

EVERYTHING POINTS TO  
OPPOSITION SWEEP

Twelve Hundred People Crowd Woodstock Hall to Hear Hazen and Others

Government Scored Again and Again by Fleming, Smith and Munro—Leader in Fine Trim and Made a Telling Speech—John Morrissy and Robert Maxwell, at Chatham, Handle Dr. Pugsley Without Gloves Much to Delight of Crowded Meeting.

Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 19.—Upon the arrival of the noon train today with the coming premier, J. D. Hazen, on board, there was a large gathering of leading opposition workers at the station, including Mayor Balmain, chairman of the county organization, and E. R. Teed, chairman of the town committee, who escorted the leader to his hotel.

At 8 o'clock the Opera House was crowded and many were unable to gain admittance, more than 1,200 being present. Mayor George E. Balmain was in the chair. Donald A. Munro, the town representative, was the first speaker. He dealt with the highway act, the school book ring and the finances fairly and fluently. He said when Blair, Emmons and Tweed decided to appeal to the people they issued a manifesto, in which they recalled what the government did in the past and what they intended doing in the future. The present premier issued no such manifesto. Their speeches are apologies, restrictions and regret that their legislation was bad and it would be repealed.

**B. Frank Smith.**  
B. Frank Smith dealt with local matters. The local opposition candidates were accused of being "wind bags and barn stormers." The government would not take such a wind would on March 3 demolish, demolish and snow under the present local administration. If he were a barn stormer he was looking for government cattle that were feeding from the crib of this government. He pointed out that the government promise now to repeal the road law, they admit that the road law is a muddled condition, and will not discuss them, and this after a yearly expenditure of \$2,000 paid to keep the records of the government.

**J. K. Fleming.**  
J. K. Fleming dealt with the finances. He said the government had a young man down here as an expert. He worked four days, and say five hours a day. The province will pay the bill and no doubt the young man will bring in a report to satisfy his employers. The government claim a surplus of \$60,000. He claimed a deficit of \$400,000. These heaven-born financiers make a surplus by charging up to capital account what should be paid out of current revenue, and still had a deficit of \$400,000. He pointed out that the bonded indebtedness since last they appealed to the people. He told of the challenge to the premier and doubted the man that gentleman would meet him in debtors' court on Friday night, and apostrophized a man.

**J. D. Hazen.**  
J. D. Hazen spoke for more than an hour. He told of the trip here by Dr. Pugsley, his effort to whip Liberals into line, the support the opposition is receiving from the old time Liberals. Dr. Pugsley's claim at Chatham that the road law was a good law, but that there was insufficient money, was also the opinion held by the ministers up to recently, who all now are advocating its repeal. He asked if ever before any government has placed itself in such a humiliating position. He exposed the working of the school book ring, and claimed that the people were paying exorbitant prices for books, pointing out that a yearly saving of \$60,000 could be made by purchasing a government in power as in Ontario.

He proceeded to lecture to the audience that the present government is in league with a St. John concern who acted as middlemen. Thus the politicians were defrauding the mothers and fathers of the province out of the hard earned dollars. That many a poor father had to scrape and starve to fill the pockets of political grafters.

**MORRISY AND MAXWELL  
ADDRESS CROWDED  
MEETING AT CHATHAM**

Chatham, N. B., Feb. 19.—A meeting of the opposition was held tonight at the Masonic hall, Chatham, and never before was there such a large and enthusiastic gathering during this campaign.

J. L. Stewart took the chair and first introduced John Morrissy, who on rising was received with resounding cheers, clearly showing the feeling of the meeting. Mr. Morrissy apologized for the absence of his friend, Mr. McClure, who on rising was received with resounding cheers and said that what was wanted was that the spending of the money for the improvement of the same should be left in the hands of the municipal council, also that money ought to be spent for breaking roads in winter. The government had voted this down and had said it would be an extra burden on the people.

gram bills of about \$200,000 he did pay back some, but then look at the next bill, over \$300,000. Fancy the Hon. Wm. Pugsley, the highest man in the province, taking yours and my money to pay his own bills. Notice the travelling expenses of the premier in 1905, namely \$1,250, and in 1906 \$1,450. He is not a man who is a man of the year he was attending to private business and yet they can't give money for roads and bridges, etc., but they will spend it on railways, etc. Gentlemen, there is one thing you must give me credit for and that is consistency. I don't advocate one thing and mean another.

Mr. Morrissy then showed the discrepancy in the stumpage reports. "When I made the statement in the house that \$200,000 was in 1906 taken out of the pockets of the people of this province and put into those of the lumber lords, what did they do? Why they moved a resolution to expel me, and said that I did not formulate my charges. Then why did they not expel me? They knew it was true. But you see they were all getting a piece of the pie. I will endeavor to have an expert put on the line, this government with so much constructive ability. Mr. Morrissy here quoted an instance of a young man who wishes to take up 100 acres of land, and found that they could not get it, why? Because it was licensed by a gentleman named Snowball. But gentlemen, I do not blame the lumbermen, I blame a rotten government who ought to protect the interests of the people and don't. If I were to be elected, I will endeavor to have an expert put on lumber, we have facilities for manufacturing pulp, why should we export it? We want the money spent here, not outside."

Mr. Morrissy then proceeded to haul Mr. Pugsley over the coals. He said he ought to be attending to his duties, laws and not come around here dictating to the electors how to vote. (Cheers.) The government at Fredericton has ever been a coalition government since it started dabbling in politics. What right have Pugsley and Robinson to come here and dictate to the electors how to vote, I would advise Pugsley to go back to Kings where he is better known.

In concluding, Mr. Morrissy drew the attention of the audience to the fact that the other ticket, He, Anderson, last year had 100,000 logs taken off his property and never paid a dollar stumpage. Now, gentlemen, you know your duty. Hazen and vote for the ticket and nothing but the ticket.

**Robert Maxwell.**  
The chairman then introduced Robert Maxwell, of St. John, who was received with much applause. He said he had been summoned by telephone to address this meeting by his friend, Mr. Morrissy, and that he had come quite unprepared, but he would show them some things which had happened during the last few sessions, and went on to corroborate Mr. Morrissy's statement as to having challenged Pugsley in the house. What right has Pugsley, down here? In less than twelve months there will be a general election, then let him come down.

**MR. FLETT AND  
NORTHUMBERLAND**  
(Chatham Commercial.)  
Mr. T. W. Flett repudiates in the strongest terms the suggestion that he is supporting the local government. In his Nelson speech Mr. Flett vigorously attacked the government, declaring its administration was corrupt. Some one of the other speakers contended that if the government were as represented they would all be in Dorchester.

These words were taken by the reporter for the Graphic and put in Mr. Flett's mouth, and he was further represented as making a strong speech in defence of the government. This report was made to go to the rounds of the government press and the impression was given that Mr. Flett was now a government supporter.

FAMOUS JAPANESE DIPLOMAT WHO  
DECLARES WAR IS AN INHUMAN CRIME



New York, Feb. 17.—Bearing a message of perpetual peace between his country and America, Baron Kogoro Takahira, newly named ambassador from Japan to Washington, arrived in New York on the Cunard liner Etsu.

Discussing at length the relations between the two nations, he said war, if it should ever be fought, would be the most inhuman event in the world's history. He asserted his people do not regard such a development possible.

"You know it is well said by your famous general," said he, "that 'war is hell.' It is now a concurrent opinion among the best military experts of all the great powers that war is now more hellish than it

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GOVERNMENT PARTY IN  
YORK LUKEWARM OF PURITY

Only Eight of Twenty-five on Committee Attended Joint Meeting

Opposition's Full Quota on Hand, and Rather Than Have Conference a Failure They Accepted Their Opponents' Pledge to Conduct Clean Election—Big Change in Marysville Sentiment.

Fredericton, Feb. 19.—The meeting of committees from the government and opposition parties to consider and take action upon the resolution presented to each by the Social and Moral Reform Association convened this afternoon at the council chamber, city hall. Much interest was taken in the proceedings, as many were anxious to learn how the government party would meet with the question of purity in elections. After some little delay by Alfred Rowley, of Marysville, was called to the chair and R. B. Hanson was requested to act as secretary. The clergy of the city were well represented, among those present being Father Carney, Canon Cowie, Sub-dean Street, Rev. J. H. McDonald, Rev. J. C. Berrie, Rev. J. W. M. Wiley and others. The chairman in a few brief words explained the object of the meeting and asked the Rev. Mr. McDonald to present to those present the resolution passed upon by the association.

At this juncture A. D. Thomas arose and said as twenty-five had been selected from each party to act, he suggested that the roll be called and the fifty representatives take their seats inside of the hall. This suggestion met with unanimous approval. The secretary then called the names starting with the opposition delegation. The following answered to the roll call: David Richards, ex-Warden, Carney, Dr. Harry McNally, John Oldham, Dr. Howard, Dr. Vanwart, Dr. Geo. J. McNally, Capt. Guthrie, David Richards, A. D. Thomas, W. J. Dylkman, W. H. Van Leod, Councillor Rogers, Moses White, Alex. H. McNally, Tabor Everett, C. H. Thomas, Warden Byron McNally, Councillor Smith, Matthew Tennant, Scott, Wm. Sanson, Dr. McLeod, Alderman Doherty, making a total of 24. J. M. Wiley, the 25th delegate, was unavoidably absent. On motion, J. S. McKnight was selected, making the delegation complete.

When the government committee was called only eight responded, namely: W. J. Osborne, W. A. Walsh, B. Staples, Alex. Brewer, Dr. Moore, W. K. C. Parlee, H. Goodspeed, C. P. Chastant. After some persuasion Henry Chestnut consented to act, saying that he was expressing a political opinion but he was strongly desirous of seeing the principle of purity in elections carried out.

For a short time it looked as if the position pointing out, the government committee had failed to live up to its resolution and were represented by only one-third of that committee.

**PUGSLEY TRIES TO RALLY RAILWAY MEN**  
Moncton, Feb. 18.—Dr. Pugsley, minister of public works, arrived in the city this afternoon from Chatham and tonight addressed a meeting in the government club rooms. J. D. Phinney, of Fredericton; Premier Robinson and J. T. Hawke, who presided, also spoke. Dr. Pugsley left in his private car attached to the Maritime express for Campbellton tonight.

**WANTS INNOCENT MAN CONVICTED TRIED AGAIN**  
Matter Up in House and Minister of Justice Declines to Grant Request  
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tered into by them would be carried out by the party.

The opposition did not think this a satisfactory resolution, contending that those present on behalf of the government never took an active part in elections and were not in a position to make promises for bribery and corruption.

The Rev. J. H. McDonald then read the resolution drawn up and which the association had prepared. It was in almost the same terms as the resolution adopted in Carleton and Charlotte counties. It prohibited rum and money and an improper number of agents at the polling districts, providing for the depositing of \$500 by each party in some chartered bank guaranteeing the government and government appointing of a committee of five, two chosen from each party and the fifth by the Social and Moral Reform Association to see that the agreement is carried out.

**Big Turnover at Marysville.**  
At Marysville this evening Mayor McLeod and Councillor Robinson addressed an audience that nearly filled the large hall. Many ladies were present and it was felt that Marysville in times past has always been pretty nearly unanimous for the government, but the opposition Dr. Pugsley candidates tonight must have a sore blow to the already defeated remnants.

Mayor McLeod had a fine reception, and at the close of his able address many old time government supporters went forward and shook hands with the opposition. They confessed openly that they were Liberals and they thought that a change of government could not do any harm.

**PUGSLEY SPOKE AT CAMPBELLTON**  
Campbellton, N. B., Feb. 19.—A meeting of the government candidates was held here tonight. Hon. Dr. Pugsley was the principal speaker. Mayor Murray was appointed chairman and various other candidates. William Currie, M. P., delivered a short speech and Hon. C. H. LaBouliere, chief commissioner of public works for the province, also spoke. Dr. Pugsley next addressed the audience in a lengthy speech, and in closing the speaker was making the most eloquent case was ever used, and their platform was weakened to the verge of collapse. The principal subject discussed was the international railway project.

A number of people from different parts of the county were present, and the local train for western points was held over till after the meeting. The hall was crowded and the local band was hired for the occasion.

**Medicated Air Cures Catarrh**  
For the past century physicians have been sending patients with catarrhs of the sinuses, catarrh and nose throats to Colorado, Australia, Southern France and other regions where the purest air is abundant. But of the thousands who were sick only a few could undertake such expensive treatment, and many have had to stay at home and suffer in misery. But as "all the world loves a lover," so all the world sympathizes with a sufferer, and Science spurred on with a desire to stamp out respiratory diseases, has thereby conquered consumption, has worked successfully to discover the magic potion that would forever cure catarrh, and in various directions found effective and the principle of inhalation was finally perfected. Even the Romans and ancient Greeks used it, but not in the scientific manner that the physician prescribes today. The most wonderful results have been secured with this new treatment known as "Catarrh-cure" which sends germ-killing vapors directly into the sinuses of the nose, throat, bronchial tubes and lungs. When the patient inhales the medicated air, the ozone, active curative properties are given off, and immediate relief follows. Catarrh-cure proves especially good in those chronic cases where mucus drops into the throat, sickens the stomach and pollutes the breath. When the nostrils are stuffed with a few drops through the nostrils, and where there is coughing and sore bronchial tubes, the soothing, healing properties of Catarrh-cure are most effective. Once you stop taking medicine into the stomach and get the healing oils and pure balsams of Catarrh-cure into your nose and throat, you can be sure of quick relief. Catarrh-cure is sold by all druggists and is guaranteed to cure colds, catarrh, weak lungs, bronchitis, and all other ailments of the respiratory system.

**Young Englishman Had Both Legs Cut Off and Will Likely Die.**  
Toronto, Feb. 19.—A young Englishman named Turner, who was being deported from a Toronto, jumped off the train near Sharnburt Lake and was struck by a "tin can" which cut off both of his legs. He will likely die.

**FOUND STICK OF DYNAMITE IN C. C. R. COAL**  
Fireman Just Taken to Throw It Into Furnace at Moncton Works When He Discovered It.  
Moncton, Feb. 19.—While a fireman in the C. C. R. boiler room was shoveling coal in the furnace this morning he came across a stick of dynamite. Had it not been noticed in the nick of time, fearful consequences must have followed. The incident created quite a sensation throughout the works when the story was learned.

**IMPORTANT DECISION IN YORK COUNTY LOANS CO. CLAIMS**  
Toronto, Feb. 18.—Judgment in four classes of claims of the creditors of the York County Loan Company was given by the Judicial Referee Kappel today. The claims adjudicated upon total \$634,169.82. But four of the thirteen classes of claims remain to be decided, and on these judgments will probably be rendered within the next two weeks, including the Nova Scotia cases.

References on shares which claimed to be a first charge upon the assets of the company, involving \$23,311.42, were disallowed. The claims of shareholders whose shares were not registered prior to the time of liquidation, and who claimed to rank as creditors or preference shareholders, were also disallowed. The amount of holders of junior shares claim to rank for full amount paid in by them without regard to lapses or arrears totalled \$32,618, allowed.

With regard to the advanced shareholders, the official referee holds there is no right to set off on the shares issued prior to September 10, 1903. Advances made on those shares will be deducted from dividends payable to the shareholders. There will be a set-off on shares not registered prior to the date of the claims under the advanced shares is \$250,000.

The effect of this judgment is to entitle those whose claims are allowed to share proportionately in the distribution of assets. It does not mean that those whose claims are allowed will be paid in full.

**SLEPT POORLY Tired This Morning Health's Failing**  
It is as if your nerves were burnt out, and your body is slowly ebbing away. Prescription will shortly start you in the face of a powerful reconstructive tonic is taken by physicians who have watched cases just like yours say no more to souring, so strengthening, so easy to supply with the elements it lacks, as Ferronze.

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Sold by all dealers in S.C. boxes and guaranteed safe for young and old.

**MAY RUN EMPRESS BOATS TO MONTREAL**  
Montreal, Feb. 19.—If the Quebec Longshoremen union making trouble as a result of the cut in wages decided upon by all the shipping companies yesterday there is a possibility that the Canadian Pacific Empresses may come to Montreal this next summer instead of the ancient capital. This statement was made today by David McNeill, general manager of the C. P. R.

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"An ugly gash was cut above his right eye, his nose was lacerated and a deep cut was made in his face, extending from the left eye to and including his upper lip, the latter being split. Several stitches were necessary to close the gashes. Mr. Kelly did not lose consciousness but was very much dazed.