

CAMPAIGN NOTES.

A most successful meeting of Lalonde's supporters for mayor was held on Monday night. The executive committee reported the successful result of their exertions in organizing the campaign. The town was divided up into sections and committees were formed, who are conducting a spirited canvass.

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Whatever side anyone means to vote on he should register at once. A notary public, who can attend to the matter, is in constant waiting at the Lalonde headquarters.

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Mr. Townsend has been appointed returning officer for the municipal election. His task of making up a voters' list, in the short time at his disposal, is by no means a light one. But he is well qualified to carry it out satisfactorily.

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The number of aldermen will only be six. This will make the election decidedly more interesting.

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It has been freely circulated that Mr. Lalonde's programme includes the restriction of legitimate amusement and the closing of saloons on Sunday, in fact, an approximation to eastern municipal conditions. Anything more disgusting than the cant and hypocrisy which cloak the drinking and other questionable customs of eastern communities, it would be hard to imagine. That sort of legislation which closes the saloon, where the poor man can buy a drink, and keep open the club, where the rich man can buy his, would find little favor in Rossland.

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It is a fact that certain people approached Mr. Lalonde and felt his views on municipal protection, open or covert, to certain very questionable enterprises. Mr. Lalonde's reply was simple and direct: "If the enterprises were legitimate, they needed no protection nor special countenance: if they were not legitimate, then he did not want to have anything to do with them, either in his public or private capacity."

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Mr. Scott has been forced by the necessities of his position into the arms of two classes - one, the class of real estate speculators, who naturally hope to make their own out of skillfully directed municipal improvements; the other, that vampire population who, while pretending to minister to the amusement of the community, really make their living by pandering to its vices. A town should not be run in the interests of a ring of real estate speculators, but angels and ministers of grace defend us from such an element as, let us say, controls the variety shows, dance halls and gaming dives in Spokane from having any voice in our municipal affairs.

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Mr. Scott calls himself the "people's candidate." The people are not the laboring men whose wages spent in the town are the basis of its prosperity, nor the business men, to whose activity a good town owes so much. Mr. Scott's people are the gang who are endeavoring to hoodwink the real people.

CLARK ON COPPER.

J. K. Clark, of Butte, Montana, brother of W. A. Clark, the millionaire mining operator, was recently interviewed by a Denver Republican reporter and in the course of conversation spoke as follows:

"Yes, I am of the opinion that the mining industry will make great advances during the coming year, and especially copper mining. I do not think that the supply of copper will exceed the demand for several years, and in my judgment there is no mining enterprise that a man can engage in at the present time that is more certain to make good returns than copper. You have not developed a large amount of copper in Colorado as yet, because you have not looked for it specially, but some will doubtless be found; and my advice to anyone who can get hold of a copper prospect is to develop it, as he is certain of a good market for his product or a good price for his mine."

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