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SQUIRES GOVERNMENT RETURNED TO POWER

Returns To Date: Government 22; Opposition 13—One More District to Hear From

A GREAT VICTORY FOR THE GOVERNMENT

A great victory has been achieved by the free and independent electors of the District of Harbor Grace. The fires of liberty and the rights of the people have been lit, and we trust will never be put out.

The people acted within their sovereign rights and requested that they be given the right to select their own candidate for election to the House of Assembly. This request was most flagrantly and wantonly denied them, and they were practically told to mind their own business.

John C. Crosbie is reported to have said at a Party meeting that we will make the electors of Harbor Grace District vote for the men whom we send them.

But a definite, unequivocal and decided answer to this bullying was given by the free men of this District on May 3rd, which will cause political leaders in the future to be more careful when the people speak, and take the advice of those who know what they are talking about.

Harbor Grace District's verdict is for localmen and local selection. It is time that other outport districts took the same stand. If we have within our outport district boundaries men with brains and ability enough to represent us in the Government of our country, by all means let us have them!

What outport citizen would dare think of entering himself as a political candidate for a St. John's constituency? We wouldn't even dare dream of doing such a thing.

Mr. Bennett and his associates denounced and challenged the wish of the people, but they learned on May 3rd that the people rule this country and not a few individuals residing in St. John's, no matter how many "handouts" they may have to their names. The People's voice must prevail.

A delightful evening was spent at the home of Mrs. Philip Snow on Wednesday, April 9th, when she gave a Scout tea. After refreshment were served the gathering was treated to a vocal programme by several talented ladies. The proceeds of the evening were very large and will be donated to the Scout Funds.

An accident which might have resulted in a fatality, occurred at Wm. Dawe's garage on Thursday afternoon, May 10th. Mr. Chester Dawe was working around the motor car when a lighted match caused a tank containing gasoline to ignite. The flame burnt his face considerably but no further injuries were sustained.

New Pulp and Paper Project

Vancouver April 19—Plans for the erection in North Vancouver of a pulp and paper mill at a cost of \$8,000,000 are said to be nearing completion in the offices of the Seaman Paper Company of Chicago. The Company is also interested in British Columbia paper industry through its president, who was for years a director of Waukena Pulp and Paper Company.

The new mill will operate from pulp lands owned near this city by E. J. Young, of Madison, Wis. Employment for about 1,000 persons will be afforded by the new pulp mill, which will have a capacity of about 250 tons a day.

St. John, N. B. April 19—As a result of the proposals for the development of hydro electric power at Grand Falls and elsewhere in New Brunswick, French interests are investigating the situation with a view to establishing a large pulp mill in the province.

Senator N. Jones, on behalf of the representative of the Petit Journal, of Paris, has been in conference with Dr. E. A. Smith, chairman of the Power Commission, and C. O. Foss, chief engineer. The newspaper is desirous of establishing a pulp mill and exporting the product to France, where it would be converted into paper. At present the newspaper imports pulp from the Scandinavian countries and converts it into paper at a big plant in Rouen, France. It is estimated that the paper's mill, if built, would require about 8,500 horse power for its operations.

The commission will take the question up with the Provincial Government at once and a definite statement may be expected within a short time.

AN ENJOYABLE EVENING

On Tuesday evening, May 8th, a number of friends of Master Arthur Courteen gave him a surprise party in Snowden Hall, in view of his departure to Canada. After the various games were played a delicious lunch was served. A special feature of the evening was a presentation made by Miss Myrtis Dawe. In a few well-chosen words Arthur thanked the young people for the thoughtfulness which prompted the gathering. The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and the National Anthem brought a very enjoyable evening to a close.

Several schooner owners are busy getting their crafts and boats ready for the coming summer's fishing or freighting operations.

Three people narrowly escaped being killed when a horse driven by Mr. John Cave became frightened and then became unmanageable. Mrs. John Cave and Mrs. Rebecca Morgan were in the carriage and were thrown from the vehicle. Mrs. Morgan is now at her home in this town suffering from several injuries while the other occupants received nothing more than a bad shaking up and shock.

The Election Returns

PORT-DE-GRAVE	
Winter (Govt.)	886
Mackay (Opp.)	589
HARBOR MAIN	
Hawco (Govt.)	914
Woodford (Opp.)	807
Kennedy (Opp.)	771
St. John (Govt.)	740
Jones (Ind.)	304

CARBONEAR	
Moore (Opp.)	470
Maddock (Govt.)	440

FERRYLAND	
Cashin (Opp.)	1090
Morre (Opp.)	931
Hearn (Govt.)	412
McGuire (Govt.)	193

BAY-DE-VERDE	
Cave (Govt.)	1199
Cramm (Govt.)	1110
Crosbie (Opp.)	1049
Fuddester (Opp.)	971

HARBOR GRACE	
Piccott (Govt.)	1296
Simmons (Govt.)	1234
Calpin (Govt.)	1210
Bennett (Opp.)	1147
Hickman (Opp.)	1132
Archibald (Opp.)	1078

ST. JOHN'S WEST	
Hunt (Opp.)	2790
Cashin (Opp.)	2770
Squires (Govt.)	2759
Campbell (Govt.)	2755
Linegar (Opp.)	2648
Fitzgibbon (Govt.)	2617

EAST END	
Higgins (Opp.)	3266
Fox (Opp.)	3116
Vinicombe (Opp.)	3083
Barke (Opp.)	2995
Bartlett (Govt.)	2514
Billey (Govt.)	2404
Dunfield (Ind.)	323

TRINITY	
Halfyard (Govt.)	3233
Hibbs (Govt.)	3069
Randell (Govt.)	3003
Stone (Opp.)	1819
Bradley (Opp.)	1648
Hodder (Opp.)	1633

BURIN	
Harris (Opp.)	1288
Footo (Govt.)	1182
Cheeseman (Govt.)	1150
Chafe (Opp.)	1142

ST. GEORGE'S	
Downey (Govt.)	1511
McDonnell (Opp.)	1083

BONAVISTA	
Coaker (Govt.)	3045
R. Winsor (Govt.)	2950
Abbott (Govt.)	2932
Monroe (Opp.)	2628
Little (Opp.)	2498
Winsor (Opp.)	2458

FORTUNE BAY	
Warren (Govt.)	1675
Outerbridge (Opp.)	339
The total vote polled was 2034	

PLACENTIA AND ST. MARY'S	
Sullivan (Opp.)	2963
Walsh (Opp.)	2890
Simott (Opp.)	2737
Bonia (Govt.)	944
Browne (Govt.)	804
Bindon (Govt.)	668

FOGO	
Grimes (Govt.)	1121
Long (Opp.)	855

TZWILLINGATE	
Brown (Govt.)	3491
Jones (Govt.)	3343
Barnes (Govt.)	3406
Ayre (Opp.)	1784
Peters (Opp.)	1678
Short (Opp.)	1632

BURGO AND LE POILE	
Small (Govt.)	880
Chambers (Opp.)	843

VICTORY CELEBRATED

The supporters of the Liberal Party in Bay Roberts and vicinity decided to celebrate their victory at the polls to-day (Friday) by flying to the breeze in all directions throughout the day, while at night bonfires burned on the surrounding hills, volley after volley of musketry resounded through the air, and a display of fire works took place.

RADIO

Radio or listening in, as it commonly termed, is becoming a very popular form of amusement here in Bay Roberts, and within the last month or so, three or more wireless sets have been installed with splendid results. Numerous ships and spark-stations can be plainly heard on any of the sets, and on several different occasions band selections and singing from the broad-casting station at Schenectady, N. Y., have been picked up.

Have you said it with One Dollar yet? If you want to keep Bay Roberts on the map, do it. But DO IT!

The members of the House of Assembly will no doubt be called to meet shortly for the despatch of business, when the Humber contract will be discussed and ratified. The people have approved of it, and it only remains for Parliament to make it law. We expect shortly to hear the Humber hum.

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OUTPORT DISTRICTS FAVOR GOVERNMENT

The electors of this District, by a substantial vote returned to power on May 3rd the three Liberal candidates, Messrs. C. E. Piccott, J. Courteen and Mr. A. W. Russell, and thus made it possible, to a very large extent, for the Squires Government to carry out its programme of industrial development.

The campaign was a short but very active one, especially was this the case with the three Opposition candidates, who left no stone unturned by their programme before the electors. Incidentally they referred occasionally in choice language to Sir Richard Squires and his policy.

They addressed the electors of certain sections twice or not three times. They had committees organized in several places, but the verdict of the majority of the electors went against them. This was not expected, as far as we can learn, for they were expecting to win with a majority of several hundred.

The Liberal Party in view of all the circumstances, won a notable victory. There were a number of things which contributed to that victory. Aside from the question of labor, lower taxation, etc., the question of local representation and the right of the people to select their own candidate figured largely in the campaign.

Hundreds of electors took their stand on this question alone, and stuck to their principles and won out. A few, it is true, were induced to listen to other seducing and false statements. Some who told J. R. Bennett that "they wanted C. E. Russell and no other," accepted the "other" when he was forced on them. Some of these now regret the step they took. We must not fail to give well-merited praise to the veteran A. W. Piccott who led the ticket. His presence and the memory of his past actions commended him to a large number of former opponents of the Squires Government.

Nor must we fail to mention the whirlwind and unique campaign of Sir Richard Squires who in the short space of two days covered the entire district and laid his policy and his plans before practically all the electors. He was received everywhere with the greatest interest and enthusiasm seldom if ever witnessed in this district. Only once during his entire trip was any hostility shown, this being in Victoria Hall here, and that by only a few.

The Daily News, in referring to that meeting, placed the responsibility on the entire audience. As a matter of fact, comparatively very few in the audience participated or approved of the diabolical tactics, which were aimed principally at the Prime Minister.

We must not forget the noble band of men who composed the various committees. The work accomplished by those comprising these committees were of paramount importance to the success of the campaign. The women, too, throughout the district manifested their great interest in everything pertaining to the success of the campaign, and assisted the

men in many ways in their great endeavors. Attention must also be made of the increasing number who are spurning all inducements and bribes, and who are playing the man and standing four-square for principle. To time own self be true; and it must follow as the night the day, thou canst not then be false to any man.

We extend our heartiest congratulations to Sir Richard Squires upon the result of the election. Considering the difficulties and opposition of the past three and-a-half years, it is a compliment the outport districts especially paid to the tireless energy and ability of the Prime Minister.

Let S. John's and some of the disgruntled and incompetent politicians question the judgment and intelligence of the outport districts as much as they like; the fact remains that Sir Richard Squires and his Party have won a great victory with a very substantial majority for the second term.

We trust now that no time will be lost in making the Humber "hum," so that thousands of men requiring employment may be able to secure it to provide for themselves and families.

Mr. A. B. Courteen of the Western Union Cable Staff has been transferred to Canso, N. S., and left for that place on Friday, May 11th. We learn that Mrs. Courteen and Master Arthur will leave the end of this month.

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Success is no whim of the moment, no crown for the indolent brow. You must battle and try for it, offer to die for it. Lose it yet win it somehow.

The pathway to glory is rugged, and many the heart-aches you'll know. He who seeks to be master must rise from disaster. Must take as he giveth the blow.

There's no royal highway to splendour, no short cut to fortune or fame. You must fearlessly fight for it, dare to be right or fail. Failing, yet playing 'the game.

The test of man's merit is trouble, the proof of his work is distress. Much as you long for it, man must be strong for it. Work is the door to success.

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