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THE VILLAGE GOSSIPS

Wondered who he was, what he was, what he came for, and how long he intended to stay!

For just 10 days we will sell shirtwaists at a very low figure to clear

With a large salesroom very convenient and accessible for you and with a large line of most UP TO DATE GOODS we hope to increase our growing business. You are invited to call and examine our Fall Sacks, we have ten different styles of CORSETS. Do not be influenced by heresay or prejudice but personally examine our goods.

J. SUTTON CLARK,

St. George, N. B.

Vote for TODD and Triumph of a Worthy Cause

The Conservative government has doubled the poll tax in New Brunswick, and has increased the property tax by more than sixty per cent. Mr. Ganong supports that government, and this exorbitant taxation.

A Comparison of Records

The workmen of Canada will do well to contrast the passive attitude of the Conservative Administration during the eighteen years, from 1878 to 1896, with the active record of the Liberal administration, from 1896 to 1898, toward labor, though the latter covers a shorter period of time, and to judge for themselves which party is deserving of their support.



HON. WM. PUGSLEY

He has been criticised for carrying on public works in villages, small towns and along the coast, but we believe that these places are just as much entitled to these works as are large cities, and we also think that these smaller places contribute very materially to the prosperity of the larger ones.

On the one hand, the record of the Conservative party is so far as it has any record at all in matters of concern to labor, is one of unfulfilled promise and unlimited pretence. It is a record which from the financial side exhibits a gross waste of public funds, with not so much as a single practical result to be pointed to in extenuation of the shameful extravagance.

Granite workers remember that you were thrown out of the Workmen's Compensation Act by local Conservative leaders. Don't we want to help St. George grow? Of course we do--then vote for Todd and prosperity.

Mark Your Ballot with the X opposite the name of MR. TODD.

Ballot box with names: 1 GILBERT W. GANONG, of the Town of St. Stephen, Manufacturer; 2 WILLIAM F. TODD, of the Town of St. Stephen, Merchant. An 'X' is marked next to Mr. Todd's name.

Statement by Hon. Dr. Pugsley

The statement contained in the Standard this morning in which they purport to give a copy of the affidavit of Mr. Mayes that he in October 1907 gave me a note for \$2,000, would, if true, damn me forever as a public man and it would be my duty as a public man to resign my seat in the government.



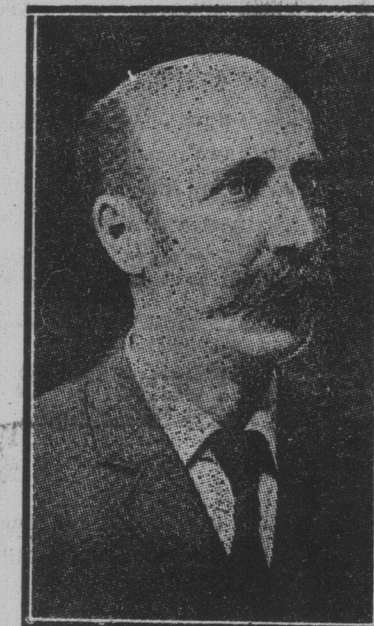
SIR WILFRID LAURIER

Not many years now remain to me. The snows of winter have taken the place of spring; but, however I may show the ravages of time, my heart still remains young, and I feel that I have as much strength as ever for the service of my country.

Mr. Borden's Dilemma

Mr. Borden brought into the campaign Hon. R. P. Roblin, of Manitoba. He has retired from the contest a convicted stander, exposed as the friend of the land speculator.

The recent increase of rates of I. O. F. affected one hundred members of Court Mistletoe. If Foster, Fowler & Co. had been honest with the order, would this have happened? This is a matter of importance to Foresters in St. George, as well as all over the country. Think it over.



W. F. TODD

Mr. Borden brought into the campaign Mr. Bowser, of British Columbia, a man whose profane tongue condemned him. He drew the contract which permitted the C. P. R. to bring in Japanese from Honolulu to British Columbia.

Make Charlotte solid for Todd. An eight hour day. When the fishermen of Charlotte County want any changes in the regulations governing this important industry, do they apply to Mr. Ganong to present their case? What has he done, and what can he do, to assist the fishermen in any legislation?

Geo. E. Foster wanted the reserve fund. Think it over Foresters of Charlotte. My Dear Doctor--As you know, the Foresters have \$500,000 of their money in the Northwest land deal. On the security of this we have borrowed all the money we can from the banks.

Nasty, Underhand and Inexcusable. Hon. Geo. E. Foster, general manager of the Union Trust Company, was one of the Conservative associates of Mr. G. W. Fowler in those malodorous deals in which the Foresters' funds were used to finance schemes made on the advice given these most honorable men by railroad magnates.

Mr. Powell's speech Wednesday evening was a disappointment to many Conservatives. He did not indulge in enough scandal and dirt to suit the taste of some bright lights of the party.

Senator Gillmor. I am firmly convinced that the prosperity of Canada will result in the return of the Liberal Government.

Stand for Yourselves Stand by Your Friends Fisherman Writes a Few Facts for the Consideration of his Brother Fishermen.

Ms. Editor. A word to my brother Fishermen. On Monday next we shall elect a man to represent us at Ottawa. Our wants are many, and we should be deeply interested. We have elected Mr. Ganong a number of times. What has he ever done for us? Can any man among you point to a thing in our favor and say we owe this to Mr. Ganong?

County; they are dredging our harbors, our rivers; they have given every Fisherman, who has a privilege the chance to build a weir; they have given us the right to hold our fish over Sunday, a privilege worth thousands of dollars to us; they have aided us in establishing a cold storage plant at Beaver Harbor; they have given us a daily mail in many sections of the County; they have given us markets for our fish by treaties, by subsidies granted steamers sailing from Canadian ports; they have brought the big cities of upper Canada close to us by paying part of the freight on fish shipped; they have taken the duty off gasoline; they have given us free twine. On every occasion they have listened to our petitions. On every occasion they have granted our demands. The fishermen of Charlotte Co. have good reasons to be grateful to the Liberal Government. The fishermen of Charlotte should consider well their own interests on Monday next, and vote for themselves, their interests, the welfare of Charlotte and vote for Wm. F. Todd.