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### "TO SHOW A YOUNG **FELLOW HOW TO VOTE"**

Arthur Reid Swore That Byron A. Lott, Liberal Candidate, Asked For a Ballot.

PHIL'S STORY IS VERIFIED

Civil Servant, Arrested in Connection With the Case-Important Particular in the Astounding Tale of Phil I o t Fave Been Correborated Bogus Ballot Bexes Case Adjourned to Next Friday.

Toronto, Nov. 21.-G. F. Shepley, R.C., of Toronto, who has been employed by the Dominion Government to look after its interests, came down on the midnight train and was present in court Saturday morning. He took no part in the cross-examination of the witnesses but sat nation of the witnesses, but sat a silent listener beside Col. Percy Sherwood and Secret Service Inspec-tor Chamberlain, the two keen Sominion Government detectives.

James Gay, No. 2, West Hunting-don, a scrutineer for Mr. Porter in the election, who was the first wit-ness called Saturday, told of a con-versation with Simeon Ashley, the deputy returning officer at the poll. Gay examined the box thoroughly and Ashley said: "There is no wire handle about that one." He said he



PHILLIP A. LOTT.

es if he had wanted it, and if he had he would bet \$50 that Gay one he would bet \$50 that Gay could not discover the trick. Ashley further said that sixty bogus ballot boxes were to be used in Western

Paul Sherry of West Huntingdon, scrutineer for Porter, told a simi-lar story. Ashley told him he could have had a bogus ballot box if he had wanted it. The Conservative scrutineer had been warned to be on the lookout for the boxes.

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T. J. Riley, the Kingston school teacher, who had the scheme in hand, was called but did not respond.

Wilbert Carter and Harry Lane told of being sent to Lott's house at Springbrook for the boxes.

Alex. White, farmer of Sidney, swore he was a regular subscriber to The Ontario. He had seen the copy of Nov. 4. Mr. McCamon queried along a line that might possibly in-

along a line that might possibly indicate the publication of a bogus Ontario. White had seen the bogus Globe, and if he had not been warned he would have taken it for the real thing. He thought the copy of The Ontario he saw was the goods.

Confident of Phil.

James Hurst, the friend and confidant of Phil, related the interview in Corby's office between himself, Lott, Qus Porter and Harry Corby and agreed with the previous witnesses in his account. He told how Lott had revealed to him the conspiracy that was on foot to use the ballot boxes. Lott having apparently confided in his friend to the fullest extent. One one occasion Lott had told him that the Ontario Government had paid \$50,000 for the patent on the box. The intricate James, Hurst, the friend and confi-



# THE COMING CAMPAIGN IN WEST KENT HAS STR. FOUNDERED?

The present Provincial campaign, and valued service in the Legislature the tight-drawn lines of partyism upon the threshold of a contest, not between Grit and Tory, not essentially between policy and policy, but one waged by the people of both political parties in righteous demand for a which, through long lease of power and laxity of moral stamina, has become surrounded by the grafters, the heelers and ward politicians-the men who surround every party in power and cling to it so long as there is a "barrel," and who, as the past history of Canada shows, inevitably bring ruin and disgrace to the party

Such is the opinion of the thinking men the Province over, regardless of party. THERE IS GOING TO BE A CHANGE OF GOVERNMENT AND IT IS FOR THE ELECTORS OF WEST KENT TO BE FOREMOST IN THE RANKS OF THOSE CONSTITU-ENCIES DEMANDING CLEAN GOV-ERNMENT AND PURITY IN ELEC-

they cling to until such time as that

party becomes purged by a term in

The convention of Saturday, inaugarating this campaign, was unusually nspiring. A universal faith in the platform of their Leader was animated by a desire to make his cause a uccess, and never before in the history of Kent was there such a representative gathering. It was a striking testimony to the righteousness of the cause that so many good men permitted their names to be placed in nomination. Any one of them would have made a strong and successful standard-bearer by reason of his worthy position in the county, and it speaks volumes to their credit that, knowing their strength, they were heartily ready to relinquish personal ambition for the time being in order to promote the cause and the object all good citizens are so earnestly striving for, and withdrew unanimously and without pressure in favor of Mr. Clancy, the nominee of the convention. Their action was characteristic of the men and highly appreciated by the gathering.

Enthusiastically the convention supported this choice, Mr. Clancy's long

told of going to Phil Lott's house, and securing one of the trick boxes. His evidence was unimportant, ex-

One Link Forged.

Then Mr. McCamon took hold of the witness, Reid, and was told that Phil Lott also saw him that day. Phil asked: "Did Byron tell you of his scheme?":

which was definitely inaugurated in and his more recent experience in the our constituency on Saturday by the Dominion Parliament - in both of selection of James Clancy as the make him a strong man, not alone in standard-bearer of the people, is our own constituency but to the unique in political history. For once campaign throughout the whole Province. His presence in the new cabhave been obliterated and we stand that is an assurance of strength, of cleanliness, of honor and of integrity His long public record has been such as to earn the admiration of political friends and opponents alike. name of Clancy stands for what is clean and pure election and for the best, what is tleanest and what is removal from the government bench, most progressive. James Clancy is es, for a time at least, of the party the man, above all men, to carry the standard of political purity to a His admitted ability as a financial

critic has made him one of the most valuable men in the Liberal-Conservative party, both in the Provincial and Federal parliaments. A practical and progressive farmer, his thorough knowledge of agriculture and his acquaintance with the needs of the agriculturist will be an assurance to the electorate that the progressive agricultural policy laid down by Mr. Whitney will be a reality, carried out by a man whose practical knowledge will be of immense value to the new Government and the people of this Province. Of the people, he understands the necessity for such a revision of the Public School acts as will turn out from the Public Schools of this Province pupils better fitted than they ever have been before to fight the battle of life, as the vast majority of the people of this country have to do with the Public School as their foundation. A man whose own personal record is clean, against whom no scandal or charge of corruption has ever been hinted, he is in himself a type of the campaign now being waged against the pres-

ent Government. With the people knowing that a change of Government is an absolute certainty, Mr. Clancy's election against any candidate the supporters of the Ross administration may put up-no matter how strong he may be -is assured. The main thing now is to keep the existing splendid organization in its present state of efficiency. Don't be over-confident: the battle is to the watchful, tireless, conscientious workers. Eternal Vigflance is the price of Liberty.

IF THE PEOPLE OF KENT WOULD HAVE HONEST, PROGRES. SIVE, CLEAN GOVERNMENT, NOW IS THEIR OPPORTUNITY.

### AN ARREST MADE.

T. E. Whalen, a Dominion Government

cept to corroborate Lott as to the detective's visit. Belleville, Nov. 21.—T. E. Whalen, the man who shipped the cases con-taining the trick ballot boxes from Evidence of considerable importance was given by Arthur Reid, Returning Officer Williams' election clerk. He said he knew Byron Lott, who went to his office on the Tuesday previous to the election. Byron asked him if he had any ballots, and Prescott on Oct. 27 was arrested Sunday morning. The arrests was made by Col. Percy Sherwood and Detective Chamberlain of the Domin-ion Secret Sarvice, and the prisoner was brought to this city, taken be-fore a magistrate and released on \$2,000 bail till next Friday. asked him if he had any ballots, and wanted to see one, as he wanted to show a young fellow how to vote. Raid told him there were no ballots there, as Mr. Williams had taken them with him. Williams locked them up every night along with his seal, and nobody could get hold of them. Mr. Williams has gone north to deliver the ballot boxes and ballots. When Byron asked for the ballots, Reid told him there was no chance for any crooked work. It was crooked work the witness had in his mind when Byron asked for the ballots.

So far, Reid fully bore out that

fore a magistrate and released on \$2,000 bail till next Friday.

Prescott, Nov. 21.—T. E. Whalen, who was arrested here on Sunday morning by Detectives Sherwood and Chamberlain of the Dominion Secret Service, is an employe of the Dominion Government, being an officer of the Inland Revenue Department. He lives with his wife and mother. He is a young man and is well thought of,

Warrants For Others. Chief Sherwood on Saturday laid information against Byron O. Lott, Stirling; W. J. Shibley, Harrowsmith; F. B. Whalen, Prescott, and O. T. Reilly, Kingston, Warrants were issued by Police Magistrate Flint for the arrest of the persons named, but Mr. Whalen was the only one yet arrested. So far, Reid fully bore out that part of Phil Lott's story. Phil had sworn that, on Tuesday, Nov. 1, Byron went to Williams' office to try to get hold of one of the ballots to be used in getting some extras struck off at a printing office.

Cress-Examination.

Then Mr. McCamon took hold of

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The bogus ballot box here illustrated looks like any other ballot box until you examine it closely. As it stands with the lid open you would dot detect the trick. The wire handle is straight up the lid open as it would be when the deputy returning officer invites the scrutineers to inspect it. Inside there is nothing visible—no ballots marked for the candidate the D.R.O. wants elected. But Continued on 8th Page. his scheme?"
"I nodded my head," continued
Reid. "I wanted to find out what it
was. Phil said it would have been
all right if they could have got the
ballots."
Witness explained that before the ballots could be used, they would have to get hold of the returning officer's stamp.

To Mr. DuVernet, witness said he Continued on 8th Page.

To Mr. DuVernet, witness said he told Phil that Carman had printed 800 extra ballots. He (Reid) wanted to get hold of the scheme. He knew there was something disreputable and dishonest on foot.

Mr. DuVernet was rather severe on Reid for not telling anybody that he believed there was something wrong, thus preventing its accomplishment, but Reid said he didn't have time.

This concluded the days' proceedings and the Magistrate adjourned the case until Friday next at 10 a.m., when it will go on day by day until it is finished. \$10.20 Chatham to St. Louis and return for a seven day ticket, on sale daily. No one should ever miss going to the Great World's Fair. For tickets, handsome illustrated booklet and full information call at Grand Trunk offices, 115 King street, Chatham, or address J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

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Rumor That Red Star Kroonland Went Down in Midocean.

arried 1,445 Passengers and Sailed From Antwerp Nov. 12 For New York-Story Discredited in London and Branded Line in New York-Due On Menday Night.

London, Nov. 21.—A despatch to The Central News from Brussels last night says it is rumored at Antwerp that the Red Star Line steamship Kroonland, with 1,445 passengers, has foundered in mid-ocean.

The officials of the Red Star Line that a mid-ocean with the star of the Red Star Line that a mid-ocean with the star of the Red Star Line that a mid-ocean with the star of the st standard of political purity to a proud victory. He is a man to raffy round—a man to win with.

His admitted ability as a financial werp, Nov. 12, for New York.

Story Branded As Malicious New York, Nov. 21.—The officials of the Red Star Line brand as malicious the rumor of the Kroonland foundering. They discredit the report and declare that the ship is not due here until Monday night, and, as vessels arraving report heavy weather, she may not arrive until

Ashere With 612 Persons

New York, Nov. 21.—Capt. Van Wicklen of the Long Beach, Long Isl-and, life saving station, reports that the British steamship Sicilian Prince, from Marseilles, Naples and Palermo, for New York, with 612 persons aboard, went ashore at 5 o'clock yesterday morning about half a mile west of the life saving station. The steamer lay in an easy position. At high tide an attempt was to be made to pull the Sicilian Prince off.

Should this attempt fail the 600 steerage and 12 cabin passengers will be taken off and the cargo lightered. mo, for New York, with 612 persons Barkentine Founder

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 21.—The barquentine Makaweli, Capt. Neilson, lumber laden, from Tacom to Mazatlan, Mex., has foundered on the west of Vancouver Island at Clayo-All hands perished. Fishing Stations Damaged.

St. John's, Nfid., Nov. 21.—A fierce storm swept the Newfoundland coast Friday night, doing much damage at the fishing stations. Owing to the fact that most of the vessels have ceased fishing, the casualties are not likely to be large.

Canadians in Wreck.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 21.—Train No. 4, the Continental Limited, on the Wabash, easthoung, collided headon at Bement, Ill., yesterday noon with passenger train No. 19, westbound, owing to a misunderstanding in orders as to where they should ness. Both engines were demolished

pass. Both engines were demolished and the baggage cars telescoped. The train crews saved themselves by jumping. Engineer Edwards had both ankles sprained and twenty passengers were injured, none fatal-ly. Among them were: H. J. Scott, Toronto, Ont., sollar-

bone broken.

Mrs. G. S. Hicks, Toronto, wrist and shoulder sprained.

Dr. C. O'Reilly, Toronto, cut on

head and rib broken

Charles Griffin, porter, Windsor Ont., hip sprained. The Toronto Victims.

Toronto, Nov. 12 .- Dr. O'Reilly, superintendent of the Toronto Gen-eral Hospital, left a week ago to see the St. Louis Fair. He wired home yesterday that he was unhurt.
H. J. Scott, K.C., was on his way to Texas to visit a ranch in which he is interested. It is just a time ago since he broke both legs Fatal Fire At World's Fair.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 21.—The Missouri State Building at the World's Fair was destroyed by fire Saturday night, resulting from the explosion of a hot water heater in the basement. The building cost \$145,000, and in its were \$75,000 worth of furnishings, portraits of all former Missouri governors and supreme judges, which cannot be replaced. While responding to the alarm, Capt. O'Weill of World's Fair truck No. 4 'was seriously hurt, George Garbenbach was killed and Leremish Eagin repubbly fatally in Jeremiah Fagin probably fatally in-jured by the truck upsetting. Lloyd Randolph was fatally injured by a

falling wall.

Twelve Burned to Death. New York, Nov. 21.—Smothered before they could reach the rear fire escape in a burning tenement building on Troutman street, Brooklyn, 12 persons met death early Sunday morning. Two entire families, those of Maranio Triole and Charles Polognio, were wiped out, the last living members of each, Chas. aged 33, and Tony Triole, aged 13, being now in hospital with no hope of recovery.

covery Mother Rescued Boy.

Bisco, Nov. 21.—A sad drowning accident occurred here yesterday atternoon. Two lads named Simpson ternoon. Two lads named Simpson and Langevin were skating on the lake when they broke through the ice, 30 feet from shore. Young Langevin was rescued by his mother, who witnessed the accident and ran boldly out on the frall ice to her son's aid. The lad Simpson, aged 13, went down before help could reach him. The body was recovered an hour afterwards. afterwards.

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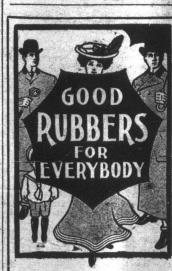
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