CANADA WILL STAND UNITED FOR LAURIER

EVERY COUNTY IN PROVINCE WILL CONTRIBUTE TO SWELL PREMIER LAURIER'S MAJORITY

Carvell's Victory is Certain in Carleton County—York County Conservatives Drop Crocket and Will Support Brown—Corps of Speakers Trying to Save Wilmot in Queens County—Tide Turning Against Ganong.

That F. B. Carvell, the Liberal candidate for Carleton County, will again represent that constituency at Ottawa after the election on October 26, and that his majority over his opponent will be not less than 400, is the opinion expressed by Hon. W. P. Jones, of Woodstock, who was in the city yesterday.

"There is no doubt whatever about the result," said Mr. Jones. "The Conservative candidate, B. Frank Smith, I think, is very much deceived about the county. A great many are of the opinion that he can defeat Carvell on the result of the provincial election. Such, however is not the case. The local election there turned on two questions, almost altogether, one was the road law, which was very unsatisfactory, and the other was the local matter affecting the upper end of the county, the question of the location of a bridge across the St. John river. The provincial government had located it at one point and the people in other localities were dissatisfied.

"The local election was no test of the standing of the two parties on dominion issues, at all. Now Mr. Smith finds that the Liberals who supported him last March are swinging back into the Liberal ranks because the provincial government have not carried out its promises to hand the administration of the highway act over to the municipalities, but instead have tried to remedy it by appointing parish boards with their own chairman, and by increasing the road tax. Not only is he losing the Liberals who voted for him last March, but also a great many Conservatives for the same reasons.

"The other question, of course, is not an issue now except as showing the insincerity of Mr. Smith's promises that he would locate the bridge and have it constructed. The former government had decided on Bath for its location and Smith intimated that he would locate it at a point farther up, but he is careful not to define the exact place until after the election and the people think the government will never build it.

"A great many of the independent Conservatives of the county believe that Smith should not have resigned his seat in the legislature as they look upon his candidature as showing his personal feeling against Carvell. The result of this is that the mass of independent electors are favorable to Carvell because they recognize that in him the county has the best representative at Ottawa, that it ever had. He is a clean, capable man and I have no doubt that his majority will be a decided gain over the 1904 election when he had 274 votes more than F. H. Hale. I think this time he should have not less than 400 of a majority.

"He is making a strong personal canvass and feels confident of success. Meetings are being held every night and there is great enthusiasm.

"Regarding the contest in York, Mr. Jones said he knew that in the upper part of the county, Brown is very strong. The same influences are at work there as in Carleton county. The new road law is generally condemned and there is a good deal of sympathy for Brown who was ousted from his position by the Hazen government. He is well known and respected, is of a social disposition, a pleasant man to meet, a good campaigner and a good canvasser. 'In one section alone,' said Mr. Jones, 'I know of fifteen Conservatives who formerly supported Crocket, who will this time vote for Brown, and in another section I know of eighteen who will transfer their support and if the lower part of the county is anything like the upper part, he should come out with a good majority.'

"There is a feeling that Crocket has done nothing for the county and the people feel that the Conservative government will do nothing for them."

In Victoria County, it is of course a foregone conclusion that Michaud will be elected and many are of the opinion that Baker will not save his deposit.

Hon. Mr. Jones will leave this morning for Queens County where he will address several meetings in the interests of Colonel H. H. McLean. Tonight's meeting will be at Shannon Settlement.

Chipman, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—An enthusiastic meeting of the Young Liberals Club was held here last evening at which Col. H. H. McLean and Senator King delivered addresses. R. D. Richardson, the president, was in the chair. The hall was filled to overflowing and nearly all in the audience were voters. Chipman can be counted on to give a large Liberal majority.

Reports from other sections received here are most encouraging and Liberal gains are being made in every parish. The fact that Premier Hazen has cancelled his western tour and is devoting all his energies in an attempt to save Queens and Sunbury is in itself significant. Messrs. Alward, Powell, Baxter, Woods and Slipp have all been retained to speak in a vain endeavor to stem the tide. Mr. Wilmot is evidently becoming discouraged. He is now telling his friends that he will poll a big vote even if not elected. He is fighting in a lost cause.

Campbellton, N. B., Oct. 6 (Special).—W. S. Loggie was given a rousing reception last night in Murray Hall, when he arose to speak on the issues of the campaign. The hall was filled with a large gathering of citizens who showed the confidence they repose in the party of progress. The speaker paid a high tribute to James Reid, M.P., the Liberal representative of this county. He said that in Mr. Reid the county had the best man it could choose. He advised the electors to do their duty to their county and give Mr. Reid a rousing majority.

Sussex, N. B., Oct. 6 (Special).—D. H. McAlister, M.D., Liberal candidate for Kings-Albert, was in Havelock yesterday, where he met a large number of friends and supporters, at an agricultural fair that was being held there. Dr. McAlister is one of the very best Liberal canvassers that Kings county has ever known.

It used to be said of Senator Domville that he knew every man, woman and child in Kings county. It was quite true that he had a wonderful acquaintance, and on Monday night there was no doubt whatever that the old feelings are still felt for this popular politician of former days. The senator, who was in splendid form, gave an address of an hour and a half to an audience heartily in sympathy with him. He was applauded to the echo.

The reports from Havelock are that the Liberal vote will be much larger than usual. Dr. McAlister is well known in that parish as well as in all the other sections in the upper and middle part of Kings county, and the kindly feelings entertained for him will do much to increase his vote.

The attitude taken by his brother physician, Dr. Pearson, of Sussex, will furnish an example to scores of his friends, who may be inclined to place their political before their personal feelings. It is no secret in the upper end of Kings county particularly, that many of the opponents of Dr. McAlister would be glad to see him elected.

Tomorrow night Hon. H. A. McKeown, of St. John, and Hon. C. J. Osman, of Hillsboro, will address a meeting at Upham. On Friday evening A. B. Copp, M. P. P., and Hon. Mr. Osman will address a meeting in the Agricultural Hall in Hampton Village; and on Saturday evening Mr. Copp and Senator Domville will speak at Norton Station in the large hall there.

Energetic organization meetings are being held every evening all over the county and the prospects of Dr. McAlister's election are brighter than they have ever been. Right here in the home of both candidates, it is confidently believed that Dr. McAlister will have a large majority.

Woodstock, N. B., Oct. 6.—(Special.)—F. B. Carvell, M.P., is meeting with a most encouraging reception all over the county. Last night he and Ald. Dugan spoke to a big crowd at Watson Settlement and created an excellent impression. Tonight the candidate will be at Bloomfield.

Hon. W. P. Jones, Ald. Thorne, Dr. Grant, Dr. Kirkpatrick and Geo. W. Upham addressed a big rally at Pembroke last evening and tonight the latter four are speaking at Lower Brighton.

Mr. Carvell and Hon. Mr. Jones will speak on Saturday night at Bath, at a grand week end rally. Carvell's election is beyond peradventure.

St. George, N.B., Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Liberal prospects are growing brighter every day. G. W. Ganong and Judge Cockburn held a meeting at Beaver harbor last night. Three quarters of the audience were Liberals and many left the hall disgusted with the scandal harangue of the speakers. Ganong is a past master at this style of oratory, but he has reached the limit in Charlotte and the county will undoubtedly go solid for Todd.

Chatham, Oct. 6.—W. S. Loggie, M. P., addressed an enthusiastic meeting at Douglasfield last night, and will speak at Barnaby River on Wednesday.



Frank B. Carvell, Liberal Candidate in Carleton.

FOUR THOUSAND HEAR LAURIER AT L'ISLET

Open Air Meeting Addressed by the Premier Yesterday.

L'Islet, Que., Oct. 6 (Special).—Nearly 4,000 electors of this county welcomed Sir Wilfrid Laurier at an open air meeting this afternoon. The premier was met at the station by Mayor Cloutier, of L'Islet, and most of the male population of the village, headed by a brass band. Special trains from Levis and Riviere Du Loup brought nearly 2,000 people.

The premier arrived and was escorted to a temporary platform. Mayor Cloutier introduced J. B. T. Caron, of Ottawa, the Liberal candidate, who spoke and Cloutier then gave an address of welcome to the premier, and a bouquet was handed to Sir Wilfrid by a red sashed little girl.

Sir Wilfrid spoke more than an hour. He expresed assurance that though snows of many winters had whitened his hair, he still felt strong to work for Canada, and wanted five more years to do it in.

Hon. Rodolph Lemieux spoke for an hour. At the close of the meeting the premier was escorted to the train by the band and given a cheer as the train pulled out for Quebec.

BIG MEETING AT KINGSTON, ONT.

Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. Chas. Murphy Were in Excellent Form.

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 6 (Special).—Tonight Hon. W. S. Fielding, who is nearing the conclusion of his Ontario tour, was joined by the new secretary of state, Hon. Charles Murphy, at a meeting in the interests of Hon. Wm. Harty, Liberal candidate in this city. Their joint efforts proved unusually successful, and in recent years Kingston has never had a political meeting higher in general character of argument advanced, nor one in which there was a better demonstration of party loyalty.

As the minister of finance repeated his cheery story of Canada's progress under Liberal guidance, the Opera House rang with cheers. Mr. Fielding was in an excellent argumentative mood, not withstanding his strenuous exertion of the past few days in Ontario.

Hon. Mr. Murphy created an excellent impression and he brought out a number of new interesting facts regarding the government's immigration policy.

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BORDEN BAYNE BOOZE

Five True Bills Found Against Bayne for Bribery.

Man Who Handled "Choice Tomatoes" in Colchester is Found Guilty on All Counts But One—His Trial Comes on Tomorrow.

Truro, N. S., Oct. 6.—The grand jury in the Bayne case for bribery at Five Islands, Colchester County, today, found true bills against Bayne on all the indictments preferred, excepting that in the case of Morrison, who did not appear and consequently no indictment could be preferred on the charge of giving him money and liquor.

The grand jury found true bills against Bayne for bribing Alexander McDonald with $15 and ten flasks of whiskey; Robie Faulkner with $30 and thirty flasks of whiskey; Suther Faulkner twenty-four flasks; Joseph Jamieson $5 and John C. Jamieson $5. Bayne will come up for trial tomorrow morning.

BORDEN CLUB HELD SMOKER LAST NIGHT

Vaudeville, Cigars and Free Lunch Drew Out Large Attendance.

The R. L. Borden Club held a smoker in the assembly rooms of the Nickel theatre last evening. It was well attended. There was a programme of vaudeville, moving pictures, and speeches.

Norman E. McLeod, president of the club, presided. Addresses were given by Ald. J. B. M. Baxter, Dr. J. P. McInerney, M.P.P., and the candidates. Interspersed between the speeches was the following programme: Song, Miss Emma Felix; song, Master Pat Harrington; song, H. Smith; saxaphone solo, H. H. Williams; song, Mr. Courtney; song, Wm. Lanyon; song and dance, Capt. Kingston; motion pictures consisting of "Hoosier Fighters," "Lady Wrestlers," and others, and also portraits of Sir Leonard Tilley, Sir John A. McDonald, R. L. Borden and the candidates were thrown on the screen.

Cigars and tobacco were freely distributed and sandwiches, biscuits and cheese, cake, coffee, soft drinks and fruit were served.

REFORMS IN JAPAN

Tokio, Oct. 7.—The government has decided to prohibit all gambling on race tracks and to enforce the laws governing racing. The action of the government has created excitement and it is believed it will eliminate horse racing in Japan.

McALISTER SWINGS ON TO GREAT VICTORY IN KINGS

Kings and Albert Will Rid Itself of the Dragging Millstone of Fowlerism—Dr. Pearson at Great Rally at Sussex—Emmerson and McAlister are Cheered at Havelock.

Sussex, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—There was a large and enthusiastic gathering of Liberals at the Upper Corner tonight to organize for the campaign. The Liberal organizer, E. S. Carter, was present, and in a short time completed the work of organization. E. O. McIntyre was elected president of the Liberal club, and William Upham, vice-president for that section, Joseph Lynch for Jeffries Corner, Wesley McFarlane for Markhamville, John Cother for New Line Road, Martin Dunn for Wards Creek, and Peter McGuinn for Mill Brook. E. W. Watt was elected secretary and the other members of the committee included Hugh R. McMonagle, King McFarlane, James Doherty, James Hayes, Thomas Bolan, Wm. J. Beckford, Ritchie Price, Owen Regan, and Samuel Sullivan.

Hon. C. J. Osman addressed the gathering and told in an interesting manner how successful a campaign Dr. McAlister was conducting in Albert and the splendid reception he was meeting with in every quarter of the county. There was not the slightest doubt, the speaker said amid vigorous applause, that the Liberal candidate would come out of Albert with flying colors.

Fred. E. Sharp spoke vigorously upon some of the issues of the campaign and gave the new Sussex committee an idea of the great success the Liberal party was meeting with in other parts of Kings county. He was given a cordial reception and all were keenly interested in the successful reports made by the speaker.

At the conclusion of Mr. Sharp's speech Dr. Pearson, who had just arrived, was given a rousing reception, which was repeated when he began to address the electors. After thanking them for their hearty reception. Dr. Pearson referred briefly to the many hard things that were said about him today, after his declaration made in the Liberal committee rooms last evening. He believed in a man asserting his independence and not being so hide-bound that he could not do so when he saw fit to disapprove of the acts of a political party. Amid ringing cheers, he announced that he was through with the Conservative party and would stay with the Liberals so long as their policy suited him.

He explained at some length that while he had supported the Conservative party four years ago at that time he did not believe in the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Since then he had changed his views and now he believed it was the greatest undertaking Canada has ever seen. He pointed out that the road was opening up the centre of the province and thought it a most fortunate thing that the Conservative party had not gained power four years ago for that would have meant that the construction of the road and the development of the province would have been kept back for many years.

It would be a disaster to the country if the Conservatives were given power at this stage and he would do all in his power to keep them in opposition. A British Columbia newspaper wanted the Conservatives to gain power, giving as one reason that eggs would then be twelve cents a dozen. How would the farmers of New Brunswick like that? He believed Dr. McAlister would be elected. It meant a

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change of only 175 votes and he would get half of them in the parish of Sussex.

This remark was greeted with tremendous applause.

He hoped that the campaign would be free from personalities, but if the Conservatives began to throw mud he would show them he could throw mud also. He had been a personal and political friend of Mr. Fowler but he did not like his course in parliament. He did not believe it was right for him to accept a retainer from the big railway corporations in the form of a tip on a railway location. He believed men in parliament should stand clean and clear, and be in a position to veto the demands of these great railway corporations. After thanking the electors for their cordial reception, Dr. Pearson concluded amid great applause.

Mr. Osman then told the meeting how he had once been in Dr. Pearson's position, a member of the Conservative party, and he knew how difficult it was to stand up and be honest and courageous as Dr. Pearson had been tonight. He explained the persecution that had forced him from the Conservative party. "Then," he said, "I became a Liberal and, turning to Dr. Pearson and shaking hands with him, I congratulate you, sir, upon your courageous course." Prolonged cheering followed this and the meeting broke up in enthusiastic fashion with cheers for McAlister, Pearson, Albert county and Mr. Osman, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the King.

Demonstration at Havelock

Petitcodiac, Oct. 6.—The largest political meeting ever held at Havelock took place tonight, when Dr. McAlister and Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Liberal candidates for Kings-Albert and Westmorland were the speakers. There were about 600 people, about 200 standing, and scores who could not get standing room.

Dr. McAlister spoke first, referring to the accession of Dr. Pearson to the Liberal party.

J. T. Hawke then spoke for over an hour on the general issues, and specially dealing with the Independent Order of Foresters.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson followed with a great speech, dealing principally with the Intercolonial and the branch lines.

The meeting then broke up with cheers for the King, Laurier, and the candidates.

The size of the meeting surprised everyone, and the public feeling is seen to be strongly in favor of the Liberal cause.

All Up with Fowler

Coun. Cochran, of St. Martins, who was in the city yesterday, attending the meeting of the municipal council, said he had just been on a trip through Kings county. In his opinion Geo. W. Fowler has no chance of election there. That candidate's connection with the Foresters' funds, he said, was costing him the sympathy of many former friends.

On the other hand the Liberal candidate was popular all over the county. He has been known as "the poor man's doctor," and many stories are being told of his good heartedness. In addition, the councillor went on, Dr. McAlister has an absolutely clean record.

GREAT LIBERAL SWEEP IS FREELY PREDICTED IN ALL QUARTERS OF THE DOMINION

Ottawa Will Hold Big Demonstration for Laurier on October 17th—Liberals Will Redeem St. Antoine in Montreal—Strong Man Named in Woodstock, Ontario—Another Conservative Scandal is Killed in Its Cradle.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—A political demonstration in which it is expected 10,000 people will participate, will mark Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech of acceptance of the Liberal nomination for Ottawa, in the arena here, on October 17. This will be double the number which turned out last night to cheer for the Conservative leader.

The prime minister will spend a few days in the capital, beginning on Saturday, October 17. He requested that the local Liberals arrange the public meeting for Saturday evening, which was done. In order to secure the largest auditorium in the city, a bazar fixed to open there on October 19, was postponed.

At last night's Conservative meeting, P. B. Ross, editor of the Ottawa Journal, which is now more Conservative than any ordinary Tory paper, charged that H. B. McGiverin, the Liberal candidate for Ottawa, had a rake-off of $1,000 for acting as middleman in a sale of property for the government. Like most other Tory scandals, this statement goes until the other side is heard. McGiverin writes an open letter to the press in which he says: "In July of 1904, the then minister of public works sent for me and said that the government wished to purchase the Harris Campbell and Boyden property at the corner of Queen and O'Connor streets, in this city, which was being sold under a mortgage. He explained to me that the government had made inquiries about the property, but that the vendors were asking too high a price from the government, namely, $50,000.

"My partner and I attended the auction sale, supposedly acting for other clients. There were no bids made and the sale was called off, and the property remained in the hands of the master of the high court at Ottawa. We tried to negotiate with the liquidator for purchase of the property and finally put in a bid for $40,000. We continued for some days discussing the bid with the master and liquidator, who were trying to get a higher price than our clients were prepared to give. Finally we informed the master that we would withdraw our bid altogether unless it was accepted, and after some days of constant discussion the bid was accepted.

"We then turned the accepted bid over to the government and after some weeks the property was legally transferred to the government, upon investigation and acceptance of title in the ordinary way. The government paid me or my firm, the usual 2½ per cent. commission on the purchase of the property, which amounted to $1,000, so that the whole transaction was closed for $41,000 instead of the $50,000, which was the price originally asked for from the government, a saving of $9,000, which could not have been effected without having the services of a confidential purchasing agent. This is the actual statement of what happened."

Thus another Tory "scandal" is killed in its cradle.

Cobourg, Ont., Oct. 6.—"The Conservatives do not expect to carry the country this time," said J. B. McColl, ex-M.P., speaking here last night, "I have heard, not only last session, but during other sessions, Conservative members of Parliament say they never hoped to carry the country while Sir Wilfrid Laurier lived When they express that opinion I believe they are right."

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Conservatives are striving to make capital out of the argument that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will not sit for Ottawa if elected, but will continue to sit for Quebec East. But they do not say a word about R. L. Borden running in two ridings, because they know that, whereas Laurier will be elected in both constituencies, Borden will be beaten in Halifax and so will not be called upon to choose.

Montreal, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—The Liberals in convention tonight nominated R. C. Smith, K.C., a prominent Montreal lawyer, to oppose Mr. Ames in St. Antoine, the only Montreal division to elect a Conservative at the last general election.

The Liberal campaign in Montreal and the immediate vicinity has been somewhat slow in getting under way, but those on the inside have all along predicted that when it did begin it would go with a rush. This prediction has been amply verified. The nominations, particularly that in St. Antoine, have altered the feeling of Liberals about the campaign here, while the news from St. Lawrence has in the past few days, since the Liberal workers buckled down, been of a kind to reassure Mr. Bickerdike's friends on the score of possible losses due to his absence.

Mr. Smith's candidature in St. Antoine is an exceedingly strong one. Senior member of the firm of Smith, Markey & Montgomery, he has for years held a position at the Montreal bar, which may have admitted of rivals, but acknowledged no superiors. But he is not merely a brilliant lawyer and pleader, he is the sympathetic personality known to everybody who has ever come into contact with him as "Bob" Smith, a familiarity which has been due, not to any lack of dignity, but to the genuine affection of kindliness universally felt towards him.

Mr. Smith is a member of most of the leading clubs of this city, including the St. James Club, the Forest and Stream, the Royal Montreal Golf, the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club, the Westmount Golf Club, and the Quebec Garrison Club.

A great English meeting in the interests of the Liberal candidates in this city will be held in the Monument National on Friday evening. The chief speaker will be Hon. Sydney Fisher, who will devote the major part of his speech to an examination of the charges which Mr. Ames has been making in his magic lantern crusade. Mr. Fisher will be supported by Hon. Charles Devlin and the candidates in this city, with the exception of Mr. Bickerdike, who has not yet returned and is not expected until a day or two before nomination.

U. H. Dandurand has formally consented to run in Jacques Cartier against Mr. Monk. Lachine Liberals are already hard at work organizing in his interest.

Neither party has yet chosen a candidate for Maisonneuve, which is the largest constituency in Canada. It was represented in the last parliament by Alphonse Verville, president of the Dominion Trades and Labor Council.

Toronto, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—The largest and one of the most enthusiastic Liberal conventions in the history of North Oxford was held at Woodstock today, a noticeable feature being the large number of young men who are delegates. Out of a possible of 285 delegates, 277 were present. The unanimous choice of the convention was E. W. Nesbitt, of Woodstock, admitted to be one of the strongest men in the party in this riding at present.

Nesbitt's name was enthusiastically received and as he is a particularly able fighter and speaker and good campaigner, with a large acquaintance throughout the riding, the Liberals are assured of a greater majority than ever in the coming election. Six names went to the convention, but all retired except Nesbitt.

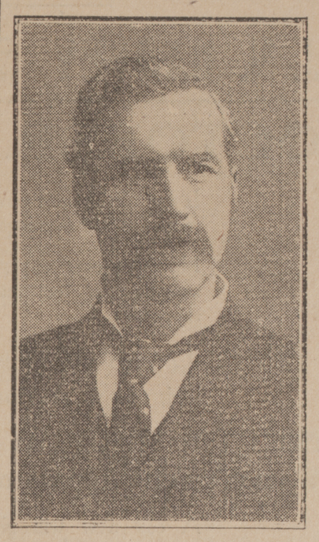
The greatest harmony prevailed in the ranks.

George Smith, member during the last session, some time ago announced that he would not be a candidate at this election, and this left the way open for Nesbitt.

A leading Toronto business man, recently returned from the Pacific coast, remarks: "When I went over the C.P.R. a dozen years ago, I said on my return that I couldn't see how that railway would ever drum up enough business to make it a paying proposition. On my return this time my remark was that I couldn't see how the C.P.R. would ever be able to handle the business pouring in upon it."

The Calgary News (Independent) says: "Premier Roblin, of Manitoba, is proving day by day that a man who may be as big as a whale in provincial politics may not be larger than a tadpole in the Federal political arena.

"Roblin has brains and a vocabulary, but he has demonstrated that he is short of ballast. His entrance into the arena of discusion on Dominion issues was hailed with satisfaction by many, as he was looked upon as a tower of strength in his own province, and it was believed he would prove of great assistance to leader Borden in his campaign throughout the country—but he failed."



Nelson W. Brown, York's Liberal Candidate.

MACRAE'S ACTION WILL HURT HIM

Opposition Candidate Spoke at Loch Lomond in Spite of Fact That He was Not Wanted.

Dr. A. W. MacRae, the Conservative candidate in St. John city and county, took it upon himself to ignore the requests of the Simonds and Loch Lomond Agricultural Society yesterday and forced a campaign speech upon the gathering assembled for the purposes of the annual agricultural fair.

The net result, in the opinion of those who attended the fair, was that MacRae would have been more diplomatic to have gracefully acceded to the wishes of the society and that, in fact, he had overshot the mark and was "votes out" by his two hours' speech.

Some days ago, when it became known that he planned on speaking at the fair, newspapers published the expression of the society's wishes that they be allowed to conduct their fair without any political speech making. In addition both parties in the contest were informed by telephone that this was the association's desire. Moreover a resolution was passed by the society, upon whose executive both Liberals and Conservatives sit, expressly and formally setting forth this wish.

The Liberals respected the request. Dr. MacRae, on the contrary ignored it. He secured a wagon for a rostrum and spoke for more than two hours. The Liberals present, who were greatly in the majority, were disgusted and did not bother listening to the speaker who had for his audience a few Conservatives and even they gave him no great encouragement in the form of applause. The general opinion yesterday was that Mr. MacRae would have done better had he not forced himself in where he was not wanted.

The resolution of the society was as follows:

"At a meeting of the Simonds and Loch Lomond Agricultural Society, held Oct. 6, 1908, it was unanimously resolved that this society requests the leaders on both sides of politics to refrain from speaking on politics in a public manner, as they, the members of the above society, would rather have the day observed in a purely agricultural spirit.

(Signed),

"W. T. BOYLE, President.

"ALEX. F. JOHNSTON, Secretary."

THE CONTRAST

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ENTHUSIASM IN THE VARIOUS WARDS

Daily Gains for Pugsley and Pender are Shown by the Meetings—Smokers to be Held Thursday Night.

The attendance at the Liberal ward meetings in St. John continues very large, and the greatest enthusiasm over the outlook for a rousing victory for the government candidates on October 26 prevails.

Last evening Mr. Pender visited the workers of Prince and Wellington wards and was given a hearty reception. In response to insistent calls for a speech at both places, he addressed the electors on the issues of the campaign and was repeatedly cheered as he scored point after point. It is generally admitted, even by many of the opposition workers, that Mr. Pender is making big gains daily and there is no doubt that he will have a big lead on Dr. Daniel when the ballots are counted. As for Dr. Pugsley his election was conceded by the opposition some time ago and it is only a question of how big the majority will be. Mr. Pender will leave this evening on a business visit to Montreal, but will return on Friday.

On Thursday evening the workers in Dukes, Queens and Sydney wards, will hold a "smoker" in their rooms in Berryman's Building, when young and old Liberals and their friends will be welcome. Prince ward will also hold a smoker on the same evening in their room in the McLean Building, Union street.

The chairmen of the various wards throughout the city report that the interest has never been so keen as it is in the approaching contest. The meetings are better attended and the feeling of success appears to be stronger than for many years past. All electors are invited to visit the ward rooms and see how well the work is going on.

The government workers in Victoria ward are working in the full assurance of victory. This ward has always been looked upon as strongly Conservative, but the workers say that it looks now as if the votes there will swell the Liberal majorities very considerably. There was a large number of men in the rooms last night.

REV. DR. G. M. CAMPBELL HOME FROM ENGLAND

Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell returned to the city yesterday, having spent the last two months on a tour through England and Scotland. Speaking of his trip, Dr Campbell said he visited the lake district in England, taking in Ambleside, Windermere and the other beautiful spots in the neighborhood. His only regret was that his stay had to be limited to a few hours.

In Scotland he went through the Highlands, taking the regular tour, which included all the best scenery. Going by way of the Caledonian Canal, he spent some time in Inverness, and among other places visited were Ayr and Melrose. Dr. Campbell added that he would at once resume his work and could be found at his old address, 121 Union street.

Mrs. and Miss Campbell, who accompanied Dr. Campbell to England, will remain abroad for about a year. They are at present in London, and in a few weeks will leave for Germany, where they will spend the winter.