

Opinions of Prohibitionists.

In view of what is being urged against the Government because it did not deem that the vote on prohibition justified it in passing a prohibition measure, it is well to recall what prohibitionists themselves said immediately after the taking of the vote. The Toronto Star interviewed a number of prominent prohibitionists at that time, and a reproduction of their views will show how they regarded the situation.

Rev. Dr. John Potts said that, in his opinion, the vote polled for prohibition was not large enough to warrant a demand for the enactment of a prohibitory law.

Rev. W. J. Rankin, then pastor of the McCauley Street Methodist Church, said: "I do not suppose the Government will take the vote as an indication that they must pass a prohibitory measure. But whether, under the circumstances, the Government should wait or lead in the matter is a question which they will have to decide. Personally, I think the Government should lead. The Government should lead on all moral and economic questions. This is an economic as well as a moral question."

Mr. J. Robertson, secretary of the Canadian Temperance League, said: "I do not think, in view of the smallness of the majority, that the Government would be justified in legislating on the lines of prohibition. Considering the conditions of the confederation of the Provinces, such legislation at the present time would not be justifiable. Much as I would like to see prohibition, the vote has shown that prohibition at the present time is impossible, especially with a large majority from one of the provinces against it. I doubt whether the Government, even if it attempted to make a prohibitory law, could pass it. Looking at the matter from a Dominion standpoint and as a citizen, I certainly think that the Government should not attempt a prohibitory law."

Rev. William Patterson, then of Cooke's Church, Toronto, said: "I do not think the Government should enact a prohibitory law under the circumstances, the majority in Quebec and in the cities being so great that it would be hard to enforce it."

Mr. A. E. O'Meara regarded the situation in Quebec as likely to present grave questions to the Government if it should introduce a prohibitory law.

Rev. Dr. Dewar said that he had always been of the opinion that a prohibitory law, to be effective, must be backed by a strong popular opinion in favor of prohibition, and that it remained to be seen whether the complete returns would show the existence of such a sentiment.

Rev. Dr. Parker said that an adverse verdict would undoubtedly defer prohibition for a long time.

Rev. Principal Grant of Queen's University, although not a prohibitionist, was among those who were interviewed. He said that he did not think the majority given the measure would warrant the Government introducing a bill to establish prohibition.

Rev. Wm. McIntosh, of Ottawa, said he was disappointed with the result. Unless a majority of the votes in the Dominion were polled, and a substantial majority of these were for prohibition he would not expect the Government to enact a prohibitory measure.

Rev. Mr. Kettlewell, of Galt, in a letter to the Globe, dated Oct. 6, recognizes the difficulty which the plebiscite disclosed, but was not without hope that it could be overcome. "I think," he said, "that it goes without saying that it would be unwise to coerce Quebec into the acceptance of legislation obnoxious to so large a proportion of its citizens." He proposed to get over the difficulty by procuring an enactment from the Dominion Parliament prohibiting the importation and manufacture of liquors except by the Government, and also the sale of liquor in the Territories, and allowing the legislature of each province to prohibit or license the retail traffic in its own jurisdiction as it might elect.

These declarations are in perfect consonance with the position taken by the Government prior to the vote. The matter was brought up in the Dominion Senate, when Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice, and Hon. H. W. Scott, Secretary of State, replied to questions put, declared that it was never contemplated that a prohibition law should be enacted on a bare majority. In the House of Commons Mr. Craig, a Conservative member, and a temperance advocate of long standing, declared that it would be unwise to help the temperance cause if a prohibitory law were enacted on a minority vote. This view was generally concurred in, not a member on either side objecting to it, and as but one-fourth of the total electorate voted for a prohibitory law, prohibitionists men have agreed that it would be unwise and prejudicial to the best interests of temperance to generate a prohibitory law for the Dominion at the present time. It will be found that the large majority of those who object to this view and clamor for immediate prohibition, are political partisans, who are anxious to make a political party out of prohibition to promote their own or party interests.

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Old World

More Changes in the British Cabinet.

Mr. Geo. Wyndham to be Chief Secretary for Ireland.

The Carlist Scare in Spain—Gen. Ian Hamilton's Wife Robbed in a Paris Hotel—Grand Trunk Affairs.

THE CARLIST RISING.
Madrid, Nov. 5.—The situation is calmer. Many Carlist notabilities have been exiled, including the curate of a parish in Madrid, charged with the reception of Carlist funds. The closing of Carlist clubs, the arrests of Carlists and the searching of suspected quarters continue in the provinces.

Spanish officers and soldiers on vacations have been ordered to rejoin their regiments immediately. The Carlist forces in the vicinity of the French border have been ordered to retreat upon Puceria at the first warning. A column of infantry and detachments of cavalry have been ordered to Puceria and Sag De Urgel.

Venice, Nov. 5.—Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, in the course of an interview had with him here, declared that the present rising in Spain is contrary to his orders and will retard instead of promoting his efforts to secure his rights.

BRITISH CABINET CHANGES.

London, Nov. 5.—The Times announces this morning that Mr. George Wyndham, who was parliamentary under secretary of state for war in the last cabinet, will probably be appointed chief secretary for Ireland. It says it is also likely that Mr. Walter Long, who was president of the board of agriculture, will become president of the local government board, and that Mr. Wm. Hanbury, who was financial secretary to the treasury, will be given the postmaster-generalship, with a seat in the cabinet. According to the same authority the Marquis of Londonderry will be appointed president of the board of agriculture, and Mr. Austin Chamberlain will be removed from the post of civil lord of the admiralty, to that of financial secretary to the treasury. For minor posts, Mr. Hugh Oakeley, Arthur Foster, Lord Stanley and Lord Cranborne, eldest son of the premier, are named. It is probable that Earl Cadogan, lord-lieutenant of Ireland, will defer his resignation for some months. The seals of office will be exchanged at a council to be held at Windsor Castle Nov. 12.

CABINET GOSSIP.

London, Nov. 5.—Discussing cabinet developments, I. N. Ford, in his special cable letter, says: "The friends of Mr. Chamberlain are now asserting that he declined the war office before going to the Mediterranean. It is not probable that strong pressure was brought to bear upon him. It is believed that only one office would have tempted him to abandon his present position and that was the foreign office. Lord Salisbury, who was formerly in the foreign office, has declined. Mr. Balfour's friends, however, insist that the foreign office was offered to him and declined, and that he has been in the confidence of Lord Salisbury from the outset. The opinion prevails in diplomatic circles that Lord Cromer really had the chance of entering the foreign office, but decided that he could be more useful in Egypt."

HAS SALISBURY MADE A MISTAKE?

The Conservative press is convinced that Lord Salisbury has made a mistake in the appointment of Lansdowne to the foreign office, but approves the other changes heartily.

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Young men complain of dyspepsia, pimples on the face, backache, nervousness, live ailments, and have gloomy forebodings or fears of some fearful disease.

This anemic and weakened condition of body prepares the way for consumption, or some other constitutional disease, hence it is that so many thousands of young men and women die annually from the white scourge—consumption.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food (pills) is considered the greatest of all blood builders because it supplies in proper proportions the very elements of nature that are lacking in the blood of a person who is weak and run down. It creates new, rich blood and nerve force, and thoroughly and completely restores the body wasted by disease, over-work or lack of proper nourishment.

To young men and young women with weakened and debilitated constitutions Dr. Chase's Nerve Food (pills) bring hope and courage for future health and happiness. To the pale, weak and emaciated who daily fear consumption it comes as the only certain means whereby they can avoid an early grave.

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A LAW UNTO HIMSELF.

Every Man Must Be That to Retain His Health and Digestion.

There are thousands of people in this world who eat no meat from one year's end to another, and certain savage tribes in Africa and Polynesia are almost exclusively meat eaters; but while there are thousands of these, there are millions who live upon a mixed diet of meat, vegetables and grains, and if numbers is a criterion, it would seem that the mixed diet is the best for the human family.

The fact that you will find many vegetarians who appear healthy and vigorous and meat eaters equally so, and any number of robust specimens who eat both meat and vegetables and anything else that comes in their way all goes to show that the old saw is the true one, that every man must be a law to himself as to what he shall eat and drink.

Every drop of blood in the body is made from the waste of tissue in brain and muscle as well as to replace the muscle and shew of the laborer, can only be done through the process of digestion.

Every nerve, muscle, sinew, every drop of blood is extracted from the food we eat and digest.

In these days of haste and worry, and artificial habits of life, scarcely one person in a thousand can lay claim to perfect digestion, and dyspepsia is a national affliction and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets a national blessing.

Most cases of poor digestion are caused by failure of the stomach to secrete sufficient gastric juice, or too little hydrochloric acid and lack of pepsin and all of these important essentials to perfect digestion are found in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in convenient palatable form.

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Cathartic pills and laxative medicines have no effect whatever in digesting food, and to call such remedies a cure for dyspepsia is far fetched and absurd.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain pepsin free from animal matter, dextrin and other digestives, and not only digest all wholesome food but tend to increase the gastric juices and by giving the weak stomach a much needed rest bring about a healthy condition of the digestive organs and a normal appetite.

Nervous, thin-blooded, run-down people should know that drugs and stimulants cannot furnish good blood, strong muscles and steady nerves; these come only from wholesome food, thoroughly digested; a fifty-cent box of Stuart's great cathartic diet pills, a few weeks will do you more real good than drugs, stimulants and dieting combined.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is probably the safest, most popular and successful of all renewed general diet pills, sold by druggists everywhere in the United States, Canada and Great Britain.

Mr. Wyndham has a taste for finance and a special knowledge of military questions, but he is a man of versatile talents, who will do brilliant work in any office. Fleet street was taken aback by the appointment of Lord Lansdowne, although the embargo here and the west end world of fashion have been forecasting it for weeks.

Lord Lansdowne is not only Lord Salisbury's personal friend, but also a nobleman of great social distinction. One of his daughters will be the Duchess of Devonshire and another is the Marchioness of Waterford, and the elegance of his manners has made him a great figure in English society.

IN SOUTH AFRICA.

The return of colonial troops from South Africa is not likely to be delayed by the progress of the war against the Boers in South Africa. Regarding this, Mr. Ford says: "While a complete scheme for the demobilization of the army in South Africa has been published and put in partial effect, the public service day by day accounts of hostile operations in almost every quarter of the conquered republics. It is evident that the dangers from guerrilla warfare have been increased since the large commandos were broken up into smaller bands. There is skirmishing everywhere, with no decisive result, as the Boers divide and sub-divide and elude pursuit. The war office will not abandon its policy of recalling surplus troops, but it will be enforced with great deliberation."

HOME-COMING SOLDIERS.

The volunteers and colonials may count with confidence upon eating their Christmas dinner at home, and possibly the Guards may be equally fortunate, but the bulk of the infantry and the mounted force is likely to winter on the veldt. The definite announcement of the Lord has been sent from Cape Town on Nov. 20 is welcomed as a sign of the close of the war.

THE POLICY OF LENIENCY.

There is a good deal of ignorant moralizing over what is called the failure of his mistaken policy of leniency. Those behind the scenes understand that Lord Roberts has not been solely responsible for this policy, but that Sir Alfred Milner in South Africa and the minister in London have insisted that as little resentment as possible should be excited among the Dutch, since the two races were destined to remain side by side in the conquered territories. Lord Roberts, while a noble and practical soldier, and in dealing with the Boers has been acting less upon his own judgment than upon the advice of Sir Alfred Milner, who knows the difficulties of keeping the rival races together in Cape Colony, and forecasts the trend of events during the next decade.

TRADE INQUIRIES

Old Country Firms and Others Anxious to Open Up Business With Canada.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 8.—The following trade inquiries have been made at the high commissioner's office, London:

A firm of importers would be pleased to hear from Canadian shippers of chrome iron ore of good quality, details as to analysis and samples required.

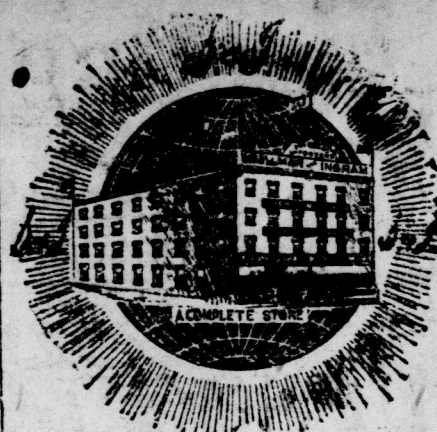
A Belfast house possessing an opening for evaporated apples asks to be placed in communication with Canadian producers.

A Manchester manufacturer using large quantities of small turned-wood handles asks for names of Canadian makers in furniture to supply same.

An Edinburgh house desires names of any Canadian shippers of good quality mouth-pieces, suitable for United Kingdom requirements.

An importer of considerable quantities of maple, manufactured into floor boards and blocks, asks for names of Canadian shippers of these goods.

Canadian firms desiring to be represented in South Africa can be furnished with the name of an agent who is leaving London shortly to engage in business in that colony.



THE WEATHER TODAY—Mostly fair and mild.

EARLY CLOSING—Customers will kindly bear in mind that this store closes at 7 o'clock every Saturday evening to permit employees to enjoy a well earned rest.

...Cut Prices... Choice Colored Silks

This is a rare opportunity—one that comes all too seldom to suit the ladies. It will be an interesting sale in more ways than one—interesting because of the splendid selection, and because of the very low prices. Every piece is to be sold, and we expect considerable eagerness on the part of buyers. Come early.

- Five colorings of a very good silk, rough face, in checks of helio and white, helio and green, pink and green, cornflower and white and white and black. Worth \$1 the yard; now yours at..... 69c
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- Five colorings in a very good quality of Taffeta Plaids, in gray, cerise, violet, pink and turquoise, with black and white overcheck. Worth \$1 25 the yard; yours now at..... 69c
- Five colorings in a Broken Plaid Silk of extra quality, in fall and winter shades, with white corded satin stripe running through; the colors prominent are green, blue, brown, garnet and black. Worth \$1 25 the yard; yours now at..... 69c
- Four colorings of White Ground Taffeta, bright finish, splendid quality of small checks in shades of black and white, blue and green and white, mulberry and white, navy and white. Worth \$1 25; yours now at..... 69c
- Four colorings in nice quality of Stripe Taffeta in shades of castor with royal stripe, castor with cerise stripe, cornflower with helio stripe, mauve with white and black stripe. Worth \$1 25; yours now at..... 69c
- Two colorings of pretty silk for evening dress; shades of pink and turquoise with white cord running through. Worth \$1 yard; yours now at..... 69c
- Three colorings in a very handsome Silk, for party dresses—white ground with white satin flower and cross-barred with coral; turquoise and Persian pink silk stripe; very tasty. Worth \$1 25 the yard; yours now at..... 69c

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GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO BUY.

We are also giving special inducements to those who are very much taken with our stylish Ready-to-Wear Costumes. No lady can afford to miss so favorable an opportunity. A number of manufacturer's samples to be sold at greatly reduced prices. Come along early.

12 only, Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Costumes; colors—black, navy, green and dark fawn; two of dark fawn Home-spun; coat style, fly front coat collar and double stitched seams; skirts made with inverted pleat back, and were \$6.50 each. The balance were \$8.50 to \$10 each. All are lined throughout and tailor finished. Price for each of these twelve.....\$5 00

A number of manufacturer's samples bought at greatly reduced prices, no two alike, in sizes from 32 to 42 bust measure. These we are also offering at wonderfully low prices. For instance:

- 1 only of Brown Box Cloth; coat style, fly front, velvet coat collar, double stitched seams, two small pockets; skirt lined throughout and inverted pleat back, size 34; made to sell at \$10. Special sale price.....\$7 50
- 1 only of Navy Serge; coat made with fly front, velvet coat collar, two small pockets, size 34, finished with silk stitching; skirt lined throughout, inverted pleat back. Worth \$10. Sale price.....\$7 50
- 1 only of Dark Gray Venetian; coat double breasted, tight fitting, coat collar, and lined throughout; skirt lined throughout and inverted pleat back. A splendid \$15 suit for.....\$10 00
- 1 only of Brown Broadcloth; coat fancy Eton style, lined throughout with Taffeta silk, double silk lapels; cloth vest effect finished with small buttons; skirt lined throughout and inverted pleat back; size 36. A stylish \$18 suit now at.....\$12 00

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THE CAMPAIGN

Additional Signatures to the Quebec Protest.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Tour—First Members Gazetted at This Election.

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Messrs. Laverne (Drummond and Arthabaska) and Seagram (North Waterloo) have the honor of being the first members of the new parliament gazetted.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER'S TOUR.
It has been arranged that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will speak at Caledonia and Dunnville on Monday, in addition to the list of places announced yesterday. This will make the hour of arrival at Hamilton 45 minutes later than announced, and will also cause a similar delay in the arrival at other points between Dunnville and Hamilton. The premier will be accompanied in this tour by Hon. Wm. Mulock, postmaster-general and minister of labor, and others.

THE PROTEST FROM QUEBEC.

Montreal, Nov. 2.—The following additional signatures have been secured to the protest of the English-speaking electors of Quebec against the campaign of misrepresentation indulged in in Ontario and other English-speaking provinces at the expense of the French-Canadians of this province: Jonathan Hodgson of Hodgson, Sumner & Co.; Hon. George W. Stephens, M.L.C.; Edward Holton, ex-M.P.; Thomas Fyche, general manager Merchant's Bank of Canada; E. J. Redmond and S. T. Greenleaf, of the Redmond-Greenleaf Company, Limited; David S. Walker, managing director James Walker Hardware Company, Limited; Henry Miles, vice-president of the board of trade; W. F. Ritchie, Q.C.; H. A. Hodgson of Hodgson Bros.; John P. Seybold, of J. P. Seybold & Co.; James Redmond, vice-president and managing director of the Ames, Holden Company, Limited, and numerous others.

THE PAMPHLET AT BELLEVILLE.
Belleville, Nov. 3.—Mr. J. H. A. Taylor, who presents his card as being a traveler for the Dominion Tobacco Company of Montreal, industriously worked yesterday circulating pamphlets which were labelled "A Protest Against Tarte and the Clique." He also had several portraits of Hon. Hugh John Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper, which he spread about the town. This is the fraudulent pamphlet referred to in the Globe.

BOSTONIA SEXTET CLUB.

The concert given at the Auditorium last night by the Bostonia sextet club was one that delighted in the highest degree the appreciative audience present. The personnel of the club was: Mr. C. L. Stannus, clarinet, director; Mr. Walter E. Loud, violin; Mr. Louis Bazzani, violin; Mr. W. A. Hodgson, viola; Mr. F. J. Landman, cello; Mr. Alfred Reinhard, bass. The club was assisted by Miss Edith Viola Ellsbee, a young lady possessed of an attractive presence and a sweet and sympathetic soprano voice. The most pleasing numbers were probably the exquisite "La Vierge de l'Ange Gardien" (Pierne), the selection from Thomas "Mignon" and Mr. Landsman's rendering of Servais' "Fantasie Polonoise" for the cello, with its sprightly movement and charming passages. The latter was so well rendered that Mr. Landsman was obliged to respond with an encore. The "Fantasie" for clarinet, given by Mr. Stannus, and Mr. Loud's violin solo, were also very enjoyable. The programme was: Overture, "Tantalusquien" (Suppe), Sextet Club; (a) "La Vierge de l'Ange Gardien" (Pierne); (b) "Fly Minuet" from opera "Der Bajazzo" (Czibulka), String Quintet; "Fantasie" for clarinet from "Frei Aux Treces" (Paradis), Mr. Stannus; aria from "Les Noces de Jeannette" (Maess), Miss Ellsbee; cello solo, "Fantasie Polonoise" (Servais), Mr. Landsman; selection, "Mignon" (Thomas), Sextet Club; violin solo, "Fantasie Caprice" (Vieuxtemps), encore "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan), Mr. Loud; song, with clarinet obligato, "Alpenlied" op. 167 (Speath), Miss Ellsbee and Mr. Stannus; mandolin, "A Petis Pas" (Sudek), Sextet Club; selection from "The Serenade" (Herbert), Sextet Club.

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WORKINGMEN
Command the Government's Labor Legislation and Indorse Its Candidates.

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—At a large meeting of laboring men held here tonight, resolutions were passed commending the Laurier Government for their labor legislation, and indorsing the Government candidates in this city. The meeting was called by the laboring men themselves, and was addressed only by their own members. It was in no sense a party meeting. The resolutions were the carefully considered judgment of the united labor men of Ottawa. Men formerly identified with both political parties attended and addressed the meeting, including Mr. Robert E. Hay, who was until a month ago secretary of the Conservative Association.

EIGHTEEN MONTHS' PAIN.
Ends Effectually and Permanently by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Central Waterville, N. B., Nov. 6.—These dull and damp days of November are terribly hard on the kidneys. Not one person in a hundred escapes backache, pains in the joints, lameness and similar kidney troubles as a result of fallen leaves.

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