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OUTLOOK IS EXCELLENT

The Globe and lesser globules are making a great acclaim over the assertion "Conservatives are flocking to Rowell," and similar statements.

These shrieks will not fool anybody. They are on a par with the yells prior to the last Dominion contest, such as "Reciprocity wins." "Laurier will sweep the country," and all the rest of it.

As a matter of fact, many thinking temperance men regret that Rowell's main cry of "abolish the bar" has been made a political issue. The mistake of that has been voiced by more than one minister and layman in church conventions—men who themselves have for the most part been lifelong prohibition workers. That Conservatives to any notable extent are swinging towards Rowell, is a palpable falsehood, while it is quite certain that many old time Liberals will not be in line on that side this occasion. That fact is true of more than one Reformer in the two Brants, and is probably equally correct with regard to the other constituencies in the Province.

Without any doubt Whitney will win, and it is equally certain that the two local Ridings will be in line.

A BIT OF HISTORY.

The Brantford Expositor makes the virtuous claim that the only man ever unseated in South Brant was a Conservative, to which it may be added that the same gentleman secured heavy damages for slander against the self same Expositor, a verdict by-the-bye given by a jury, the majority of whom were Liberals.

In reality succeeding the vacating of the seat by Mr. R. Henry following an act of which he had not the slightest personal cognizance, there came a contest which for barefaced debauchery on the Liberal side has seldom been equalled. The notorious Cap Sullivan, named by judges in election after election for corrupt practices, had charge of the Reserve, the Indians then having the vote, and what occurred down there it would be a shame to repeat. In the city a plugger who had voted several times was run to earth in the local Liberal rooms and arrested there where he was in hiding because, of course, he was so innocent. He was later let out on bail which he promptly skipped. There were other pluggers voting in the names of absentees also on hand, and so many votes were purchased that the late H. McK. Wilson, K.C., had over one hundred affidavits with the bills attached which were handed out by a man concealed in a back room. The only reason why that election was not upset was because it was felt that with a Liberal government in power, the same thing would happen all over again with a like outcome.

FISH AND GAME PROTECTION.

Many improvements have been made in the Game and Fisheries laws since the present Administration assumed office; the result of the advantage of which may be seen in a monetary way by a careful comparison of revenues, etc., and in a wider economic way by consulting the glowing reports of hunters and fishermen from all parts of the province.

The total moneys received from Game and Fisheries in 1905 amounted to $74,440, while in 1913 the revenue from the same source amounted to $138,364.31. Of this last sum $8,487.11 consisted of fines and sales of confiscated goods. Obviously the laws are being enforced. This state of affairs has been brought about by the vigilance of the officers of the Department.

The open season for partridge was abolished for two years and restored in 1910 with some curtailment of the length of it.

The close season for English pheasants has been restored, and several counties have been stocked with Hungarian partridge to meet the increasing interest taken in the conservation and propagation of feathered game.

Other instances, such as shortening the open season for ducks, plover, etc., and the limiting of the bag for ducks to 200 for the season show that the Department has been vigilant.

The sparsely settled parts of the province have received the utmost attention of the Department. The people are being shown by example that it is in their own interest for them to observe the law and help make others observe it.

The province has for two years been breeding its own bass fingerlings for stocking purposes. This has been done by the use of breeding ponds, where hundreds of thousands of fingerlings have been bred. They are taken to the various lakes which are to be re-stocked and there they are deposited. The fishing has been so good that $20,884 was paid by non-residents for licenses to fish in our waters last year. This is important when it is considered that these people spend a large amount of money before they return home.

The experiment with bass having been so successful, the Government is extending its work of propagation by erecting a trout hatchery at Mount Pleasant, Brant County, where the bass ponds are located, said hatchery having been secured by Mr. Brewster, and hopes to be in a position to distribute several million fry next season, providing in this way additional sport for residents of the province and further inducements for visitors.

The value of the commercial fisheries has increased from $1,708,963 in 1905 to $2,842,877 in 1912.

The adequate protection that the waters of the province are receiving is shown by the fact that the protective service has increased from three patrol boats and three launches in 1905 to twelve patrol boats and twenty gasoline launches.

A GOVERNMENT THAT DOES THINGS

NO. 8—SCHOOL GRANTS.

The following are some of the increases in school grants:

	1904 (Lib.)	1913 (Con.)
Rural schools	$123,000	$400,000
Urban schools	120,000	190,000
Assisted schools	15,000	53,000
Schools in new districts	45,000	110,000

The increased grants paid to rural schools, comparing 1904 (the last year of the old regime) with 1913, are shown in the following table by counties: :

County.	1904	1913	Increased Grant
Brant	$1,571	$ 6,304	$ 4,733
Bruce	4,446	14,843	10,397
Carleton	3,407	8,854	5,447
Dufferin	1,853	6,673	4,820
Elgin	2,895	9,062	6,167
Essex	3,998	10,661	6,663
Frontenac	2,463	11,206	8,743
Grey	5,834	16,006	10,172
Haldimand	1,780	5,806	4,026
Haliburton	728	4,945	4,217
Halton	1,406	4,522	3,116
Hastings	4,046	16,449	12,403
Huron	5,038	14,758	9,720
Kent	4,015	11,929	7,914
Lambton	3,983	13,160	9,177
Lanark	2,276	6,629	4,353
Leeds and Grenville	4,000	11,824	7,824
Lennox and Addington	2,130	6,736	4,606
Lincoln	1,487	5,546	4,059
Middlesex	5,015	15,419	10,404
Norfolk	2,490	7,466	4,976
Northumberland and Durham	4,772	14,026	9,254
Ontario	3,316	9,655	6,339
Oxford	3,377	10,657	7,280
Peel	1,868	6,435	4,567
Perth	3,434	9,974	6,540
Peterborough	2,246	8,106	5,860
*Prescott and Russell	3,965	3,994	29
Prince Edward	1,517	3,524	2,007
Renfrew	4,168	11,275	7,107
Simcoe	5,990	15,554	9,564
Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry	5,949	16,026	10,077
Victoria	2,375	10,587	8,212
Waterloo	2,679	8,847	6,169
Welland	1,881	6,349	4,468
Wellington	3,690	12,562	8,872
Wentworth	2,702	8,367	5,665
York	4,960	17,600	12,640

*Note—Approximately $3,200 are withheld from English-French Separate Schools in Prescott and Russell for non-compliance with Regulations.

MERIT SYSTEM ADOPTED.

In distributing the sum of $400,000 which was voted for rural schools in 1913, as compared with $123,000 in 1904, the Department of Education was required by the law to divide it between the Public Schools and the Separate Schools on the basis of population and average attendance. The application of this Statute allotted to the Public Schools $370,000 and to the Separate Schools $30,000.

The Department, under the law, made regulations to govern the distribution of this money strictly according to merit. It set up a standard of educational efficiency by means of professional attainment, equipment and provision for the comfort and health of pupils, etc. The Trustees were told that certain amounts would be allotted for compliance with this standard, but that the total to be paid to Public Schools would not exceed $370,000, and to the Separate Schools $30,000, that being the limit fixed and appropriated by the Legislature.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

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Whitney will win.

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The fight is plainy one against political hypocrisy of the rankest kind.

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The great moral purists of to-day were the defenders of Rossism in 1905. Remember that, young man.

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The Expositor spent about five columns explaining its "holier than thou" candidate's attitude last night.

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Mr. Workingman, had you believed the Expositor you would still be paying that old Cataract monopoly price for your lights.

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Where did Mr. Ham get the idea that workingmen cannot take care of themselves on the public platform, the same as other classes?

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Workingmen of Brantford are not to be fooled into worshipping false gods which have been reared over night for the purposes of promoting the Liberal party back to office.

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Mr. Ham the Liberal candidate may try to dodge his record in the City Council but he was then a servant of the people and his acts as such are open to criticism just the same as those of any other public man.

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The Expositor says it is not one of the gang still fighting Hydro. Well, it was not so long ago that the Expositor learned that any fighting it did against Hydro was useless. That was when the cupalo corner fought the Brantford by-law in vain.

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Not one charge of bribery or corruption has been made against the election of one member of the Whitney Government during the entire regime. That's a pretty fair answer to any insinuations the Expositor may now seem inclined to indulge in.

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In December, 1902 the temperance people rolled up a majority of 96,201 votes for prohibition of the liquor traffic in Ontario, but what did Sir Geo. Ross and the Liberals do. They declared that the majority was not sufficient and did nothing even in the way of temperance reform.

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The Liberal candidate says he cannot use Hydro because in his house his vacuum cleaner has a peculiar kind of a motor requiring Cataract. Well, this is helping Brantford workingmen very much who are content with current for electric lights, and the more current consumed the cheaper will be the cost.

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In 1903 Sir George Ross declared his duty in connection with temperance legislation was to meet his supporters. He did and there was nothing doing. Later in 1904 the Liberal convention tore in shreds a resolution on temperance. Rowell was a leading member of these pedge-breakers then and he is now.

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The Dominion Alliance records from 1894 to 1905 covering the Mowat-Ross regimes make sorry reading for the Rowell promisers just now. In eight years of office before the Liberals were driven from power there was nothing but broken promises and pledges for the temperance people to cheer for from the Liberals.

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The editor of the Expositor says he has installed Hydro-Electric himself despite the fact that he received lower offers from the Western Counties. Well, if the people had not turned on the Hydro switch against the exhortations of the Expositor, the proprietor of the cupalo would have been paying the same old exorbitant price along with other workingmen like Joe Ham.

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Our dear esteemed cotem., insinuates that in days gone by some Conservatives misrepresented the Ross government. The fact of the matter is the treason from which the Ross government suffered was from its own friends like the Expositor who tried to keep the most corrupt government Ontario ever had in office against the people's will.

Birthdays of Note

WEDNESDAY, JUNE TENTH

This is the thirty-seventh birthday of Robert E. Finn, LL.B., one of the members of the Nova Scotia Legislature for the city of Halifax. He is a native of Halifax and was educated at Dalhousie University, graduating in law. At the time of the South African War, Mr. Finn accompanied the second contingent to the scene of action in the capacity of a war correspondent and did effective work. He has subsequently been practising in Halifax. He was first elected to the Assembly in 1906 by an enormous majority and was re-elected in 1911. He is a son-in-law of the Hon. Mr. Justice Russell of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia.

Also born to-day:—

C. R. W. Gordonsmith, Montreal, born 1870.

Laid at Rest

The Late Mrs. Brown.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Brown took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her son, Chas. E. Brown, 43 Palmerston Ave. to the First Baptist Church, where the Rev. Llewellyn Brown conducted the services. Interrment took place at Greenwood cemetery and the funeral was largely attended. There was a great wealth of beautiful floral tributes. The pallbearers were:—A Caulbeck, Chas. Benedict, Geo. Winters, H. Pierce, W. Sloan and A. Harley.

Buried in Stratford.

A former and well-beloved resident of Brantford conveyed to her last long rest when Mrs. Geo. Wyles was buried in the Stratford cemetery. She was a sister of Mrs. Geo. Yapp of Terrace Hill St., and a very sad feature of the demise is that there are four young children left, besides the husband, to mourn the loss. The oldest child is 6 years of age and the youngest is a baby three weeks old, the young mother being only in her 34th year.

Obituary

Late Mrs. George W. Lampkin.

Death yesterday carried away Mrs. George W. Lampkin at her home in Cainsville, at the age of 65 years. A large number of friends mourn the sad loss they have sustained and sympathize with the bereaved relatives, two daughters, Mrs. C. Blundell of Echo Place; Mrs. F. W. Sumler, Cainsville, and a sister, Mrs. D. F. Lampkin of Copetown. The funeral will occur to-morrow when services will be conducted in the Methodist church and the cortege proceed to the family burial ground.

GRANDMA NEVER LET HER HAIR GET GRAY

Kept her locks youthful, dark, glossy and thick with common garden Sage and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is mussy and trouble some. For 50 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use tonic called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Remedy." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant. You will also discover dandruff is gone and hair has stopped falling.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and look years younger. Agent T. George Bowles.

ROYALTY HAS HELPED CAUSE

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during the night in evading the police who were closely watching the house in Grosvenor Square from which she had been recently conducting the campaign against the peace of members of the royal family at Buckingham palace and other places. Her plan of escape is said by the police to have been "cleverly conceived" although the details were not made public. The ingenuity of the women and their ability to circumvent the the trained brains of Scotland Yard whenever circumstances demand a real contest of wits are giving cause for keen anxiety at police headquarters.

The raid on the offices of the Women's Social and olitical Union yesterday like the previous one early in May did not produce the prolific results expected by the police who today plainly showed their disappointment. The documents seized revealed very few names of public interest. Chief Inspector James McBrien informed the Associated Press that the published report of the disclosure during the raid that members of the royal family, including the rince of Wales, had contributed to the funds of the militant suffragettes was absolutely groundless.

Miss Bertha Ryland, the suffragette vandal, who yesterday destroyed with a butcher's cleaver, George Romney's "Portrait of a Boy" in the Birmingham art gallery, was to-day committed for trial. During the hearing she created a scene in court shrieking without cessation and quoting scripture. She used the text, "I came not to send peace, but a sword," as justification for her act, and she averred that the militants were working with divine guidance for purity and righteousness."

"No surrender," was her parting cry as she went to the cells.

A resolution strongly condemning militancy and demanding urgent action by the government to stop the reign of anarchy was adopted to-day by a large majority by the conference of the Women's Liberal Federation now in session in London. Lary Carlisle, the president, in moving the resolution spoke of the "terrible scourge of violent methods which came right across their own constitutional methods and hindered the woman suffrage movement." She added:

"The disastrous example of unchecked violence of these criminal wreckers is injuring the moral fibre of a considerable number of men and women in this country."

Building Permits.

Building permits were issued this morning by Building Inspector Geo. Bennett to Cornelius Carey for an addition to his house at 38 West St., to cost $200; also to M. E. Long for the erection of two frame verandahs and two bath rooms to his house at 79-81 Chatham street; also to W. J. Adams, Elizabeth street for a brick veneer cottage to cost $1,000.

DO YOU SUFFER FROM BACKACHE?

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To The Editor

THE REALTY BY-LAW

The Editor Courier:

Sir,—In the environs of the city there is considerable land now or until recently devoted to the necessary purpose of food production. Its value will average not more than $100 per acre when put to the service named. Men with surplus money, have acquired the legal title thereto, not to work it to produce food, but to exploit it for unearned profit. Competition for the possession, for housing purposes, of land so monopolized will increase the price—not the value—to $2000 per acre and more. The profit on re-sale, which would make the most unconscionable "Shylock" green with envy, will not be paid by the luxurious owners of surplus wealth, but by laboring men sweltering ten hours per day to earn from $1.50 to $2.00

The natural rate of growth of unearned increments does not satisfy the tigerish appetites of some land and money magnates, and to stimulate the same recourse is made to artificial means; that is to say the attraction of new industries and, therefore, of new citizens needing housing accommodation. A federation of the moneyed gentry, with sublime nerve, are before the people with a by-law asking that municipal credit be charged to make private profit, thereby converting a speculative security into a gilt-edged one: a security which can be marketed at low, gilt-edged rate of interest.

It would seem natural to expect gentlemen with inordinate appetites for unearned profit to put up the money to gratify the same, but to this there is an insuperable objection. Money invested in the purchase of a five or six per cent. realty bond would not be available for employment in the acquisition of land at a very low price to be sold to workingmen at a very high one, thereby reaping hundreds per cent. profit.

No doubt the by-law will be voted through. While even old fashioned Conservatives in Britain are, at this date, ashamed to justify the property qualification, the human factor in Ontario municipalities counts for little or nothing. It is the property-owning pluralist who settles the manner in which the money of the rent-paying and, therefore, tax-paying householder shall be spent.

Municipal credit can be used to make private profit, overcrowd the homes of the citizens, increase the capital and rental values of adequate dwelling accommodation beyond the means of the general body of citizens and impair the moral quality of the environment, but no one seems to appreciate that a bill has been enacted at the instance of Provincial Secretary Hanna, whereby municipal credit might also be charged, if sufficient social spirit were developed, to provide adequate housing of workers people at a price well within the means, by the elimination of the profit element therefrom. "Moral reforming" capitalists, however, decline to justify their moral pretensions by constructive efforts, for the reason that there is "no money in it" for them. Driving the element of profit and the opportunity of exploitation out of the homes of the people is the antithesis of their ambitions.

Over thirty years before any moral reformer, Christian minister, or politician saw any harm in the liquor business, or even thought it necessary for moral reasons to be an abstainer. Robert Owen pointed out that the growing passion for possession of the produce of other people's labor was developing drunken habits, and generally reducing the moral character of mankind. Can some of our moral reformers imitate Owen, develop sufficient social science to attack the vice of intemperance at its roots, by doing something to extirpate the social conditions which, during the last century have made the liquor bar a menace? "Moral reformers" have, by their well sustained propaganda and organization of public sentiment succeeded in making pariahs of erstwhile pillars of the Christian Church engaged in the liquor business. Do they intend to wait until an awakened and socially enlightened democracy puts upon those "moral reformers" the brand of Cain?

I hope, although I do not expect the by-law will be voted down. Working men struggling with mortgaged homes, should resist appeals to their cupidity. If the capital value of a working man's home should increase by the artificial stimulation of population, it gives no substantial advantage to him as, if he sold a new home would have to be purchased at a similarly inflated price. No man can make a profit out of a commodity which he needs for his own use and accommodation. Profit is only available for the exploitation of "the other fellow."

GEORGE KEEN.

IS NOMINATED

SAULT STE. MARIE, June 10.—F. E. Crawford, real estate agent, was nominated by the Liberals at their convention yesterday afternoon to oppose Hon W. H. Hearst, provided the Labor candidate, F. F. Denman, who is also a Liberal, remains in the field, it will be a three cornered fight.

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Collegiate Board.

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At Work on Sewer.

The city works department started work on the construction of the sanitary sewer on Park Place and will soon have this much needed improvement completed.

Old Y.M.C.A Baths

F. E. Randall has taken over the Brantford Public Baths on W[illegible]. In future Monday and Thursday will be reserved for ladies and attendants will be in attendance on those days.

No Police Court To-day.

There was no court held by Magistrate Livingston this morning as he was busy upon regis[illegible] work. There were some intoxication cases to come up for trial, but these have been held over until [illegible] when the next court will be held.

Again Elected.

At the Methodist conference closed in St. Catharines, in addition to Rev. Mr. Lavell and Mr. F. [illegible] Mr. Albert Scruton, also of this city, has been elected a delegate to the General Conference which meets in Ottawa in September. This assembly meets only once in four years and it is regarded as an honor to be one of the delegates. Scruton was also re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Laymen's Association, which position he held last [illegible].

A Sad Case.

Charles Tansley, of Paris, was sent to Rimouski, Quebec, in an effort to try and recover the body of his son, James Kelly, of Galt, who was drowned on the Empress of Ireland and reached home yesterday, and was met at the T. H. and B. depot while the trains. He stated that the heartrending scenes were seen on sides at the improvised morgue where the bodies lay, and the grieving among the relatives and friends looking for their loved ones, was enough to turn some of their minds.

T. F. Best as Evangelist.

An arrangement has been made by the National Council of the Young Men's Christian Association of Canada to set aside Mr. T. F. Best, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Hamilton, as a special secretary for the promotion of personal evangelism among the Young Men's Christian Associations of Canada. Mr. Best has been secretary of the Hamilton association for upwards of 10 years and has had a large and unique influence as a leader in religious work among young men that gives special qualifications for the work he has undertaken. He was Y. M. C. A. secretary in the Canadian contingent to South Africa during the Boer War. His new appointment takes effect on September 1st, but in the meantime he remains with the Hamilton Association.

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