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OPPOSITION CLINCHES SURE OF OPPOSITION VICTORY IN YORK VICTORY IN CARLETON

Crowded Meeting at Fredericton Last Night Listen Rousing Meeting Shows Electors of VICTORY SURE IN West Side Enlisted Under Good to Telling Speeches NORTHUMBERLAND

Daniel Mullin, K. C., of St. John, a Former Strong Supporter of Government, Arraigns Administration for Its Misdeeds--Flemming Captured Crowd--Charlotte Will Send Four Hazen Men--Cheering News from Albert.

pecial to The Telegraph:) toon, N. B., Feb. 27.—One of the itical meetings ever held in the York was that of the opposition the Opera House this evening. of the down-pour of rain and the le walking the large hall was y filled long before the proceed-ed. More than 1,000 people were nd in the audience were many ll the speakers were enthusias were itick and nothing but the ticket and (Special to The Telegraph?) the speakers were enthusias-ved and their remarks were tith the greatest interest. Not the electors will, on March 3 the electors will, on March 3rd, ret As single interruption took place and every Messrs. Clark, Grimmer and Hartt with one present seemed to be greatly impress-ed by it. As the different speakers scored the government cheers resounded through the poll, will be far ahead of the most er and Hartt with ent cheers resou

vast building. D. H. Thomas presided and seated on a platform were about seventy-five prom-ent citizens of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-term of the city and county. It is noticeable that among those occupy-is not the city of the istration. After a few intro remarks the chairman introduced McInerney, of St. John. Mr. Mc ellent form. He dis in excellent form. He day ilway and paid some attention mbers of the local administration Messrs. Dickson, Prescott and Fowler

Government Banner Candidates Add to Their Popularity--J. B. M. Baxter, in

Ringing Speech, Denies Government Stories About Him, Opposition Ticket Certain to and Shows Up Financial Matters in New Light--H. A. Powell, K. C., Deals With Dr. Pugsley, and Also Clearly Upsets Attorney General's Shifting of Debt Responsibility.

Dr. J. P. McInerney and H. A. Powell,

ngs of the government that Chatham, N. B., Feb. 27-(Special)-The latest reports from every parish in ion over and its property in a mo erland leave no room for doubt position ticket will sweep the county. "Nothing less than four seats" is the conld vote for Mr. Hazen and his follow-There had been much criticism of effect that he fident cry of the workers in the cause of

had no constructive ability but the leader of the opposition had shown his fitness to be at the head of the affairs of the prov-Messrs. Morrison and Morrissy whose services in the legislature have

tion from the electors everywhere, and of who know the county have seen nd out in the nei that the led a great many battles,

Roll Up Big Majorities

IN FINE FETTLE

h, Feb. 27-Chancellor of the Ex-Asquith introduced the licensing powered to inspect the club of the mil-be house of commons today. This th introduced that in the international terms in the prinicipal government measure for with a num session of parliament, and are in reality nothing more than liquor

New License Bill Provides for Wiping Out 30,000

Liquor Places

Compensation for Those Thrown Out of Business--Local

Option to Prevail and Majority to Rule--Clubs to Be

Under Official Inspection-Sunday Selling Still Retained.

BRITAIN TRYING TO

owing to the vast money and labor inter- shops lived, it is attracting great inter-of the bill, it is set forth the est. The chancellor declared that in the opinion of the government all effective re-form in this field must aim at the attain-hours of Sunday: up

LESSEN DRINK EVIL

lities now allowed for the retail sale of England was ntoxicating liquors, and the gradual comete recovery by the state, with due regard for existing interests, of its dominwhich it had improvidently allowed to hours in the evenin

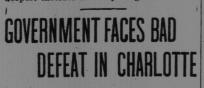
that if this were add compulsory reduction years would obt

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Government Workers Dejected Over County's Open Hostility to the Administration's Cause and Ticket--Opposition Certain of Carrying ment of two principal points, namely a progressive reduction of the excessive fac-Every Seat.

MEETING AT ALBER

Enthuse a Large Audience.



KITCHENER MAKES SHORT WORK OF WARRING TRIBE

Modern Methods Used to Crush India's Border Raiders---Loss in Men Practically Nothing--Campaign a Vindication of His Army Reform.

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Total Grant, .	•	50,000			
What the Grant Costs Province.		\$112,800			

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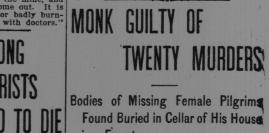
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and Surgeons and commenced to practice his profession at Richibucto, where he still his profession at Richbucto, where he still resides and has succeeded in gaining an ex-tensive and important practice. Dr. Bourque married Miss Emma Han-nay in 1894. The doctor is one of the best known medical men in the county of Kent and is highly esteemed for those qualities of head and heart so pressors to a count

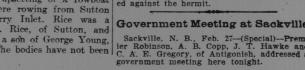
of head and heart so necessary to a suc-cessful physician. He is a prominent Acadian and a member of many societies, including the C. M. B. A., Les Artisans Canadiens-Francais and La Societe L'As-

somption. Dr. Landry is a native of Kent county. He was educated at St. Joseph's College, and took his medical course at Victoria College, Montreal. He has practiced his profession in Buctouche for some years. He is well known throughout the county and deservedly popular. Dr. Landry has proven a good candidate and will make a good member.

Unless the election law of this province as compiled and issued to deputy re-turning officers is read as a whole there are liable to be mistakes as to the true meaning and intent of the provisions in regard to the secret ballot. Owing to some oversight, or it might be a design on the part of the compilers to defeat the principle of the amendment providing for a secret ballot, section 80 of the act of 1889, which states that when the voter hands his ballot to the deputy returning officer, this officer must "be satisfied that his vote is single and deposit the same in the ballot box without reading it," is left in, although it is overridden by section 3 of the act of 1904. This latter act states:

over-ridden by section 3 of the act of 1904. This latter act states: "The elector on receiving the envelope shall forthwith proceed into a com-partment of the polling station, which compartment shall be screened off so that the voter shall be wholly concealed from the rest of the room, and shall there place his ballot paper in the envelope previously handed to him by the deputy returning officer, and shall then hand it unsealed to the deputy returning officer, who shall ascertain, by examining his initials that it is the same which he fur-nished the elector, and shall then immediately, and in presence of the elector, place the envelope containing such ballot paper in the ballot box." That this latter section should govern is made clear by section 16 of the act of 1904 which states:

That this latter section should govern is made clear by section 16 of the act of 1904 which states: "All parts of The New Brunswick Elections Act of 1889,' and of all other Acts that may be inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed in so far as the same may be inconsistent."





Although the government claimed a surplus for eight out of the twelve years from 1895 to 1906 inclusive, debentures were, nevertheless, disposed of annually to provide for the \$2,500 grant in question. The following figures are interesting:

