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## Liberals United On Win-the-War Policy

commons it is to be noted that for the first time since the conscription issue came before the house the whole Liberal party in the commons presented a united front on Hon. Geo. P. Graham's amendment demanding that parliament should proceed forthwith to perform the second half of its duty in regard to war organization of which the first half is the mobilization of men and the second half the mobilization of reserves in food, money, munitions and transportation.

On the first half of the problem as to the wisest means of securing men for the front there has been and still is honest division of opinion in the Liberal ranks. On the second half of the problem there is a united demand for drastic and vigorous though belated governmental action. It is being made to appear in the Conservative press that even on Hon. Mr. Graham's amendment there was a party split since Dr. Michael Clark, of Red Deer, and Albert Champagne, of Battleford, who had been regarded as supporters of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, voted with the government. Neither of these members have been regarded for some time past as members of the Liberal party in the commons. Mr. Champagne broke with the Liberals of Saskatchewan some four years ago. When a nominating convention was held in his constituency two years ago another Liberal candidate was nominated in his place. During the last provincial elections in Saskatchewan he worked for the defeat of the Martin government and for the last three years has been regarded as having entirely broken with the Liberal party. He has been in close association with Hon. Robert Rogers in regard to Saskatchewan politics.

Dr. Clark Breaks With Party.

With regard to Dr. Clark it will be recalled that last year he practically took the ground that there should be no criticism of the government during the war time. Since then he has not worked in union with his colleagues. It was generally understood here before the session opened that he had come to an arrangement with the Conservatives of Alberta by which he was not to be opposed by them at the next election. During the Alberta provincial election last May he declined to take part in the campaign on behalf of the Liberal candidates.

During the present session Dr. Clark

On the representation of the fuel commissioner the matter had been allowed to stand until August; there would likely be an increase then of forty cents.

Consideration of the new rallway act was then resumed in committee. When clause 320 providing that time tables, bills of lading, station signs, etc., in the province of Quebec must be printed in Boulay, of Rimouski, moved an amendment declaring that "all employes coming in contact with the public should understand both official languages of the country."

After some further discussion Hon.



Alberta provincial election last May be declined to take part in the campaign on behalf of the Liberal candidates.

During the present season Dr. Clark has separently found most of his friends on the Conservative side of the house and it is known that he has had frequent and prolonged conferences with Hon. Robert Rogers, Hon. Arthur Melghen and other party manipulators on the government side. Some time ago it was decided that he should be no longer admitted to the Liberal party caucus and his break with the party has been well known here for a considerable time. His speech of last night marked the final severance containing, as it didefusive culogies of Sir Robert Borden and unqualified criticism of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Geo. P. Graham and the oposition as a whole. It was a speech of a supporter of the government and not of one who had any interest or sympathy contrary to them.

No Further Action.

Sir Robert Borden intimated to the house this afternoon that the government did not propose to take further action upon the resolution for an actension of the life of parliament for another year, which was passed yesterday by a vote of 82 to 62. The premier said that this was in accordance with his declaration that unless the resolution was adopted unanimously or practically unanimously he would not act upon it.

Sir George Foster, in reply to Mr. Boivin, who asked if the government intended to put daylight saving into effect they were clude upon for the season had passed. In the United States a similar bill had been adopted which would go in effect next year and probably the view here would be that Canada should take action conjointly with the three was a feeling among young menthat if they were called upon for military service, under the legislation now before parliament they would be unable to pay the large premiums demanded by insurance companies as a war risk. The premier said he would alieve the attention of the minister of finance to the matter.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux inquired the government would amend th

matter.

Hon. William Pugsley complained that en extra freight rate of fifty cents per ton on coal had been imposed by the I. C. R.

Hon. Frank Cochrane said that the Hon. Frank Cochrane said that reason for this was the increase in wages and prices paid for coal by the company. Aid of Veterans

> A good sized audience last night witnessed the presentation of a three-act
> drama "Breezy Point" at the Lyric, by
> the young members of the West Side
> Soldiers' Field Comforts Association.
> The show was given under the auspices
> of European War Veterans' Association
> to the funds of which organization the to the funds of which organization the proceeds were donated.
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> The most dainty number in the specialties was doubtless the "Dance of the Dying Swan" by Baby Lorna Waring who showed an ability far beyond her years. She was loudly applauded and favored with an encore equally as dainty as the first number. The Gibb Trio lived

up to its reputation of past performances and Mrs. Murray Long was heard to excellent advantage in a vocal selection.

The Misses Hawker, in instrumental sel-

ections, were very much enjoyed. The play was directed by Private A. Gibbs

rl of unknown parentage
Miss M. Ellis

The cast of characters was as follows:
Aunt Debbie, mistress of Breezy Point
Miss B. Robson
The Hardscratch, with business
propensities . . . . . Miss H. Clarke
The Hardscratch Twins, who never know nothin' Miss E. Long, Miss S. Purdy catarrh snuff ....
Summer Boarders—Bernice Vernon, Miss Richard Coleman ....

Mehitible Doolittle, manufacturer of catarrh snuff ..... Miss H. Smith Richard Colored Acts--1, sitting room scene at Breezy .R. G. Johnson weeks later.

. A. Gibbs Directed by Private A. Gibbs and Cor

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Regular	\$3.00	Pants			Sale	Price	\$2,39	
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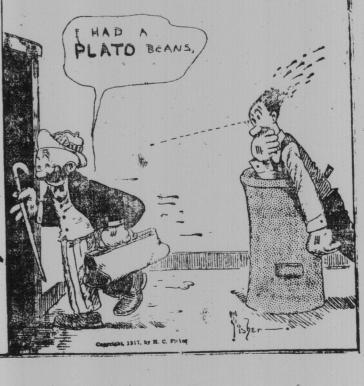


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