STRONG CANDIDATE

The friends of the government who gathered at the campaign committee rooms, Friday evening, were more than delighted with the appearance and address of Coun. Goodspeed, who is developing great strength in the constituency. It is no exaggeration to observe that Mr. Goodspeed has a better understanding of public questions, and discusses them more intelligently than any member of the opposition ticket, and that he will be an influential, energetic and much respected member of the next legislature. A young man with a liberal education, a level head, good business capacity and a clean reputation, Mr. Goodspeed has a promising career in prospect, and he is a tower of strength to the government ticket.

CURRENT COMMENT

The electors of York are just waiting to get at Mr. O. S. Crockett, who with this sessional indemnity of \$2,500 a year gone, will have to resort to other means of support.

"Give the Mayor a vote anyway," is the pleading cry of Mr. Harry McLeod's friends in Fredericton. They are not bothering themselves about the rest of the Tory ticket.

The man credited by Mr. Pinder with boarding the men who worked at the Bear Island bar, resided twenty miles away from the operations, but perhaps the rock blasters travelled back and forward in automobiles for their meals and lodging.

Mr. Pinder has reason to feel dejected at the absolute refusal of a number of opposition supporters to sign the opposition nomination papers until Mr. Pinder's name was scratched out. They couldn't swallow the whole dose prepared for them.

A few weeks ago the local Tory organ announced that a Fredericton alderman had been promised the collectorship of customs at this port, but now it alleges that Hon. E. H. Allen has the office at his command. The organ should be consistent in its prevarication.

Mr. J. S. Neill desires the Herald to say that his name was placed on the government's city committees without his desire or consent, and that while he is a supporter of the government, he has not taken an active interest in politics for some years and does not intend to identify himself with the present campaign.

Mr. Maxwell's friends in St. John are declaring that if Mr. Hazen should be called upon to form a new government he will be Chief Commissioner of Public Works, the job Mr. Pinder is looking for. Neither gentlemen need worry. They will both have ample time to attend to their private business after the 3rd of March.

Mr. George F. Burden, who was in Woodstock Friday, stated that never

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Our table of Colored Dinnerware has appealed to many purchasers. We still show many bargains on our half-price counters. Our French and German China close outs are real money savers. The Lamp department offers to the careful housekeeper cheap light. Our display of Dinner and Tea Sets have attracted much attention. Our furniture rooms with their great variety of "mark downs" have made for us many pleased customers. Why not be one of the number?

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A fine lot of Oysters just received, Ice Cream always ready.

In his experience had he felt more confident of government victory. He has been organ publishing with respect to the meetings of the public accounts committee are from articles written for it by Organizer Hubbard, many of which that person was compelled to take back in the presence of the committee, as they grossly misrepresented the proceedings of that body. Mr. Hubbard's garbling and misrepresentation of the committee's business and discussions became so notorious that nobody believed his statements, which were as far from the real truth as his falsification of the public debt, for which Mr. Hazen had to apologize.

Mr. Hazen's soliloquy: "That fellow Crockett has let the cat out of the bag in parliament. Oh that his throat were paralyzed and that his tongue would cleave to the roof of his mouth. Why was ever such a creature sent to Ottawa. I cannot expect a single Liberal vote after his foolish speech in the House, and I was priding myself that Liberals were walking into my net."

What has become of Mr. Harry McLeod's great land scandal. He seems to have dropped it like a hot potato, after the Herald's exposure of its absolute dishonesty. And if Mr. McLeod was entirely at variance with the facts in that matter, as has been unmistakably shown from the records, how much dependence can be put in his other reckless charges against the government.

"The Governor is a very dangerous man." Such is the report in the local Tory organ of an opposition spouter's speech. Well, the organ did not consider the Governor a very dangerous man when he provided a very generous pension for a certain gentleman, not unknown to the organ's editor. The indecency of introducing the Governor's name at a partisan political meeting cannot be too strongly condemned.

An old gentleman, with a strange name has made rather a violent speech at the Tory committee rooms on Friday evening, making a course attack on Hon. Dr. Pugsley. When it is explained that this strange old gentleman lost a public office when the new road law came into effect, his soreness at the government will be understood, and the cause of his malicious attack on his former friends will be appreciated at its true worth.

Speaking of Mr. O. S. Crockett's attack on the Woodstock postmaster in parliament, the Carleton Sentinel says: "Mr. Crockett should have more sense than to be made a fool of by those who have stuffed him. Of course he is already a laughing stock in the Commons, so really it makes but little difference what he may do or say, more especially since he is destined to early and certain defeat at the hands of Mr. Whitehead."

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Indigestion can be Cured by the Tonic Treatment of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

There is only one way to cure indigestion and that is to give your system so much good, red blood that the stomach will have strength enough to do its natural work in a healthy vigorous way. Many dyspeptics dose the stomach with tablets, syrups and other things alleged to assist in digesting food, but these things merely give temporary relief—they never cure indigestion—and the trouble grows worse and worse, until the poor dyspeptic is gradually starving. In a case of indigestion, a half dozen boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are worth all the mixtures and so-called pre-digested foods in the country. These pills cure indigestion because they strengthen and tone the stomach, thus enabling it to do the work nature intends it should do.

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