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## THE PASSING OF PUGSLEY

The leadership aspirations of Hon. William Pugsley, who for some time past has been trying to oust Sir Wilfrid Laurier, have been annihilated. The Pugsley bubble was punctured by Dr. Michael Clark, the militant free trade radical from Red Deer, and the ex-Minister of Public Works was humiliated in a drastic manner which has no parallel in the history of Canadian political life.

It came about this way: Mr. Carroll, the Liberal member for South Cape Breton, was speaking on the naval bill the first day of the new rules limiting speakers to twenty minutes became operative. Mr. Carroll had finished his twenty minutes and was proceeding, when the chairman called him to order, remarking that his time had expired. Mr. Borden suggested, as a matter of courtesy, that Mr. Carroll might continue his remarks with the consent of the House.

The following is the Hansard report of what followed:

Mr. Pugsley: "There is no rule. Mr. Carroll can continue his remarks as a matter of right."

Mr. Borden: "I understand there is a definite rule of the House on this subject, and I do not think that my hon. friend's (Mr. Pugsley) mode of treating what I intended to be a courteous suggestion is very commendable."

Mr. Pugsley: "I seriously believe there is no binding rule. There was a resolution carried by the majority in which the minority had no opportunity to make amendments or suggestions. I say it is not a rule of this House, but simply a tyrannical resolution of a majority of this House."

Dr. Clark (Red Deer): "I think the Prime Minister is, as usual, extremely courteous. I totally disagree with my hon. friend from St. John (Mr. Pugsley) when he says there is no rule. The rules have been passed, and they are now the legal rules by which debate is conducted in this House. I totally disagree with my hon. friend."

Later on in the debate Mr. Nesbitt of North Oxford allied himself with Dr. Clark in opposing the Pugsley policy that rules of the House should be ignored if they were not to the liking of members of the Opposition.

This public snub on the part of Dr. Clark and Mr. Nesbitt heralded the passing of Pugsley from the battle for the leadership. And through it all Sir Wilfrid Laurier sat with impassive face.

## CROPS AND LIVE STOCK

A bulletin issued by the Census and Statistics Office records the condition of crops and live stock on April 30 as reported by agricultural correspondents throughout Canada.

It is estimated that in Ontario about 18 per cent, and in Alberta about 43.5 per cent., of the areas sown to wheat last fall have been winter-killed. These percentages represent a deduction of 261,000 acres from the total area sown to fall wheat, viz: 1,086,800 acres, so that the area remaining to be harvested is now 825,800 acres.

The condition of fall wheat on April 30 was in Ontario 83.4 per cent, and in Alberta 76 per cent, of a standard representing the promise of a full crop, the corresponding percentages on the same date last year being 71.2 for Ontario and 76.8 for Alberta. For all Canada the condition on April 30 of this year was 82 per cent, of the standard representing the promise of a full crop, or 101 per cent, of the average yield of the past four years. Last year at the same date the corresponding figures were only 72.6 per cent, of the full crop standard, and 87 per cent, of the average of the three previous years.

Spring seeding has made good progress throughout the greater part of Canada, and was much further advanced at the end of April than it was on the same date last year. In the Maritime Provinces seeding does not begin until May, but the weather was favorable and the indications were for an early spring. In Quebec there was also the prospect of an early season, and about 12 per cent, of the total seeding was completed by April 30. In Ontario conditions were more variable, but 40 per cent, of the total seeding was reported as finished. In Manitoba and Saskatchewan over 50 per cent, and in Alberta about 75 per cent, of spring wheat had been sown during the favorable weather of April. In Saskat-

chewan there is an apparent tendency to sow less wheat and devote more attention to dairying and mixed farming. For Quebec, Ontario and the three Northwest provinces the proportion of seeding completed on April 30 was: For wheat, 43 per cent.; for oats, 20.5 per cent.; for barley, 13.7 per cent., and for all crops, 34.7 per cent.

About 22 per cent, of the area in hay and clover meadows is reported to have been winter-killed, but the average condition of these crops at the end of April was 89.6 per cent, as compared with 74.6 per cent, last year.

The condition of live stock remains generally satisfactory, being for all Canada over 90 per cent, of a standard representing a healthy and thrifty condition.

## THINGS HAVE CHANGED

That the just needs of Bantford and Brant County continue to be carefully looked after by the four Conservative members of the four Brants has now received another abundant exemplification.

For years the necessities of this city and county were grossly neglected by four Liberal members, who had the ear of two Liberal governments—at Ottawa and Toronto.

The truth was that the quartet of seats were considered to be safe for Criticism for eternity, and that inattention would not count in the election returns.

All that has been very properly and effectively changed.

We are not getting things on a "me, too," plea, but on a square basis.

Messrs. Cockshutt, Fisher, Brewster and Westbrook are all certainly most alert on behalf of the legitimate interests of their constituents.

## NOTES AND COMMENTS

The four Brants.

We had to have 'em, and we got 'em.

And now you'll notice that Brantford and Brant County just needs are receiving proper attention.

That Borden meeting in Toronto has efficiently spiked Laurier's program of a general series of gatherings, at which he would do his acrobatic stunt on the navy question.

The Expositor distinctly refuses to explain why it now favors the Senate throwing out the Navy Bill, when a few weeks ago it stated most emphatically that they shouldn't.

Mr. W. P. Kellett, the chief engineer and general manager of the L. E. & N. Railway, who, backed by a good board of directors, has stuck to the entire scheme with great tenacity, is naturally much pleased at the outcome.

## To The Editor

BELIEVES IN PEACE.

To the Editor The Courier,

Dear Sir,—It is reading the report of the Dufferins at Church in The Courier, I was much pleased to note that the Rev. A. F. Lavell, B. A., is opposed to what is known as civil war. I believe it is all right to maintain a force to keep hoards in check, whose object is plunder and destruction of life and property, but I believe if all the preachers who believe in the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of mankind were to preach that war between civilized or so called civilized nations, were pure and simple black murder in the first degree, that the world would not have to wait long till the warriors would beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruning hooks, and the Kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven. General Sherman never spoke a truer word in all his life, when he said war was hell. It is impossible to imagine a more vivid picture of hell than to look upon a picture of a battle field with all its horrors. We have nothing to do with the wars preceeding the Christian advent, Christ was the end of that world. If God commands us to fight and murder one another then it is wrong for us not to do it. I am pleased to see the Socialists and labor unions are doing much to cripple the spirit of war in Europe.

I remain, Mr. Editor,  
Yours respectfully,  
R. BORTHWICK.

## Loss of Appetite

Which is so common in the spring or upon the return of warm weather, is lost or vitiated vigor we trust, and is often a forerunner of prostrating disease.

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## BRANT CO. FARES WELL AT OTTAWA

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OTTAWA, May 21.—The supplementary estimates for the present fiscal year were brought down late yesterday afternoon contain many items for Western Ontario. Further amounts appear for Western Ontario's harbors, among items of this character being \$7,000 for the improvement of the channel at Fighting Island in the Detroit River, \$24,000 for a breakwater at Kincardine, \$50,000 for harbor improvements at Port Dover and extension at Meaford, which will cost \$33,000.

Items in the estimates for public buildings in Western Ontario include \$30,000 additional for Brantford's public buildings, \$35,000 additional for Collingwood's public buildings, votes of \$10,000 each for public buildings at Dunnville, Elmira, Forest, Georgetown, Palmerston, Southampton and West Lorne, \$15,000 for Exeter public buildings, \$35,000 for Galt drill hall, \$25,000 for Ingersoll drill hall, \$20,000 for Listowel drill hall and \$25,000 for extension of the Windsor drill hall.

At London.

There are three items for London—\$11,000 for improvements to the custom-house, \$2,500 for electric wiring in the post office and \$392.50 to pay the Government's share on sidewalks at the post office and custom house.

Votes proposed for public buildings in Western Ontario are as follows: Aylmer—Public building, share on sidewalks, etc., \$900.

Berlin—Public building, \$10,000.

Brantford—Public building, additional \$50,000.

Brantford—New drill hall, \$25,000.

Brussels—Public building, \$10,000.

Burford—Public building, \$10,000.

Clinton—Public building improvements, \$2,500.

Collingwood—Public building, additional \$35,000.

Dunnville—Public building, \$10,000.

Elmira—Public building, additional \$10,000.

Essex—Post office, revote \$2,000.

Exeter—Public building, \$15,000.

Forest—Public building, \$10,000.

Galt—Drill hall, \$25,000.

Georgetown—Public building, \$10,000.

Hamilton—Public building, revote \$7,000.

Ingersoll—Drill hall, \$25,000.

Leamington—Public building, improvements \$10,000.

Listowel—Drill hall, \$20,000.

Markham—Public buildings, additional lands, \$2,000.

Midway—Post office, \$1,300.

Millbrook—Public building, \$5,000.

New Hamburg—Public building, \$3,000.

Niagara Falls—Armory additional \$3,000.

Orillia—Public building, additional \$25,000.

Owen Sound—Drill hall, \$25,000.

Palmerston—Public building, additional \$10,000.

Perry Sound—Public building, \$15,000.

St. Thomas—Public building, wiring, etc., \$1,500.

Sarnia—Public building improvements, \$1,600.

Southampton—Public building, \$10,000.

Stratford—Public building, electric lights and fittings, \$20,000.

Tillsonburg—Public building, revote \$5,300.

Waterloo—Public building, revote \$7,800.

West Lorne—Public building, \$10,000.

Wingham—Public building improvements, \$2,500.

Windsor—Drill hall extension, \$25,000.

Harbors and Rivers.

Appropriations for improvements of harbors and rivers in Western Ontario are as follows:

Burlington Channel—Renewal of west part south pier, \$30,000.

Fighting Island, Detroit River—Improvement of channel, \$7,000.

Goderich—Harbor improvement, further amount required, \$8,000.

Kincardine—Repairs to piers, \$5,000.

Kincardine—Breakwater, \$25,000.

Lion's Head—Wharf improvements, \$5,000.

Mr. J. D. Extension and repairs to pier, \$33,000.

Port Dover—Harbor improvement, \$5,000.

Saugen River—Repairs to pier, \$800.

Victoria Harbor—Wharf, \$16,000.

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OWEN SOUND, May 21.—Three carpenters are engaged in the gruesome job of constructing the scaffold at the jail yard for the erection of Henry Love. The prisoner is bearing well the suspense of the wait for the decision of the Ottawa authorities regarding a reprieve.

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