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Inventory Sale! LET US HAVE A PROVINCIAL HOUSE-CLEANING

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BATTLE OF MITCHELL'S BAY

Stirring Tale in Rhyme of the Great Political Duel on Monday Evening

When James Clancy Dropped in on Pulverizer Kerr There Were Hoings—What the People Say.

See The Popgun News-sheet, Page One, January 10th, 1905.

Ye may tell of your Roman triumphs, ye poets of far-off times—Of Pompey and mighty Caesar ye may write your stirring rhymes—But never was triumph so splendid in your faded, far off day As was won o'er the Pulverizer in the battle of Mitchell's Bay.

The night was wild and wintry out beside Mitchell's Bay, Yet a terrible trio from Chatham had driven the whole long way—Gundy, the earnest lawyer, and the two who were left in the hole—Bold Kerr and Jerry Aitken, who fought for the foot of the pole.

The meeting was rather frosty, listening with quiet scorn Awhile to Aitken and Gundy: then going home to get warm—When into the midst of the cyclones of eloquence fierce and loud Came one who won as his welcome that night's first cheer from the crowd.

"What! Out him to twenty minutes? He can take all the time he needs, Who's aching to listen to Aitken when Jim for the people pleads?" So shouted the honest farmers, Obdient to their frown Aitken and quiet Gundy went away back and sat down.

But back to the maddened way cry! Back to the noisy hostelry Here comes a shouting speaker who's not been heard before, "Clancy! Who talks of Clancy? Let him face it he dare The people's Pulverizer, Barrister J. G. Kerr."

Kerr launched into crazy charges, that he never will try to prove—The people grew very restless, soon they began to move—"Suffering from nose cholera!" the query flew through the air—Or—"You're lying—you know you are lying, Barrister J. G. Kerr!"

He ended, His end was dismal, Clancy with quiet scorn Out at the Pulverizer till he wished he had never been born. In a moment limp and ragged, there tumbled into a chair That Pulverized Pulverizer, Barrister J. G. Kerr.

The forget of fragile fictions sat in the News-sheet chair, Scribbling his dream of the triumph of Barrister J. G. Kerr. Thought he: "As my good friend Graham said, not so long ago, 'It's a lie but 'twill go with the people—what do the people know?'"

But the people knew Jim Clancy and laughed at the fable fair—Fancy our own Jim Clancy being wallowed by J. G. Kerr!" And they laughed with a greater gladness when the news came in that day How the Pulverized Pulverizer had been slaughtered at Mitchell's Bay.

There will be a meeting of all young men of the city interested in Hockey at the Rankin House to night. A full attendance is requested as matters of importance will be discussed.

EVERY ELECTOR IS INVITED TO TO-MORROW'S GREAT MEETING

Addresses to Be Delivered by J. P. Whitney, Ontario's Coming Premier, and by Kent's Two Splendid Standard-Bearers, James Clancy and Philip H. Bowyer.

To-morrow night is the Big Event of the present campaign in Kent county. Every elector in the East and West constituting in cordially invited to the Grand Opera House to hear the addresses of the People's Premier, J. P. Whitney and of Kent's two splendid standard-bearers, James Clancy and Philip H. Bowyer. This will likely be a memorable meeting and everyone should make it a point to be present. The policy

MEETING WAS A CLANCY RALLY

Striking Experience at the Rossite Gathering at North Buxton Last Night

Mr Shadd's Splendid Address—Kerr, Again Cornered, Fails to Produce Proof of his Slandorous Statement.

A meeting under the direction of Arch. McColg, the Rossite candidate in the present provincial campaign was held at North Buxton last evening.

Although the night was stormy there was a good attendance at the meeting. Although the meeting was called by Mr. McColg the people present, it could be plainly seen from the events of the meeting, were not with him in the policy he has adopted. The Ross speakers were continually interrupted with questions from the audience and, when these questions were allowed to go unanswered, there was a general feeling of discontent in the audience. Mr. Kerr, who was the last Ross speaker, was unable to finish his address, and the meeting broke up with rousing cheers for Mr. Clancy, the people's candidate.

The meeting was opened by James G. Shadd, of this city, who made a short introductory address, commending Ross throughout. J. M. Pike, of this city, and William Shadd, of Buxton, were the opposi-

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Come

THE ROSS GOVERNMENT AND THE MAN WHO SUPPORTS IT

(As amended from the platform by Mr. McColg himself at his meeting in the Grand Opera House December 31.)

"Definitely and positively I will not be the candidate. I couldn't if I would and I wouldn't if I could."

"What use would it be to me to go down to the Legislature and sit in some back bench in opposition? And what use would it be to my constituents to have me there?"

"I think the Ross government is a goner. They've been there altogether too long."

"The whole thing is corrupt and rotten, and I believe they should be turned out."

"No; I tell you honestly, I wouldn't be their candidate if I could."—A. B. McColg, November, 19, 1904.

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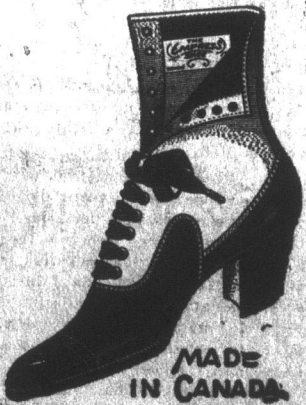
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