

CAMPAIGN IN YORK

Government Candidates Great with Enthusiasm on all sides—Tory Meeting at Gibson

The campaign in York is progressing very satisfactorily from the standpoint of the government candidates. They are not going about boasting and drawing the long bow like their opponents, but are conducting a quiet systematic canvass, the result of which will be quite evident when the votes are counted. The solid business men at Fredericton and York County at behind the government ticket, and in all sections of the county which they have visited, they are receiving assurances of support from unexpected quarters. The solid yeomanry of York have no confidence in the "laughing stock" combination put up as the opposition ticket and refused to be dragged into supporting it.

Hon. Mr. Allen and his colleagues, accompanied by Messrs. F. H. Peters and C. H. Allen, have been addressing meetings in the parish of Manners Sutton this week, and have been most cordially received by the electors. Manners Sutton is the home parish of Coun. Thomas Robinson, one of the opposition candidates, but the government candidates broke even with him there in the last contest, and expect to do much better this time.

A prominent Prince William merchant of Conservative leanings was among the visitors to the city today. Asked in regard to the political situation in his parish he declared that he had failed to observe any marked change in sentiment among electors. He had heard Conservatives say that they would not vote for the opposition candidates and he had heard Liberals say that they were going to vote against the government. While there might be a few changes here and there he thought the standing of the poll at Prince William front would not differ greatly from the last contest when the Liberals carried it by a large majority.

The opposition bluster about an alleged revulsion of feeling against the government and the enormous majority already in sight for the opposition candidates is creating great amusement, especially among electors who have no pronounced party affiliations. They recall the contest of 5 years ago when the same glowing reports were circulated by the identical men who are championing the opposition cause in York today. There is scarcely a non-partisan voter in the county today who will say that the opposition quartette stand any better chance of election than they did five years ago.

TORY MEETING AT GIBSON.

Mayor McLeod and that eminent patriot, Mr. A. Duncan Thomas addressed a meeting at Gibson last evening which was presided over by Mr. Sanford Pond. There was a good crowd in attendance including many Liberals who dropped in out of curiosity just to see what the opposition spellbinders had to say. Mr. Thomas spoke first and devoted most of his time to the school book question. His exposition of the issue was as clear as mud, and he got so badly mixed at times that His Worship was called upon to prompt him. Mr. Thomas closed his harangue by paying a tribute to the "primer politicians" who are endeavoring to secure the reins of government in this province.

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after wandering away back to the old times of British rule and eulogizing the old Liberals of Confederation claimed everything in sight for his party on the 3rd of March.

TORY COMMITTEE ROOMS

Striking Program Prepared for this Evening

Chorus by the Almshouse Harmony Club, under the direction of the Hon. A. D. Thomas.

Address—The Royal Prohibition Commission as a Revenue Producer, —Rev. Dr. McLeod.

Address—St. John street eviction, by the Hon. James D. Perkins.

Address—"Everybody Works But Father"—by the Hon. W. H. Jonah.

Address—"Raising Bear Island Rocks a profitable line of agriculture"—by the Hon. James Kunning Pinder.

Address—"Crossing the Bar"—by the Rt. Hon. James Hooligan Crockett, K.C.M.G.P.B.

Address—"Roadmaking for personal profit"—Hon. George Antediluvian Strange.

Address—"Over the Hills to the Poor House"—the Hon. A. Duncan Thomas, D. C. L., N. G.

Address—"Log stealing on the St. John River"—Hon. Louis Honeyuckle Bliss.

Closing Tableau—Hair raising representation of blasting rocks at the Bear Island Bar with Hon. James Kunning Pinder clothed in blue jeans and with uplifted pickaxe, leading the attack.

Years and chewing tobacco furnished free.

Free collection for the purity campaign.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in whom our Readers are Interested.

Mrs. J. H. Crossley, of St. John, who has been visiting relatives in the city, left for home this morning.

Rev. Father Crumley of Blackville, is the guest of Rev. Father Ryan, St. Mary's Ferry.

Hon. E. H. Allen, provincial secretary, came in from Harvey by the noon train and is a guest at the Queen.

Mr. W. A. Gibson, of St. John, is among the guests at the Queen today.

Mr. A. McN. Shaw, of Montreal, is in the city today.

Mr. W. H. Berry, of St. Stephen, is among the guests at the Queen.

Mr. Stephen Whitehead, who is employed on the Transcontinental railway at Latuque, P. Q., has arrived home on a visit.

Major Cropley's condition shows no sign of improvement.

SHORTHAND EXAMINATION. Messrs. A. J. Gregory and J. H. Barry, K. C.'s, special commissioners appointed by the government for the purpose, are conducting an examination in the Supreme Court chamber today of candidates who wish to qualify themselves as court stenographers. The candidates trying the ordeal are Mr. W. A. Doherty, Miss McGinty, St. John; Miss Fairweather, Moncton; and Misses Flewelling, Johnson, Kirk, Pugh and McCarthy, of Fredericton. The examination will probably be finished this evening.

THE LATE MRS. DOUGHERTY. The funeral of the late Mrs. John Dougherty will take place from her son-in-law's residence, St. John street, at two thirty o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The body will be taken to the cathedral, where services will be conducted by Rev. Sun Dean Street. Interment will be made in the rural cemetery. Mrs. Robert Hutton, of St. John, a daughter of the deceased, whose name was omitted from yesterday published list, is here to attend the funeral.

FINISHED HIS TASK. Mr. George W. Dunbar, the Toronto expert, who has been in the city since last Thursday auditing the provincial accounts, finished his task yesterday and left for home by the evening train. In conversation with acquaintances before leaving the city he spoke in terms of the highest praise of the method of bookkeeping employed by Mr. George N. Babbitt, the deputy receiver general. Mr. Dunbar will submit a report to Premier Robinson at an early date.

FIXING THE BLAME. The local Tory organ with that consideration and kindly feeling which it has always shown towards the Herald and its staff, applies the term "mental degenerate" to a Herald writer. We assume, however, that Mr. Douglas Black is not responsible for originating the term and making application of it to a fellow worker, and it must be the handiwork of the moral degenerate.

SEVILLE ORANGES. Seville or Marmalade Oranges and California celery. At G. T. Whelpley's.—dlf.

THE WEATHER.

Today, moderate winds, fine and cold. Thursday, strong winds and gales, east to south, snow, turning to rain.

"Black Prince" Hose at all the leading Dry Goods Stores.

FOUND

On York Street a ladies brown bag containing a sum of money. Owner can have property by proving same and paying for this advertisement.

Enquire of OTIS KELLY, F'ion Business College. Feb. 20, d21.

TEACHER WANTED

A second or third class teacher for District No. 22. Apply to MELZER DICKINSON, Canterbury Station. Feb. 19, d21, w11.

CONCERT

All are invited to the concert in the Methodist vestry tonight, under the auspices of the L. A. Wilmet Mission Band. Admission 15 cts. Feb. 19, d11.

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

The City Water Department propose to flush the water mains Thursday morning, Feb. 20. Consumers will therefore take notice and govern themselves accordingly. A. K. GRIMMER, City Engineer. Feb. 18, d21.

Wanted Girl for General House Work

Must be a good plain cook. References required. Apply to MRS. C. W. HALL, George Street. febl0dmw1 tf.

TO LET

From May 1st, two houses on St. John street, with modern improvements. Apply to MRS. J. K. HAZEN, Brunswick Street. eb.17, deod, tf.

TO LET

From May 1st. The lower part of house corner George and Church streets at present occupied by W. S. Benson, Esq., all modern improvements. Apply to R. F. Randolph. Feb. 18, dt.

HOUSES FOR SALE

Brick house on Queen Street, West End, belonging to estate of the late George Coulthard. May be inspected Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2 to 5 p.m. Enquire of W. B. COULTHARD, Royal Bank. Feb. 6, d 121.

TO LET

One flat on Queen street, office on Queen street, and house on Campbell street. The latter will be let by flats or the whole house. Has bath and furnace. Apply to COLES KITCHEN. Feb. 18, d61.

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100 cords, first class, 2 foot, green wood. Price \$5.25. Apply to A. E. HANSON. febl4d61.

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Miss Maude McKee, lately returned from taking a special course in Boston, will receive pupils in voice culture; private lessons or in classes of three or more. Special attention given to breathing. Terms, apply to 106 King street. jndff.

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