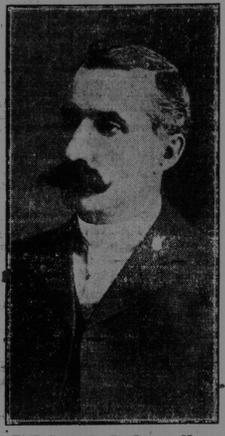


BULLOCK THE NEW MAYOR OF ST. JOHN; FUTURE ELECTIONS UNDER "AT LARGE" SYSTEM

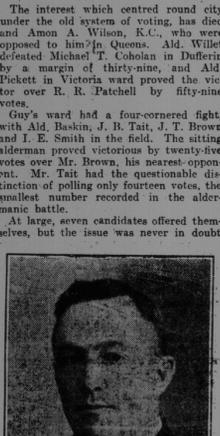
Present Method of Choosing by Wards is Rejected by 31 Majority; Vague District System Snowed Under--Small Vote Cast--Sears Defeated by 681--Only New Men at Council Will be Elkin, Scully and Rowan--Some Sharp Fighting in the Wards.

TUESDAY'S VOTE IN DETAIL. Table with columns for candidates (Sears, Bullock, Elkin, etc.) and rows for various wards (Guys, Queens, Victoria, etc.) showing vote counts.



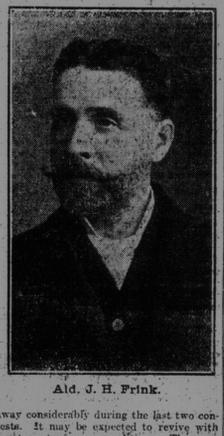
T. H. Bullock, St. John's New Mayor.

Wednesday, April 22. By a vote of 1,845 to 1,814 the citizens yesterday pronounced in favor of a return to the electoral system in force before 1907, the "at large" system. The contest on this question was both close and exciting as the small majority of thirty-one votes would indicate.



Ald. J. H. Frink.

The interest which centred round city under the old system of voting, his died and Amon A. Wilson, K.C., who were opposed to him in Queens. Ald. Willet defeated Michael T. Cochran in Dufferin by a margin of thirty-nine, and Ald. Pickett in Victoria ward proved the victor over R. R. Patchell by fifty-nine votes.



Ald. H. H. Pickett.

away considerably during the last two contests. It may be expected to revive with a return to former conditions. The common clerk's office was never over crowded yesterday and not more than about thirty enthusiasts awaited the returns. Sydney ward, as usual, sent in the first ballot box and official list, J. H. A. L. Fairweather, the commissioner, arriving at 3 o'clock. Stanley came next, twenty-four minutes later, and then in slow succession other boxes arrived.

FORMER BRITISH NAVAL DESIGNER ON AMERICAN NAVY. Sir Wm. Henry White Says Next to England's It's the Best in the World. Boston, Mass., April 21--In a lengthy interview, published here today, Sir William Henry White, who was for nearly twenty years, up to 1902, the responsible designer of all British warships, comments on recent criticisms of the American navy.

"There is one thing more that I would like to say, and I think it is vital. I have known the American navy from the start. It is not generally known that the modern American navy started with the purchase of two of my designs from Armstrong. That was in 1853. From those designs the Charleston and the Baltimore were built.

LIBERAL PROMISES TO ELECT CHURCHILL. Irish Home Rule and Old Age Pensions the Bait to Catch Manchester Votes. Manchester, April 21--The furious election fight, which takes place April 24, that is being waged here has brought forth two of the most important Liberal promises.

THE CELEBRATED GRANGER REMEDIES. bear the stamp of approval. These remedies are the result of careful and actual experience by professional horsemen, and positive results are secured in every case. We stand behind every package bearing the name "Granger."

PUGSLEY TURNED DOWN BY HIS COLLEAGUES IN THE CABINET

Order Revoked Allowing Dredging to Proceed Without Tenders Being Called For

Back Track Taken Since Minister of Public Works Made His Famous Defence of the Gridiron About Marine Inquiry--Engineer Charges Irregularities on G. T. P. Construction--Manitoba Schools Bob Up Again.

Ottawa, April 21--Although it was a slim attendance of members that assembled in the Commons this afternoon a variety of interesting topics was introduced as the accumulation of the week's Eastern recess. There was, too, a recrudescence of the automobile bill debates of three years ago.

Another Scandal. R. L. Borden read a despatch stating that Major Hodgins, former engineer of the eastern division of the National Transcontinental railway, had charged the government with improper classification of material taken from cuttings.

Manitoba Schools Up Again. Armand Lavergne complained that in answer to a question of his last week the minister of justice replied that the government was not aware whether or not the new educational laws of the province of Manitoba were contrary to the provisions of the educational clause and autonomy act of 1903.

THE MARINE INQUIRY. Mr. Brodeur interrogated the minister of marine concerning a complaint appointed to act in connection with the investigation before Judge Cassels. Whom did they represent? Had counsel been appointed to defend the officers of the ship?

THE LOST PARTNER. By Charles B. Clark, Jr., in Pacific Monthly. I ride along and hate the boys I meet. Today, some way, their laughter hurts me.

APPEAL TO ENGLISHMEN. (London Lancet.) The estimated amount of juice expressed from a lemon is 37.50 per cent of its weight, whereas the lime gives 50.00 per cent.

PILES CURED AT HOME by New Absorption Method. If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding piles, send me your address, and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption method, and what to eat and drink.

SHILOH'S. Quick case for the worst cough--quick relief to the heaviest cold--and SAFE to take, even for a child. That is Shiloah's Cure.

RABBITS VERSUS MUTTON. Up to the beginning of December 918,000 crates of rabbits, totalling about 23,000 tons, had been received in London during 1907, and the market for mutton was never so bad as it is now.

CHAMBERLAIN TO RESIGN? No Hope of His Returning to Public Life the Latest Rumor. New York, April 20--The World has received the following cable despatch from London:--Joseph Chamberlain has at last abandoned the hope, which his physician and friends knew all along could never be realized, of reappearing in public life, and will soon resign his seat in parliament.

EMPLOYEES OF THE ROAD FROM ST. JOHN TO WINNIPEG WILL CONSIDER THE SITUATION AT MEETINGS TO BE CALLED. Winnipeg, April 21--A conference between C.P.R. officials and representatives of the men affected by the new working rules, was held today at Winnipeg. The company says wages are not reduced by the new rules, but the system under which they had to pay incompetent men as much as others will be done away with.

STONE WAS DESTROYED IN GOVERNMENT EXPERIMENTS, BUT CLAY MATERIAL WAS UNINJURED. Washington, D. C., April 20--Common brick has proven itself the victor over many other and more fashionable types of building materials in a severe fire test conducted by the geological survey at Chicago.

FIND BRICK BEST INTEREST BY FIRE. Stone Was Destroyed in Government Experiments, But Clay Material Was Uninjured. The hydraulic pressed brick stood the test better than any other material. No damage was apparent whatever after the firing and before the water was applied, and although a number of the bricks cracked, seventy per cent of them were still sound.

OPEN SHOP MOVE MAY EXTEND TO ALL RAILWAYS. C. P. R. Says Wages Are Not Reduced, But Incompetents Will Not Get Same Pay as Good Men. Employees of the road from St. John to Winnipeg will consider the situation at meetings to be called.

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It is evident that the trouble will not be confined to the C.P.R. alone. The fact that Messrs. Fitzgibbon, Brownlee & Gillen are in New York today attending a meeting of the American Railway Association, gave rise to a story that the G.T.R. was in it. This is the association that proposed to reduce wages on five American railways which has been postponed until July.

When it is remembered that Mr. Lloyd-George, now chancellor of the exchequer, is in the position of having to find the money for the pensions, his prediction is or the greatest interest. With the approach of falling day, the struggle is growing ever keener. Mr. Balfour has written an unusually long letter in support of the Unionist candidate, Mr. Lloyd-George today entered the fray with great enthusiasm, making two long speeches at a meeting.

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QUICKLY! The range is empty and the trails are blind and I don't seem but half myself today. Wait to hear him ride. And feel his knee rub mine the good old way. He's dead--and what that means no man can tell. Some call it "gone before." Where? I don't know, but--God! I know so. That he isn't here no more.