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COLLECTION OF LUXURIES TAX

OTTAWA, Sept. 25—Stamps will be used after November 1 in the collection of the excise taxes imposed on sales and luxuries by the budget legislation of the last session of the Dominion parliament. Arrangements for the introduction of the new method of collection are being completed by the customs and inland revenue department. Stamps are being printed and perforating machines for their cancellation are being prepared for distribution free of charge to merchants dealing in taxable commodities. From the luxury taxes the Dominion derived a revenue of six million dollars last month.

BOOTS AND SHOES AT THE RUMMAGE SALE, OCT. 16TH.

J. L. STEWART AT OPPOS. CONVENTION

Mr. J. L. Stewart Editor of the World, and for a number of years, one of Northumberland's representatives in the local legislature, attended the Opposition Convention held last Thursday in St. John. He was appointed Northumberland's representative on the Executive Committee of the Opposition Party, and made the following remarks at the convention when called upon, to address it, by Dr. J. B. M. Baxter the new Leader of the Opposition.

Mr. Stewart took the platform and in response, said that he could not truthfully say that he thanked Mr. Baxter for the publicity given him because he came to hear and not to speak. Personally he was out of the political game, but he still felt a keen interest in his party's welfare, and he was always ready to do all he could to advance its interests and get a better government. Personally he felt that no set of men could ever deserve more opposition than did the present government. Their extravagance had been such as to pass all efforts of imagination. There had piled up an enormous increase in the public debt, and had displayed such a lack of business intelligence as rendered them utterly unfit for their position. The election has been called somewhat hurriedly and nothing very much has been done in his own county of Northumberland. There were lots of good men to be found, but they all appear to be holding back. Northumberland men were notorious for their political modesty.

North Shore Critical

As far as he had been able to find out the general feeling on the North Shore was that things were not as they should be at Fredericton, and that a new administration was badly needed. He was very glad to see so many of the party present and to note the enthusiasm which prevailed, as it showed the great amount of interest taken in the situation. He hoped the meeting would be productive of good results and that when polling day was over it would be found that the new leader of the Opposition had returned to power with a good majority behind him.

Party Tickets In The Field

The following are the tickets recorded to date in the field for the Provincial elections of October 9th:

- St. John City
 - Opposition—L. P. D. Tilley, F. L. Potts, Dr. J. Roy Campbell, James Lewis.
- St. John County
 - Opposition—Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, Thos. B. Carson.
- Albert County
 - Opposition—J. L. Peck, Lewis Smith.
 - Government—Jacob Stoeves, Arthur W. Stevens.
- Charlotte County
 - Opposition—S. D. Guptill, Chauncey R. Foliard.
 - Opposition—Dr. H. I. Taylor, John M. Flewelling.
 - Government—John W. Scovil, Harry W. Mann, Frank Kennedy, U. R. Lawrence.
- Kings County
 - Opposition—Hon. J. A. Murray, Geo. B. Jones, H. V. Dickson.
 - Government—S. L. Keith, Colonel Wetmore, Earl Harner.
- Westmorland County
 - Government—Fred Magee, F. R. Bourgeois, F. L. Estabrooks, Reid McManus.
- Restigouche County
 - Government—Arthur F. LeBlanc, John C. McLean.
- Kent County
 - Government—A. J. Boudage, Philias Melanson, A. A. Dyant.
 - Opposition—Dr. D. V. Landry, Col. John Sheridan, Councillor David Brown.
- Sunbury County
 - Government—Robert B. Smith, D. W. Macdonald.
- Madawaska County
 - Government—J. E. Richard, D. L. Dyer.
- Gloucester County
 - Government—Dr. J. E. Hetherington, Geo. H. King.

CONVENTION OF INSURANCE AGENTS

The first annual convention of the Fire Insurance Agents of New Brunswick was held in Moncton Wednesday afternoon and evening, convening in the Y. M. C. A. hall. The organization, which had been in the minds of several of the agents for more than a year was consummated at a meeting in Fredericton last month. Hereafter the Association will meet in annual convention in the month of June. Due to late organization, September was chosen as the month of meeting for this year. At the afternoon session, in addition to a good deal of technical discussion engaged in by the body, Mr. F. J. G. Knowlton, the well-known insurance Underwriter, of the firm of Knowlton and Gilchrist, of St. John, gave a very interesting address on "Insurance Interests" in which he showed clearly the necessity of having an interest in the property insured.

After the afternoon session of the convention, supper was served by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. following which the evening session was continued with Mr. R. D. Fudge, Assistant Secretary and Rating Officer of the Board of Underwriters, St. John, gave an able address on the subject of schedule rating in which he explained how the Larter & Lerner system of rating was arrived at and the benefits it is to the insurance business.

Short addresses were given by Inspector Patterson, of the Atlas Fire Insurance Co., by Mr. Arthur Braascombe, and by Mr. John Love of the North British Mercantile Insurance Co., with headquarters at Moncton.

There was a further discussion among the members with regard to business similar to other provinces in the Dominion. Apropos, the following resolution, moved by J. B. H. Storer, of Bathurst, and seconded by C. M. Angherton, of Woodstock, was passed.

"That this Association recognizes the necessity of legislation being enacted for the proper licensing of local fire insurance agents in the Province of New Brunswick, and of the enactment of a qualification law to work in conjunction therewith; and urges that definite steps be taken by the executive at the earliest possible date, having this necessity in view."

During the evening several excellent solo numbers were rendered by Mrs. Stevens and several pleasing selections were given by the Male quartette.

Hearty votes of thanks were passed and tendered to the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. for the supper and to Mrs. Stevens and the Male quartette for their music.

The following are the officers of the Association:
 President—Capt. J. E. Masters Moncton.
 Vice-President—J. M. Flewelling St. Stephen.
 Secy. Treasurer—Luke Morrison, Fredericton.
 Executive Committee—Messrs. E. McCurdy, Newcastle; H. B. Storer, Bathurst; C. M. Angherton, Woodstock; and Mr. Wilkinson, of Fredericton.

DISHES AND FURNITURE WILL BE FOR SALE AT THE RUMMAGE SALE IN AID OF THE MIRAMICHI HOSPITAL.

SEIZURE PART OF LARGER SHIPMENT
 It develops that the heavy seizure of liquors in a car supposed to be loaded with oats at Edmundston last week was only part of a much larger consignment of spirits shipped from Quebec province and intended for Maine. A large part of the liquor in one other car was hauled over the international bridge between St. Leonard and Van Buren before it could be stopped. Whether the United States officers seized any of it before it reached its destination is not known. They were notified of the shipment of liquor into Maine but it is possible the cars were unloaded before a seizure could be made.

Gloucester County
 Government—F. J. Veniot, J. P. Ryan, H. R. Leger, John G. Robitaille.

York County
 Opposition—James K. Fisher, John A. Young, G. B. Hunter, C. D. Richardson.
 Government—John T. Christie, F. A. Watson, J. D. Disher, Frank Coombs.

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