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PURITY CAMPAIGN DOES NOT MEET THEIR VIEWS

Government Party in York County is Not Enthusiastic Over It—Only Eight Members of Government Committee Attended Conference.

Fredericton, Feb. 19.—The meeting of committees from the government and opposition parties to consider and take action upon the resolution presented to each by the Social and Moral Reform Association convened this afternoon at the council chamber, city hall. Much interest was taken in the proceedings, as many were anxious to learn how the government party would meet with the question of purity in elections. After some little delay Alfred Rowley, of Maryville, was called to the chair and R. B. Hanson was requested to act as secretary. The clergy of the city were well represented, among those present being Father Carney, Canon Cowie, Sub-dean Street, Rev. J. H. McDonald, Rev. J. C. Harris, Rev. J. W. McConnell and others. The chairman in a few brief words explained the object of the meeting and asked the Rev. Mr. McDonald to present to those present the resolution passed upon by the association.

At this juncture A. D. Thomas, ardent and said as twenty-five had been selected from each party to act, he suggested the roll be called and the fifty representatives take their seats inside of the hall. This suggestion met with unanimous approval. The secretary then called the names, starting with the opposition delegation. The following answered to the roll call: David Richards, ex-Warden Scott, Dr. Harry McNally, John Oldham, C. K. Howard, Dr. Vanward, Dr. Geo. J. McNally, Capt. Guthrie, David Richards, A. D. Thomas, W. J. Dykeman, W. H. Vanward, Councillor Rogers, Messrs. White, Alex. H. McNally, Tabor Everett, C. H. Thomas, Warden Byron McNally, Councillor Smith, Matthew Tannant, John Scott, Wm. Sanson, Dr. McLeod, Alderman Doherty, making a total of 24. J. M. Wiley, the 25th delegate, was unavoidably absent. Mr. S. McKnight, who was selected, making the delegation complete. When the government committee was called only eight responded, namely: W. J. Osborne, W. A. Walsh, B. Staples, Alex. Brewer, Dr. Moore, W. K. C. Parlee, H. Goodspeed, C. F. Chestnut. After some persuasion Henry Chestnut consented to act, saying that he was expressing no political opinion, but he was strongly desirous of seeing the principle of purity in elections carried out.

For a short time it looked as if the meeting would end in a fizzle, the opposition pointing out that the government committee had failed to live up to its resolution and were represented by only one-third of that committee. Mr. Osborne and Dr. Moore, on behalf of the government party, expressed very much the way their delegates had acted but they assured all that any pledges entered into by them would be carried out by the party.

The opposition did not think this assurance satisfactory, contending that those present on behalf of the government never took an active part in elections and were not in a position to make promises for bribery and corruption. Dr. McLeod and C. H. Thomas requested that the convention act as if both parties were fully represented. They did not want to see a failure, and they felt that though the government committee failed to keep their agreement, the opposition could still be generous and take the pledges of those present as representing each party. This was finally decided upon.

The Rev. J. H. McDonald then read the resolution drawn and which the association had prepared. It was in almost the same terms as the resolution adopted in Carleton and Charlotte counties. It prohibits running and money and an improper number of agents at the polling districts, provides for the depositing of \$500 by each party in some chartered bank guaranteeing the faithful performance and the appointment of a committee of five, two chosen from each party and the fifth by the Social and Moral Reform Association.

It was also agreed that twenty men be chosen from each party, the opposition opposing the government and government opposing the opposition to sign the agreement made. Of the committee of five, the government selected Henry Chestnut and W. J. Osborne and the opposition Dr. McLeod and Councillor Rogers. The association will choose their representatives later.

The little interest taken by the government party in the movement as shown by its small attendance has given the opposition the big county vote, but it will surprise no one if these two places, instead, increase it.

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Mayor McLeod had a fine reception, and at the close of his able address many old time government supporters went forward and shook hands with him. They confessed openly that they were Liberals, but they thought that a change of government could not do any harm.

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commission without corresponding disadvantages. It had been adopted in Toronto, Calgary, Hamilton and Ottawa and there was now a strong movement in favor of its adoption here. The speaker's address consisted of an executive elected by the city at large and subject to a two-thirds vote of the common council.

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RINGWORM STUBBORN CASE HEALED BY ZAM-BUK.

The most troublesome and obstinate of all scalp troubles in Ringworm. Mrs. H. Girdlesome of 108 Evedon St., Brantford, Ont., says: "My daughter had ringworm very bad, so bad that I was compelled to have her hair cut off. I obtained a preparation from the druggist to paint the sores, but instead of curing, the Ringworm developed into nasty sores maturing and smelling badly. I saw Zam-Buk advertised in the newspaper and immediately sent for a box. After several applications I could see a great improvement, and as I kept up the Zam-Buk treatment daily the disease was soon checked. The nasty sores were thoroughly cleaned and healed and all trace of Ringworm banished from the child's scalp in a few weeks after commencing with Zam-Buk. I cannot recommend Zam-Buk too highly."

BANJO QUARTETTE AT NICKEL TODAY

Philharmonic Four Will Appear in Star Act—Good Songs and Pictures. Popular amusement of a refined order in plentiful quantity was enjoyed by more masses of St. John folk at the Nickel last evening and today the musical mania looks more rampant. An afternoon and evening show today and tomorrow The Philharmonic Four will introduce a banjo ensemble, playing old-time as well as up-to-date selections and medleys of the contagious air of the hour. This is perhaps the star feature of the week, is an accomplished banjoist as well as made their most pronounced hit at Keigh's, Boston, and other high-class vaudeville houses last season. His adventures in the banjo act and is ably supported by Messrs. Smith and Davis.

The picture department of the shows now running is mostly of a comedy nature. The European Race Cure deals with the ups and downs of a wealthy American who sought freedom from care in the capitals of the old continent. His adventures are side-splitting. Lonesome Junction is a farce with the scenes laid in a wild western railway depot, and Sold Again is a well-stuffed man and two mischievous boys. For the children this afternoon The Buster Brown Twins and Their Dog Tesser will be shown as an extra. Mr. Beckley will sing The Yeoman's Wedding Song and Mr. Davis will make his bow in the comic sketch Married Barney Carney.

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Montreal, Feb. 19.—Several important changes will shortly take place in Quebec political circles. It has been practically settled that Hon. Arthur Boyer will succeed Sir Louis Jetté as lieutenant governor of Quebec.

TRAGEDY AVERTED

I. C. R. Fireman Finds Stick of Dynamite in Coal. Montreal, Feb. 19.—While a fireman in the I. C. R. boiler room was shoveling coal in the furnace this morning he came across a stick of dynamite. Had it not been noticed in the nick of time, fearful consequences must have followed. The incident created quite a sensation throughout the works when the story was learned.

EDITOR OF LONDON TIMES IN ST. JOHN

Mr. Capper, the chief assistant editor of the London Times, was in the city yesterday and left with Dr. G. B. Parkin last evening en route for Halifax on his return to England. While in St. John Mr. Capper was one of the guests at a luncheon at the Union Club given by W. S. Fisher in honor of Dr. Parkin. His visit to Canada is understood to have been in the nature of a pleasure trip, and in search of novel experiences he spent a few days in a Quebec lumber camp. It will be remembered that Dr. Parkin was at one time a correspondent for the Times and his acquaintance with Mr. Capper dates back many years. During his stay in St. John the assistant editor of the Thunderer gave no intimation as to his views on the recent reported purchase of the control of the paper by C. Arthur Pearson.

THE EMPRESS BOATS MAY RUN TO MONTREAL

Montreal, Feb. 19.—If the Quebec longshoremen insist upon making trouble as a result of the cut in wages decided upon by all the shipping companies yesterday there is a possibility that the Canadian Pacific Empresses may come to Montreal this next summer instead of the ancient capital. This statement was made today by David McNicoll, general manager of the C. P. R.

OPERA HOUSE PICTURES

The Pastime Moving Picture Company will resume business this afternoon and evening in the Opera House. The pictures to be shown will be from the Kluge studio and will be interesting. Professor Titus and Mr. Macdonald will be heard in illustrated songs. Saturday afternoon of evening a big attraction will be offered.

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Misses' Coats. Misses' 34 Length Coats in sizes 22 and 24, made of Dark Grey Cheviot, loose back, stitched strapping. Former price \$9.35. Sale price \$4.90.

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Ladies' Rain Coats. Ladies' 34 length Rain Coats in sizes from 34 to 40 Mid Grey Tweed effects, bias back, velvet collar. Former price \$5.00. Sale price \$1.50.

Ladies' Cloth Skirts. Ladies' Cloth Skirts in Worsteds, Tweeds and Vicunas, odds and ends of the season's showing in light and mid grey effects. Former price \$4.00 and \$5.00. Sale price \$2.90.

Misses' Skirts. Misses' Navy Blue and Black Cheviot Skirts in sizes 20, 22 and 24, length Trimmings with Black Metallics of Black Roman Satin and finished with corded buttons. Former prices \$1.98 and \$2.25. Sale price \$1.49.

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