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Editorial

WILL THERE BE A DARK HORSE?

At a Liberal convention held here last Tuesday, Mr. W. B. Snowball of Chatham secured the nomination of the Liberal party and on Wednesday at the Conservative convention, Mr C. P. Hickey of Chatham received the nomination of the Conservative party. Both gentlemen are residents of Chatham, so this ambitious town should at least be well satisfied in so far as the matter of candidates is concerned.

The two conventions were well attended and while the Liberals had a large number of aspirants to choose from, (apparently too many) the Conservatives on the other hand had only one name placed before them. This state of affairs made the Liberal selection a rather difficult one, while that of the Conservatives was a very easy matter to decide and the work of the Conservative delegates was simply a matter of saying "aye"

Mr. Hickey was nominated by Mr. A. A. Davidson who, in a glowing tribute to Mr. Hickey, pointed out his qualifications as standard bearer of the Conservative party. This nomination was duly seconded, a motion to close nominations immediately followed. Mr. Hickey's nomination was then put to the meeting by the Chairman in the usual manner and Mr. Hickey was declared chosen unanimously. The business of the convention was thus completed and the speech-making was the next order of the day.

Not so easy was the work of the Liberal delegates. Three names, those of W. B. Snowball, Chas. J. Morrissey and Dr. F. C. McGrath were placed before the convention to be balloted on. The result of the first vote eliminated Dr. McGrath and the fight narrowed down to W. B. Snowball and Chas. J. Morrissey for the second ballot, which gave Mr. Snowball 97 votes and Mr. Morrissey 83 votes, the former gentleman finally receiving the unanimous vote of the convention.

While Mr. Snowball received the majority of votes at the convention it is reported that the choice does not satisfy a very large proportion of the Liberals. It is stated that Mr. Snowball was forced upon the constituency by the government organizers and that had the convention been allowed to choose between Mr. Morrissey and Mr. Snowball, instead of having a third man in the running at the taking of

the first ballot, the possibility is that Mr. Morrissey would have been the choice of the majority of the delegates. Be that as it may, Mr. Snowball is the selection of the party and with him they must win or lose.

With both party conventions over, it would appear as if the decks could be cleared for battle and the important issues of the day be presented to the constituency by the candidates. But apparently such does not seem to be the case, if one can judge from the many expressions of dissatisfaction heard on both sides. Many Liberal supporters and many Conservative supporters are not by any means satisfied with the chosen candidates and it is alleged that it is not only possible, but very probable that before very long a third man will be in the field, who will run as an independent.

If such a candidate is brought in to the fight, a prediction of the result of the by-election would be a most difficult matter. He would be a serious obstacle for both parties to contend with and one which neither party could afford to look upon lightly. Many former supporters of both parties are of the opinion, that in consideration of the general dissatisfaction, which they claim has been expressed from all sections of the country, a third man in the running would have an excellent chance of winning the seat. The possibility of a dark horse appearing is current talk and may put an altogether different aspect on the present situation.

RIGHT HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN

Northumberland County has had its second visit from Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the opposition. His first visit was during the 1921 election campaign, and his second visit was last Wednesday, when he addressed the Liberal Conservative convention here in the Opera House. While the majority of those present were Conservatives, yet he was listened to as well by a large number of citizens, who held opposite views, and one and all of the large attendance of citizens from all parts of the country were greatly impressed with his sincerity, reasoning and statesmanship.

In his address he proved conclusively that the Liberal tariff policy was carrying the country to destruction, but he was still optimistic that Canada may yet be saved. Responsible government is the one and only remedy and Mr. Meighen is the one to whom the Dominion of Canada will be obliged to elect before this country may expect to extricate itself from the present chaotic state in which it finds itself. Mr. Meighen ably disclosed the "ghastly fact" that 300,000 people—"the blood and fibre" of Canada—had gone to the United States during the last three years, because of the forced closing down, by the MacKenzie King Government tariff, of many of Canada's largest and leading industries, there by placing an enormous number of men out of employment, who necessarily were obliged to leave their own native country to seek employment across the border.

The leader of the opposition also dealt fully with Canada's railway problem and especially how it affected the Maritime Provinces, in which the electors of the County of Northumberland are particularly interested. He told of the extravagance of the King administration and also of the great need for economy in public expenditure at the present time. How, that the present Prime Minister who out of office denounced orders in council comes into office and passes more of them than ever before in the history of the country. How, this irresponsible government appointed a Royal Commission to go from coast to coast to enquire into the wood resources of Canada,

MISERABLE AND ALWAYS IN PAIN

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a Dependable Help for Mothers

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98 out of every 100 women reported benefit from its use in a recent canvass among women users of this medicine. C

which after spending thousands of the public's money, returns, with practically no report, whatever; also how this same King Ministry paid Royal Commissions a color million dollars to find out things and do things that the Government ought to know and do and take responsibility for itself.

The large audience that listened to Mr. Meighen was clearly shown that such a state of affairs must come, sooner or later, to an abrupt halt, and the ability of the leader of the opposition in presenting his case won for him many, who were not familiar with the situation and his remarks were most irritating to those, who consciously or unconsciously refuse to accept the true condition as it exists. Mr. Meighen gave the electors something over which they should ponder seriously, and even at this early date in the Northumberland by-election, many outstanding Liberals concede the seat to the leader of the Federal opposition.

NEWCASTLE SCHOOLS HAVE LARGE ATTENDANCE

The first week of school in Newcastle had a large enrolment and it is expected that by the end of this week the number of pupils attending the various schools will be largely in excess of any former years. The teachers with the number of pupils enrolled during the first week was as follows:—

- J. H. Barnett—Grades 10 and 11 32 pupils.
 - D. J. Gulliver—Grade 9 31 pupils.
 - J. S. Campbell—Grades 7 and 8 37 pupils.
 - Miss Beattie Creamer—Grades 7 and 8, 31 pupils.
 - Miss Dorothy Nicholson—Grades 7 and 8, 31 pupils.
 - Miss Jessie Sinclair—Grade 7, 41 pupils.
 - Miss Louise Henderson—Grades 5 and 6, 42 pupils.
 - Miss Dunnet—Grade 5, 44 pupils.
 - Miss McMaster—Grade 4, 45 pupils.
 - Miss Urquhart—Grades 3 and 4 44 pupils.
 - Miss Lawlor—Grade 3, 48 pupils.
 - Miss Atchinson—Grade 2 45 pupils.
 - Miss Craig—Grades 1 and 2, 54 pupils.
 - Miss Hill—Grade 1, 55 pupils.
- The Bule school also opened on Tuesday with Miss Gray, principal and Miss Mona McConnell in charge of the primary department, there being no change from last year.
- The St. Mary's Academy opened on Tuesday, with the exception of the High School and Commercial Course which will commence next Monday. The teachers and number of pupils enrolled are:—
- Rev. Sr. St. Alpheus—Grades 1 and 2, 42 pupils.
 - Rev. Sr. St. Hilariou—Grades 3 and 4, 56 pupils.
 - Rev. Sr. St. Mary Winnifred—Grades 5 and 6, 51 pupils.
 - Rev. Sr. St. John—Grades 7 and 8 34 pupils.

September Session Of Court Of Appeal At Fredericton

Eight cases have been entered on the docket of the Court of Appeal for the September session which opens at Fredericton today. One of the outstanding cases on the docket is the appeal which is being made from the Northumberland Circuit in the timberland trespass of Walsh vs. Walsh in which a verdict for the plaintiffs was given for \$566.80 against the defendant appellant James Walsh.

This case was tried before Mr. Justice LeBlanc and Jury at Newcastle, where it was concluded after a prolonged and drawn out hearing the lands on which the trespass was in the Parish of North Esk, Northumberland county, H. A. Powell; K.C., for the defendant appellant; will move to set aside the verdict for the plaintiffs and to enter a verdict for the defendant or for a new trial.

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We have in stock, Deed Forms, Teacher's Agreements, School District school Tax Books, Dog Tax Books, Assessment Lists, Road Tax Books Poor and County Rates.

— THE ADVOCATE —

CHATHAM JUNIORS DEFEAT NEWCASTLE 6-5 AT TENNIS

The results of the junior tennis tournament which was played in Chatham on Saturday Aug. 30th between Newcastle and Chatham were as follows:

BOYS' DOUBLES

R. Loggie, M. Snowball of Chatham defeated J. Morrissey, Petrie Newcastle 3-6, 6-3; 6-4.

J. Searle, B. Snowball of Chatham defeated K. Brown, G. Crocker Newcastle; 2-6; 6-2; 6-5.

M. Snowball, E. Loggie of Chat-

ham defeated B. Petrie, K. Brown Newcastle 6-4

BOYS' SINGLES

M. Snowball, B. Petrie 6-4; 6-4
R. Loggie, J. Morrissey 1-6; 6-3
5-6.

MIXED DOUBLES

M. Snowball, B. Petrie 6-2.
D. King, M. Staples 6-5
R. Loggie, R. Searle of Chatham defeated J. Morrissey, E. McWilliam Newcastle 7-6; 6-3; 6-5.

G. Crocker, E. McWilliam of Newcastle defeated J. Searle, K. Searle of Chatham 6-2; 2-6, 6-5
K. Brown, G. Belyea of Newcastle defeated I. MacLachlan, B. Snowball 3-6; 2-6; 6-2.

GIRLS' SINGLES

E. Ferguson of Newcastle defeated D. King Chatham 6-3; 6-3

GIRLS' DOUBLES

M. Ferguson, A. Paula of Newcastle defeated Mollie Loggie; E

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