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THE SQUARE DEAL

Who is there in the world who doesn't like and appreciate the square deal?

Take it in any community. Let one man be known as clever but tricky, and another as clever and straight.

Which possesses the bigger asset in life?

The Whitney Government has not only been astute on behalf of the best interests of the people but it has also been honest.

They have given the square deal from first to last.

Isn't that something worth endorsing?

BORDEN'S SAFEGUARD.

There is a great difference in the methods of the late Laurier administration and the present Government with respect to the matter of railway aid. When Sir Wilfrid Laurier was rushing through the Transcontinental scheme Mr. Borden moved an amendment to the Act to the effect that the Grand Trunk be compelled to allow the export business of this immensely costly project to go to Halifax and St. John, thus building up the railway business of the Maritime Provinces and their ports.

Sir Wilfrid and his followers voted down this motion of Mr. Borden with the result that the Grand Trunk today can at pleasure divert the traffic to Portland or any other New England port.

In the present agreement with the C. N. R., Mr. Borden has distinctly stipulated that the Canadian Northern and its subsidiary companies shall not in any manner within their power or control directly or indirectly encourage or advise the transportation of any such freight by routes other than to Canadian ocean ports. In this matter Mr. Borden has performed a distinct service for the people of the Maritime Provinces, which they will not be slow to recognize.

AS TO HYDRO ELECTRIC.

If there is one subject which the Brantford Expositor should more than another evade it is the above, but it keeps coming back like a moth to the flame, or in this instance electric light.

During the course of a more or less inaccurate article on the subject last evening, it said

"The facts are that there has been no organized opposition on the part of the Liberal party to Hydro, either within or without the Legislature and that in many municipalities its most active supporters have been Liberals. Even in Brantford, the criticisms which were offered were directed not against the scheme, but against the wisdom of incurring the expense of a municipal plant when we had an agreement with a private corporation guaranteeing us rates 10 per cent. less than the Hydro charged in any municipality similarly situated."

Our cotem, knew, or ought to have known, as it was told often enough by the Courier, that the ten per cent. stipulation was a very indefinite sort of thing decidedly difficult to enforce as results showed.

Yet, despite this the organ and its friends fought tooth and nail to keep citizens in the hands of a private monopoly at high prices.

They failed in their efforts and the result is that Brantfordites are paying fifty per cent. less for lighting rates while we have one of the best illuminated small cities on this continent.

The Expositor says that it was not fighting Hydro-Electric as a scheme but simply locally because of an arrangement (never fulfilled) with the Western Counties Company. It further alleges that nowhere has there been organized Liberal opposition to the project.

That statement is a gross and deliberate perversion of fact. It was mainly the Liberal party as such, led by the organ, which for quite a while and at great financial loss to citizens kept this city out of the beneficent Hydro circle.

And what about London where the London Advertiser (Liberal) led in an assault on the scheme. There was no Western Counties Company there.

What about Stratford where the

Beacon (Liberal) sought to rally Grit forces in opposition and is even now knocking the enterprise. There was no Western Counties Company there.

What about—well there is no need to enlarge on the subject.

When by the bye did Rowell ever take his coat off on behalf of the project? The truth of the matter is that most of the Grit leaders were apprehensive with regard to the amount of credit which Hydro-Electric would bring to the administration.

REAL TEMPERANCE REFORM

When the Liberals were in power in Ontario, they used to work the liquor interests for all they were worth, and it was quite a common thing for hotel keepers, Conservative as well as Liberals, to be forced to contribute liberally to the campaign funds. In addition the laws were loosely enforced. The Whitney Government has changed all that. Here are a few of the many improvements. Inspectors are now under the control of the central authorities and have to comply with the requirements of the Department.

It is no longer possible for a second and third offence to be prosecuted as a first offence.

Convictions cannot be upset by technicalities.

Penalties for infraction of the law have been increased; in some cases doubled.

License fees have been largely increased, one half of the increase going to the municipalities.

License holders are forbidden to hold office as municipal councillors, and a relative of a municipal councillor cannot be a license holder.

A limit of six ounces has been placed upon the amount of liquor which can be sold in a drug store.

Children are not allowed to buy liquor, as they formerly were, on a written order from the parent or guardian.

The Department has power to veto licenses which it considers should not be issued and uses the power.

Justices of the Peace no longer have the right to give orders for liquor.

Hotels have been closed on Christmas Day and Good Friday.

In cities and towns any one selling liquor must have a bartender's license, which is forfeited by any offence against the law.

Keeping liquor for sale without a license is made as serious an offence as for selling without a license, and the maximum fine was raised from \$200 to \$500.

Storing liquor by brewers or other persons for future delivery in municipalities in which no tavern or shop license is in force is made an offence against the Act.

Persons who are not bona fide owners of the liquor who allow liquor to be stored on their premises are guilty of an offence against the Act. Holders of tavern and shop licenses are forbidden to cash pay cheques or orders issued in payment of wages.

No tavern keeper is compellable to supply liquor except on a doctor's order.

Provincial License Inspectors may inspect any unlicensed hotel and report on it to the Minister.

The sale of liquor in the vicinity of public works under construction may be prohibited by proclamation.

It is an offence for a person to be in an intoxicated condition owing to the drinking of liquor in a public place in a municipality in which the Local Option By-Law is in force.

Holdings of tavern licenses are restricted to sales for consumption on the premises, so that no liquor bought in a tavern can be removed from the licensed premises.

The consumption of liquor in any livery stable or other building in which the public are in the habit of resorting is prohibited.

The hours of selling are reduced so that liquor cannot be sold until eight o'clock in the morning, instead of at six.

A person who supplies liquor to another person known to him to be on the prohibited list can himself be prohibited for twelve months.

All fines imposed in local option municipalities are now made available for the enforcement of local option in the whole License District.

It is an offence against the Act for a person to be in an intoxicated condition in any municipality, whether local option or otherwise, where no tavern or shop license is issued.

The administration of the law in Scott Act counties is facilitated by providing that one half of any deficiency in the expenses for enforcing the law will be made up by the province.

A GOVERNMENT THAT DOES THINGS

NO. 5—PRISON REFORM.

When the present Government came into office, the inmates of the Central Prison were employed in various industries operated by commercial concerns. The labor of the prisoners was sold under contract, and the product was disposed of throughout the Province and elsewhere in the open market in competition with free labor.

The Government determined, through Hon. Mr. Hanna, to put an end to this system so injurious to free labor, and to introduce thorough prison reform. The existing contracts were therefore terminated after provision had been made for the employment of the prisoners in another and better way.

THE NEW SYSTEM.

Meanwhile a Commission was appointed to visit a number of modern prisons, and, as a result of the report presented, it was decided to move the Central Prison to the country. A large farm, consisting of 840 acres, near the city of Guelph, was selected. As soon as temporary buildings could be erected, a group of 18 prisoners was sent up from the Central Prison at Toronto. This number was gradually increased, and now over two hundred prisoners are on the farm at Guelph.

The prisoners are assigned their work in different parts of the farm and have to be trusted. Ordinary prison methods, armed guards, cropping the hair, striped suits, etc., have all been dispensed with. The results have already been most gratifying.

The men, instead of leaving prison hardened by their confinement in the cells and physically weaker than when they were sentenced, now have a chance to reform, and are discharged in a condition to take to honest employment and to lead a new life.

WHAT THE FARM PRODUCES.

Although the Prison Farm has been established such a short time, the prisoners have produced largely from it. In one year the following products were harvested: 5,505 bushels of potatoes, 1,500 bushels of turnips, 700 bushels of wheat, 100 bushels of peas, 3,985 bushels of oats, 138 tons of hay, 139 acres of alfalfa, 44 acres of ensilage, 6 acres of table vegetables.

In addition to these products of the farm the following stock has been cared for: 116 cows and heifers, 104 milking cows, 45 calves, 69 pigs, 39 horses.

An orchard of eighteen hundred apple, cherry, pear and plum trees and fifteen hundred small fruits was planted in the Spring of 1911.

ROAD BUILDING TO BE AIDED.

A stone crusher, having a daily capacity of four hundred tons, has been installed. The product is screened to two and a half inches, one and a half inches, three-quarters of an inch, one-quarter of an inch and dust, and is used for concrete road-making and the other industries on the farm.

It is possible, as a result of this enterprise, to furnish crushed stone in large quantities to the municipalities for road-making purposes.

Experiments conducted at various Agricultural Experimental Stations have warranted arrangement being made to carry on a number of experiments at the farms of the Provincial Hospitals for the Insane, with a view to ascertaining the benefits to be derived from the use of ground limestone as a fertilizer. The results of these experiments will be at the disposal of the farmers of Ontario, and ground limestone will be furnished them at a minimum cost.

USEFUL WORK FOR PRISONERS.

Prison camps have been opened for the utilization of prison labor in a way that shall be useful to the public without injuring free labor. Thus one has been established at Whitby. There 250 prisoners are employed on the new Provincial Hospital for the Insane, to which is attached a farm of 630 acres.

There is another at Mimico for 75 men. Here a large brick manufacturing industry has been established to make the brick needed for the building at Whitby and for the other public institutions in the province.

INDETERMINATE SENTENCES.

The Central Prison is now known as the Ontario Reformatory. Its aim is to reform those who have gone wrong, rather than to strengthen them in their evil ways. Its success in this regard has been aided by the adoption of the indeterminate system. Prisoners are committed for a term not exceeding two years on the otherwise indeterminate plan. Thus the prisoner is encouraged to improve himself, and thus to secure his release.

So successful has the new system been that visitors from all parts of the world have come to Guelph to note the advances made in the reformatory methods adopted.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Register.

See if your name is on the list, and if not, have it placed there.

You can do this if you are 21, a British subject, and have lived in the Province for a year and in this city for three months.

Just ask any Liberal to name one scandal against the Whitney Government, and then note how suddenly he will expatiate upon the weather.

In Memoriam

The Armouries, to-morrow, will be the scene of a public memorial service held in the memory of the Brantford souls who perished in the recent marine disaster. The services will be held in the afternoon and a programme has been arranged which will fittingly mark the occasion. The city council will be present, the county council and a large number of the ministers of the city.

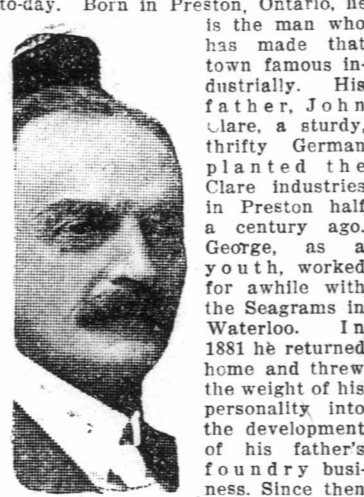
An immense platform has been raised from which addresses will be given by Mayor Spence, Adjutant Hargrove and Archdeacon Mackenzie. The Reverend's Matthew Kelly, D. T. McCintock and Thomas Linscott, D.D., will officiate. The music of the afternoon will be given by the Salvation Army Band and Mrs. Frank Leeming will sing. The service will be conducted with a solemn rendering of the Dead March in Saul.

Special services will be held at the Grand-Opera House in the evening during the course of which Phillip Lawlor will speak and give his story of the liner sinking. Adjutant Hargrove will take charge of the services which will be dedicated to the bereaved of the terrible calamity.

BIRTHDAYS OF NOTE.

SATURDAY JUNE SIXTH

The Hon. George A. Clark, M.P., P.C., celebrates his sixtieth birthday today. Born in Preston, Ontario, he is the man who has made that town famous industrially. His father, John Clark, a sturdy, thrifty German planted the Clark industries in Preston half a century ago.



George, as a youth, worked for awhile with the Seagraves in Waterloo. In 1881 he returned home and threw the weight of his personality into the development of his father's foundry business. Since then progress has been remarkable. In 1900 he won South Waterloo for the Conservatives. In 1912 he was sworn in a member of the Privy Council. All the time the Clark industries, and there are three of them, expanded and together they form today one of the most important groups in Canada. The story of how he became interested in the manufacture of electric cars is worth repeating. He was travelling home from Ottawa one night and fell in with a stranger in the smoker. In the course of conversation the stranger told Mr. Clark that he was connected with the Ottawa Car Co., but was dissatisfied and wanted to start a plant of his own. Mr. Clark promptly took him up and the Canada Car and Coach Co. was started with the stranger, Mr. D. M. Campbell, as manager.

Also born to-day:— John Kelly Barrett, Winnipeg, born Hamilton, 1850. T. B. Macaulay, Montreal, born Hamilton, 1860. J. A. Smart, Montreal, born Brockville, 1868. Alfred Thompson, M.P., Dawson, born Hants County, N.S., 1869.

NEXT ASSEMBLY IN KINGSTON

Decision Reached by Presbyterians in Session At Woodstock.

WOODSTOCK, Ont. June 6—The next general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada will be held in Kingston, Ontario, in Grant Hall, Queen's University, the first Wednesday in June, 1915. Dr. Jordan, moderator of the Presbytery of Kingston, presented the invitation, and said that while some people regard Kingston as a sleepy city that it was nevertheless wholesome and clean. The motion was seconded by Prof. Baird. It is ten years since the assembly met in Kingston. Invitations from Victoria, B. C., Saskatoon, Sask., and Sydney, N. S., were also received, but Kingston was chosen by a large majority. Principal McKay, in presenting the invitation from St. Andrew's Church, Victoria, claimed many advantages for that city.

"I do not think," said the speaker, "that the Canadian people realize how critical is the situation in regard to Oriental immigration. If the commissioners decide on Victoria, they will be able to get in touch with these conditions. Rev. W. C. Clarke, of Knox Church, Saskatoon, made an eloquent appeal to the commissioners to choose Saskatoon. The invitation from Kingston was resented by Dr. Jordan and the invitation from Sydney by Dr. Pringle.

Business was suspended for half an hour yesterday morning to receive the greetings of the Presbyterian Church in England, and from the Presbyterian Church in the United States. Rev. T. Nichol Grieve, of Montreal, represented the Presbyterian Church in England, and Rev. John R. Sutherland, D.D., of Philadelphia, the Presbyterian Church in the United States. Mr. Grieve asserted that although the Presbyterian Church in England was small, there being only 353 churches, that nevertheless it had exerted a great influence. There is no other church in the United States that exerts the moral, religious and political influence that the Presbyterian Church does, says Mr. Munroe. These three leading members of our government are Presbyterians, namely, the president, the vice-president and the secretary of state. The moderator extended a hearty welcome to the representatives and an invitation to sit on the platform during their visit.

SEVERE RHEUMATIC PAINS DISAPPEAR

Rheumatism depends on an acid in the blood, which affects the muscles and joints, producing inflammation, stiffness and pain. This acid gets into the blood through some defect in the digestive process. Hood's Sarsaparilla, the old-time blood tonic, is very successful in the treatment of rheumatism. It acts directly, with purifying effect, on the blood, and improves the digestion. Don't suffer. Get Hood's today.

The report of the committee on bills and overtures was the first business taken up by the assembly this morning and unanimously adopted Rev. William Munroe in presenting the report of the eastern section of home missions stated that the revenue received during the past year was the largest in the history of the maritime provinces. The salary of ordained missionaries would be raised to one thousand dollars. Mr. Munroe presented a resolution to this effect which was carried and which also will give the committee power to deal with special cases where the sum stipulated will not be sufficient.

The report of the augmentation committee contained several recommendations regarding the salary to be paid in the Maritime provinces, be one thousand dollars, and a manse and that augmented congregations shall give no less than six hundred dollars and a free house. It is pointed out that the recommendations of the western section in regard to these matters were almost identical with those being considered and the assembly adopted a resolution that these recommendations be adopted. This afternoon the commissioners were entertained at a garden party at Alladore, formerly the home of the late Hon. James Sutherland, and now occupied by Henry A. Little, one of the leading citizens of this city. The graduates of Queen's College will hold an alumni dinner this evening in Chalmers Church. Foreign missions will be discussed at the evening session of the assembly. Rev. W. J. Clarke will preach in the assembly church on Sunday morning and Principal McKinnon will conduct the evening service. The moderator, Rev. W. T. Herridge, D.D., will preside at a special communion service which will be held Sunday afternoon.

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Modern Laundry Methods----
Our Managing Director is after some new ideas again. This time Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Winnipeg are the points. The big Convention of the North West Laundrymen, in Winnipeg, is going to show us some new methods, give us pointers on new machinery, etc.
There is heavy expense attached to every trip of this nature, but it is part of the Brantford Laundry Service. Even now we realize our service is unrivalled in the city, but even so, we are broad enough to look ahead, for there is always room for improvement in any business.
Should the Westerners produce something we could use to improve our present service it will not be long before you benefit by it.
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Will Give Concert.
The choir of Wellington under direction of Mrs. Wren, will give a concert at St. George's, St. George's, day night.
To Renovate Office.
On Monday morning Chief Lewis' office in fire station will be carpeted. The carpet will be laid and papered.
Returned to Duty.
Fred Howard of the department returned to morning after a week's absence on one week's holiday.
Service at Mohawk.
A short service was held at the Mohawk church, tomorrow, and the old church will be many desires of attend.
Fight for Life.
After attracting attention borne street this morning prey on the wing, which be a big log, flew into the H. Lake, where he was and returned to his nest.
Ball Playing on Street.
Many complaints have been made by the police to boys playing on the street. As this is contrary to the laws, the chief of police is punishing the offenders.
Nothing Doing.
No arrests were made and as cases are not held six days, there were no decided at the police court. There were no however, as Saturday is a legal rest day.
Acknowledged Letter.
The Secretary of Territorial quarters, of the Salvation ronto, has written City, nard, thanking the council's expression of gratitude for the Empire disaster relief station in a resolution passed city council last Monday.
Returned Home.
Albert J. Griffin, who wife in the Empire disaster to his home here last Griffin considers there is little hopes of his ever body of his wife again. oner at Quebec has promised him should the body be.
Lacrosse Practice.
The Intermediate Lacrosse will hold another big Monday night at Aerial. The following players are to turn out: Shannon, Fox Collins, Lawton, Ducey, Kelly, Duncan, Cameron, Tyrell, Slattery, and all of that would care to try for on the team.
Beekeepers' to Meet.
The Spring convention of the Beekeepers' Association on Monday in Cambridge, representatives from all county will gather under James Shaver, who has a bee-yard, among the matters upon matters relating to will be prof. Morley Post A. C., Guelph, and a strong of Chesham, also keepers interested are given erty of the O.A.U. of the
Commission at Hamilton.
City Solicitor H. H. Spence, ten Mayor Spence, including him of the strike of way Commission at last Wednesday morning, when they will question tion of the L. E. & C. which approves of the railway in Brantford, consider the application of & N. Railway for a way station plans for Toronto.

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