

THE ADVERTISER

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RUM SEIZURE AT CANNING AND CAMBRIDGE

On Thursday morning early, Provincial Constable Buchanan and Constable Bond made a very important seizure of liquor at Canning in the cellar of Mr. L. E. Baxter. It consisted of four boxes and when conveyed to Kentville was found to contain 600 flasks of forty overproof rum and other liquor. This liquor it is claimed was brought to Canning in a motor boat and landed there the night previous. One of the boxes was labelled David Brewster, Spencer's Island, and was evidently to go forward to that place. The liquor cases showed it had come from St. John.

On Thursday another shipment was seized at Cambridge consisting of three Jugs.

These seizures show how faithfully our inspectors and constables are doing their work in the County and every citizen should aid and encourage them in their splendid work of freeing the County from rum, especially at this time when our soldiers are in camp and the profits from liquor selling seems large, and also while the election contest is on.

As soon as this seizure was made known one of the Liberal candidates paraded the streets with the story that a ton of Spidell's Tory rum had been seized and the Western Chronicle in a half page article with flaring headlines gloated enormously over the fact that it had been seized on the premises of a Conservative and, therefore, without any other evidence or argument was for assisting in the election of Spidell and Kinsman.

Such brazen effrontery on the part of the Liberal candidate and his party organ will have no effect on the unbiased people of Kings. Kinsman and Spidell stand for Prohibition and for its strict enforcement by the government, while their opponents would vote for prohibition and discourage its enforcement. The Conservative candidates desire to see every drop of liquor that comes into Kings County promptly seized and confiscated and they have by themselves and other leaders instructed the inspectors to enforce the law irrespective of where it should strike even against irresponsible men in their own party.

The temperance workers will welcome for the first time, such active support from The Western Chronicle and its directing head the senior Liberal candidate, and it is hoped their enthusiasm in the cause will continue.

The Chronicle, in its article desired the public to infer N. W. Eaton for the first time was inactive in enforcing the law in Canning. Such an innuendo against Mr Eaton will be surely resented by every fair minded man. Mr. Eaton and Mr. Spidell are men who have talked and labored incessantly to bring about the enforcement of temperance laws such as we now have and no men are more pleased with the seizure made at Canning than they, not even the Liberal leaders whose only pleasure is to gloat over it to make party capital.

A meeting addressed by the Conservative candidates, Kinsman and Spidell, was held at Wolfville Opera House on Wednesday evening. Dr. DeWitt was chairman and the meeting was a large one in marked contrast to the Liberal meeting held before. The speeches by the candidates were excellent and well received and at the close W. H. Emmett of East Simcoe gave an able address telling what Ontario would do with such men as Murray and Daniels with all their deals. Hearty cheers were given for leader Tanner and the candidates.

VOTERS OF KINGS COUNTY

THE 34-YEAR OLD GOVERNMENT HAS GIVEN NOVA SCOTIA

Bad Roads
Closed Schools
Vacant Farms from bad roads
Seven families of new settlers costing \$4,319 per family.
Broken Pledges, Corruption and Jobbery.
Rapidly Increasing Debt.
Public Men Disgracing the Province.

A NEW AND PROGRESSIVE TANNER GOVERNMENT MEANS

Better Roads
Better Education and Schools open.
Agriculture Assisted
Money spent to keep our boys and girls on the farm: not for foreigners.
Honest Administration and clean progressing men at the head.
Government enforcement of laws.



J. E. KINSMAN



LIEUT. J. D. SPIDELL

VOTE FOR KINSMAN AND SPIDELL AND HELP TO USHER IN THE NEW GOVERNMENT.

Nomination Day at Kentville

Tuesday last saw a great concourse of people in town to hear the nomination day speeches. The heavy rain of the morning prevented the work of spraying and other farm labor and so the yeomanry of Kings took a holiday. So great was the crowd that the meeting was held out of doors and fully 2000 people listened to the candidates.

H. H. Wickwire

Warden Morse was Chairman and announced the arrangement as to the addresses. Mr. Wickwire spoke first and for over an hour he declaimed on the "untarnished" record of the Murray Government. He stated there was no issue before the electors and they certainly believed before he had concluded that at this election they had no more to offer than they had in previous years. He passed without a reference to the most notorious Hervey deal by which Premier Murray stands convicted in the public minds of paying out nearly \$50,000 of the public funds against the law of the land and an injunction of the courts. Nor did he refer to the Daniels episode—a piece of political blackmail which has no equal in the public life of any other politician in Canada. His reference to the coal legislation awakened no response from the people who knew they were being bled by the coal monopoly because on account of contribution to party funds the Government had sold out our control of coal royalty for a century to exploiting capitalists. He claimed that the glory of the Murray Government was that it had developed our mines when on every hand mines are being closed, gold mining is stagnant because the present laws are against the interests of mine owners and employees. He complained that the Opposition had no road policy but in all his addresses failed to show any constructive policy which the Murray Government had ever carried out. He made a poor plea for Murray and himself in trying to show they had done something in the interest of temperance and said if they had been compelled in passing prohibitory legislation they could be compelled in all other lines of policy. Mr. Wickwire's address was a good argument of a very poor cause

and his remarks were well received.

Mr. J. Everett Kinsman

Mr. Kinsman showed how Mr. Wickwire did not believe in his own arguments. He told how Tanner had voted in favor of all the spending legislation of the Murray Government and therefore should not criticize the amount of the debt and in the same breath said Tanner was a kisser and a barker and hindered everything. He showed that Murray had done comparatively nothing to assist the great agricultural industry. The debt had been increased half a million dollars a year or \$57,000 for every hour the Murray Government had been in power during its twenty years. For all this debt we had nothing to show. What the Government had done was to dissipate our great resources, release our Crown Lands so that Attorney General Daniels might pocket a \$75,000 note and pay out \$48,000 to Hervey, wrongfully. He dealt in a trenchant way with their bad agricultural policy their costly coal legislation and the miserable roads of the County after all the borrowed money had been misapplied on them. If elected he assured the people that he and Spidell would seek in every way to advance their interests.

C. A. Campbell

Mr. Campbell entered upon an explanation of the public debt and what had caused it and the security held, such as the South Western Railway (which could not pay interest on its bonds). The coal legislation he claimed was right because it had been approved by the people in six elections. The Technical College he said was a good thing because Senator Dennis contributed scholarship. Although Mr. Spidell on former years had worked almost incessantly for Mr. Campbell, the latter saw fit to give him a thrust under the rib and accused Mr. Spidell of catering to the whiskey element in an address he made. This created quite a disturbance for a while and Mr. Campbell passed on without any further reference to temperance or his position now on the question, except to make light of the Doherty Bill.

SEALY'S

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The New Awning Stripe Cretonnes

For Dresses, Skirts, Blouses

direct from New York, 27 in. width.....50c. yard

Sport Silk in Awning Stripes, 36 inch width at.....90c. yard
English Poplins in Mercerized Cotton—Blues, Black, Sand and White at.....30 to 55c. a yard
Voiles, Crepe de Chene, Linon, Foulard in Plain colors and Printed Patterns for Summer Gowns.

Wash Skirts

of White Repp and Bedford Cords.....\$1.25 to \$1.75
In Beach Cloth at.....\$3.00

MIDDY BLOUSES

In Regulation Jack Tar and Belted Styles

Misses and Ladies sizes.....\$1.00 to \$1.75
Childrens.....75c. to \$1.50

Penman's Summer Hosiery

FOR LADIES and CHILDREN

Ladies Hosiery.....15c, 25c, 35c to \$1.00 a pair
Childrens.....12c. to 45c. pair

New Serge Skirts

in Latest Cuts.....\$4.50 to \$7.50

He referred to evidence of electoral corruption in New Brunswick, Manitoba and British Columbia. (Voice—What about the Liberals in Alberta and Saskatchewan who are now in jail.)

Lieut. J. D. Spidell

Mr. Spidell spent a few moments, as he had been asked by his supporters to answer some of the statements made publicly against him. As to the statement made by Mr. Campbell a few moments before if Mr. Campbell had the proof he challenged him to produce it and he would give him the opportunity out the time allotted to him to speak. (Mr. Campbell sat dumb and made no attempt at explanation.) At this juncture Mr. Wickwire to bolster up his own statements dragged the name of a lady into the discussion as being his authority and he was greeted with loud calls of shame. Mr. Spidell absolutely denied Mr. Wickwire's statements.

"What had Kings Co. to hope for from Mr. Murray continued Mr. Spidell. He had given us such a record of inefficiency squandering of the public assets and the people's franchises, committed corrupt and unlawful acts and kept in his cabinet a man whom public opinion had condemned as unfit for any public position. He dealt with the bad policy of the Government on its roads, bridges, education, public debt, etc. In fact no person however inefficient could run the affairs in any concluded his eloquent address.

Mr Wickwire replied in a few words endeavoring to show that there was no need of any answer.

The people were certainly astonished at the fine addresses of Kinsman and Spidell as compared with the speeches of the 22-year-old campaigner, and his colleague now in his third local contest.

Dr. A. S. Burns has returned from Halifax.

Every indication points to a regular sweep for Tanner and his candidates on Tuesday next. Murray and his Joker have played a sad part in our public life. Let your vote for Kinsman and Spidell help toward good government.



CLIFTON HILTZ.

Another Kings County Hero Gives Life For the Empire

It will be sad news to many to learn that Clifton Hiltz of Kingsport, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hiltz, has been killed in the recent terrible fighting in which the Canadians engaged. Cliff was a boy of noble purpose, a true and manly person in sport or duty and one who nobly responded to the call of duty. He has played his part, has shown nobility and heroism in the cause of the Empire and we will have reason to mourn his untimely death and rever his memory. Kings Co. in some tangible way should keep fresh in the minds of the people for future generations those who have given their life for us.

Mr. Hiltz will be remembered by our readers as the correspondent for several years from Kingsport. He was a most interesting writer and ever kept his native village before the public.

Early in the war he saw his duty to the country and enlisted in the 25th Battalion. He saw much fighting in the trenches and recently we had to report his being wounded. With undaunted courage and true instinct of a soldier he returned to the firing line. After two short weeks his valiant work made him a target for German bullets and he fell like a true hero.

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Toy Sand Pails

each 8c and 15c.

Toy Garden Set

price 15c set

Toy Waggon

body and wheels

25c, also two wh

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