

THE CHIEFS TO GO IN DISCARD

Tweeddale and Burgess Snowed Under VICTORIA IS SOLID

Campaign is Going with a Swing and Victory for Government Candidates is Assured -- Opposition Lacks Confidence.

Special to The Standard. Andover, June 12.—J. F. Tweeddale and James Burgess, locally known as the little chiefs, are two of Mr. Copp's supporters who will be numbered among the political dead after June 20th, but they will not be missed for Victoria county will have two real representatives, in the person of Titus J. Carter, of Andover, and J. L. White, of Grand Falls. These men will be supporters of the Fleming administration and will be in a position to do something for the county. The campaign in Victoria is going with a swing. Senator Baird of Perth has thrown himself vigorously into the fight and is rendering valuable aid. Committee rooms have been opened in Andover just across the bridge and real work is being done there. When a Standard man visited the rooms this afternoon he found an air of optimism about the workers. They were working for a win. The opposition campaign is spiritless and in fact the principal opposition talk to be heard in Perth is centered in the office of Dionne's Hotel, where already they have the government beaten to a frazzle. The gentlemen will be wiser after June 20th. It is expected that there will be lively speeches from the nomination day proceedings here tomorrow. The C. P. R. is running a special train from Grand Falls, which will bring down a large number from the upper end of the county. Sheriff Tibbets will open his court in Andover at 11 a. m., and the speeches will commence at 2 o'clock. The candidates will be the only speakers. A review of the county one week before polling day shows that the lower end is solid for the government. Messrs. Carter and White will lead in both Andover polls and in Four Falls; Tilley, Muniac, Perth Centre, Birch Ridge, Everett, Rowens and Riley Brook. They expect to go to at least 200 majority and the most careful figuring on the part of the opposition cannot do better than divide Grand Falls and work small majorities out of New Denmark, Tobique Road, Curries and Arthurs. An independent estimate made by a man who knows the county well, is that the government candidates will carry 12 out of 17 polls and will win both seats in the county. The Telegraph has published stories about the great majorities the opposition candidates would pull out of Victoria county, but this is not taken seriously here. Victoria will be in line with the other supporters of good government on the 20th. Despite the fact that Messrs. Carter and White have their campaign well in hand, they are not relaxing their vigilance. Meetings will be held every night from now until election day, and every effort used to make their majority a record breaker. The meetings already held have been very largely attended and most enthusiastic. On Friday evening there will be a grand mass meeting at Grand Falls. Portage to be addressed by Senator Baird, T. J. Carter and J. L. White. Saturday evening the meeting will be held in Patrons Hall, New Denmark, and the speakers will be Senator Baird and the candidates. An especially interesting meeting and one which promises to break the attendance record, will be held in the Andover court house on Tuesday night next, when the speakers will be Fred M. Sprout, the old war horse of Kings county; Senator Baird, and the candidates.

PRENTICE BOYS IN CONVENTION

Grand Master Sellen and R. F. Goderick, of this City Elected -- Be-Lingual Schools Condemned. Toronto, June 12.—The grand lodge of Canada of the Protestant Association of Prentice Boys concluded its convention today. A strangely worded resolution was passed condemning Home Rule for Ireland, coupled with an offer to furnish money and men to help the Protestants of the north of Ireland should the latter oppose the force of the enactment of the bill by the British government. Grand Master Sellen of St. John, N. B., informed the press that another resolution had been passed giving great latitude to the officials of the order in taking action to assist the Irish Protestants in any situation which might develop. Resolutions condemning bilingual schools in Ontario and New Brunswick were passed. Another resolution warned the Robin government that the grand lodge was watching the course of the school question in Manitoba. Grand Master Sellen of St. John, N. B., was re-elected, and R. F. Goderick of St. John was elected.

DOCK STRIKE ON NOW IN HOBOKEN

Hoboken, N. J., June 12.—Four hundred longshoremen employed on the Holland-American line docks in Hoboken went on strike today because a non-union man had been put to work unloading the SS. Noordam of that line, in preference to union men. The Noordam which arrived yesterday has a big cargo and the strike will delay the work on unloading considerably.

MR. BORDEN'S PLANS IN THE OLD COUNTRY

The Premier and Mr. Hazen Will Discuss Naval Defence. Copyright Laws, Steamship Service and Cable Communication Will Also Be Considered—Leave June 26th.

Montreal, June 12.—Right Hon. R. L. Borden, Prime Minister of Canada, reached the city this morning and will spend today and tomorrow in Montreal, after which he will leave for Halifax. During the course of the day a number of members of parliament called upon the premier, as did several prominent men in the affairs of the party in this district. At luncheon, Right Hon. Mr. Borden, was the guest of T. Chase Casgrain, K. C., chairman of the Canadian section of the International high commission, at the Mount Royal Club. The Premier stated that his visit to Montreal at the present time was to fulfill a number of engagements he had made to meet those having business with the government. The Prime Minister stated that his object in visiting England next month was to discuss with the imperial authorities the Canadian naval policy, the improvement and adjusting of existing copyright laws, and also to arrive if possible at some definite way of improving inter-imperial steamship and cable communication. He would return to Canada, he said, between August 15th and Sept. 1st, and shortly after his arrival home the government would announce its policy regarding the navy question. Rt. Hon. Mr. Borden will return to Ottawa for a few cabinet meetings prior to sailing for England on the Canadian Northern steamship Royal George on June 26th. The Prime Minister will be accompanied on his trip to the old country by Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and Hon. L. P. Pelletier, Postmaster General.

SENATE INSISTS ON REPEAL OF THE RECIPROCIDY LAW

Washington, June 12.—A deadlock between both houses of congress over the Senate's proposed repeal of the Canadian reciprocity law was foreshadowed when the Senate today by a vote of 33 to 27 refused to take from its amendment to the iron and steel tariff revision bill.

SHOWS UP FALLACIES OF ARGUMENTS ADVANCED IN OPPOSITION CAMPAIGN

Hon. J. D. Hazen At Big Milltown Meeting FISHERY REGULATIONS

Federal Authorities Have Suspended Ruling For Which Provincial Government Was Wrongly Blamed -- Encouragement of Canadian Canneries Intended

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, June 12.—Despite a heavy rain storm that started at six o'clock and has continued until the present time, St. Patrick's spacious hall at Milltown was filled to the doors tonight to hear Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer and Hon. J. D. Hazen discuss the issues of the campaign. A few ladies ventured out, but the large audience was composed almost wholly of voters, and the gathering was an enthusiastic one. Dr. W. H. Laughlin presided and prominent members of the party in Milltown occupied seats on the platform. The Milltown Concert band was present and rendered excellent music throughout the evening. Mr. Grimmer was first introduced and was greeted with hearty applause as he commenced an excellent address in which he clearly outlined the good work accomplished by the local government and showed how shallow were the claims made by Mr. Copp, and how baseless the general charges that he hurled against the government. He dealt exhaustively with the results accomplished by the territorial office showing how the territorial revenue had been increased by more than \$200,000 per annum in the last four years. He reviewed the pledges made by the party when in opposition, and showed how every pledge had been redeemed. The charges and insinuations made by Mr. Copp leader of the forlorn hope, in his meeting in Milltown the previous evening were dealt with in detail and shown to be baseless and pure inventions made to deceive the audience. Popularity increasing. The Attorney General was never heard to better advantage in a political speech in Charlotte county and that he has increased his popularity by his speech, as an administrative officer was demonstrated by the frequent applause with which his address was received. Hon. J. D. Hazen was greeted with the enthusiastic reception with which he is always greeted by a border audience. He thanked the audience for their hearty greeting and launched at once into a masterly exposition of the government case, devoting his first attention to a tempest in a teapot stirred up by the misrepresentations of a demagogue who is a sort of perpetual candidate in the Liberal line in this county, but has never been elected to any office in Canada, though he feels of something accomplished along that line when he was a member of the Tammany Hall organization in New York. The minister of marine and fisheries was surprised to find here a canvass being made against the government candidates because of a clause in the weir licenses issued this year, a matter with which they had absolutely nothing to do. The clause gave to the Canadian sardine factories a first preference to fish caught in Canadian weirs, but at the highest prices offered by any competitor. No fisherman could possibly be injured one five cents' worth by the provision, which was designed to foster an industry that would secure employment to Canadian workers on Canadian soil, instead of having the raw product of Canadian weirs manufactured in United States towns. But the desirability of an enquiry into the matter had been so effectively urged upon him by Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer and Hon. Geo. J. Clarke that their request had been acceded to as shown by the following correspondence:— St. Stephen, N. B., June 12, 1912. Hon. Geo. J. Clarke, St. Stephen, N. B.: Dear Mr. Clarke,—In reference to your communication of recent date with regard to the clause in the fishery license providing a preference to the weirs for Canadian sardine factories, I wish to say that I have been very much impressed indeed by the way in which you have presented the case from the standpoint of the weir fishermen, and have no hesitation whatever in complying with your request to cause a thorough enquiry into the matter by those who are interested in the sardine factories, before the provisions of the clause referred to are put into effect. I have given instructions to have the operation of the section referred to suspended for the present year, and will cause full and careful enquiry to be made into its effect upon the fishermen in the future, and will see that the rights of the fishermen are fully protected and that no injustice or injury is done to them in any way. Yours truly, J. D. HAZEN. Marine and Fisheries Department, Ottawa.

THE CANDIDATES

Table listing candidates for Government, Constituency, and Opposition across various regions including ALBERT, CARLETON, CHARLOTTE, GLOUCESTER, KENT, KINGS, MADAWASKA, NORTHUMBERLAND, QUEENS, RESTIGOUCHE, ST. JOHN CITY, ST. JOHN COUNTY, SUNBURY, VICTORIA, WESTMORLAND, and YORK.

Quebec, June 12.—H. R. H., the Governor General, who had been invited to attend the opening of the congress here on the French language on June 24, has asked the Lieutenant Governor, Sir Francois Langelier, to represent him on this occasion. Sir Francois has most willingly accepted.

PREMIER SCORES ANOTHER TRIUMPH

OPPOSITION RESIGNS HOPE FOR TICKET

Working For Veniot Now, Others Are Already Beaten Government Candidates Recorded Rousing Receptions -- Will Be Swept to Office on Wave of Victory

Special to The Standard. Bathurst, June 12.—The government candidates returned to town today after a few days trip down the coast, and report that their cause is gaining ground daily. Monday night successful meetings were held at Burnsville and Paquetville, which were addressed by the candidates and R. DeGreeve. Tuesday night they met large audiences at Upper Pokeshaw and Stonehaven and discussed the issues of the campaign. All the speakers were in good form and created an excellent impression. Tonight they spoke at three different meetings in the Parish of Bathurst and dealt with the misleading canvasses that the opposition candidates have made. It looks like a safe thing for the government ticket on the 24th. The opposition party have apparently given up the hope of electing their entire ticket and are concentrating their efforts on electing Veniot.

WARM WELCOME FOR THE BRITISH VISITORS IN SISTER PROVINCE

Capitalists Tour Annapolis Valley and Proceed West Today -- Met at Truro by Sydney Contingent

FOUR YOUNG MEN ARE ACCEPTED AS PROBATIONERS

Ministerial Committee of Methodist Conference Approves and Candidates Will Be Ordained on Monday

THE NEW TICKET LOSES ITS MOST REGENT ADDITION

Special to The Standard. Chatham, June 12.—Recent developments in the matter of the independent Conservative ticket here afford some indication of the slight importance which even its members attach

Enthusiastic Meeting is Held at Glassville MORE LIES NAILED

Refutes Statement Originating From Windy Opposition Orators That Valley Road Will Not Reach Grand Falls

Special to The Standard. Glassville, June 12.—In spite of the heavy rain here this evening, the government meeting was attended by a large crowd of enthusiastic supporters of the Fleming government who accorded the speakers, Hon. J. K. Flemming and G. L. White, a rousing welcome which showed beyond a doubt how the people of this place and surrounding country will vote on June 20th. Hon. J. K. Flemming was the first speaker and dealt in an exhaustive manner with the false statements of the opposition regarding the Valley Railway. The Premier pointed out that the construction contract and the agreement lease to the Dominion government called for a road from St. John to Grand Falls. He further pointed out that the construction of the bridge across the river above Andover, which if the railway was not going to Grand Falls, would be utterly useless. G. L. White when he came to speak was accorded an ovation such as is only accorded one who is the people's choice. He said he had never been a public speaker but that he was glad and proud to be a candidate in the coming election which, he was sure would result in the return of the Fleming administration. Continuing, Mr. White said he believed Mr. Flemming and his colleagues had given the people good government during the past four years and was sure they would continue to do so. In closing he stated that if he was elected he would apply his best judgment in the interest of the people just as he had always done in his own business and would give the strongest support to the Fleming administration and its railway policy.

TAFT SCORES MORE WINS

Steam Roller Slowly but Surely Crushing Roosevelt Followers—Victories Yesterday all the President's Chicago, June 12.—President Taft gained forty more votes in the republican national committee today. In the cases of the California, Arizona, and Michigan contests the Roosevelt forces made a fight and voted their full strength against the Taft delegates. In the California case they secured a roll call, losing 16 to 37. In the Arizona contest they failed to get a roll call and in the Michigan cases some were asked, although they voted against seating the Taft delegates at large. The contests settled today in favor of President Taft were: Arizona, delegates at large, six; California, fourth district, 2; Louisiana, delegates at large, 6; first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh districts, fourteen; Michigan, delegates at large, 6; Mississippi, delegates at large, 4; first district, 2; total, 40. Pearl White, national committee man from Louisiana and Roosevelt leader there lost in his fight to seat the Roosevelt delegates from that state. Governor Chas. S. O'Brien of Michigan, and his Roosevelt delegates at large were defeated by the decision of the Michigan case for Taft. The contest over the fourth California district decided to President Taft furnished the most bitter exchanges of the day, Francis J. Henry leading the Roosevelt forces and insisting upon recognition for the Roosevelt delegates there. The National Committee had before it when it adjourned tonight 112 contested seats still to pass upon.

to the project. T. H. McIntyre, has resigned his place which he was with difficulty persuaded to fill on the default of Dr. Byrne. That a new member can be found to replace him is extremely doubtful and the ticket will probably have the nomination proceedings tomorrow shortchanged.