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FORCING AN ELECTION

This paper has been asked to explain how it is that a Dominion election can be forced before the time of the natural expiration of the side in power.

It might perhaps, be as well to generalize a little with reference to the query.

For instance, when all the estimates have passed through committee of supply, the finance minister has to move to go into committee of ways and means for the purpose of considering the usual formal resolutions for granting certain sums out of the consolidated-revenue fund of Canada "toward making good the supply granted." These resolutions must be reported and agreed to formally by the House before the bill founded thereon can be introduced.

However, the above does not apply in this particular instance.

The existing situation is this. The Borden government has supplies voted until March 31st. The term supplies, means the payment of the salaries of the thousands of men and women in the government employ.

The apparent dodge of the Laurierites is to keep on talking on the naval bill until after supplies have run out and thus to force an appeal to the country.

What they hope to gain by such an appeal, heaven only knows, but they seem just now to be in that humor.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

The cheers were all for Bryan at the inauguration of President Wilson. Why not; he was the man who manipulated the wires for the Democratic success. It isn't always the man who wins a public position who deserves the credit.

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If there is an early election, the Conservatives will win again as sure as anything. Among others, for the following three reasons:

- 1—The Liberal party is still clinging to that fool device—Reciprocity.
- 2—They are in wrong on the naval question.
- 3—The average man desires to swart any party which precipitates a general election without cause.

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In the Old Land it is announced that men from the ranks, on show of merit, will in future have a chance to rise to the highest positions in both the army and navy. And why not? There has never been anything to prevent that in other walks, except, of course, professions. As a matter of fact, the man who had to start in to earn his living when still a youngster, soon learns to think and weight matters. On the average, he is better in these respects than the average college graduate.

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A recent illustrated English paper contains the picture of a young lady who appeared at a fancy dress ball in Perth. Not much interest in that circumstance, but her costume is what counts. She wore a white dress with three separate pictures of Canada's proposed Dreadnoughts on the front. Falling from her shoulders at the back was the Union Jack and she carried the shield of Great Britain in one hand and Britannia's tripod in the other. At the bottom of the gown, "Thanks to Canada" was inscribed in large letters bordered with the Canadian emblem—maple leaves.

THE GOVERNORS HELD MEETING

Year Has Been Record One at Hospital—Excellent Condition of Affairs.

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Hospital took place yesterday afternoon.

Present, Messrs H. Cockshutt (in the chair) Symonds, Preston, Bunnell, Warden Kendrick, Sanderson, Dr. Bell and Reville.

The report for the year showed the largest number of paying patients ever recorded, receipts from that source totalling \$70,000. The amount received from the government was \$17,000, as compared with \$2,200 for the previous year.

This difference led to some discussion. It was pointed out that under the new condition of affairs there were fewer non-paying patients than formerly.

It was decided to add \$100 to the salary of Mr. Eddy, the collector, who now receives \$200 for that purpose from the city.

The point was strongly emphasized that he should not press for payments except same could be reasonably expected.

The auditors report showed everything to be in good shape.

It will be necessary to ask the city council this year for an increase in the grant of \$1,000.

Many duly certified accounts were ordered to be paid.

A letter was received from the Ladies' Aid in which they offered to pay the expense of furnishing the nurses' home. It was received with hearty thanks.

Tenders for floor matting were received from four Brantford firms and three from Toronto firms. They were referred to a committee composed of Messrs Bell, Watt and Bunnell, with instructions to favor a local firm if at all possible.

A number of tenders for hospital supplies were left in the hands of the Superintendent and Mr. George Watt to decide.

A resolution was passed expressing hearty thanks for the services of ex-Warden Douglas and Mr. W. W. Warden, the former representative of the Trades and Labor Council.

New rules and regulations were adopted with reference to nurses in training.

It was mentioned that Miss Blott was still sick and not likely to return. On the request of the Medical Association, more surgical appliances were ordered.

Dr. Bruce Smith, Medical Inspector wrote regarding a regularly paid pharmacist at the local institution. His epistle was so general in its terms that the secretary was instructed to ask him to send another letter in plainer language.

The report of Miss Carson for the month of February showed 35 patients on February the first. Number handled during the month, 67—21 private and 46 public. Number of patients at present in the hospital, 57. This is far beyond any previous record for this time of year, and shows the growing public use of this institution under the able superintendence of Miss Carson.

folio he has to go back to his constituents for another endorsement. This system means that Ministers are in the House to answer questions regarding their departments. In the States they cannot be so questioned, in fact they are simply rubber stamps of the President and they can't tell their constituents to go hang, because they haven't any.

What do you think of it?

Take another illustration with regard to this alleged Republic.

Washington is the capital of the United States, but it is not self-ruled and in fact the people of the entire District of Columbia have no votes for any purpose. They have no vote for President, they have no vote for Congress, and they have no vote in municipal matters. Absolutely they're not allowed a ballot at all for anything. The affairs of Washington and the surrounding neighborhood are run by a commission of three men appointed by the President with the concurrence of the Senate. Two of said commissioners must reside in the district and one must be an officer of the United States army.

In other words even if you pay taxes in Washington you don't count and nothing is any of your participative business.

Canadians wouldn't stand for that kind of thing for a moment with regard to Ottawa, or the British with regard to London—there would be a riot which would make the British militant suffragettes look like a balmy breeze—our neighbors stand for it and stick to the hallucination that they are a republic.

Did you ever hear of a star spangled Bannerite who has once become located in this great Dominion long enough to appreciate its advantages ever want to go back? He can't tell you why, but he won't if he can help it.

The truth is that the British Empire is the biggest Republic in the world and the United States Republic is only a sham.

CHILDREN HATE CASTOR OIL, UGH!

If Cross, Feverish, Bilious and Sick, Let "Syrup of Figs" Clean Us Little, Waste-clogged Bowels. Look back at your childhood days. Remember the physic that mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. The day of harsh physic is over. We don't force the liver and 30 feet of bowels now; we coax them. We have no dreaded after effects. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their stomachs and tender bowels are injured by them.

If your child is fretful, peevish and its little system full of cold; has diarrhoea, stomach-ache; doesn't eat or rest well—remember—look at the tongue, if coated, give a teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs, then don't worry, because you surely will have a well, smiling child in a few hours.

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DEALING WITH A THIEF.

It Was an Unusual Method, but It Proved Effective.

Governor Thomas Chittenden of Vermont is remembered for his great kindness of heart as well as for his ability and force of character. He was the first governor of the state and lived in the liberal manner that befit his office. His cellar, as was the custom of those days, was well stocked every fall with provisions.

One winter night the governor's rest was broken by sounds coming from his cellar. He left his bed quietly and, with a candle ready to light, made his way in the direction of the noise. As he reached the cellar he struck a light and saw a man taking great pieces of pork out of his meat barrel and stowing them away in a bag.

The governor approached the intruder and in a commanding voice said: "Go on, sir! Fill up that bag and be off. You ought to be ashamed of yourself to disturb honest people at this time of night!"

The thief shrank back, evidently much frightened.

"Be quick!" continued the governor. "It is no fit time to keep me shivering here!"

So stern was the governor's manner that the man was compelled to obey.

"Now, begone!" went on Governor Chittenden. "When you are again in need of food come to me and say so, and I will give you more. Do not pilage my house at night. If I ever have the smallest reason to suspect you of another such act you shall be punished for this offense as the law provides."

It is pleasant to know that the man came to the governor the next day to ask for employment, in order that he might pay for what he had taken, and that work was found for him, which he performed steadily and well—Youth's Companion.

FATE OF OLD BOOTY.

The Only Judicially Accepted Ghost Story on Record.

Stromboli, the island volcano, known as the lighthouse of the Mediterranean which is in violent eruption, once figured in a court of law in connection with one of the most circumstantial ghost stories on record. In 1888 a Mrs. Booty brought an action of slander against a certain Captain Barnaby for saying that he had seen old Booty running into the flames of hell, pursued by the devil.

The words were admitted, but for the defense it was proved that in 1887, the day of old Booty's death, the captain, with a large party of friends went ashore at Stromboli to shoot rabbits. At about 3:30 in the afternoon two men were seen running toward the volcano. Captain Barnaby exclaimed "Look! there are the foremost of old Booty, my next door neighbor!" They then vanished in the flames, a fact of which every one took note.

In addition to the testimony of Captain Barnaby and his friends, old Booty's clothes were brought into court and identified by several witnesses as being similar to those worn by the foremost man who ran into the crater. The judge, Chief Justice Sir Robert Wright, was so impressed by this evidence that he said: "Lord have mercy upon me and grant that I may never handle you two again. One, two, three, my mistake, but not thirty."

Mrs. Booty lost the day, and the case still remains the only judicially accepted ghost story on record.—London Chronicle.

Family Complications.

Many toxicologic complications in genealogy have been compiled, but the following one has the merit of being definite as to time, place and people. It concerns a family living at Faversham, in Kent, in February, 1760. Old Hawwood had two daughters by his first wife, of whom the elder was married to John Cashick, the son, and the younger to John Cashick, the father. Cashick senior had a daughter by his first wife. This daughter old Hawwood married and by her had a son, which led to the complication summed up in the following sketch, supposed to be spoken by Cashick's second wife. My father is my son, and I am my mother's mother. My sister is my daughter, and I'm grand-mother to my brother.

—London Tatler.

Paternal Germany.

A government, says a writer in the Twentieth Century Magazine, which tells you how to carry your umbrella, which forbids ladies who wear long hats to enter railway trains, which fines you if you throw cigar stubs or papers on the street, which does not permit your children to make a noise so that others are disturbed—such a government does restrict individual liberty, but just as certainly enlarges the common liberties and pleasure of everybody. The government thus eulogized is that of Germany, which the writer quoted prefers to our "go-as-you-please" system.

One Use For Style.

"The Whitefish put on a great deal of style, considering the fact that they hardly know where they will get tomorrow's dinner."

"Some method in their madness, though. The more style they put on the more apt they are to be invited out to dinner."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Morning After.

Mrs. Crawford—Why is your husband taking a holiday? Mrs. Gayboy—Because he had one yesterday.—Lippincott's.

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