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HELPLESS
"These magazines are so helpful."
"What's the latest?"
"Here is the home hints they tell you how to make a lovely soufflette bomb out of an old tomato can."

JUST NOISES

"Look here!" shouted the irate farmer. "What are you doing fishing in my lake when it's posted?"
"Aw, go on!" sneered the tough city lad. "Make a noise like a hoop and roll away."
The old farmer took up his knife and cut off a section of birch.
"Sonny," he said solemnly, "I reckon you'd be better making a noise like a locomotive for the next few minutes."
"Like a locomotive, old clover seed! Why?"
"Because you are going to be switched."
And the next moment the yells that emanated from the clump of bushes made a noise like a band of Indians on the warpath, that could be heard for miles away.

SIGNS

Hear that tooting kind of noise
Poets sing,
Taste the lamb and petit pois
Walters bring!
Smell the odor of fresh paint!
Touch and see if it ain't!
All run down? The old complaint!
Yup, it's spring!

JUST LIKE A WOMAN

She had been through school and college
And could write herself A. B.;
She had studied a profession,
Which had added an M. D.;
She had dived in college settlements,
And had clear, decided view.
On political developments,
And she read the daily news.
But still she remained all feminine
Despite acquired lore—
She could never meet a woman
Without noting all she wore.

ENDLESS FIGHT

"My old barber has left the city."
"You seem very regretful."
"Yes, he has been trying to sell me a bottle of hair tonic for the past fifteen years, and so far I had succeeded in standing him off. Now I shall have to start the battle all over with a new man."

THE SOCIAL REFORMER

In this wicked age there are many things
He is sure should under the ban go;
And so he would cut out the sport of kings,
The turkey trot and the tango.

\$100 for making a plan of Colliers, and \$50 for the same work, and then \$45, and again \$100, making in all \$295 for plans of Colliers. It would appear that whenever Mr. Hearn had nothing to do he made a plan of Colliers and sent it in to the Department and got paid.
There are a large number of matters in these Public Accounts upon which I should like to speak, but I do not wish to take up the time of the House. It is in connection with many of these smaller payments that appear in these Public Accounts that a tremendous amount of public money is wasted, and it is these small amounts that we are going to get after.
For Joy Riders.
I notice also in going through the accounts that there is an item for \$70.00 for motor hire in connection

and to have the Prime Minister here excusing that paper from all blame in the matter is something that cannot be understood outside of the realms of party politics. It is nothing more than the expediency of party politics.

Change of Front.
We all know, and the Premier knows, that the person who put together that article to further the interests of his party, a few years ago used every word in the English language to vilify him, to make him out the greatest scoundrel in the country, and yet we have the Rt. Hon. Prime Minister this afternoon trying to uphold the man who wrote so vilely about him a few years ago, instead of holding him up to contempt. Party politics is responsible for a lot when it upholds such men, and put them in place of emolument and trust under the Government.

It was sufficiently proved to this House that when Mr. Coaker wrote that article he never intended that bishops, priests and clergymen should be killed as you would dogs killing a sheep. He was referring to the politicians who are ruling the country and he used very strong language towards them.

Did He Remember.
I wonder if the Premier heard what Sir Robert Bond said about him when he left the party? Ask the people of Twillingate what he said. Personally I have nothing against the Government, but politically we have everything.

With regard to the election I may say that as far as Fogo is concerned I need say very little. It was won before I went there. In Fogo we had Liberals and Tories working against us, but we know the result.

The Advocate has done a great deal of good and it is going to do more. They elected men to the Legislature to frame laws for the people, and I hope this debate will put an end to the unfair and degrading system by which elections have been run in the past.

Target For Debate.
As regards Mr. Moulton, he seems to be a target for debate this evening. He found fault with us for being suspicious, and for saying that the Government party was bound together with a chain of gold.

Take every member of the Government party with scarcely an exception, and you will find that it is true. Mr. Goodison supports the Government, but he gets pay as an arbitrator. Hon. Mr. Emerson has received about \$3,000. Hon. Mr. Gibbs, some four or five thousand. Captain Winsor, \$837. Hon. Mr. Bennett, no doubt, has had a picking. Mr. Howley, \$3,000. The Premier, we do not know what he has got, but he cannot live on air. Hon. Mr. Cashin is paid for his work. Hon. Mr. Crosbie has had a few contracts. Is not all this a chain of gold. Mr. Moulton seems to be the only one outside of it. He has lost \$50,000. I do not know whether he is getting anything from the Government, but I have heard rumors of something down in Fortune Bay.

System Required.
If some person was appointed who knew something about these matters and selected certain places and dug wells, it would be very good; but we should see that they are safeguarded from impurities. Bonavista, more than any other place, wants good wells.

I hope that something will be done during the next four years to give Bonavista a decent water supply, and to remedy many faults that at present exist. There is one public well in Bonavista at the side of the public road, a most unsuitable place, as it gets all the drainings. A water supply is badly needed for Bonavista town.

Petty Mr. Expenditures.
I want to draw the attention of the House to one or two matters in connection with the vote for Petty Surveys and to the Public Accounts for 1912-13 in connection with this vote.

There are several items in these accounts that I think should not be there. I notice one payment of \$56 and another payment of \$50 to Wm. Dunn for cab-hire. That is \$100 to one man for cab-hire. No, I think that the officials in the Department of Agriculture and Mines should be able to perform their work without hiring cabbies to drive them round St. John's, or if they do drive round I think they should pay for it out of their own pockets.

Now, there is another item in these Public Accounts to which I should like to draw attention, and that is the payment to Mr. Howe of nothing less than \$1,000 for travelling expenses during the year 1912-13. Again I notice that the sum of \$278.28 has been paid to Mr. Peyton for surveys in connection with Moore's Marsh and Wild Cove in the District of Twillingate.

Jimmie's Picture Prices.
Then there are several amounts to Mr. Hearn, of Brigus. An amount of

UNION MEMBERS DECLARE THAT IT IS NECESSARY TO PURIFY OUR POLITICS

Mr. Abbott—Mr. Chairman, I wish to refer to one or two statements made her during the debate, and in particular to one statement made by the member for Burgeo, Mr. Moulton. The hon. member stated that all members in the back row with the exception of Mr. Stone had insulted members on the other side of the House. I would like to ask the hon. member if he can say that I insulted any member of this House.

I do not think that anyone can say that I ever insulted anyone on the floors of this House. The hon. member for St. John's East then said that the F.P.U. was all right, but that it should not have anything to do with politics. I do not see why. The F.P.U. represents four-fifths of the electorate of the country, and that it should have its members in Parliament is only reasonable.

Laughed Too Soon.
When the F.P.U. decided to put men in the field at its Convention, people laughed. When the F.P.U. decided to make a change in the affairs of the Colony they were scoffed at. But the majority must rule in the end. In past governments promises have been made before the election, only to be forgotten when the government has been

placed the F. P. U. on the floors of this Assembly they are taking the proper steps to have their voice heard in legislation and to make our politics honest and clean.

Food and Politics.
Mr. Halfyard—Mr. Chairman, the turn that this debate has taken seems to be not so much on the question of pure food as of pure politics. And to my mind I think it is a very good thing that we have had this debate, because it has shown up the iniquitous practice that has heretofore prevailed, of conducting elections purely and simply on the principle of discrediting the other side.

It has been the history of our politics that the only means used in elections are those which create in the minds of the people a want of confidence in the opposite party, and this is done by any trick that comes to hand. And I suppose it will go on until the end of time, so long as we have the Premier taking up the valuable time of the Committee of this House in trying to excuse an editor who makes untrue statements on the eve of an election.

Caused Surprise.
I was very much surprised that the Prime Minister should have taken up this matter as he has done and used all his energy and ability to exonerate The Evening Herald from manufacturing this article of the The Advocate, dropping words here and there in such a way as to poison the minds of the electorate.

It is a recognized fact and one patent to every man in the country that the editor of The Herald misrepresented that article in The Advocate,

Willie's Little Game.--

By Hoban.

