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Captain Read's Bravery.

As our readers are well aware, Captain Joseph Read owed his seat in the Legislature during the last session to the vote of the Sheriff of Prince County, not to the consent of a majority of the electors of the Bedeque district. Our readers are also familiar with the fact that the Sheriff, in order to afford himself an opportunity of giving a casting vote, exceeded his legal powers and, acting in an unwarranted judicial capacity, struck off votes that had been polled for Mr. Delaney, the Conservative candidate. Having thus wiped out Mr. Delaney's majority and created a tie between the two candidates, the Sheriff gave his casting vote for Captain Read and then declared him elected. This, in brief, is the history of the case as laid before our readers at the time these performances occurred. The case was so notorious and so glaringly unjust and illegal, that it aroused a storm of adverse criticism. In an attempt to justify the unjust, illegal and contemptible proceedings of the Sheriff and his candidate, Captain Read had the temerity to fly into print in the public press. In this performance he came out a very poor second, and emerged from the controversy badly scorched. In pursuing the course he did, and in attempting to justify it by his letters to the newspapers, Captain Read was but an echo of the Government; for the Sheriff that elected him is the Government's employe and hirling; therefore the Captain was only a voting instrument foisted upon the Legislature by the Government, through the instrumentality of their paid servant.

Captain Read is nothing if not a boaster, and notwithstanding the untenable, humiliating and dishonorable position occupied by him, in consequence of the above enumerated performances he boasted through the press of his success, and expressed himself as proud of the majority of one given him by the Sheriff of Prince County. He went further and expressed the desire that Mr. Delaney would bring the case to court, where he would be glad to appear and vindicate his claim to his seat in the Legislature. In order to facilitate matters, and to remove all obstacles from Mr. Delaney's path in initiating legal proceedings, the Captain made a pretence of his willingness to let Mr. Delaney have, on his personal note, the money necessary to set the machinery of the courts in motion. He was told very pointedly, by Mr. Delaney in a letter to the newspapers, that he (Mr. Delaney) did not stand in need of any money of which Mr. Read might have the handling; that he had money of his own, and that the Captain was not entitled to any thanks for his feigned generosity.

In due time, that Captain Read pretended to desire so earnestly occupied, Mr. Delaney filed a petition against the return of Captain Read, containing counts for illegal and corrupt practices, and for a scrutiny of votes, and also claiming the seat. Here was Captain Read's opportunity; here was his ostensible cherished desire about to be gratified; here was Mr. Delaney coming into court to give the Captain an opportunity to vindicate his right to the seat in the Legislature which his opponents claimed he had

illegally and shamefully usurped. Well, the case was called for trial at Summerside on Wednesday last 16th inst. But where was the Captain; what had become of his bravery and his boasting? He was not present, and no intimation was made by counsel that the doughty Captain had the slightest notion of vindicating his right to the seat he had occupied in the Legislature during the last session. On the contrary, it was intimated to the court by counsel for the respondent that Captain Read would resign the seat, as soon as he returned home, (he being absent from the Province at that date). Counsel for Read having given an undertaking to the petitioner that this would take place, the petitioner was dismissed.

So this is the denouement; this is the outcome of all Captain Read's boasting and blustering; all his pretended courage and bravery vanished into thin air. Look at the humiliating and politically dishonorable position which the Captain now occupies before the public. He allowed himself to be made a political tool to assist the Government in an emergency; he accepted from the Government's hired servant a seat in the Legislature, to which the people of the fourth district of Prince refused to elect him; he usurped a position that did not belong to him. All these facts were made plain to him; but still he held on for the session. Now he is obliged to humiliate himself to the dust, and confess before the world that he occupied an untenable position, and that the seat he occupied did not belong to him; that he had no constitutional claim to it. Knowing all this and having, by his action confessed all this, his next step should be if he has a spark of political honor or honesty left, to hand over to Mr. Delaney the two hundred dollars sessional indemnity he received for occupying a seat that belonged to his opponent.

First District of Queen's.

The by-election for the Local Legislature in the first district of Queen's County, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Speaker Smith, takes place on Wednesday July 7th. The candidates are Mr. Myres, on the Opposition side and Mr. Crosby on the Government side. The campaign opened on Monday evening of this week and is now in full swing. This contest affords the electors of the first district an excellent opportunity to place themselves on record against a Government that have betrayed the trust reposed in them that have falsified every promise and broken every pledge made to the people. The party now in power in this Province clambered into office under false pretences and have managed to remain there through deception. On all questions of public policy they have failed to realize their promises to the electors, and have managed to prolong their official existence by glossing over their shortcomings and dangling before the eyes of the unwary. They gained power eight years ago on the cry that they would make revenue and expenditure meet, that there should be no more deficits. They proclaimed from the house tops that the Province would not be allowed to go further into debt; that hence forward we should have a clean sheet, and that the day of taxation was far off. With these falsehoods on their lips and with political hypocrisy in their hearts, they gained power, and after eighteen

years of their rule, the finances of our Province are brought to a sorry plight. When the party now in power took office, the most they could make the debt and liabilities of the Province was \$171,000. Instead of preventing any addition to these figures, they have run them up to over one million dollars. The last year the Conservatives were in power, the interest charge amounted to \$2,697.44; the interest paid on the Provincial debt last year was \$38,559.44. Besides an amount of \$10,713.08 interest accrued on private loans. These figures afford the public some idea of the shameful, scandalous manner in which the Government have falsified their promises to make revenue and expenditure meet; of the brazen-faced political hypocrisy with which they have flaunted their incompetence, their extravagance and their political deception in the face of the electorate. Instead of keeping the day of taxation far off, as they promised when they were seeking power, the Liberals have taxed everything in sight and have wrung from the pockets of the people of this Province, an average of about \$54,000 a year. In brief, the Government now in power have added about \$900,000 to the Provincial debt; have increased the annual interest charge about \$36,000, and have taken from the people in the shape of taxes, over \$900,000. Do the Government expect that the electors of the second district will condone these scandalous violations of plighted political faith and honor; do they imagine the electors of that district will not be glad of the opportunity to repudiate a Government and a party so deeply steeped in political falsehood and crime?

Not only in the matters referred to, have the Government proved false, and forfeited the confidence of the people. In every public question effecting the welfare of this Province, they have acted a double part and appear to have been actuated by no other motives than political deception. In nothing has this been more glaringly manifest than in connection with the school-book matter. The high price and frequent changes in school books constitute a hardship that bears heavily on the parents of school children in this Province. It is a grievance from which they have suffered long and which the Government has failed to remedy. It is quite unnecessary to dwell at any length upon the hardship this imposes on poor parents with several children attending school; they are all quite conversant therewith. Three years ago, the Leader of the Opposition called attention to this matter in the Legislature and presented a resolution calculated to remedy the evil. The Leader of the Government asked Mr. Mathieson not to press his resolution and the Government themselves would take up the matter. Mr. Mathieson consented to this, but when the next session came round, he enquired into the matter again and found that nothing had been done. The school book, who had a monopoly in this matter, seemed to have the Government by the throat, and rather than break with these monopolists, the poor parents who were paying two prices for school books were allowed to suffer. Mr. Mathieson then lost no time in proposing a resolution similar to the one presented the previous year. The Government knew the Leader of the Opposition would not be caught a second time; so they accepted the preamble to his resolution, and substituted a charge for the body of the resolution placing the matter of appointing a commission in the Government's hands. That was

the session before last; but nothing more was heard of the matter, until the very day the writs for the general Provincial election, when the announcement of the appointment of a commission was made. After the elections no word was heard about the operations of the committee until Mr. Mathieson asked about the matter last session. Then it was stated from the Government side that the commission had met and organized. The matter seemed then to stop there till some time after the writ for the election in the first district was issued, when the members of the commission began holding meetings in several parts of the Province, particularly in the second district of Queen's. All this time the school-book ring held their monopoly and the parents have to pay the double price for school books. With this evidence before them, do the people think the Government have any sincerity in this matter; do the people think the Government are making any effort to lighten the burden this monopoly imposes on parents?

The people will better understand the Government's hollow pretence by taking into account the conduct of other Liberal Governments, in similar circumstances, in whose footsteps our Government seem to be following. A grievance similar to ours existed in Ontario for many years under Liberal Governments. Mr. Whitney frequently called attention to the matter, and the Government appointed a commission same as the Haszard Government has done. This commission had many meetings; but no remedy came to the parents, who had to buy the school books; the monopolists seem to have had the administration by the throat. When Mr. Whitney came into power in 1905, he at once grappled with this evil. When he grappled to investigate what the commission had been doing he found that all their records had been destroyed; thus showing the whole business had been a fraud. His Government took hold man-fashion, and in a short time the ring was broken and the parents, who had been obliged to pay \$115 for a set of four readers, now buy a set for 39 cents. All other books are reduced in price in the same proportion. A reduction of seventy per cent is made from the monopoly prices, and a saving per year to the purchasers of books for the whole Province, of \$125,000. That is how a Conservative Government rescued the people of Ontario from a book-ring fostered by the Liberals.

Ontario is not the only place where the purchasers of school-books have been rescued from a scandalous monopoly. Mr. Hazen Leader of the N. B. Opposition tried to force the Government to relieve the people in this matter; but with no success. But Mr. Hazen came into power in March 1908, and before two months the ring was broken and the people received their school books at a reduction of forty per cent from the prices allowed to be charged by the Liberal Government. We will further develop this question in a future issue. In the mean time let the people seriously consider the attitude of the respective parties regarding this matter, of equal vital interest to parents and children. The Liberal Ontario Government stood by the monopolists and no relief was given the people until the Whitney Conservative Government came into power. The Liberal Government in New Brunswick did the same thing. When Mr. Mathieson took the matter up in our Legislature the monopoly was in force in New Brunswick and for a year afterwards; but as soon as the Conservatives got power, relief came, and the people of that Province have been enjoying cheaper school-books for over a year; but the Government of Prince Edward Island have appointed a commission; that commission is now holding meetings; but the people are still paying the monopoly prices for their school books. The people have the remedy in their own hands, and especially the people of the first district of Queen's. Let them vote against the Government so as to bring about a change, then they will get cheaper school-books. The electors of the first district have a serious and important duty thrust upon them in this contest. They have seen the party in power playing false, and betraying us, regarding the Provincial finances; the taxes; our claims against Canada; the tunnel; the school book question, and every other public matter of vital importance to this Province. The eyes of the Province are on this

district during this contest; the electors of that district have it in their power to strike a mortal blow at the perpetrators of all this political turpitude, and to relieve the Province of the incapable and ruinous administration that has brought us to the verge of financial and political bankruptcy. Will the electors of the first district rise to the occasion?

Political Meetings

The undersigned will meet the electors of the First District of Queen's County at the following places: Irishmen Hall, Monday, June 21 French River, Tuesday, June 22 Clifton, Wednesday, June 23 Hope River, Thursday, June 24 Springville, Friday, June 25 Grandin, Monday, June 28 Bradalbane, Tuesday, June 29 Fredericton, Wednesday, June 30 Emyvale, Thursday, July 1 Kelly's Cross, Friday, July 2 Bonshaw, Saturday, July 3 Crapaud, Monday, July 5 All meetings at 7 30 p. m.

JOHN MYERS, C. W. CROSBY, June 19, 1909.

Mortgage Sale.

To be sold by Public Auction in front of the Law Courts Building in Charlottetown on Tuesday the 27th day of July A. D. 1909 at the hour of twelve o'clock noon under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an indenture of Mortgage bearing date the eighteenth day of March A. D. 1885 and made between James Gallant of Oyster Bed Bridge, Renton, Lo. or Township number twenty four in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, farmer, and Charlotte Gallant his wife of the one part and the undersigned of the other part:

Examination for Teachers' Licences.

Table with columns for Candidate Name, First Class, and Total marks possible. Includes names like Mabel McKinnon, Lulu Ross, Alberton, Francis J. McGarry, St. Dunstan's, John J. McKinnon, St. Dunstan's, Frank Byrne, Millicove, Annie McDonald, Covehead.

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MacLELLAN BROS., HAVE MOVED TO 73 LOWER QUEEN STREET, Next door to John McKenna's Grocery, 3 BLOCKS BELOW OLD STAND.

LOCAL and OTHER ITEMS.

Wm. Farrington, painter, while at work on a ladder, in Toronto fell to the ground sustaining injuries from which he died.

At the parochial Mass at St. Peter's on Sunday last, following the Requiem for the late Angus McIntyre, Rev. J. B. McIntyre preached an eloquent and appropriate sermon.

The ecclesiastical retreat for the clergy of this diocese opened at St. Dunstan's College on Monday of this week and continues till Saturday. The retreat is preached by Rev. T. J. Campbell S. J.

The fire situation at Bay Du Vin and Black River N. B. is still fraught with danger. Thirteen families have moved their household effects to the fields fearing destruction of their homes.

While engaged in fishing lobsters off Cape Tormentine a young man named Fred Stanley was drowned by being knocked overboard by the swinging around of the main boom during a strong wind.

Shortly before one o'clock Thursday morning the factory of the Great West Saddlery Company Winnipeg was discovered to be on fire in the fourth story.

The residence of Malcolm Beaton at Hunter River was destroyed by fire Friday morning. When the fire was discovered a number of the people from the village endeavored to put it out.

A triduum opened in St. Dunstan's Cathedral on the Feast of the Sacred Heart and closed on Sunday evening.

For the first time in history a telephone was installed on the 17th in the National Whaling Bank of London, Canada.

Boston advices of the 18th say: The maimed and injured in the re-fought battle of Bunker Hill, yesterday came near rivaling the actual battle of 184 years ago.

As the result of a big sightseeing automobile racing wild, while filled with merry-makers on the way home from Coney Island N. Y. six are in the hospital with severe injuries.

Floating on her cargo of lumber, her bows crushed and the crew of six men camped on top of the deck in the two masted schooner Hunter, which left St. John on Tuesday was towed up Boston harbor Sunday.

The steamer Waco, Captain Ritchey, of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co., arrived at St. John's Sunday afternoon from St. John's Nfld., where the steamer had been with a cargo of coal.

Sunday forenoon at 11.30, when the people were in church fire broke out in the dwelling house of Fidelis P. Gauthier of North Boston, starting from the chimney.

A local inventor at Bevoyn Nebraska dropped 3,000 feet in a crippled aeroplane the other day. He was not seriously hurt.

LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS

Souris Tea.—The Parishioners of St. Mary's, Souris, will hold their Annual Tea on Wednesday, July 14th.

The C. P. R. has started work near Winnipeg on the telephone system which will stretch from ocean to ocean.

Rev. T. J. Campbell, S. J., who is conducting the ecclesiastical retreat at the College this week, preached an eloquent sermon at the high Mass in St. Dunstan's Cathedral on Sunday.

The British cruiser Sagho, which was reported in collision off Dungeness, has arrived off Dover in a sinking condition.

A northwest squall drove the British three masted schooner Hartney ashore on the northwest end of Outpost Island, Mass., Saturday, and it was with difficulty that a volunteer crew rescued the crew from their perilous position.

Ten persons were killed and 40 injured in a wreck on the South Bend, Indiana Railway last Saturday night, two big electric cars colliding head on.

The captain of the Cunard steamer Slavonia, which was wrecked last week on Flores Island, in the Azores, telegraphed to Liverpool that it is impossible to save the vessel and that she will be a total wreck.

As a result of a most regrettable accident at Windsor, N. B., Sunday, one of St. John's popular young men met a watery grave. Fred Robinson was the victim of a collision between a salmon boat of which he was an occupant and the yacht Felvuen.

Neither the British Foreign Office or the Russian Embassy at London has issued a statement regarding the British steamer Woodwing, being fired on by a Russian warship in the vicinity of Viborg.

Paul Brennan, G. T. R. Yardmaster, at the Central Depot, Ottawa, was instantly killed by falling from a shunting engine in the station yard Thursday morning.

While 16 children attending a Sunday school picnic at Martin Springs, Georgia, were standing under a tree to escape a passing shower, a bolt of lightning struck the tree, and every child was rendered unconscious.

The Canadian Pacific is just completing the highest locomotive ever built in Canada, which was designed by Mr. H. H. Vaughan and built at the Angus shops, Montreal.

Some time during Friday last a supply train, bearing dynamite, ties, rails, tools, and a large crowd of Italian workmen, left Corbetville, N. B., for the end of the G. T. P. construction.

Friday afternoon, Corvill lines, were started by wire that the S. S. Campana ran ashore on Thursday night, twenty miles below Quebec. The steamer sailed from Charlottetown on Monday night for Montreal.

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LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS

Archbishop McDonald, of Pictou, is attending the ecclesiastical retreat at St. Dunstan's college.

The Mauretania's passengers from New York were landed in London in five days and eight hours.

The breaking of a dam at Surprise B. C. sent a wall of water eight feet high into Lake Atlin, destroyed a bridge that cost \$250,000, a saw mill and much other valuable property.

Yesterday there were 90 degrees of heat in Toronto and 82 in Montreal. At St. Agatha, Quebec, there were 2 inches of snow.

In the Patriot Marathon race here on Monday, Michael Thomas, an Indian from Lennox Island was the winner.

Reports from Toronto say that six cases of Smallpox have developed there. Infection has been spread by a clerk in a seed store who continued working with the rash on his face.

It is feared at Rhohtoboko N. B. that two young fishermen, Daniel O'Leary and David Long have been drowned. They went out on Friday trawling for mackerel, and no tidings of them have been had since.

Mr. Peter McDonald, of West St. Peter's valedictorian of St. Dunstan's, graduating class in 1907, now ecclesiastical student in the Seminary of St. Paul, for the diocese of Helena, Arizona, arrived on the Island last night, to spend a vacation.

The idea of a public fund for the purchase of ships is strongly supported in London by Secretary Balfour who says that the War Office will accept the gift.

Lorne McGibbon, of Montreal who a couple of years suffered from tuberculosis, and was cured by spending considerable time in the Adirondacks, has decided to give \$125,000 for the erection of a sanatorium for the treatment of the disease, at St. Agatha, in the Laurentide Mountains.

DIED

At Kensington, on the 10th inst., after an illness of three months, Austin John Pendergast, son of Edward and Mrs. Pendergast, aged 84 years, his funeral to St. Mary's, Indian River on Saturday, 12th, was very largely attended.

Suddenly, in this city, on the 18th inst., Stephen E. McLellan, carpenter, aged 60 years. He had been about as usual on Tuesday, and took ill when returning from the market about noon.

At Cable Head on the 18th inst., after a week's illness of pneumonia, Angus McIntyre aged 63 years. Deceased with his wife and child and his aged mother lived on the old homestead, a large estate. Two brothers Augustus A. and Peter A. live in the States, the former in Bangor, Maine, and the latter in New York.

In this city on the 19th inst. Dorcas Octavia Pedder widow of the late Theophilus DeBrisay, and daughter of the late Lieut Col. Peter DeBrisay Stewart R. A., in the 90th year of her age. R. I. P.

The Market Prices.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Butter, Calf skins, Ducks, Eggs, Fowls, Chickens, Flour, Hides, Hay, Mutton, Oatmeal, Potatoes, Pork, Sheep pelts, Turkeys, Geese, Blk cats, Pressed hay, Straw.

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Calendar for June, 1909.

Moon's Phases. Full Moon 3d. 9.1. 25m a. m. Last Quarter 10.1. 10h. 43m. p. m. New Moon 17.1. 7h. 23m. a. m. First Quarter 25.1. 2h. 43m. p. m.

Table with columns: Day of Week, Sun, Moon, High Water, Low Water. Rows for days of the month.

The Wrinkled Front of War

The man in the street in Canada has commenced to do a lot of thinking since the press conference in London began.

Since the press conference has commenced it is drawing on Canadians that the men on whom the safety of the Empire depends have deliberately called together press delegates from all over the Empire to frankly inform them of the European situation.

And nothing could be more alarming than the openly expressed sentiments of such men as Lord Rosebery, Mr. Haldane, Mr. Balfour, Sir Edward Grey and others, who have told the press delegates in so many words that the days of battles are returning; that little England is once more face to face with the necessity of defending her liberties, and that she is preparing to do so to the uttermost man and the last shilling.

There is such a thing as being alarmed too easily, and such a thing as being too difficult to alarm. One may be a harmless weakness, but the other is fatal defect.

Some newspaper which did not stop to think before relieving itself of the burden of what it thought was its prophecy, started a report that Sir Wilfrid Laurier would retire before the close of the present Parliament and turn the leadership of the Government and of the Liberal party over to a new man; and some other papers, also without stopping to think, are giving the story currency if not confidence.

Aching Joints

In the fingers, toes, arms, and other parts of the body, are joints that are inflamed and swollen by rheumatism—that acid condition of the blood which affects the muscles also.

Sufferers dread to move, especially after sitting or lying long, and their condition is commonly worse in wet weather.

"I suffered dreadfully from rheumatism but have been completely cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, for which I am deeply grateful." Miss Francis Burns, Prescott, Ont.

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It is as plain as a pikestaff that the immense and costly preparations by Germany aim at the conquest of Great Britain. The question may be asked, what object would she have? Like all modern wars it is a pure matter of business.

Germany has a population of 60,000,000 and she is becoming a commercial rival of Great Britain in the production of manufactures of nearly every description. But she has no outlet for her national energy, and a very restricted market for her manufactures. She has no colonies worthy of the name, to relieve the congestion of population. Every other country except Britain, and every colony of Great Britain, has a protective tariff against her.

Notwithstanding the alarm in Britain, Germany's preparations continue with unabated vigor, and Lord Roberts knows what he is talking about when he says that there will be a crisis in the affairs of the Empire within twenty months. When once the people of the whole Empire are thoroughly seized of the danger, it is extremely unlikely that we will sit back and calmly watch the completion of preparations for our overthrow.

There is no doubt that the Liberal party will be ready to demand her intentions, and the more quickly and completely Britain can oppose an overwhelming naval force to thwart Germany's aspirations, the more hope there will be of a backward and a complete assurance of peace.

There is such a thing as being alarmed too easily, and such a thing as being too difficult to alarm.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier. (Montreal Gazette.)

Some newspaper which did not stop to think before relieving itself of the burden of what it thought was its prophecy, started a report that Sir Wilfrid Laurier would retire before the close of the present Parliament and turn the leadership of the Government and of the Liberal party over to a new man; and some other papers, also without stopping to think, are giving the story currency if not confidence.

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Of course, the Alaska-Yukon Expedition, to be held at Seattle, Wash., from June 1st to October 16th, will be the main feature, and this has led a number of our large patriotic, social and benevolent bodies to hold their Annual Conventions in the West this year.

The following are some of the organizations who will hold their annual convention in the West this year: National Association Women's Suffrage, Seattle, Wash., July 1 to 7, 1909.

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