

Sir Robert Borden Almost Certain to Offer Resignation To Party Caucus Tomorrow

While Resigning the Premiership, Sir Robert is Likely to Retain His Seat in the House—Hon. Mr. Meighen the Most Prominent Name Mentioned as Successor

(Special despatch to The Daily Gleaner.)
Ottawa, June 30.—It is practically certain that Sir Robert Borden will take advantage of the caucus meeting tomorrow to resign as Premier and leader of the Conservative party. It is understood that he desires to make the announcement on Dominion Day, to take formal leave of the Premiership, although he will not likely resign his seat in the House at present.

This will involve the choice of a successor. It cannot be said that the emergency has been sprung on the party, but there is not a ready leader in sight, and a selection from among the different names will be a matter of some deliberation. It is probable that the caucus to be held this week will be a two day affair, and although the final selection of a leader will hardly be made at present, the situation will be canvassed. Sir Thomas White's name may be dropped as a candidate. His continued protests that he does not desire and will not accept the position have at last been accepted as definite. The latest boom prepared for Sir Henry Drayton, whom it is said that Mr. Meighen, the Ottawa Journal will come out tomorrow strongly in favor of him.

The Toronto Globe publishes an Ottawa story to the effect that Sir Lomer Gouin and Hon. Mr. Lemieux will enter the government in the process of the coming reconstruction. No one knows whatever is given to this story by Quebec members here, who state that while Sir Lomer Gouin is undoubtedly going to retire, it will be to accept either the Presidency of the new steel corporation organized by Grant Morden, or to become Vice President of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The rumor that Sir Lomer would enter the Union Government has been frequently mentioned and some time ago may not have been wholly without foundation.

Prorogation Tonight.
(Canadian Press by Leased Wire.)
Ottawa, June 30.—Parliament will prorogue at 10 p. m. today, and an important caucus of Unionist members will be held at 10.30 a. m. tomorrow. In political circles the rumor is current that the retirement of Sir Robert Borden will be accompanied by that of Sir George Foster. In this event, Sir George may take the Canadian High Commissioner'ship in London.

The general caucus of government

IN MEMORIAM.
In ever loving memory of Walter Bramwell, of the C. A. M. C., dearly beloved son of Walter and Annie Bramwell, who died on June 27, 1918. Days of sadness will have their end. Bitter tears at times do flow. Memory keeps our dear boy near us. Although he died two years ago, we never knew him to be gone. We only know he passed away without a last goodbye. From his loving Father, Mother, Sisters and Brothers.

CARD OF THANKS.
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McCatharine wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement.

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WANTED.—A second or third class teacher for district No. 2, Ladlow. Apply, stating salary, to Dow Hovey, Ladlow, N. B.—1275.

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WANTED.—Second class female teacher, district No. 12, Southam. Apply, stating salary, to J. H. Hovey, Ladlow, N. B.—1278.

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FOUND.—In Market House Monday, small pig. If not claimed by Saturday, July 3rd, it will be sold for expenses. No room to keep it in city. Arthur Quartermaster, Market Clerk. Tel. 158-22.—1286.

LOST.

LOST.—This morning a gold watch, an open face, between Harwell and Market place. Finder kindly leave at Gleaner Office.—1274.

CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND.

The public will please take notice that on instructions from the Hon. Office of the Fund, beginning July 1st, 1920, all matters connected with the Canadian Patriotic Fund in New Brunswick will be dealt with at St. John, and all applications for assistance will, in future, require to be sent to the St. John office. The office in this city will close on the 1st July.

R. H. SIMONDS, Sec.-Treas.

Fredericton, N. B., June 29, 1920.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

Owing to the fact that a fire totally destroyed wool, yarn and all machinery in our plant on Friday, June 25th, we find it impossible to resume operations this year. CARLETON COUNTY WOOLLEN MILL, Woodstock, N. B.

Rev. E. B. Hooper On Prohibition

To the Editor of The Gleaner,
Sir,—Permit me space for a few words in re the Plebiscite on the Prohibition question on July 19th.

1. Let me confess that I myself misunderstood the effect of voting for the "Prohibition Act".
As this act prohibits the sale of light wines and beer, I thought, with many others, that those who voted for it would not vote yes or nay on the question of light wines and beer. To my great astonishment I find that one can vote for "Prohibition" and also for the "light wines and beer", and that, if both carry by a majority, then the present act will be amended, so as to permit the sale of light wines and beer. I hope that this will be universally known throughout the province before July 19th. It will have an enormous influence upon the vote polled.

2. My second point is this. All right-minded citizens will desire the promotion of Temperance in our beloved and beautiful Province. Why cannot we give to each other—those in favor of the Prohibition Act, and those who are opposed to it, and those also who would like to see the sale of light wines and beer, the credit for being honest in the desire to promote temperance. We have the highest assurance that whatever may be the result of the Plebiscite we shall never return to the open "bar".

We are all agreed as to the fearful evils of Intemperance. We all desire to lessen the evil and to promote temperance.
We are not agreed as to the best means. Why are we told that if we are "patrons" "upholders," "sponsors" and "right-minded" we will go to the polls on July 19th and vote for the continuance of the present Prohibition Act? If that is so, then the opposite must also be true. We who vote against the act will be showing ourselves to be unpatriotic, selfish, insane and evil-minded.

I affirm that this spirit is all wrong. Do let us all grant sincerity and truth and honesty of purpose to those who do not agree with us, and let all men with soldiers. For the last year it has been entirely with ex-soldiers. My appreciation and affection for them is just about the biggest thing in life to me. With my whole heart and soul I have endeavored to "lead them straight," and in the social evils of Intemperance I have tried to help with word and example to indicate strength of character. Not only for their own sakes and their families, but for their province and for the good name and fame of the glorious Canadian Expeditionary Force, I have urged purity, temperance, etc., upon all returned men. I have been a most ardent worker for the cause of temperance, realizing that while legislation can go some way in the matter, real temperance, like all other graces, must come chiefly through education.

Well, to make a long story short, I have found by experience that the present Prohibition Act, as administered, for the purpose of promoting temperance, has been tried for two years and has failed. I am a failure. I have seen more intemperance than ever before. I have seen men resorting to lemon extract and other things to get something with a "kick" in it. My own judgment is that this act has failed in its purpose. I am D. V., going to vote against it and for "light wines and beer". If this latter should be tried, and it too fail after fair trial, then by all means throw it out.

I am led to make this statement of my own views because I want to make it clear that such views may be held by one who at least may claim to be regarded as a decent man.

4. Notwithstanding these views of mine, I admit that the Prohibition Act may possibly carry on July 19th, because of the commendable earnestness and organization of those who are in favor of it. The women have been canvassed far more than the men. I reverence womanhood. I take off my hat to women for all that they have done and are doing. A considerable number will vote for the Prohibition Act, for I know how the question has been put.

But then, alas! Side by side with these good women, voting for the Prohibition Act, there will be ranged a large army of the second-class women, the "bootleggers." Bootleggers and others who have been amassing wealth under the present Prohibition Act, will most assuredly vote for the continuance of the Act. My chief hope is that there may at least be a majority in favor of light wines and beer.

Thanking you for space, Mr. Editor, I am,

Yours faithfully,

E. BERTHAM HOOPER.

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St. John, N. B., June 29, 1920.

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Provincial Convention of School Trustees Is Likely to Be Held In the Near Future

Intimation Given by the Chief Superintendent at the Educational Institute This Morning—Miss Sadie Thompson Elected to the U. N. B. Senate

Announcement was made at this morning's session of the Educational Institute of the election of the Executive Committee. Of the twenty-four nominated the ten elected were: Dr. H. S. Bridges, St. John; A. S. McFarlane, Dr. B. C. Foster, G. J. Oulton, Moncton; F. A. Dixon, Sussex; D. W. Wallace, Woodstock; G. H. Harrison, Chatham; W. J. S. Miles, St. John; Miss Bessie M. Fraser, of Grand Falls, and Louise M. Scott, of Fredericton Junction.

The text book committee was elected as follows: Dr. H. S. Bridges, St. John; C. J. Oulton, Moncton; W. J. S. Miles, St. John; H. H. Hagerman, J. F. Owens, A. S. McFarlane and Miss Caldwell.

Miss Sadie Thompson was elected representative of the Institute on the Senate of the University of New Brunswick.

Dr. W. S. Carter stated that he had the authority of the Board of Education to call a Trustees Convention and he asked that trustees be notified to have sufficient delegates elected in order that the convention might be held as soon as possible.

He explained that probably library regulations and the library grant would be changed, but he could not state this with authority and he asked that as far as possible all teachers unite in the matter of libraries with the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire.

Among those who were leaving the Institute were Prof. Belliveau, Inspector McLean, Lt. Col. Mersereau and R. F. Stevens, all of whom had seen fifty years in the public school services. He referred to their long and faithful service, expressing the thanks of the Institute for their work.

Dr. William Milner, of Halifax, was introduced and gave an illuminating address on Preservation of Local Traditions. The speaker said he had studied history for years and was glad of the chance to deal with this subject in connection with education. In local research work and in recording by monuments past achievements the speaker stated New Brunswick was behind her neighbors. Records of schools as far back as 1818 are filed in the Chief Superintendent's office; but where are the older ones?

Major Frank A. Good, of the Provincial Normal School, also spoke on the subject and regretted the utter lack of old records, referring to the early history of the province.

Dr. Melvin, chief medical health officer, addressed the institute on the inspection of schools by medical officers and found that about forty schools had not been visited during the year.

Lieut. Col. A. B. Snow, inspector of New Brunswick Cadet Corps, addressed the institute on cadet training camps.

The cadets' camp will be held at Sussex from July 30th and the teachers' camp will open at St. John on July 19th, officers' pay of \$3 per day and allowances as for the militia being available for those attending the teachers' camp.

Before adjournment the resolutions committee reported.

Women's Prohibition Committee Rooms

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All information given as to voting.

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I teach men to drink lemon extract and bring reputable firms to court as malefactors.

I take away the chance of life from those living in remote districts in event of a "flu" epidemic.

I put the honored men of the medical profession in a false position and tempt them to become law breakers.

I violate the fundamental principle of British law in that I require a prisoner to establish his own innocence.

I delegate despotic power to an official known as the Chief Inspector and give him authority over the Governor-in-Council.

I am the product of a race which long ago repudiated British allegiance and which now refuses to accept its international obligations.

I am the outcropping of the spirit which sought the expression of religious freedom in a new land and then proceeded to burn the witches at Salem.

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