

Public Ownership Favored

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the great assistance rendered the City of Kingston in the past by the Toronto World and Mr. Maclean. It was not for nothing that these two factors were mentioned in the citizens' petition. It was not for nothing that they were mentioned in the petition. It was not for nothing that they were mentioned in the petition.

Mr. Maclean was then called upon to speak. He thanked the citizens of Kingston for coming to hear him under such unfavorable conditions as the weather presented. He thanked them for their sacrifice by a discussion of the advantages of public ownership. He said that he wanted to point out that it was not a new thing. It had been done in the past. It had been done in the past. It had been done in the past.

In Germany, France and Russia the state-owned railways were in operation and in Germany they were one of the principal sources of revenue. The great cities of England, Scotland and Ireland were taking over their public utilities and one of these cities, Glasgow, was a proof to the world of the advantages of the good of the community. In London, however, the greatest city in the world, the state-owned railways were in operation and in Germany they were one of the principal sources of revenue.

What the people of Kingston should have been doing was to have a public utility. It was not for nothing that they were mentioned in the petition. It was not for nothing that they were mentioned in the petition. It was not for nothing that they were mentioned in the petition.

Mr. Maclean declared that he had decided to risk his political future on this issue of public ownership. He would stand or fall by it. He would stand or fall by it. He would stand or fall by it.

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trucks or charters, but the citizens' rights must be equally respected and contracts must at times be interfered with to give them these rights. It had already been done, and should be done again. They talked about private interests, but what about the public interests? Mr. Maclean asked. It was of much more importance. In any changes, the public interests must be protected. It was of much more importance. In any changes, the public interests must be protected.

At this point Senator Sullivan interrupted to ask the speaker what he thought the best method of managing this power plant, assuming that the city would take it over. Mr. Maclean answered that that depended largely upon circumstances. In this case, he would have another party to consider. He would have another party to consider. He would have another party to consider.

Then, too, we had a railroad problem. This country, he argued, was a state-owned country. He argued that state-owned roads would give us clean waterways and rail service. He argued that state-owned roads would give us clean waterways and rail service. He argued that state-owned roads would give us clean waterways and rail service.

Another of the services that was being held up in price was the telephone. He argued that the telephone was a public utility. He argued that the telephone was a public utility. He argued that the telephone was a public utility.

Dr. Ryan was then called upon to address the audience. He had listened to the speech of Mr. Maclean and he was very much impressed. He had listened to the speech of Mr. Maclean and he was very much impressed. He had listened to the speech of Mr. Maclean and he was very much impressed.

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PARTIAL MET SUNDAY IN THE FAIRWAY KINGDOM BUT YOU MAY NOT KNOW IT

Snow, Sleet and Rain is Promised, With Milder Weather to Follow.

Spring began last evening, but not so suddenly as to give citizens with weak constitutions a shock. In the northwest it was disguised in seven inches of snow, and general spring dissembled still further in assuming a temperature of 20 degrees below zero at Whitby. Toronto's maximum temperature was 32 degrees, but the sun melted a lot of snow yesterday. The streets were in a hazy condition and the sidewalks in many places impassable, owing to the pools of water which had no channel of escape.

The middle of the road was a favorite spot for many street where the householders do not do their own snow-throwing, and car tracks were in many places chosen by pedestrians. The weather was a favorite spot for many street where the householders do not do their own snow-throwing, and car tracks were in many places chosen by pedestrians.

Long before the emperor reached the peers' chamber, the members of the cabinet were already in the chamber. The emperor entered the chamber and the members of the cabinet were already in the chamber. The emperor entered the chamber and the members of the cabinet were already in the chamber.

Some of the Tribulations of the Rural Moulder of Public Opinion. The editor of a rural weekly paper is looked upon by the populace as running his paper solely for their accommodation. The editor of a rural weekly paper is looked upon by the populace as running his paper solely for their accommodation.

Editorial Staff Stranded. While the country editor has many drawbacks to contend with, his life is not all darkness. He has a "stand in" at the railway station. He has a "stand in" at the railway station. He has a "stand in" at the railway station.

How to Fill Space. One of the great troubles of the editor is the failure of his boiler-plate to arrive from the city on time. One of the great troubles of the editor is the failure of his boiler-plate to arrive from the city on time.

Potatoes in Payment. Unlike the metropolitan newspapers, the rural journals do not have space for such a device. Unlike the metropolitan newspapers, the rural journals do not have space for such a device.

Strike at Rochester. Rochester, N. Y., March 19.—Between 35 and 400 artists, pressmen, transcribers, proofreaders, engravers, and apprentices, members of the lithographers' union, which are employed by the city of Rochester, have struck work this morning. The men say that they were locked out when the union refused to accept a new contract.

Birthday Feast's Fatal End. Plymouth, Conn., March 19.—In the ashes of the Hotel Ridgefort, which was destroyed by fire last night, a birthday party for a young girl was being celebrated. The fire broke out at midnight and the building was completely destroyed.

Quarantine Was Just. Arthur Ward, proprietor of the Arlington Hotel, Ridgefort, failed in his fight against the local board of health. The board of health ordered the hotel to be quarantined because of the presence of a smallpox case.

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THE BEST NEWS FOR TUESDAY.

This entire page would not tell half the story of the bargains in all our departments. We have sorted out a few extras as samples of the way prices are fixed. Come Tuesday sure.

Silverboards, golden oak finish, shaped top, two small drawers, one long drawer, 14x24x2, regular \$16, Tuesday..... 10.75
Silverboards, golden oak finish, 48 inches long, two short and one long drawer, two long drawers, 14x24x2, regular \$18.75, Tuesday..... 14.95
Silverboards, 52 inches long, swell front, two small and two long drawers, double cupboards, level top, 14x24x2, regular \$20, Tuesday..... 19.95
Silverboards, solid oak, swell front, 18x36-inch level top, 23.00
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56 Parlor Rockers—Solid Oak, upholstered or cobbler seats—regular \$3.50 to \$4.29 —to be cleared on Tuesday at

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Wages Reduction Agreed Upon. Pittsburg, March 19.—The demand of the manufacturers for a reduction in the sheet and tin plate scale has been conceded by the general executive board of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers. The new scale for sheet and tin plate for a reduction averaging about 8 per cent. In addition to the ten per cent cut that went into effect Jan. 1. There are many idle union sheet plants in the country, but it is expected that most of them will be put in operation under the new terms. The executive board also decided to make a reduction in the tin plate scale amounting to about 20 per cent.

Fire Loss of \$50,000. New York, March 19.—The seven-story building of R. J. Hornor and Co. on West 24th-street was gutted by fire above the second story to-day, causing a loss of \$50,000. The fire broke out at 10 o'clock and the building was completely destroyed.

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