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CAMPBELLTON-GASPE BOAT SERVICE

Who Was Responsible For Poor Service—Too Much Politics

Early in the spring of 1916 the merchants of Campbellton as well as those on the coast as far as Paspébecq, concerned themselves about a boat service along the coast from Campbellton down. The Board of Trade took hold of the matter and their very eminent President, F. E. Blackhall, assisted by the Secy, Mr. Harry Smith gave all the assistance possible. It was soon found that a certain Capt. Beattie could supply a proper boat, one that would accommodate passengers as well as carry freight to and from the several ports along the route.

Communications was opened with Ottawa and it appeared that a sufficient subsidy could be secured. To complete the transaction a delegation was sent by the Campbellton Board of Trade to Ottawa to complete arrangements. Captain Beattie stood ready to put his boat, a very desirable one, on the route within a few days after the opening of navigation. The delegation to Ottawa was accompanied by Capt. Beattie of the S. S. City of Ghent.

Our political friends, Mr. Stewart and Montgomery pulled wires sufficiently to be asked to accompany the delegation. Ever afterwards mystery and darkness.

Capt. Beattie was asked to stand aside, not point blank, told he was not wanted, but just fooled along. In the meantime a new boat was named and new communications were being made. The season was advancing. No boat in the service. The next we hear is that S. S. Elaine is engaged for the service, which S. S. was reported to be in a condition to begin service "right away", in a day or two. May passed away, then June passed in its long days and no boat on the service. The committee always urging and always put off. July came, and partly went and at last the S. S. Elaine was put on the route. Day ye gods, such a boat, a terry boat or so it is reported. Now the season is past and the Board of Trade, the farmers and the business men are asking "Why is this thus?" Whose hand manipulated this deal. The Board of Trade and its committee only know that the facts stand as everyone knows about. But the Stewart and Montgomery part was never explained. Maybe Stewart would like to have the floor for a few minutes to explain. The explanation is asked for. The public got a very late, inefficient service. What did he get?

LOCAL ADMINISTRATION GOING DOWN TO DEFEAT

Men who Know Trend of Public Opinion Say that People are up in Arms.

Time for a charge! Turn the Crafters Out! These are the expressions that have been so popular as during the present campaign. That it is time for a charge it is that the Opposition will have from freely admitted by many former supporters of the present government, house. Men who travel every County. This government has been in power of the province say that the government nearly three years and during that time will be defeated and that Mr. time many Royal Commissions and W. H. Foster will have a large majority of the seats in the house.

What do you think of the borrowed money from Montreal?—One of the no money records then ours. Are the silent kind, eh?

supervisor of a certain district to purchase the few rods of wire fencing needed to provide a railing for a small highway bridge, as he wished to attend to said purchase. The bridge was without any protection for months while one local representative was looking after this trifling matter.

Mr. Stewart, as our representative should be above such petty transactions.

DO NOT BE DECEIVED ABOUT PROHIBITION.
A woman interested in prohibition writes to the Telegraph saying that canvassers there for the Government are making the assertion—Which is False—That if the Opposition is returned to power the prohibitory law will be delayed eighteen months. . . . No one should be deceived by this untrue statement.

The Opposition leaders, Mr. Foster, has pledged himself on many platforms to enforce the law, without delay, if he is in charge of the Government. Opposition candidates everywhere are signing the pledge distributed by the New Brunswick Prohibition Alliance.

The prohibitory law is already on the statute books and will come into force on May 1. If the opposition party is successful at the polls, the prohibitory law, as it stands, will be carried into effect with out delay.

The Government is deliberately making use of a dishonest and disgraceful canvass on this subject. Let nobody be deceived.

MR. WILLIAM CURRIE ANSWERS TRIBUNE

Had No Connection With Home Investment Co.—Those Saloons

The Campbellton Tribune in its recent issue goes out of its way to attack Mr. William Currie, and makes some statements which are entirely false.

Mr. Currie has phoned the following statement for publication: "I wish to state that I had no connection in any way, shape or form with the Home Investment Co. of Vancouver, by which company Mr. Crockett says there were a large number of people victimized in this country. Any company with which I was connected did not at any time do any business with anybody in the town of Campbellton or in the County of Restigouche. Moreover while I was in the West I never invested for anyone in the East nor did I ever advise anybody in the East to invest in western property."

With regard to the two bar-rooms Mr. Crockett refers to. When visiting the West in 1909, when real estate was booming and when people turned real estate one day and turned it over the next, making large sums of money, I purchased a property in the heart of Vancouver. A brick block, three stories high, which included a branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, a hotel, a restaurant and laundry. When I discovered that there was a bar-room in the place I exchanged it for a wholesale property on Water Street which was sold later. This is all the answer I have to give to Mr. Crockett's assertions.

With regard to the road plow and the Hon. Mr. LaBrosse I have only to say that he is extremely foolish and I will not occupy the valuable space of your paper to make any further remarks or explanation.

THE ROAD MACHINE.
It now transpires that the road machine of stealing was handed over to the town long before Mr. Currie became a member of the legislature. What seems to trouble the said newspaper is that anything should be presented to the town of Campbellton without the town having to pay for it.

SAWDUST.
The government is calling on an election before the Prohibition Act comes into force. Its candidates require stimulants to face the many grave true charges that will be hurled at them before polling day.

Mr. D. A. Stewart says he has aspired to a forecast seat on the government ship of state. We believe him. No, nothing but the best cabin on the quarter deck would suit Mr. David A.

The government (both local and federal) contract plum tree seems to grow in Mr. D. A. Stewart's orchard, and he or his clerk have a monopoly of picking the ripe fruit therefrom.

Government speakers didn't seem to have much of a piece to speak. Even the celebrated hired orator didn't "orate."—Well, no mught!

Well, Well, Well, Dalhousie well! Legalized and purified by legislation. Abraham won a place in history by making wells. Perhaps Billy will taste some day.

Certain words have won fame by a striking phrase in their speech. Sir George E. Foster uttered the phrase "splendid isolation". Our worthy member that would-be for Campbellton has coined as his great phrase "Who is this Anselow, anyway."

That big, silent, handsome forecast member that wants to be wouldn't his "bust" look well in a public square in the town? But then come to think of it "bust" are going out of fashion even of illustrious cabinet ministers.

HOW TO VOTE.
"All votes shall be given by ballot. On such ballots there shall be written or printed the names of all, or any number of candidates. The voter shall mark through or strike out the names of all except the names of the two candidates for whom he wishes to vote. Do not put an X opposite any names."

CARD OF THANKS.
Mrs. James H. S. Downs and daughter of Tide Head, wish to thank their many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown them in their recent sad bereavement.

SALE AND TEA.
Don't forget the tea and sale of home cooking to be held at the home of Mrs. John C. Ferguson on Friday Feb. 23rd. Admission fifteen cents.

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HOW GAME LAWS ARE ENFORCED

The county of Restigouche is noted for its laxity in enforcing the game laws and big game are being slaughtered throughout all sections of the county and deer and moose meat is sold every week during the winter right here in Campbellton.

Sometime ago a Tobique resident who had killed a moose gave a government supporter a choice round of steak and a day or two after an officer visited his premises and seized all the meat.

At another time a prominent government merchant had a quantity of moose meat in his store and was selling it over the counter. A gentleman who knew of this, but also knew that it would be worse than useless to complain to the local officer, so he wrote direct to the Crown Land office.

What was done with his letter?

It was returned here to our local representative, who in turn showed it to the accused government supporter. Is this enforcing the law without partiality.

DAILY EXPECTED
A company of soldiers are daily expected here and will take up their quarters at the barracks. From whence they are to come or of what Battalion is not known at present.

SELLING GOODS TO GOVERNMENT

Mr. D. A. Stewart Indirectly Sells Lumber, Hardware and Cement

According to the Independence of Parliament act it is a crime, punishable by a heavy fine for any member of the legislature to enter into contract with the government for the construction of any work or the supplying of any materials.

Of course Mr. D. A. Stewart, M. L. A., is not ignorant of this law, and searches out ways and means of evading same.

Every since he has been elected to the legislature he has sold lumber, hardware and cement to the government and the accounts have been rendered in the name of big book-keeper, J. L. Winton.

In the Auditor's report for 1913-1914, 1915 we find that Mr. Winton has been paid practically \$1000. for cement alone, while scattered throughout the reports are items for lumber, hardware, etc., which amount to about as large a sum.

Then there are other sales tucked away where they are difficult to find. Why it is even said that Mr. Stewart, M. L. A., would not permit the road

CARD

To the Electors of the County of Restigouche. GENTLEMEN:—

This Honor the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of New Brunswick having dissolved the Legislative Assembly of the Province and ordered a general Election to be held on the Twenty Fourth day of February instant, and the undersigned have been chosen to contest the County of Restigouche in the interests of the Opposition, we now offer ourselves as Candidates to represent this County in the Legislature.

The limited period allowed between the dissolution of the House coupled with the severity of the weather as well as the very bad state of roads will prevent us from holding meetings in the various sections of this large County but we shall visit as many sections as possible and hope to meet many of you to discuss the Political questions of the day.

We as Candidates in Opposition to the present Government which has during the past years so misgoverned the Province, will adhere to and support the platform laid down by the Opposition in Convention held at the City of Saint John in January 1916.

REQUESTING YOUR SUPPORT at the election on the Twenty Fourth instant and assuring you that if elected we shall use our best endeavors to assist in giving the Province wise and honest administration and that we shall to the best of our abilities safeguard the interests of the Province in general and of the County of Restigouche in particular, we are,

Yours very sincerely,

WM. CURRIE
ARTHUR T. LeBLANC

NOMINATION DAY PROCEEDINGS AT DALHOUSIE SATURDAY.

Candidates Address Electors for Half Hour Each and all get Good Hearing.—Sympathies of Meeting Strongly in Favor of Opposition—Refused to Hear Montgomery.

Saturday, Feb. 17th was nomination day at Dalhousie and was crowded with electors long before noon. At 10 o'clock Sheriff Stewart opened his court and read the writ calling the election.

Shortly after 10 o'clock, M. A. Kelly Esq., acting for Messrs Wm. Currie and Arthur T. LeBlanc, filed their nomination papers. And shortly after H. A. Carr, Esq. acted in like capacity for Messrs Stewart and Culligan.

At noon the courts was adjourned to meet March 3rd, declaration day.

At 2 o'clock the Dalhousie Opera House was crowded to the doors with electors eager to hear the candidates.

The government party wanted to allow all comers to speak, while the opposition wished the speaking restricted to the candidates, and no agreement was reached.

Sheriff Stewart was chosen chairman and stated that he would allow thirty minutes to address the meeting, and this arrangement was agreed to.

Hon. Arthur Culligan was the first speaker.

HON. ARTHUR CULLIGAN.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: In regard to that convention held in Campbellton I must say it was one of the best and most represented convention I chanced to be at within the last fifteen or twenty years. On looking around that room during the convention and seeing such a large crowd of people who came from all parts of the country, I made up my mind that this contest would be an easy one and I have not changed my mind since. Now let us take into consideration the different criticism that have been passed in regard to us. Let us start right now with those roads they think we have not bettered any. During the last four or five years we built about forty five bridges and where roads are concerned I am sure that the people will say the Bridges and roads are in a far superior condition than what they were left in by the last government. Some of the opposition people want to know why we are changing the road policy so often. Well the only reason is that the conditions of the country are changing daily. For myself I might say that since 1912 the interests and welfare of the electors of this County have always been handled by me to the very best of my ability. Mr. Stewart and myself have always had before us continually the welfare of the public. I myself last year performed a feat that seemed almost impossible to do before and that was to go all around through the country by way of the Tobique, Balmoral and just about as far down as the county runs. Now this must be due to the better roads, and such was made by this present government and government to be. I was told last fall that some of our opposition friends began to criticize and even went so far as to make a statement that we were holding out our hand for graft. Well Gentlemen I want to assure you here, you the electors of this county that I entered into politics with a clean conscience. I do not have to get graft to make a living, Thank God. When this government came into power there were only thirteen agriculture Societies in good standing in the province. Today we find from forty three to forty four divided throughout the Province. This goes to show the government of to-day is taking an interest in the farmers of the Province. The Colonization Policy of the Government to-day to my mind is a very good one. There has been more people brought into the Province these last few years. The L. N. R. for instance has been opened up and a new Parish formed up there. There is somewhere about five thousand people there and the government is help-

ing to build good roads, getting grants and helping out every way. Now there has been more grants issued in one year in this province than there was issued by the old government in nine years throughout the whole Province, and I know it is the intention of the Government to continue to colonize the country. I am no public speaker but I want to assure you that the idea of some people is to get the most they can out of the government and then stand up and say they never have recourse to graft. What you want is men who go down to a rectorian and work. Mr. Stewart and myself have done our utmost to look after your interests. I would ask you to look back at the record and compare the record of the old government with the record of the present government and I feel sure you will make up your minds before the 24th Feb. to cast your ballot in favor of Mr. Stewart and myself and the Murray Government. I feel quite sure we are going to be elected with a big majority taken out of the county. Starting out in the Parish of Durham we will start out there with at least three hundred majority. Colborne in 1912 we had a majority of one, two or three but without a doubt we will this time take at least seventy five to one hundred majority. Parish of Dalhousie will have a larger majority than last time. I may say

that we are not all perfect in Government. If we find a man who does any wrong we immediately appoint a Royal Commissioner to investigate the charge and if he is found guilty we turn him out which is more than the old government did.

Now in closing I ask you to vote for Stewart and Culligan and good clean government.



WM. CURRIE

Opposition Platform

The following platform was adopted at the Opposition Convention held in St. John recently:

In the event of the Opposition being returned to power, we pledge ourselves—

NO PARTIZAN CONTROL OF CROWN LANDS.

1. We pledge ourselves to completely reorganize the Crown-Lands Department, so that its administration shall be entirely severed from politics and administered on sound business principles under systematic plans by a non-partizan commission specially appointed for that purpose, responsible to the Legislature and working in co-operation with the Dominion Commission of Conservation.

TAKE THE HIGHWAYS OUT OF POLITICS.

2. We pledge ourselves to take the highways out of politics, giving the expenditure of the money collected from the people and the control of the labor, together with the Government appropriations, into the hands of supervisors, chosen by the people of each parish, to whom a detailed and audited account must be rendered every year at the annual meeting, and a duplicate thereof forwarded to the Department of Public Works, the work of the supervisors to be under the inspection of a competent provincial engineer.

We also pledge ourselves to set aside the money collected from the licenses upon automobiles and other motor vehicles, together with an equal appropriation from the revenues of the Province each year, to pay the interest upon the bonds to provide for permanent roads, which shall be constructed as rapidly as possible.

PROHIBITION PROVINCE WIDE.

3. We pledge ourselves at the first session of the Legislature to pass a law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors within the Province to the fullest extent allowed by the Constitution, and within three months after the passage of said Act to submit the same by referendum to the electors of the Province, and should the majority of votes cast be in favor of the said law, then to bring the same into force by proclamation within one year thereafter.

ELECTION LAW.

4. (a) To amend the electoral law so as to make it impossible for members of the Legislature to traffic with the Government and still retain their seats.

(b) To make it possible for young men, when they reach the age of 21 years, to register their names and be placed forthwith upon the voters' lists, instead of waiting for the tedious machinery of revision as it now exists.

(c) To divide the counties into electoral districts which shall each be represented by one member.

(d) We will also consider amendments to the election law to make bribery in municipal as well as provincial elections impossible.

PROVINCIAL FINANCES.

5. To obtain at once a correct statement of the financial condition of the Province in order that the people may have definite knowledge of the vastly increased public debt and the enormous obligations of guaranteed bonds they will be called upon to pay; and to so reduce the cost of the administration of affairs and the number of useless officials as to avoid the necessity for direct taxation now confronting us.

AGRICULTURE.

6. To give the farmers all the practical assistance that the resources of the Province will permit, to improve agricultural methods and the quality and quantity of the stock upon the farm; to reduce the enormous salary list in the department, and to spend the educational grant received from the Federal Government without regard for political patronage.

VALLEY RAILWAY.

7. To complete the Valley Railway from its point on the Trans-continental Railway at or near Grand Falls, to St. John, and insist upon the Dominion Government carrying out the terms of the original legislation and allow the Province forty per cent. of the gross earnings thereof.

EDUCATION.

8. To always maintain and improve the educational service of the Province and to co-operate with the Federal Government in carrying out the recommendations of the commission upon technical education.

IMMIGRATION.

9. The inauguration of a vigorous immigration policy to properly place before intending immigrants, whose number will be large after termination of the war, the advantages of the agricultural possibilities of New Brunswick.

to take some part in the affairs of state of my own native County. I am very glad to meet so many of the electors and to see them here in so large numbers but I am also pleased to see that we have also present a number of ladies. It always seems to elevate and help to keep things in proper order. Although this is a beautiful day I am sorry that we had to meet here at this time, the worst month of the year and in such inclement weather that we have had this far. I am sure that to-day we would feel much better by our firesides looking after our own business and especially at this time when our Country is engaged in this great conflict that has brought so much trouble and suffering to so many homes in this wide world. I am positive and certain that it would have been better if the Government had held this Session. Then part of the year say in June or July when these good roads that our friend Mr. Culligan has been telling us about would be bare of snow then it would be a real pleasure to run through the country in our autos, preparing for this grand election at which Mr. Stewart and Culligan are going to have such a large majority. Did you ever hear about horse races and elections. Well, don't bet on them. It will be just a little over a week from to-day and then the whole story will be known and I am sure that the graft, bribery and corruption that has been going on for the last four or five years will be at an end.

Yes, people, I would say rise up and send this corruption back to the farthest part of the wall. Now let us in to and scrutinize our public debt.

(Man in audience.) Why did you not try and evade some part of it when you were in?

Mr. Currie. I want to answer that gentlemen. Sir: I just had the honor to be there but one year and you cannot accuse me of anything very serious.

I am not going into the particulars of the changes that have taken place in the government. I will only suggest to you that the gentleman Mr. Flemming who came to you for your support four or five years ago and when he told you of the wonderful things the government had done and were going to do and you remember what a nice easy speaker he was and such a nice pleasant fellow he was. Well the facts are these that today he is home looking after his own business and private affairs. Now I think it is very reasonable that every elector in this county who strongly supported him should wonder why he is not at the present time still Premier. You see he was sent home to look after his own affairs.

Clark got sick and he broke down under the load trying to carry it.

Now Murray, a big strong fellow would be quite capable of carrying this load along if he gets in but never fear he is not going to get there to carry this load along. The old government is not on trial. It is only this present government that is on trial and that won't do any good.

A lot of people who were then looking after the welfare of the people are away to their graves and are not here to answer for themselves but the question is this. Is the government we have to-day looking after the affairs of the country in a satisfactory manner? If they are not doing such, well then the only thing that can be done towards having things done properly is to fire them out and try somebody else who will make a better effort to do things more satisfactory. For instance if you had a clerk who was not earthily good whatever, would you keep him in your employ and pay him a big salary. No, on the con-

trary, you would sack him and get some one else that could do his work in a satisfactory manner. Now as good intelligent electors of the County of Restigouche I think this is a fair proposition and we will never be able to get anywhere or do anything worth the mentioning if we do not rise up and look after our own interest.

In our own interests I might say that one thing especially to be considered is the making of good roads, roads that are passable either after a rain storm or dry weather. In such the case with our road in this County, I will leave this to your own opinion.

I will say that I do not care what party is in power as long as they are handling our money and affairs at Fredericton in a satisfactory manner but if they are not taking into consideration the affairs of the people who they represent, well the only thing to do is to get rid of them and that is by firing them out, and if you, the people, will condemn wrong you will purify the government and after a while you will get some one to look after your affairs who in no way thinks of benefiting himself but simply has the welfare of the people at heart.

Graft is a very bad thing, very bad indeed and the perpetrator of these things should be turned out and sent home. The grafter or the dishonest man will steal your goods but rest assured he does not take it all. Extravagance is more wasteful than graft.

I think if they simply tried to throw away the peoples money they could not have done it any better than they have done in the past. For one thing permit me to mention that little bridge this side of the Town of Campbellton, The Mill Creek Bridge.

The very terms of that contract were such that no business man on earth would care to admit he was in any way connected with it. There was no check on the expense, and the profits were outrageous. This little bridge, you all know it a mere iron railing of one short span cost \$452.17. Now how is this amount made up. How is it?

Transportation Ottawa to Fredericton, thence to Campbellton including meals. \$207.00

Cartage, brushes etc. 18.15

Mens wages. 128.62

30 percent on above 104.85

And any painter would do the work for \$30. or \$40.

Now wasn't this extravagant, and there were bridges all over the county painted under this same contract. Now people are satisfied with this. I don't care what party you belong to. We are not running this election on party lines, but what I want you people to know is that your money is being spent for these things and it is all being spent the right way. We believed the making of good roads, roads that are passable either after a rain storm or dry weather. In such the case with our road in this County, I will leave this to your own opinion.

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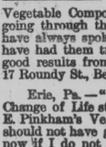
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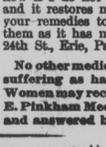
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y remedy for this is to condemn
and, thereby condemn wrong.
Now don't think I am trying to pe-
sude you, the ratepayers of the coun-
ty, to vote for my colleague or my-
self but am simply asking you to vote
ainst anything that is wrong and
at is the present government.
Another thing that is being great-
discussed at present is the Prohibi-
tion Act. Now let me tell you that
ither my colleague Mr. LeBlanc or
myself ever drink. We have the law
the Statute Book with which I have
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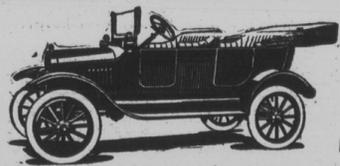
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NOMINATION DAY PROCEED- INGS AT DALHOUSIE

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his speech that when any one in the
Government party had been found
doing wrong that he had been put out.
Yes Mr. Fleming has been put out
and what is he doing today. That
Mr. Fleming who is the chief
speaker in the government campaign
in Carleton County. Is that putting
him out. When he was found guilty
they gave him the Federal Nomina-
tion for Ottawa. It was not my in-
tention to say a word about Mr. Flem-
ing as the poor man is down and out
but when two gentlemen who sat in
the House stand up here and hold up
their hands and say they would put
any government member out who
was found guilty I am afraid there is
something crooked somewhere. Of
course in private life I have nothing
to say against these men but about
their public record I am afraid.
Mr. Culligan has condemned himself
in his own mouth when he said that
anyone doing wrong in the govern-
ment were put out. Now what did
Mr. Stewart and Culligan do. Near
the closing days of the session there
came before the house a resolution,
to give Mr. Fleming a clean record.
A whitewash resolution, and every
government member present voted for
it.

One would think that with the sup-
port you gave Mr. Stewart and Cull-
igan that they would come and render
you an account of such things as were
relative to your welfare.
Did you hear anything about those
good roads that Mr. Stewart has been
telling us he was going to give us.
Up to the present time I fail to see
anything popping up that would make
one thing there were to be an im-
provement on the roads. And why
should we not have better roads? You
will remember that when the Hazen
government was returned to power
an increase of the poll tax from \$1.00
to \$1.50 was made, as well as an in-
crease in the tax rates on property.
This increase would give about \$100,000
per year or over a half million in
eight years. Was this extra money
spent on the roads? I tell you it
does not look like it.

At this point Mr. LeBlanc was
again interrupted, but order was re-
stored by the chairman.

The Opposition wish to bring about
a new state of affairs. I do not care
what your politics are. We do not ap-
peal to you as a political party. We
simply want to go about matters as
business men. Our whole ambition is

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to get the money in the province prop-
erty spent. We want to have the
money returned for the Province to be
spent on the roads and not put some-
where no earthly person can find trace
of it. For the last thirty or forty
years the road law has been made
a political football of both parties and
it is high time the people should make
up their minds and see that this money
is spent properly, that is in a way
that will benefit them and not in a
way that will be most pleasing to the
men who handle their affairs.

Mr. LeBlanc then went fully into
an explanation of the road policy of
the Opposition which is fully set forth
in another page of this issue.

He closed his English address with
an earnest appeal to the electors to
rise above petty politics, to refuse to
be bribed and vote the most corrupt
government New Brunswick has ever
seen out of existence on the 24th.

Great applause and cries of French
French.

Mr. LeBlanc then spoke fifteen min-
utes in French and was frequently ap-
plauded.

When Mr. LeBlanc concluded his
remarks, Mayor W. S. Montgomery
stepped to the front and commenced
to address the electors, but a large
number had already gone out and
many of those present refused to give
him a hearing. The meeting then
adjourned.

Outside of the interruptions during
Mr. LeBlanc's remarks the meeting
was an orderly one. The sympathies of
the large crowd of electors present
were decidedly with the Opposition
candidates and they have every con-
fidence that their party will be vic-
torious on Saturday.

GRAND OPPOSITION RALLY IN OPERA HOUSE

(Continued from page 3)

adopted; but I just want to say a
word about our far bearing animals.
I think they should be more carefully
guarded than they are at present, the
many beaver coats that we see walk-
ing around are living witnesses to the
fact that our beaver are not well pro-
tected I think the Government should
adopt a policy that they would have
heard of every beaver
colony in N. B. and see that the law
is enforced conservation of our For-
est wealth. I spoke of the young
Manhood and Womanhood of our
country as one of our natural resour-
ces; they are our greatest asset. "A
nation's wealth lies not in its Riches
or Armaments but in the Character
of her people" but in the past we
have heard a great deal about pro-
tecting our game and our fisheries
and our Forests but have heard very
little about the protection and well-
fare of our boys and girls.

It will be the duty of the incoming
Government to co-operate with the
Dominion Government in the matter
of Technical Education, Medical in-
spection of the schools should be made
compulsory throughout the Province
and in fact any laws that will safe-
guard the Home and the rising gen-
eration should be enacted and enforced.
Messrs. Stewart and Culligan I
understand are very uneasy about the
Prohibition Bill, the canvass I
understand they are using is, if the
opposition comes into power it will delay
Prohibition coming into force and that
the liquor men are putting up \$75,000.00
in the country to defeat them, well, I
never heard of these men being
great temperance reformers.

Prohibition has been a football
long enough; it is not an issue in this
election; it is now a law on the statute
book and I want to say this to put
everybody's mind at rest. Every
law on the statute book that has for
its object the protection of the Home
and the young manhood and woman-
hood of our country will be improved
and enforced.

IMMIGRATION

Immigration which is the eighth
plank in our Platform which includes
the settling of our returned sol-
diers at the conclusion of the war will
be no small problem, but it should be
grappled with in a proper business
manner. If we want Canada to be
the country it ought to be and which
it is destined to be we want 50 million
more people than we have at present
so that from this time forward we
will require an energetic Immigration
Propaganda. I do not think the Pro-
vince should undertake this independ-
ently but rather in conjunction with

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the Dominion Government the same
thing would apply to our returned sol-
diers.

The Dominion Government should
adopt a comprehensive policy as it has
the larger and ever increasing reven-
ue but the Provincial Government
should work in unison with them.

Mr. Murray, who is Premier
advised himself somewhat in the
old country with a wonderful scheme
for the settling of returned soldiers.
There are two things we require in
this Province towards the carrying
out of his scheme which we have not
got, these are a lot of money and large
tracts of farm land. The first
thing to do with either our immi-
grants or returned soldiers is to make
them happy and contented, this can
only be done by giving them congen-
ial work, so you see you could never
make a farmer of a business man or
a country gentleman out of a man
who loves the city.

One of the most amusing canvasses
Messrs. Stewart and Culligan are us-
ing against me is that their's is the
temperance party and ours is the op-
posite. Now this is certainly inter-
esting. Messrs. Stewart and Culligan
the new apostles of temperance!
But they are only at their old game.
In 1908 this same party tried to im-
pose my feet in this same prohibition
question only at that time the shoe
was on the other foot. I was the can-
didate who favored prohibition. I
have been a temperance man all my
life and I tell you, ladies and gentle-
men it made me loose confidence when
I saw men who were interested in
temperance work vote against me un-
on such grounds as the snap of the
party whip.

But now I am the one who is said
to be opposed to prohibition and these
new apostles of temperance are can-
vassing the county with two kinds of
prohibition medicine. When they meet
a temperance man they hand out some
of their prohibition dope. But if the
elector canvassed will take a little
stimulant the party is opposed and the
anti-prohibition dope administered.
I make this statement knowing it to
be true.

Now what are we up against?
We are known to be temperate men
and can carry only one kind of medi-
cine. But we would rather loose the
election than have to use rum to win.

And besides they have another kind
of medicine. They have the money,
and are spending it freely.

Electors we ask you to forget party
and line up for honest government.
Take off the party glasses which ob-
scure your view and see the corruption
of the present administration. This
is a fight between right and wrong,
are you going to help us win for right
or are you going to vote for graft
and corruption.

There is a little item in this paper
the Tribune which really I do not
think I should refer to but perhaps I
had better say a word or two. It
says "Holy Billy of Vancouver will
preach in the church Saturday even-
ing". Well do you know that I like
that name "Holy Billy". It means a
lot to me and only wish I could live
up to it. I have been in many places
where the people were not as good
church goers as here and I know
Campbellton citizens will agree with
me when I say that this town is a
reflection upon the citizens of this
town. Will you forget party and re-
sist that slur upon the church? Will

the church goers help us to run this
election without money and without
rum.

I have a word to say to the railway
men. You know I have a deep feel-
ing in my heart for railway men.
For twelve years I myself was a rail-
way employee and in my heart I al-
ways felt that we (the railway men)
should be as free to vote according to
the dictates of our consciences as
any other citizen, and I still think so.
I am going to place you in the posi-
tion. I hope to ask every railroad
man for his vote, but I am not going
to ask him to promise to vote for us.
One thing I can assure you of and that
is that when the Liberals come into
power at Ottawa no German will be
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Mrs. Duneson and family wish to thank friends for sympathy shown them in their bereavement.

The opposition have no better fund of \$78,000 to win elections with. They appeal to the electors under the banner of New Brunswick's political life.

ANOTHER CAR. Mr. J. R. MacKenzie has received a Gray Doot auto which is now on exhibition. Anyone interested should see this car before placing their orders.

GILMAN-STERN. The marriage was celebrated in the Auditorium hall, Montreal, at six o'clock on Sunday evening, Feb. 11th, of Miss B. Stern of Montreal and Mr. A. Gilman of Campbellton.

NEW SERIAL PICTURE. A new Serial picture, The Shielding Shadow will be at the Campbellton Opera House on Friday and Saturday and Saturday Matinee.

ASTELLS-CHODORE. A quiet wedding was solemnized on Friday afternoon Feb. 16th between Earl Astells of Swift Current, Saskatchewan (formerly of New Carlisle) and Margaret Chodore of Lanes Aux Gascons.

SPECIAL SERVICE. The announcement was definitely made in the Churches on Sunday that the Rev. Evangelist Beatty accompanied by his daughter as Song leader, would begin Special Services under the auspices of the united churches, on Sunday March 11th.

Seventeen Cottage prayer meetings are to be held in the various sections of the town. Each Tuesday evening this week in spite of the storm that will block the streets these Cottage meetings are reported as being well attended.

THE UNION PRAYER MEETING. The Union Prayer meeting this week, on Friday at 7.30 P. M. in the Baptist Church.

SUCCESSFUL TEA.

The afternoon tea and sale of home cooking at the Methodist parsonage by the ladies of the Methodist Church was a very successful one.

HAVE SIGNED AGREEMENT.

The local Opposition members have each signed the agreement submitted to all candidates by the Dominion Temperance Alliance.

VOTE THIS TICKET.

WILLIAM CURRIE, ARTHUR LEBLANC. And you will be voting for good government.

BALMORAL NOTES.

Messrs. Stewart and Culligan spent Sunday here and attended mass. After vesper they addressed the electors upon the issues of the present political campaign and were given a good hearing.

GRANTED EXTENSION.

The smelt fishermen of the North Shore have been granted an extension of time from Feb. 15th to 25th. The season has been a fair one.

SOLDIERS CAN VOTE.

The Militia department has arranged to send all soldiers on duty who have a vote in the provincial election to their homes so that they can exercise their franchise on the 24th.

VALENTINE TEA.

A successful Valentine Tea was held by the "Tipperary Club" in Miss Barthe's store on Wed. afternoon and evening, Feb. 14th last. Mrs. A. H. English poured tea while Misses Estella McKenzie, Jessie Moore, Gladys Kena, Gladys Currie and Lillian Mowat assisted in serving.

BALMORAL MEETING.

The Opposition Candidates addressed a meeting at the Balmoral school house Monday night and were given a great reception. The school house was crowded to the doors.

OBITUARY.

The death of Mrs. Wesley Devereaux of this town took place at her home Metis Beach on Monday, February 5th after an illness of some time. Deceased was daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford and was 24 years of age.

Social & Personal

Our Readers Are Asked to Contribute Items to This Column.

Mrs. Walter Miller has also had word from her nephews, Clayton and Walter Richards expressing appreciation for the good things which were sent them through St. Andrew's Church.

Lieut. G. A. Mowat was in town on Sunday, leaving on Tuesday evening for New York.

Miss Mona McLennan entertained a number of friends on Saturday afternoon for her guest Miss Gladys Webb of Amherst.

An uncommonly pretty shower took place at the residence of Mrs. H. L. Champion Marine Drive, South Vancouver which was given in honor of Miss R. Parsons.

The decorations were carried out in a color scheme of canary yellow and blue birds. Miss Parsons was generously showered with a great variety of beautiful gifts from a dainty parasol decorated with yellow and white chrysanthemums which was hung from the chandelier.

In a letter received by Mrs. John Quinn from her son Ewart he acknowledges receipt of a parcel from St. Andrew's Church and wishes to convey to the ladies his thanks for so kindly remembering him at the Xmas season.

Mr. P. G. McFarlane, School Inspector is visiting the Grammar School this week. Miss Gladys Webb of Amherst is the guest of Miss Mona McLennan.

Mrs. W. H. Fraser of Moncton was in Oak Bay last week to attend the funeral of her brother Mr. Andrew McKinnon.

Mr. James Connell was down from Kedgwick to attend the funeral of Mr. Andrew McKinnon of Oak Bay.

ADDRESSES TO NURSES. The local doctors are delivering a series of lectures to the nurses at Hotel Dieu Hospital, on subjects of particular interest to the nursing profession.

Church Notices

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. Rev. Hugh Miller, M. A., Minister. Morning service at 11. Evening service at 7. Sunday school Men's Union and Ladies Bible Class at 2.30. Choir Practice at 8.30. Other announcements at services Sunday.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Pastor, Rev. W. Camp, B. D. Sunday Feb. 25th. Morning worship at 11. Subj.—"Some First Things." Bible School and Brotherhood Class at 2.

Praching at Richardsville at 3.30 Monday evening, B. Y. P. U. Willing Workers meet at the parsonage. Wednesday evening mid-week prayer service. Friday evening Feb. 23rd Union Prayer Meeting in Baptist Church at 7.30. Welcome to all.

THE METHODIST CHURCH. Feb. 25th. Rev. Geo. M. Young, Pastor. The Pastor will preach at both services on Sunday. Sunday School at 2. Prayer meeting Wed. 7.30 P. M.

BORN. At Campbellton on February 14th to Capt. and Mrs. C. F. Archer, a son. At Matapedia on Feb. 13th to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams a daughter.

DIED. At Campbellton on Saturday, Feb. 17th, George Duncan, a native of Campbellton, aged 79 years.

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Peps

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NOMINATION DAY PROCEEDING AT DALHOUSIE

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no fault to find and as far as I am concerned it is to stay On the Statute Book and if I can do anything to improve it I will do it.

But the government candidates have the advantage over us. They have two kinds of medicine or dope. When they meet a man who is in favor of Prohibition they say "vote for us as we have given you a prohibitory law, and we are in favor of prohibition. When they meet a man who is fond of a little drop they open up their grip and offer him a little something out of a bottle. Now we can't do this. We have only one kind of medicine and that is the prohibition kind.

Then if they meet an automobile man they tell him to vote for them as they are the makers of good roads. If the poor man would only think where he was struck last time in that car of his he would certainly wonder where the good roads come in.

Now this is what we are up against. Voice—What became of that road machine?
Mr. Currie—Well, I will tell you about that road machine. It was bought before I was elected and loaned to the town of Campbellton. Some say I carried it to Vancouver in my vest pocket, but that is not true. I know nothing definite about that machine. Probably it was destroyed in the Campbellton fire.

Then they accuse me of leaving the county and going to Vancouver. Yes, I did go, but I came back and filled my seat in the Legislature.

A voice—Came back for your pay.
Mr. Currie—Well, perhaps I did. I came back to the session, but it cost me about as much to come back as the pay I got but anyway I had to come back to keep these fellows straight and we did keep them straight. There was only thing we could not keep them straight in and that was the greatest crime committed in this Province and that is the Local Government undertaking this great work, the Valley Railway. I do not see how we are going to get out of debt on account of the Province undertaking this great work. I stood up and I voted against the building of that railway.

Now I had to come all the way from Vancouver to do that. Our party wanted it to run under the I. C. R. This seeming to be the only safeguard. As you refer again to my trip to Vancouver. I will say that never did I steal anything and paid every man one hundred cents on every dollar. I went away before the fire and our friends are worrying because I came back.

I notice that we have the far famed Mr. Derosier here and I suppose he is here with the intention of speaking for the government. Say men, he wanted us to hire him for four or five dollars a day and we did not think he was worth it and therefore had nothing to do with him. Now this Mr. Derosier may be a very eloquent speaker if one may judge by his associates. Think of being associated with the famous Boursassa. Now this man is here for something mark my words. He is certainly here for a notice. Never mind one can easily see why he comes here. He is the opposition of the Quebec Government. Quebec is handling its affairs as well as any province. The Finances of Quebec are in a splendid condition and the fact that he is opposition to the Government there would make one believe there is something wrong. That is why he lands down here to try and support the rotten government that we have because he is opposition to everything clean in Quebec.

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They delight in referring to the vote they are going to get at Anderson and Kedgwick. I feel that we are going to get a great vote in that part of the County. Some say that I said there never should have been a settlement up there. Well I say right here that if the people up there are not to get good roads and good schools and all other things necessary for the formation of a good settlement it should never have been started. Ask any man from up there in what condition the roads are and he will tell you. I say that roads and proper school should be considered by the government who have the welfare of the people living in this section of the country in their hands.

At this point Mr. Currie proceeded to read an interesting statement of affairs in reference to that famous Dalhousie well, but the Montgomery following present would not allow him to be heard. However he has handed the statement to the Graphic and it will be found elsewhere.

Mr. Currie closed with an appeal for the support of himself and his colleague.

D. A. STEWART

Mr D. A. Stewart was the next speaker. He spent about half his time trying to justify his taking \$213. for that bit of sidewalk in front of the Campbellton post office which he was supposed to repair and by personal abuse to the editor of the Graphic. The Graphic's mere statement of facts must have touched him on a very raw spot. He even accused us of saying that he was a grafter, which we did not.

The balance of his time was taken up in a few generalities in reference to his honest and upright career, etc., and ended with an appeal for the votes of the electors for himself and his colleague.

ARTHUR T. LeBLANC
Mr. A. T. LeBlanc was greeted with a great ovation and the French electors insisted that he be allowed to speak to them in French as well as in English.

The chairman asked those in favor of Mr. LeBlanc speaking fifteen minutes in French in addition to his thirty minutes in English to rise. A large majority stood up so this permission was granted him.

Mr. LeBlanc spoke in part as follows:—

A. T. LeBLANC.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: I wish to say that the Candidates of the County of Restigouche in whom you electors are particularly interested should be given time to put before you the different facts that you should by all means be familiar with



ARTHUR T. LeBLANC

and I desire heartily to say a word or two in French, in my native language. There is a vast number of French people who have come here today and who are not masters of the English language. It is important for me and for my friends Mr. Currie to reach the different sections of the

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County and I know in some sections we will be unable to go.
In one half hour it would be impossible for me to take the proper time in order to put up any argument but I hope my good French friends who have come here today to hear the different discussions will excuse my being unable to put before them the different facts that are most interesting on account of lack of time.
Now Gentlemen why is it that we have been limited to one half hour. If we were to go into all details it would take us thirty days, a whole month. You saw when the arrangements were being made that the Campaign Manager got very nervous.
A Voice—Have you the uniform on?
Mr. LeBlanc—How old are you. Why he is a young man not over thirty years. Where is your uniform. Stand up man that all can see you. Now as you have asked the question I will answer you, and also my kind friends who have been using that dirty canvass against me.
I worked hard as any man in the recruiting of soldiers for the county and for all that I did not get one red cent of pay. Why I did not get paid you want to know. Well because I was a liberal and therefore did not have the pull some other men had.
There was no twenty five dollars per week for doing nothing granted to me. Oh no. I defy anybody here

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GRAND OPPOSITION RALLY IN OPERA HOUSE

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The Opera House was crowded to the doors Friday night to hear Mr. Frank B. Carvell and the Opposition candidates discuss the issues of the present campaign.

Long before the hour announced the seating capacity of the Opera House was taxed to its utmost.

Mr. John Harquail was chosen chairman, and introduced the speakers. On the platform were many prominent men from all sections of the country.

Mr. Wm Currie was the first speaker. Although he was somewhat husky from frequent speaking during the past week, his address created a very favorable impression and was frequently applauded.

In part his address was as follows:—

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen, it gives me great pleasure to be here at this time and to again take some part in the affairs of state in my own native county. I am glad to see such a large number of the electors present. I regret very much that the government has seen fit to bring on an election at this ineluctable season of the year when people should be allowed to stay by their fireside instead of having to attend to the election of representatives during the wildest months of the winter and especially at this time when the whole country's mind is all taken up with the fearful war in which we are engaged, fighting for the principles of Liberty, Justice, and Civilization but the reason for this is not difficult to understand, their record is so bad that they want to rush the people into a decision before they can have time to think or before the opposition would have time, either during the session or before the county, to show them in their true light.

If there ever was a time in the history of our country that required time for mature reflection before casting ballots, now is the time. We have come to one of these great epochs in the world's history which marks the division of time, everything in the world is undergoing a great change, the map of the world will never be the same after this war.

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peoples minds are changing, they are looking at things from a different viewpoint.

This war has brought about reforms that reformers have been working centuries to accomplish. The great, prohibition wave that has swept over the world is evidence of that fact. Women will occupy a different place in the world after the war, in England alone nearly a million women are working at work that was formerly done by men. The franchise has been extended to women in two of the western provinces, so you see this is a great transformation period and the people as a whole are thinking more deeply than ever did.

The party chains that have bound men so long to their different parties are being broken and we are all counting the cost as never before, so that it would be in keeping with the times if this election had been left over until about July of August, we might have had peace by then and if we had about two months between the time of dissolution and the election we could go around in our automobiles with comfort and have had time to discuss the issues of the day and have given the people time to make up their minds what was best to do in the interest of the country. But the government has seen fit not to give us such an opportunity, their move is to get a snap verdict, and to get a new lease of power for another five years. Now what are you going to do about it? are you going to be carried away with the old party? What does it matter to you what party is in power if they are squandering the resources of this fair Province; are you going to dance to their tune if they are increasing the public debt at such an enormous rate that it is only a matter of time until we have direct taxation; are you going to help them drag the fair name of this province down in the dust with bribery and corruption unequalled on any province in Canada? You may shout for your party, but you will have to put your hand down deep in your pocket and pay the bill and if you don't do your children will have to do it.

I am glad to see so many Ladies here to-night let me tell you your day is coming and when it comes and you have the ballot I would give you a tip right here, don't get tied up to either of the parties or you will destroy your influence; form an independent league and hold the balance of power and any party that would attempt to exploit the resources of the country for their own special benefit hurl them from power.

Everybody when you talk to them privately concedes that this government is the worst we have ever had, yet, notwithstanding all that, when the time comes for an election you will see even old men with one foot

in the grave and the other out of it lining up in their party to continue in power a government what for? to go on with their carnival of corruption, dishonesty and extravagance wasting the resources of the Province.

We as free men regardless of party politics, in our own highest interests, in the interests of this fair province, from the highest sense of patriotism should rise in our might and crush for ever with our ballots anything that savours of dishonesty in public life.

At the convention of the Provincial Opposition in St. John on January 11th, 1916 we adopted a very comprehensive Platform and one that should appeal to every elector in the county.

PLATFORM.

Ladies and Gentlemen this is a splendid platform but I realize that the best Platform is of no use whatever unless it is lived up to, and if we are returned to power on the strength of this platform I want you to hold us accountable for its carrying out. The present government came to you with a splendid platform but they have violated every plank in it; but you have the power in your own hands; Now is your chance to punish them for violating their pledges to the people and then, if we do not live up to the Platform we put before you to-night when we come back for your endorsement at the end of the term show us your disapproval by turning us from power; how can you ever expect your public servants to do right if you condone the wrongs which they do.

I am not going to discuss the Platform of the opposition in detail I will leave that to the speakers who will follow me, but there are three planks that I would nail right across the face of our Platform and bring the thing together, these are Economy, Conservation and Immigration. The first, Economy, is a very small word composed of seven letters but it is the biggest word in the English language in connection with either National, Commercial or Home life for without economy everything else fails. It is said that a "Dollar saved is a dollar gained" but, it is more than that; we as a party may have the very best platform in the world but if we do not practise economy in the carrying out of our policy we would be no better than the present Government so the first thing I would like to emphasize is, if we want to get anywhere in our public affairs we must practise Economy. As a supporter of the opposition that is one thing I will insist upon and I know that my colleagues are of the same mind in this matter.

A great deal has been said about Graft but I regard the reckless expenditure of public money as great a menace to the prosperity of our Province as that of Graft and Dishonesty. You take every department of the present Government and it is notorious for the reckless expenditure of public money. I may just note one instance the contract with the Concrete Construction Limited for the painting of steel bridges, 30 per cent on cost of work for their profit. What business man would ever make a contract like that? To show how ridiculous it is I will just analyze one case, take the Mill Creek bridge down here it cost \$452.17 to paint it, any painter will tell you the work could be done easily for \$30.00 to \$40.00, but just let us see how the items are made up:

Transition from Ottawa to Fredericton to Campbellton for eating meals \$26.70. Cartage, Pishes etc. \$18.15, mens wages \$128.62, 30 p. c. commission for their profit \$104.35 in other words it cost \$219.20 to get ready to do the work it cost \$128.62 to do the work it cost \$104.35 commission over and above the whole thing making a total of \$452.17 to do a \$30.00 job. I want to ask you all seriousness is that the way our public money should be handled? But there is one bridge worse than that which I must mention, that is the French Fort Cove Bridge. It just cost the small of \$2721.82, 30 p. c. commission \$346.27 Total \$3068.09. It costs 10 per. to collect our Crown Land Revenue, many business men under the same conditions could collect it for 2 per. another matter I want to speak of in this connection, the collection of succession duties. Why should the Attorney General

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have a three per. cent. on the collection of succession duties in addition to his salary which in some cases brings his salary up to eight or ten thousand dollars? The sad story of Graft bribery and corruption about which we all know too well I will not attempt to discuss I will leave that to Mr. Carvell as he has it first hand.

Another plank I would nail across the face of our Platform is Conservation. While economy is essential to success I do not believe in that kind of economy that cannot see the silver dollar because of the copper cent in the eye.

I think one of the things the new Government should give more attention to is the conservation of our national resources, our minerals, our fisheries, our game both big and small our great timber areas and last but not least the young Manhood and young Womanhood of our country. About the only iron mine we have in N. B. has been given to a Company for a period of thirty years at 5 per cent per ton royalty and then the Government guarantee their bonus to the extent of \$42,000.00 to build a railway to get to the shore and own railway and mine are lying idle and the Government will likely have to pay both interest and principal of the bonds.

Giving blanket licenses to large corporations to hold large stretches of territory to prospect or to hold at their will in order to speculate is not the best way to open up and develop the mines.

Our mineral laws are obsolete and it is the duty of the incoming Government to look very carefully into the most up-to-date mining laws and give such encouragement and assistance as will conserve and develop our resources along this line. Then our game, a great deal of money has been spent in protecting the game but, has it been protected? Our big game is a great asset to the country, a amount of money brought in it is small item and I think that if the present system of protection is not adequate some other system should be

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PAINS AFTER EATING

WIND IN THE STOMACH—ACIDITY, HEADACHES—CONSTIPATION

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Fleming driven from the Legislature by a royal Commission... Do you want him Again?

GRAND OPPOSITION RALLY IN OPERA HOUSE
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 got down there to see the best positions on the railway.

More applause.
 They also use the canvass that I left the country and went to Vancouver.
 Yes, I did go west, but before I went I paid one hundred cents on the dollar. I imagine they were not sorry when I went. At least they were not at the train to see me off and shed no tears when I went.

Gentlemen, I have come back. Yes, thank the Lord, I did come back. We have the best country and the best people in the whole country (I am not saying this because I am running an election)

It might be a good thing if Messrs. Stewart and Culligan left the country for awhile. They would meet other people and get some of the conceit taken out of them.

Mr. Currie ended with an appeal for a vote for good, clean government, and took his seat amidst prolonged cheering.

Mr. John Harquail the chairman, explained that the Opposition were determined to run a clean election and no money would be used to corrupt the electors in the Opposition interest. If men who are running as candidates spend thousands of dollars to win an election it is only natural that they should endeavor to get it back, and it is your money they get. If you, the electors, are willing to be bought then the Opposition will wait until another time. But public opinion is changing and he felt sure the people were anxious to have good, clean men at the head of affairs.

Mr. Foster, the leader of the Opposition has come out squarely against bribery and corruption.

The Standard said recently that Mr. Foster was no politician. Well in the past we have had too much politics and not enough business.

ARTHUR T. LEBLANC
 Mr. Arthur T. LeBlanc was then introduced and spoke briefly in French, and then in English. His remarks were in part as follows:

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen:—
 At a convention of the ratepayers

opposed to the present local administration held here in December 1911 Mr. Currie and myself were chosen to contest the county in the interests of good government and we are here tonight to tell you something of our platform.

Personally I have not a word to say against Messrs. Culligan, an Stewart, but as representatives of the corrupt Fleming, Clark, Murray government they are certainly open to criticism.

But Messrs. Stewart and Culligan are not as considerate of Mr. Currie and myself. Their canvasses of personal abuse are the only arguments they have and they are at liberty to use them.

They are telling their temperance friends that they are the Temperance party. That if the Opposition is returned to power Prohibition will be delayed for a year or more. Now if this was so do you think the liquor men would be working night and day to elect them. I only wish to say that the Prohibition law is on the statute books and now our roads are worse than ever. They were going to take the roads out of politics, and also give the country good roads. Have they done so? Well they experimented with the Highway Act and then amended it to make it a political machine and now our roads are worse than ever. When they came into power they increased the poll tax from \$1.00 to \$1.50. This increase alone would increase the amount received from \$35,000 to \$40,000. Then they increased the rate of tax on property from 12 1/2 to 20c. and this added another \$35,000 or \$40,000 or say \$75,000 in all extra each year to spend on the roads. And yet with all this extra money they have not been able to give us better roads.

If the Opposition is elected on the 24th they will take the roads out of politics and hand them over to the people to manage. Districts will be formed, composed of one or more school districts and the electors of that district will elect a road supervisor or some such official to look after the business. At the end of each year he will be required to publish a detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of his district. And that statement will have to give every item just as the school accounts are paid up. There will be no "Sunday Persons" then. If it is found that the official-elected has made good he will likely be re-elected. If the ratepayers find that he has only hired his only sons and daughters, grandfathers and grandmothers to work on the roads then he will not be popular and a new man will be elected.

Then the Opposition will embark upon a policy of permanent roads. In the past we have been pledging the credit of the province to assist railway magnates build roads. Now why should we not pledge the credit of the province for the good of the common people. And the best thing about this is that the common people will not be taxed to pay for these roads. It will be the policy of the Opposition to issue bonds for one million dollars. To pay the interest upon this the tax on automobiles and motor vehicles which last year amounted to nearly \$40,000 and which is increasing rapidly each year, will be taken and provision will also be made for a sinking fund.

Mr. LeBlanc also dealt fully with other planks of the Opposition platform but for the lack of space we are obliged to omit same.)

In closing I wish to call your attention to statements made by Government candidates. They say that it is true some members have been found guilty of accepting graft, but they have been kicked out of the government. "Yes they stole the people's money but we kicked them out." And passed a whitewash resolution absolving them from all wrong doing. Today Mr. Fleming is one of the chief speakers for the Government party in Carleton.

New ladies and gentlemen the only way to reform the present administration is to kick them all out and I hope you will forget party and cast your vote for Currie and LeBlanc and good government.

F. B. CARVELL, M. P.
 Mr. Frank B. Carvell of Carleton County was introduced by the chairman who said Mr. Carvell was one of the best men in public life in the Dominion to-day and one who should have the thanks of every elector for his good work in disclosing graft and corruption among those high in government circles.

Mr. Carvell was greeted by prolonged applause and addressed the meeting in part as follows:—
 Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen:

It gives me great pleasure to be present to-night to address you. I do not think I am worthy of the flattering introduction of the chairman. At all events there are many people in this country who do not think I am the best man in it. If you could believe what some of the Conservative papers say. I must be classed among the worst. But doubtless they have good reasons for their opinions. But I wish to say I am neither the best nor the worst. Yes, I am not loved by a certain class, and why? Because I have been one who has assisted in exposing some of these gentlemen, of revealing a condition of affairs in this province which should bring the blush of shame to every honest clerk.

You know where Mr. Fleming was three years ago? Now where is he? Driven from provincial politics. And Mr. Stewart, he also was forced to retire from political life.

Mr. Pinder, the man who stole \$55,000 in his railway activities is still on top. Yes, I am sorry to say that he is to-day heading the government ticket in the great county of York, I would deeply regret to think that any man in Restigouche would want such a man as Pinder to represent them.

Mr. LeBlanc has told you quite fully of the Crown Land steal. When Hon. Dr. Landry, Hon. Mr. Baxter and the others deny that they know about this matter, I do not believe them. I have in my possession a paper which leads me to think they did know all about it.

Before the election of 1912 an offer of \$150,000 was made to the leaders of the opposition if they would agree if elected, to give the holders of licenses the privilege of renewing their licenses without competition. This proposition was turned down flatly by the Opposition leaders. But we have every reason to believe that the government party did give such a promise—and no doubt got the money. After they were successful at the polls, they proceeded to fulfill their promise. They told the government that they would renew the tender license at \$150,000 per mile. This the lumbermen claimed was too much. Well later Bill Berry again approached the lumbermen and suggested that \$100,000 per mile would be about right for the government, but it would be necessary for them to contribute \$15-

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In Quebec and Nova Scotia the roads are almost entirely out of politics. They are under the care of the Municipalities and they have good roads. In Maine the roads are entirely out of politics and they have regular boulevards. Now it seems that if we wish good roads it is necessary to get them out of politics.

Take the roads out of politics, that is the policy of the Opposition. Another proposal of the present government was to settle the returned soldiers on old abandoned farms. Why the former owners of these farms could not make a living on them, then how could a returned soldier.

The granting of farms was tried by the Dominion government after our boys returned from South Africa. They were each granted a half section in the west, and I tell you not over one per cent took up the grant, but the ninety-nine per cent sold their script to land speculators. I hope our country will do something better than this for our returned heroes.

The present government candidates say that they have kicked the dishonest ones out and others have paid back what they have stolen. Fleming has paid back some of his ill-gotten plunder. Paid it back

because he had to. Baxter paid back that \$500.00 he got from Gould. B. F. Smith paid back some of his patriotic potato steal and now they say they are not going to steal any more.

But gentlemen they have again stolen \$143,000 from the Valley road. This latter steal has not been made public, but I would not make the statement if I did not know it was true. Now I have touched only the fringe of these matters, it would take weeks to tell it all. I think I have told you enough to convince the intelligent ratepayers that it is their duty to vote for Messrs. Currie and LeBlanc. The town which has sent the best man east of Montreal, (Col. McKenzie) (great applause) and such a large proportion of its best young men, are you going to allow this government which has made this province the reproach and laughing stock of the whole country, to remain in power. I appeal to you to take this matter home and discuss the issue calmly and I am sure your best judgment will point clearly to your duty. Great applause.

The meeting was brought to a close by singing "God Save the King".

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