

MR. COPP'S SPEECH.

Eloquent Member for Westmorland Flays the Hazen Government.

Mr. A. B. Copp, M.P.P., for Westmorland, who is stumping St. John county in the interests of Mr. Bentley, the opposition candidate, addressed a large meeting at Ben Lomond on Thursday night. He was in good form and made a slashing attack on the Hazen government.

Mr. Copp, on rising, was accorded a most enthusiastic reception. After referring to the fact that he came among them a stranger, he said he would endeavor to give them a plain matter of fact talk. If he could not place before them reasons for condemning the Hazen administration he would not ask them to vote for Mr. Bentley.

"I would not say," continued Mr. Copp, "that the old government was perfect, neither do I ask for perfection in Mr. Hazen, but I do expect that in some degree he will carry out his promises made prior to the election of 1908. Let us take a few of them."

HAZEN'S INCONSISTENCY.

"For years I heard the denunciations of Mr. Hazen in opposition that the government was extravagant. Personally I was somewhat convinced at first with the opposition's statements and have looked into the question. What do I find? In the estimates of income and expenditure for 1907, the last year the old government was in power, the sum of \$934,607.02 was voted to carry on the affairs of the province. No one denounced this more than Mr. Hazen. He said the province was on the verge of ruin. In 1908, the first year Mr. Hazen was in office, the estimate was \$1,038,951.89, to do the same work. Yet they said we had been 'their answer, of course, is that they wanted more to pay the debts of the old government. Well, we will say they paid the debts. A few weeks ago the vote for 1909 was \$1,153,794.32, or \$225,000 more than we had in 1907. By that much they had increased the annual expenditure. It is your duty as men with a stake in the county to vote for those who looked after your interests in parliament and against Mr. Hazen and such hypocrisy as this."

TWO GLARING INSTANCES.

"While Mr. Hazen promised many things there are two in particular—the highway act and the school book question—which helped to defeat the late government. Talk about swindlers! No more false arguments were ever put forward than about those two.

"I believe the highway act of 1904 was a good act, but if not it was right that it should be replaced. It did not affect you in St. John County because you asked to be exempted, and the request was granted by the government. But Mr. Hazen and his friends were just as responsible for the old act as we were. He denounced statute labor and claimed that the management of the roads should be in the hands of the municipal councils. When he laid down his platform before March, 1908, that was one of his promises. The people elected him and as a result he and his government appointed their own highway boards for political purposes."

HAZEN TRIFLING WITH LIBERALS.

"I charge Mr. Hazen with trifling with the Liberals of the province who trusted him. He was well called 'Hazen the Headman' by Mr. Robinson in Berryman's hall the other day. He has dismissed hundreds of Liberals from office. In my own county at Sackville I appointed two men under the old highway act. Today there are thirty. The present act will not work out in the interests of the province. Have any of you seen a copy?"

"Cries of 'We can't get it.'"

Mr. Copp—"Yes, they're ashamed of it. Well, I've told you how Mr. Hazen said he would introduce a highway act to please everyone. As soon as the session opened the act was introduced. We gasped at the idea that he could have framed an act in a few days. It was condemned on all sides and finally the session adjourned without its becoming law. A rider was added that it should come into force under an order-in-council. The province worked all last year under the old act which they had condemned and at last in desperation Mr. Hazen appealed to the county councils to help him out. An act was placed on the statute book towards the end of last session which increased the taxes more than is necessary, and is quite unworkable."

THE SCHOOL BOOKS.

The school book policy of the government is the greatest piece of imposition ever forced on unsuspecting people in this province or elsewhere. If the school books could be sold successfully and cheaper they would deserve credit for it. They will tell

you that they have cut the price down 40 per cent. If that were true there might be something in it. But Mr. Hazen has misjudged the common sense of the people in thinking that they could not realize the actual cost.

"I admit the government can buy six or seven books cheaper. But suppose they are cheaper, what does it cost the government? What it costs the government it costs you. Before they could be sold a lot of money had to be spent. First there was Mr. Flemming's trip to Toronto when he spent \$16,000 in buying books, paying for them in cash. You and the rest of the people of the province are paying interest on that. Then there was the freight to pay on a car load to Fredericton, cartage from the station and a salary of \$700 a year to a man to take charge of them. Next there was the cost of packing and sending them to a vendor in St. John county, who, of course, had to be a good Conservative. When he sells them he makes his returns less ten per cent."

COST MORE THAN BEFORE.

Vendors are not under bond and something must be figured for losses and bad debts. Some of them will never make returns and the government loses. I have figured the matter out carefully and I make this charge that directly and indirectly, the school books are costing from 15 to 20 per cent more than they did. It's like putting ten cents in one pocket and taking twenty cents out of the other. I had the statement from Mr. Gage's traveler that the books were costing more than they ever did before.

"Now Mr. Flemming bought \$70,000 worth and the majority of the books would naturally be in demand and be sold. In August at the beginning of the school year. The vendors make their returns every month yet, when the financial year closed on October 31, three months later, only \$2,000 had been returned. Where was the other \$14,000?"

SCRIBBLERS DON'T TAKE.

"Mr. Flemming bought a car load of scribbles which were no good. The children refused to be fooled and would not use them. They are still piled up in Fredericton and in every letter Mr. Flemming writes he says: 'Don't you want to buy a few cheap scribbles?' (Much laughter.)

"I appeal to my Liberal friends. If Mr. Hazen had carried out his pledges not so much fault could be found with him, but don't be fooled a second time. There is no more determined Tory in the country than Mr. Hazen, or one who would think less of the Liberal party, or would more readily drive a knife into its back. Let us, as self-respecting Liberals, say to Mr. Hazen, you have thrown the gauntlet down to us. If you fooled us on one occasion you won't do it twice. (Cheers.)

"I must say a word on the action of the government with regard to the iron mines in Gloucester county during the past session. You would think that they would husband the resources of the province, but last year when Mr. Drummond asked for legislation they were not only willing to aid him, but relinquished the direct control of the mines for eighty years, and accepted a mere pittance of five cents a ton as royalty. These mines should have been a valuable asset to the province instead of being handed over to please the government's political friends."

"I charge Mr. Hazen with criminal neglect in regard to this enterprise, and with voting away a valuable asset for eighty years. He also guaranteed bonds at \$15,000 a mile for twenty-six miles of railway, and added \$400,000 to the debt of the province."

MR. MORRISSEY.

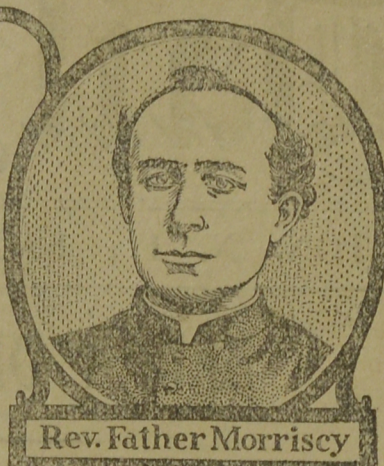
"This is a Conservative government. They are using John Morrissey as a decoy duck by allowing him to remain a member of it. I am not afraid to say that Mr. Morrissey or his department used his office during the last Dominion election in Westmorland to put 100 men on the roads digging mud. Either Mr. Morrissey did it to defeat the Liberal candidate or the Conservatives were pulling his leg. He is not fit to be head of a department. Honest John Morrissey said you were not paying taxes enough, and doubled them. He expects you to work for \$1 a day, and added \$500 to his own salary. Seven dollars a day, which Mr. Morrissey received, was not enough for him, but \$1 a day was enough for you in carting gravel on the roads."

"I have given you some idea gentlemen, of the hypocrisy and deception practiced by the Hazen government. As common sense men you will remember, when the day of election comes, that you are the jury, and decide wisely between Mr. Bentley and Mr. Mosher." (Loud cheers.)

After a few remarks by E. S. Carter, and a vote of thanks to the chairman, the meeting adjourned.

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IMPORTANT DECISION.

Detroit Woman Gets Verdict Against Man Who Sold Husband Booze.

DETROIT, Mich., July 8.—A decision far-reaching in its importance, and one which will be of interest to the cause of temperance everywhere, was handed down by the Michigan supreme court yesterday. Mrs. Nettie Marriman, of Brass Lake, brought suit against one Frederick, a saloon-keeper, in the same town, claiming \$10,000 damages for having sold liquor to her husband, thereby rendering the latter a drunkard, as well as causing the plaintiff to lose her home, her money, and the company of her husband.

It was shown to the satisfaction of the court that until Marriman took to drink he was a prosperous railway telegrapher, and stood high with his employers. Drink caused him to lose everything and finally his wife was obliged to leave him. On appeal the supreme court gave a verdict against the saloon-keeper for \$5,235.

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BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

Eastern League Standing.			
Clubs—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Rochester	41	27	.603
Providence	33	32	.509
Montreal	31	33	.485
Baltimore	25	35	.417
Newark	23	34	.403
Buffalo	21	35	.375
Toronto	22	37	.370
Jersey City	19	37	.341

Thursday scores: Rochester 6, Toronto 1; Montreal 2, Buffalo 1; Providence 19, Newark 3; Jersey City 7, Baltimore 3.

Games to-day: Rochester at Toronto (2 and 9), Buffalo at Montreal, Newark at Providence, Baltimore at Jersey City.

National League Standing.

Clubs—			
Won.	Lost.	Pct.	
Pittsburg	41	19	.683
Cincinnati	42	23	.646
New York	39	24	.617
Chicago	38	23	.621
Boston	37	27	.576
St. Louis	36	29	.556
Philadelphia	35	33	.515
Cleveland	34	34	.500

Games to-day: Pittsburgh at New York; Cincinnati at Brooklyn; Chicago at Philadelphia; St. Louis at Boston.

American League Standing.

Clubs—			
Won.	Lost.	Pct.	
Detroit	43	26	.622
Philadelphia	43	26	.622
Cleveland	41	29	.585
Cincinnati	37	31	.544
New York	31	37	.451
Chicago	23	49	.319
St. Louis	23	42	.353
Washington	22	47	.319

Games to-day: Philadelphia at Detroit; Washington at Cleveland; Boston at Chicago; New York at St. Louis.

It's a great comfort to a woman to believe that her husband is lonesome when she is away.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that The Canada Loose Leaf Company, Limited, will apply to the City Council of the City of Fredericton for a loan and certain exemptions hereunder set out pursuant to Chapter Thirty Nine, Acts of Assembly, 6 Edward VII.

The Company will make application for exemption from water rates, sewerage rate and taxation generally for a term of five years, renewable for a further term of five years, and a loan of three thousand five hundred dollars, repayable in instalments of five hundred dollars annually without interest, the first instalment to be paid five years after the loan is made.

In consideration of such assistance the Company on their part agree to repay such loan as aforesaid and to employ forty five people with a gross annual wage of not less than three hundred and fifty dollars weekly, and to actively carry on the business of manufacturing loose leaf ledgers and other loose leaf devices to the amount of not less than \$50,000 annually. To secure the repayment of such loan by a first mortgage on the building and machinery owned by the Company and to insure the said property with loss, if any, payable to the City of Fredericton to the extent of their interest, and also to give a bond conditioned that the Company will carry out all their agreements as above mentioned.

The said application will be made to the said City Council at their regular monthly meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, the second day of August next.

Dated the twenty fourth day of June, A. D. 1909.

The Canada Loose Leaf Company, Limited, by
FREDERIC HARCOURT,
Managing Director.

June 24th mo.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to

the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Extension of Wharf at Moncton, N. B.," will be received at this office until 4.30 P.M., on Thursday, July 22, 1909, for the construction of an extension to the wharf at Moncton, Westmorland County, N. B. Plans, specifications and form of contract may be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B.; Geoffrey Stead, Esq., Resident Engineer, Chatham, N. B., and on application to the Postmaster at Moncton, N. B.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, with their occupations, and places of residence. In case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

An accepted cheque or a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for two thousand one hundred dollars (\$2,100.00) must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party tendering declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order.

NAPOLEON TESSIER,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works.

Ottawa, June 22, 1909.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

June 28, 431-

Overall Bargains S. KERNER Light Cool Summer, Pants sold for \$3.25 special

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Overalls special 420 Queen St. July 5 1909 this week for 69c. \$1.95

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\$1.50 Ladies' Fancy Night Gowns for 75c. 40c Ladies' Fancy Summer Vests special for 19c. 20c Ladies' Undervests special 2 for 25c. \$1.50 Ladies' White Fancy Trimmed Underskirts for 99c. 12 and 15c Gingham special for 8c. 12 and 15c Pretty Prints special for 9 1/2c. Gent's Imitation Panama Hats best for \$1.00

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BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES

Three men have been arrested at Montreal on a charge of luring accident claims against railways.

Pierre Collins, a Montreal grocer, was robbed of \$500 by two men who pretended to be sanitary inspectors.

A sensation was created in the Clifton House, Niagara Falls, when its proprietor ordered the playing of the "Star-spangled Banner" to cease.

A decision of moment to temperance workers was handed down in Detroit when a woman, the wife of a drunkard, was given heavy damages against a saloon-keeper.

The results of the examinations at the McCreed Institute in Guelph show a large number of young lady graduates in housekeeping, home-making and as teachers of domestic science.

A Liberal victory in the first district of Queen's, P.E.I., gives the Government a majority of three, and probably saves them from defeat at least until the end of the Parliamentary term.

J. Bruce Walker, Commissioner of

immigration, is already busy with the need of men to handle the western harvest. He says applications are pouring in and cannot be filled. He thinks twenty thousand men will be required.

King Edward's Pet Dog.

The wire-haired fox-terrier Caesar, which accompanies King Edward on nearly all his travels, and whose collar in gilded words proclaims: "I am Caesar. I belong to the King," joined His Majesty's entourage five years ago, on the death of his celebrated predecessor Jack. He had hardly been a week in the Royal Household when he received a drubbing from an irritable old lady in Paris, where the King was visiting. Caesar, while roaming the Tuileries Gardens, "went for" the old lady's French poodle, whose owner sharply retaliated with her umbrella. "It is the King's dog!" exclaimed a horrified official. "The King's dog, is it?" retorted the peppy old lady, flourishing her weapon more ferociously than ever. "Then so much the worse for the King!"

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