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Tenderers are to offer a flat rate per cord for all classes of pulpwood, whether spruce or other woods. The successful tenderer shall be required to pay for the Red and White Pine on the limit a flat rate of $10 per thousand feet board measure.

The successful tenderer shall also be required to erect a mill or mills on or near the territory, and to manufacture the wood into pulp and paper in the Province of Ontario, in accordance with the terms and conditions of sale which can be had on application to the Department.

Parties making tender will be required to deposit with their tender a marked cheque payable to the Honourable the Treasurer of the Province of Ontario, for Twenty-five Thousand Dollars ($25,000.00), which amount will be forfeited in the event of their not entering into agreement to carry out conditions, etc. The said Twenty-five Thousand Dollars ($25,000.00) will be held by the Department until such time as the terms and conditions of the agreement to be entered into have been complied with and the said mills erected, equipped and in operation. The said sum may then be applied in such amounts and at such times as the Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines may direct in payment of accounts for dues or of any other obligation due the Crown until the whole sum has been applied.

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G. H. FERGUSON,
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POLITICAL SITUATION

(Continued from page one)

considerate way in which you have acted throughout.

"N. W. ROWELL."

The members of the Independent Labor party at a meeting on Saturday night decided to authorize their committee to enter as they saw fit into any further conference of Union delegates.

Thus matters at present stand with the outcome in both Ridings still a question of doubt.

NEWS OF NORFOLK

Reform Caucus Censures Hon. W. A. Charlton, Vote 40 to 27.

EXEMPTION BOARD

Norfolk Tribunals Produced Three Soldiers in Three Days.

OTHER SIMCOE NEWS

Mass Meeting of Unionists to Select Candidate on Wednesday.

Write Simcoe Agency, Box 311, or phone 356-3 all matters regarding delivery or subscriptions, news items or advertisements.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

Simcoe, Nov. 12.—There was a stormy session when the Liberal caucus assembled at the town hall on Saturday morning to select twelve men to meet a like number of Tories at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Hon. W. A. Charlton, who reached town by the last trolley on the previous evening, was present to assist in the work, and the stalwarts of the party handled him roughly.

Hon. W. A. Charlton Defies Norfolk Liberals.

He was called to explain why he betrayed his trust by a crowd in no humor to receive an explanation and when the meeting censured him by a vote of 40 to 27 the late member stood, dropped his silk hat on the table and with an emphasizing gesture declared that he would nevertheless be a candidate in Norfolk against any opposition from any source.

The event of Saturday substantiates several despatches in the daily press from Simcoe which affirmed Mr. Charlton's unpopularity. Had the ex-member taken his party or electors into his confidence before he made his party break, had he persuaded them that Union Government was essential to the country's welfare, he might and should have carried his party with him, but he treated his electorate with what was little short of contempt and the tide has turned. Mr. Charlton sat alone at the Battersby House Saturday evening after a strenuous day. As he boarded the jitney for the depot, Jimmie Armstrong was passing by. Hon. W. A. enquired concerning his welfare. "How are you?" "First rate physically, but in bad shape politically." "And doubtless" Mr. Charlton murmured as the jitney pulled off, "Them's my sentiments, too."

Unionist Mass Meeting Wednesday.

At three o'clock Saturday afternoon there were twelve Conservatives in conference at F. E. Curtis' office and twelve Liberals in the town hall. It reminded one of the sequel to a rugby or lacrosse game. Finally the Tories, on advice that their Reform friends were ready to play ball, crossed the street to the hall.

The Pipe of Peace.

They were met with a glad hand and an open box of havanas, and after a most harmonious conference adjourned. It was decided to hold a mass meeting of Unionists here next Wednesday at 2 p.m. for the purpose of nominating, shall we say, a successor to Hon. W. A. Charlton. The line-up:

Grit—John S. Martin, Dover; Jas. Waddle, Woodhouse; H. Lawrence, Chv.; Walter Cole, Chv.; John L. Buck, Port Rowan; J. L. Acker, Simcoe; G. H. Luscombe, Simcoe, D. F. Aiken, Simcoe; Alex. Cowan, North Windham; R. Quance, Delhi, H. Kellam, Windham; Dr. Teeter, Waterford.

Tory—Geo. Sewel, Townsend; Leonard Gould, Windham; Wesley Lewis, Chv.; M. McIntosh, North Windham; R. J. Pearce, Waterford; L. C. McConnell, Windham; Jacob Gobel, Townsend; Geo. Hammond, Woodhouse; Wm. Butler, Middleton; W. Sutton, Simcoe; W. Kelly, Houghton; R. J. Bowlby, Woodhouse.

One Man a Day at the Exemption Tribunals

During the three days of last week that the exemption tribunals sat, they heard 66 applicants for exemption. Some were in class E, and of course exempt. Many cases of farmers were adjourned till the board established a basis of dealing with them, and in all the 66, including doubles, only three men were informed that they could not be excused.

Board 209, His Honor Judge Boles, Warden Cridland, H. B. Donly

H. C. Buchner adjourned till 15th.
B. C. Buchner, adjourned till 15th.
C. A. Taylor, granted.
W. L. Guiler, granted.
W. H. Smith adjourned till 15th.
S. R. Coats, granted.
S. A. Fay, granted.
W. Craig, granted.
H. H. Burton, granted.
E. F. Porter, granted.
L. Vanderburg, granted.
Jas. Trevail, granted.
G. A. Howe, adjourned till 15th.
F. C. Trait, granted.
G. H. Ferris, adjourned till 10th.
W. E. Falconer adjourned till 10th.
C. C. Moore, granted.
C. W. Ferris, granted.
W. B. Sanders, adjourned till 10th.
C. B. Kilmaster, granted.
W. H. Rice, adjourned till 14th.
W. E. Burnham, granted.
W. B. Saunders, granted.
H. E. Grames, granted.
Allan Mason, disallowed.
G. H. Ferris, disallowed.
W. H. Falconer, granted.
L. H. Kniffen, adjourned till 17th
Wallace Lister, adjourned till 17th.
C. C. Rokeby, adjourned till 17th.
A. W. Preston, granted.
J. W. Kitchen, granted.
John Dickie, granted.
Thos. W. Millard, granted.

Board No. 210, F. R. Slaght, G. J. McKiee, Lt.-Col. L. F. Aiken.

Geo. Edgar Ammerman, allowed.
Lorne A. Walker, allowed.
W. J. Trott, adjourned.
Walter A. Allen, allowed.
Harold McMahon, reserved.
Frank H. Leonard, adjourned.
Robt. Geo. Loney, adjourned.
H. J. Cline, class E.
Gordon B. York, reserved.
Thos. D. Maitland, adjourned.
Chas. F. Ayerst, adjourned.
John Gee, reserved.
Henry John Knott, reserved.
Edw. Challon, class E.
Jas. McDonavan, allowed.
Leighton Thompson, allowed.
Jas. Bright, adjourned.
Bertley Yeomans, allowed.
Chas. H. Backus, decided.
D. A. Messecar, decided.
Wm. L. Stacey, adjourned.
Clifford R. Yocom, reserved.
Delbert Culven, reserved.
W. J. Barker, adjourned.
O. J. Birdsell, adjourned.
Aurdea A. Butler, adjourned.
Fred. M. Wood, adjourned.
W. G. Williamson, adjourned.

Canadian Home Circle Visited by Rebeckas

The local Home Circle lodge held on Friday evening a special social function as a wind-up for a membership campaign led off by W. E. O'Brien of Toronto, and which resulted in the initiation of 12 candidates. R. W. Hawkins, Supreme Leader of the order, was over from Toronto for the ceremony.

After the ceremonies the doors were thrown open for visitors, conspicuous among whom was a deputation of about fifty members of the Rebecka Lodge, I.O.O.F., who entertained with fancy drills and a beautiful tableau. Mrs. Chas. Witherspoon and Miss Healey sang, and Miss Baldwin rendered a recitation, all of which were thoroughly enjoyed.

Mr. O'Brien was the surprised recipient of a fountain pen and address of appreciation, and the evening function was brought to a conclusion by the serving of light refreshments. "The King," was honoured before the guests departed.

Odd Ends of News.

T. J. Agar has been retained to defend Mr. Smith, of the Crescent Oil Company, Hamilton, one of four prisoners charged with manslaughter in the Dr. McRobbie case.

N. E. Lawrence, of Teeterville, has purchased David Arthur's farm, north of the village, and will take possession on March 1st.

The canvassers for the Victory Loan, took dinner at the Battersby House on Saturday and received final instructions. Of the 32 men, thirty-one were present.

The funeral of the late Henry Mulkins, ex-postmaster of Simcoe, who died on Friday, will be held privately to Oakwood cemetery today. He was in his 87th year.

Miss Jessie Neilson has opened an office in Stratford for the practice of Chiropractic.

Mr. D. W. Hall, formerly of Galt, is the latest accession as a departmental head at the E. H. Jackson store. He has taken charge of the Refracting parlour, which he claims is the best of its kind in Western Ontario. Mr. Hall convinces one, after a short conversation, that the public should have protection against quack opticians as well as against quack doctors. He is working in concert with the physicians of the town, where the professions articulate.

Work on the connecting up of the county buildings with the town sewer system, began on Saturday.

It was reported last night that Morley Mason had struck an auto amidships yesterday, out near Waterford. As we got it, the Hagersville car was coming around the corner at the Waterford High School when the collision took place. Both cars were damaged, but no one was seriously injured. There is general surprise that such a cautious driver as Morley should get into a mixup.

Press Photographs

Mrs. Oliver Robertson and Mrs. Geo. Doughty spent the week-end at Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Abbot and Miss Boke, of Townsend, called on relatives in town yesterday.

Mr. A. E. Wright, formerly of the Simcoe Litho artist staff, now of London, is moving his family to the Forest City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith, and daughter, and Miss Inez Olds, motored up from Toronto for the week-end.

Mrs. Wm. Lawrason, of St. George, returned to St. George today after a fortnight's visit with Mrs. Langford.

Lost Man Located.

Duncan Boomer, Jr., the 31 year old deaf mute, who disappeared from his father's home north of Lynnville, two weeks ago, was located between Jarvis and Hagersville on Saturday. The authorities in Hagersville were notified that a stranger was pasturing his horse along the highway, and investigating, identified the man from the description given by the Simcoe correspondent to The Courier. They got the impression that Boomer had been the victim of a lapse of memory.

Juice of Lemons! How to Make Skin White and Beautiful

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is truly marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

To The Editor of The Courier

TO THE VOTERS OF BRANTFORD.

Is it not a strange fact that political parties in Brant constituency are quarrelling over minor matters, while there is such great cause for union and support of Union Government. There should be no party known. The man that is not ready to wholly divest himself of all past party sympathy and affiliation (other than absolute support of the present government for the prosecution of the war), is neither worthy of a vote, nor to be the representative of the voters. Unless there is unanimity, we cannot hope to win the war. What should the Christian people of Brant be thinking most of these days? For three weeks we have been praying for the salvation of souls. For three years we have been praying for peace. The conditions on which it can be obtained are found in Second Chronicles, 7-14.

"If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land."

Yours for Political Peace; World Peace, and the Glory of the Prince of Peace.

U. M. STANLEY.

THE INDEPENDENT LABOR PARTY

To the Editor—In calling attention of the executive of the so-called Brantford "Independent" Labor party to a fundamental clause in the Provincial constitution prohibiting it from working, allying, fusing, or co-operating with any party except a bona fide labor paty, I was but the mouthpiece, at her request—uninspired by me—of one of the principal members of the central executive. The crude vulgarities of Mr. MacBride are no answer thereto.

When Mr. MacBride says I "thrive on discontent" he says that which is not true. He confuses my motives with his own, a not unusual weakness of men of his type. I "thrive" —and pay my way—by compensation received for services rendered to people who are not interested in my political views but in the quality of service I can give them. I have never profited by the advocacy of the political, social, or economic views I entertain, nor do I expect to so in any measure in excess of that the general public would enjoy. Mr. MacBride overlooks the fact that he would not have been a prospective candidate for the House of Commons if I had not previously declined the honor.

Discontent is the origin of all efforts at political and social reform. Contentment with injustice and inequity would lead to social stagnation. If we do not go forward towards economic liberty, we must go backward to slavery. Neither humanity nor the world can stand still. Your correspondent has recently—in connection with the food and fuel by-law—been fostering discontent. The by-law failed because the majority of the electors felt that the real motive was not to help the people to more and cheaper fuel, but to gratify the personal ambitions of the sponsor of the measure. The more Mr. MacBride writes and talks, the more he makes it clear that while he may be, for reasons of his own, temporarily in the Independent Labor Party, he is not of it. If there is no cause for political discontent, why the I. L. P. at all? Surely under such circumstances the Liberal and Conservative parties are, between them, adequate to satisfy the political needs of the people and that Mr. Cockshutt or Mr. Lloyd Harris might be depended upon to do ample justice to the "patriotic" desires of the ex-Liberal, ex-Conservative, Independent Labor candidate. If the Ontario I. L. P. secures reasonable representation in the new House of Commons, it will show more disinterested patriotism, by its independent and constructive criticism, than the Liberal and Conservative Parties which for three years have fought each other, and divided the energies of the nation, just as if no war were on, and which did not feel the need of a union "win-the-war" government until they could not escape meeting the electors, and were under the necessity of winning the election.

Mr. MacBride, seems to be as fickle in his views as he is n his political affiliations. He says it is "surely a good thing" I have no connection with the (local) Independent Labor Party. Two weeks ago, after I had left the local party on my own volition, I was asked by a member of the local executive if I would receive a deputation from the executive. This I agreed to do, and was informed that at a largely attended meeting of the executive that morning Mr. MacBride had declared it was imperative the executive should secure my co-operation, and that they had been appointed to approach me on the subject. While touched by the compliment I was unable "to respond in a suitable manner." Your correspondent will find that when, after the failure of his self-aggrandising adventure, he returns as a repentent political sinner to the bosom of the Conservative—or possibly the Liberal Party, the present writer will continue to enjoy the confidence of the Independent Labor Party of Ontario, and be actively engaged in promoting its interests.

GEORGE KEEN.

Brantford, November 10th, 1917.

EVEN CROSS, SICK CHILDREN LOVE SYRUP OF FIGS

If Feverish, Bilious, Constipated, Give Fruit Laxative At Once

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make the little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given to-day saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has the directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

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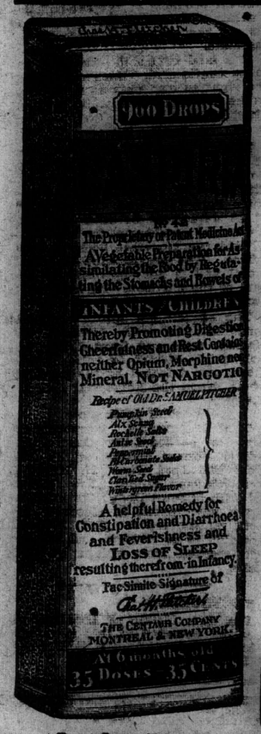

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HOGS—One brood sow wi pigs, 6 weeks old.

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