## a Square Deal to All Monroe

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## THE ISSUE IS CLEAR

The issue before the people of Newfoundland to-day is very

They have to decide whether they want clean Government with Monroe as Premier, or Hickman and graft.

A number of people have boasted of their intention to re frain from voting. Such people are neglecting their duty to their country. The possession of franchise entails a responsibility by Colony. no means light, for the vote of one man might decide the fate of the country.

Let those who have no decided opinions compare the two parties which are seeking election.

On the one hand there is a group chiefly composed of young men of high standing in the commercial and professional life of the Colony, men of undoubted honesty and integrity, and led by Mr. Walter S. Monroe, whose record is one of which any man

On the other hand, there is the Government party, led by A E. Hickman, who has been proven to be a corrupt politician, and dominated by Sir William Coaker, than whom no one man has been a greater menace to the progress and prosperity of Newfoundland.

Hickman has promised that if returned to power he will thoroughly cleanse the public service.

This promise, coming from a man whom the Supreme Court found guilty of bribery and corruption; a man who only last fall made an excessive profit of nearly \$3,000 on a Government coal contract; a man who when asked to join the Warren Government will people take such fearful risks as three weeks ago, first asked what there was in it for him, cannot ilistening to Hibbs? be accepted by the electorate as sincere.

The colleagues of Hickman in the Executive Government must also cause the Prime Minister's promise to be considered a meeting at Nipper's Harbor. Pro-

There is Hon. Dr. Mosdell, who signed a cheque for \$46,000 although he was aware, at the time, that there were no funds in he did as a Labor agent in Grand the Bank to meet it. Mosdell is a notorious character assassin Falls. and his vile writings in the Advocate and Journal, which papers he edits, have disgusted every clean-minded man in the country. Sergeant's For five years Mosdell has been growing fat on Government pap the great majority of which was undeserved, and his last act was the desertion of the master who paid him so liberally. Anothe member of the Hickman cabinet is Hon. W. Halfyard, who as Chairman of the Board of Works, permitted Hickman to make hi big coal grab last fall.

Halfyard has been drawing a salary of \$5,000 a year ,and ye he was small enough to charge the Government with his cigar and soap when he was travelling to Port Union.

The alliance between Hickman and Coaker is in itself a sign of insincerity on the part of the Prime Minister, who last year, tol the people of Harbor Grace that he would sooner cut off his right arm than associate with the F.P.U. leader.

What confidence can the electorate place in men such as these THE COUNTRY WANTS A CHANGE AND EVERY MAN WHO HAS THE LEAST FEELING OF PATRIOTISM, EVERY Fish in Abundance MAN WHO CARES AT ALL FOR THE WELFARE OF HIS COUNTRY, WILL PROVE HIS SINCERITY ON MONDAY BY VOTING FOR MONROE AND CLEAN GOVERNMENT!

# Trinity Monroe Candidates Wire the Governor

Re Outport News Message Scandal--Service Paid for by Taxpayers Yet Coaker's Servans Use it for Political Purposest.

MONROE, Trinity Bay, May 27. his Excellency, Sir William Allardyce and would appreciate your pub-

"Could you use your influence to try and stop the use of the public news for political purposes by the Government. Last week nse about a coal contract being

given to Cashin & Co.; in fact the whole of the messages are used to deiude and fool the people. We are preaching clean politics and we would appreciate fair play."

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## "The Last Caul"

hn's East, the happy though ed on Mr. Emerson to call on square deal to all.

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ing, it would not be, we admit, for lack of frank warning by Coaker himself, and on his behalf, that the great issue is Coakerism. Coaker himself has said: "A vote for Hickman is a vote for me." He has appeared on the platform at gov

the fact that he is behind Hickman. In the Advocate yesterday, the fol-lowing appeared in an editorial written at Port Union, and probably by Coaker's own pen: "Coaker's name sounds grander than ever. His friends and admirers are more numer-

of his influence and worth, for all the Northern districts will respond to

this same and level-headed man. "Ha ip the country, and it will be for the common good of all and in the interests of pure government.'

If the Advocate, were telling truth, the Coaker-Hickman government would win thirty-six seats on Monday next. As it is obviously lying about some districts, it is probably lying about all Its reports are insulting to one's common sense.

"Hibbs," says the Advocate, "fired fatal shot, speaking for two hours at Herring Neck." He probably killed the only supporter he had. Why

"lirown held his audience spellbound." says the Advocate, describing hably the audience was asleep, Brown's oratory being soporific. Somebody should have asked Brown what

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Mr. Thos. J. Freeman, who recent visited Placentia in connection ith some mining properties, informs us that prospects for a big fishery there were never brighter. While he was at Argentia several boats came in from the Cape grounds halling for 40 qtls. operating in 60 fathoms of water, another had 70 - qtls. in 13 fathoms, whilst towards Long Harbor the men are trawling successfully when bottom can be seen. The indica tions are that the fish are in both shoal and deep water. Herring the largest ever seen in the bay are to be had in abundance, and it would be no trouble to load a large steamer. Un-fortunately around Placentia very only one boat is operating out of the Ancient Capital, a condition unheard of for the past 150 years.

## McMurdo's Store News

Just arrived a fresh shipment feeding infants. This preparations supplied and recommended by

mb for the hair, this lux rious hair dressing makes the hat

prevents brittleness, and keeps it soft and lustrious. Ladies may use it after washing the hair, it aids curling and waving and restores life to hair after permanent waving. Price 50c. See Our Window Display.

# Dancing to Hickman's Pipe Impude



ed squeel Squekes "I'm Solicitor Gen-e-reel."

While the perpetrators from jail are And all are filled with the notes tha

And where, to cover a Judas' shame, From the piper's pipe that enchants

Graft And others vision in wild delight

# The North Wants Monroe

# Bonavista Will Elect Three Opposition Candidates.

Conception Bay and South Coast Give Wonderful Receptions to Monroe Candidates.

The country is crying to-day for a change of Government. The people are tired of Coaker rule, and they are not going to support a party which is controlled by the F.P.U. President and led by a pawn who was once found guilty of Bribery and Corruption.

ALL REPORTS FROM BONAVISTA BAY SAY THAT MONROE AND HIS COLLEAGUES ARE SWEEPING THE DISTRICT, AND COAKER HIMin Placentia Bay SELF ADMITS THAT BONAVISTA WILL ELECT MONROE.

> The South Coast is with the Opposition Party to a man, and the Monroe candidates are everywhere meeting with wonderful receptions.

A MESSAGE FROM A RELIABLE SOURCE IN BURIN SAYS THAT catches from 30 to 20 qtls. Fishing was done on trawls, One boat took

> Conception Bay is also out for Monroe and Clean Government. In all parts of the District the Opposition candidates are meeting with great suc-

CONCEPTION BAY WILL UNITE IN RETURNING MONROE'S CANDItow are engaged in the industry, and DATES TO THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

> ST. JOHN'S IS SOLID FOR MONROE AND SO ARE FERRYLAND AND PLACENTIA.

> Twillingate, Fogo, St. Barbe and Trinity all want a change and are giving the Opposition candidates splendid hearings.

ST. GEORGE'S HAS TURNED AGAINST DOWNEY, AND WILL SEND First we had the Kyle being sent away secretly and now the misuse of the public messages to try and delude the outports.

Supplied and recommended by the Community Nurses of the Child Welfare Department. As only small shipments are received at a time, this product is always absolutely fresh.

**ELECTORS OF NEWFOUNDLAND! THE ISSUE IS CLEAR.** DO YOU WANT MONROE AND CLEAN GOVERNMENT, OR HICK-MAN AND GRAFT?

LET YOUR SLOGAN BE "CLEAN UP" AND A SQUARE DEAL TO ALL UNDER MONROE

WILL STOP ANNOYANCE. The is about to be stopped. The S.P.A. an- Woodford, the war horse, and his all too frequent practice of boys nounces that action will be taken popular colleague, Cahill, are carry-

In a bogus telegram purporting to come from certain dlanders in Brooklyn, N.Y., published in the Advocate s occur: "We are thrilled to learn that the grand l party proposes to develop the Gander resources" It. that in the same number the Advocate editorially says: oters (the Reid Nfld. Co., Ltd.) ask the Government intee whatever. . . . Arrangements have been me sing the capital. Preliminary work for a two hundred naper mill is already on foot. . . . The promoters ha ed all the timber areas. . . . The services of the gr vater power authority in Canada have been secured, and arrive here shortly".

In other words (and the fact is) the Gander project de on no government. It was arranged for long ago. The Co lickman party had nothing to do with its commencement will have nothing to do with its continuance. The attempt take credit for it is barefaced robbery. Without brain enough to initiate any good measure, they have hardihood en to steal a red not stove.

The Reid Nfld. Co., Ltd., is the promoter of a Gander I lp scheme. They are not asking the Government, it is said guarantee of any kind. The people will receive the assur

But the Advocate states that the promoters have author he statement that "they feel that to be backed by a govern those main policy is development and expansion is a great

The words used are innocent enough, but the meaning e Advocate would have attached to them is impudent. Any nment in this Colony may be relied on to favor any laborlustry, but to represent the Reids as favoring a Coaker Go ent is to give the Gander project a black eye at the start.

Frankly we do not believe that the Reids have said one if ying the partisan use of the Gander scheme, but if they public would be justified in asking what is the price? dy remembers the terrible things threatened to the Reid 1919 by Coaker and his pals, and everybody knows what them ost the Colony. What, then, would be the cost if Coaker given power to repeat his performance. It will be safer to aroe than to try the experiment of trusting Coaker again

CANDIDATE.

BURGEO, May 27. Chambers held meeting last night, reatest in history of Burgeo. Ninety er cent. sure for Monroe and Clean vernment Burgeo and LaPoile district intends to return Chambers.

WOODFORD AND CAHILL CERTAIN

CHAMBERLAINS, May 27. e and enthusiastic meeting in ge Hall to-night. Wonderful reto both candidates and con applause throughout addresses ng Carter right and left and ng with Woodford friends to and give him one. Woodford head poll sure with his colleague ahi!! close behind. Hawco's day i one, wonderful sentiment all along for a change in favour of Mor

REAT NEWS FROM TWILLINGATE AND ST. BARBE.

TWILLINGATE, May 28. ng campaign of outside of ay here to-night have met splendic n everywhere and finding insupport over last year. Large er strong opponents of last year porting Monroe party, Col-

and self have up to present

fifty-seven places and feel ased of change in this district. Meses from St. Barbe state Moore sure

ONEAR WILL ELECT MON-

st night, (By Telephone)—Mr. re are not more than five nan-Coaker Party. To-morednesday) night a meeting held in St. Patrick's Hall. e of Trinity Bay.

cammell is feeling so utterly

WILL RETURN MONROE | north on the Sagona and hold a single meeting b Daniel's Harbour and Flower's Count on this end of St. Barber up a big majority for Moore.

ever. Flags were flying and firing. The hall was filled.

MAJORITY.

man's hireling Hanham the store clerk. Chambers will will sweeping majority.

LAKE AND LONG

SURE. FORTUNE, May Wonderful meeting at Grand

Earl Haig's Visit Shorter

It is understood that the Earl Haig will be somewhat than was originally planned. I original plan the S.S. Andonia call here for him after a three stay. According to the new arr ment the S. S. Caronia, which the distinguished visitor here, proceed on to Quebec and on the back a fortnight later call for so that his stay will not

## From Cape Race

CAPE RACE, To-da W.S.W., light, weather the steamers Alkad passed west Beemsterdijk east at 8.30 pm. terday. Several small school passed in this a.m.—Bar. 29.02; 7

WARNING—The So. public that they will prosent they will prove they will prove they will be approximately will be app

ast night. Feel victory sure.

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