

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

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THE GUARDIAN AND THE ELECTIONS.

In these times of political conflict, when almost every other newspaper in the Province has become a campaign sheet for one party or the other, The Guardian does not join actively in the fray, for several reasons. One reason is that this journal is first of all a newspaper, and desires to keep its readers informed as to what is going on in the world, and could not do this if its columns were devoted to party advocacy and reports of political meetings. Another reason is that we are more concerned with certain moral and material interests than with party strife. The maintenance of honest government, of high standards of public life, that elections may be honestly and purely conducted, that prohibition shall be enforced, that the Province shall set at an early day all-rail connection with the mainland and so become in fact an integral part of Canada—these are to The Guardian of more importance than the triumph of one party or the other in the present contest.

Governments come and go, but the matters which we have just mentioned will be of vital consequence whatever party shall be in power. Party strife has hitherto been a hindrance rather than a help in advancing these great objects, and The Guardian would but lessen its influence in their advocacy and promotion of taking a pronounced position in favor of one party or the other. There is another consideration. The educative work in which we are engaged can be best performed in the calm between elections rather than in the heated strife of the political campaign. We shall accept whatever Government the people may call to power or retain, and use our best endeavors to hold such Government to its duty of administering our affairs prudently and honestly. We are watching with eager interest the present conflict, the result of which at present seems more or less uncertain, and when the people have done their work at the polls and the atmosphere has cleared again there will doubtless be found in their verdict much material for useful and instructive consideration, and which The Guardian will discuss with frankness and without fear or favor.

ELECTIONS IN AMERICA.

The great European family of nations is at present strenuously engaged in preparing for a diplomatic settlement of urgent international questions, which if not thus disposed of may result in a great conflict at arms. In the meantime there is strained interest at every capital in Europe, and among the powers great and small in the vital question of peace or war. Fortunately there are no such questions pending in the New World. There is here no war-cloud in the sky. America is wholly devoted to industry, trade and just now to political activity of an engrossing nature, but quite free from the danger of exciting a warlike conflagration. The United States and Canada

are about to decide who their rulers shall be in the years immediately before them, but they will do it in orderly fashion.

The area of political activity extends from the frozen north to the gulf of Mexico and from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean. On Monday next the people of Canada will elect a new Parliament, arbitrate between our two great political parties and decide which shall bear rule for four or five years to come. Eight days later the people of the United States will perform a like duty and decide whether Mr. Taft or Mr. Bryan shall be President of the great Republic. These momentous controversies will have in their results an important bearing upon the future of nearly a hundred millions of people speaking the English language in North America. But such is the ordered working of our democratic institutions in the New World that the people have no fear of peace being disturbed, whatever party may triumph, or whatever new leader may be called to the front.

Under our happy circumstances in America the people calmly cast their votes and return to their daily callings. The results of an election work out almost automatically. A Government is sustained by the popular vote and goes on as before. A new President is elected, and in due time he is inaugurated and enters upon his official duties. A Government is defeated, resigns, and a new Government, under a new leader takes its place, without serious friction or disturbance. The equilibrium of the social, the industrial and the commercial world is not shaken. All easily adjust themselves to the new order of things, as if almost unconscious of a change. These happy conditions of free, self-governing democracies in America, are in noble contrast with those existing under the despotisms and revolutions of past ages. They mark the world's progress under civilization, ever onward and upward to ward better things.

The big rally of the city Liberals last night will be followed by Mr. Borden's meeting tonight. These we understand to be the last of the series of political meetings and demonstrations in the city before the polls. Yesterday was nomination day throughout the Dominion, except in some five constituencies where, for various reasons the elections are delayed.

Referring to the charges of payments to Hon. Dr. Pugsley and George McAvity, the President of the Liberal Association in St. John, which have so greatly excited political circles in that city, the St. John Globe, a highly influential Liberal journal says:

"Mr. Pugsley's statement of the reasons for which he took a payment of two thousand dollars from Mr. Mayes is probably not an unreasonable one, though the transaction was carried out in a manner which may be regarded as the natural lack of good business methods in great lawyers. The larger matter is the payment to Mr. McAvity, respecting which there is yet room for explanation. The thinking man will readily concur in the feeling that if methods were as open in the time of Mr. Hyman as he faces in this transaction disclosure, declarations and revelations in that famous report of the sturdy Liberal commissioners, Messrs. Courtney and Fyshe, were none too strong.

RHEUMATISM

Any bad case that was cured by persevering with an old time remedy

"Were it not that I had great pain and stiffness, I would still be racked by chronic rheumatism, which was my unhappy lot for three years.

I didn't have acute rheumatism fever as so many have—with me the pain and stiffness came on gradually. When I kept quiet, as on Sunday, I was free from pain, but being a working man I had to move about and the pain was simply awful, enough after an hour's resting it would subside.

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Dominion Election Political Meeting! Queen's County

The undersigned will meet the Electors of Queen's County to discuss the political questions of the day at the following places and dates. Each meeting will be held at 7 p.m.

West River, Lot 65—Tuesday 20th October, at Afton Hall. Bonshaw, Wednesday, 21st October at Court House. Crapaud, Thursday, 22nd October, at Hall. North River, Friday, 23rd October at Hall. Rustico, Thursday, 22th October at Bank.

Will be addressed by representatives of the undersigned. Representatives of the opposition candidates are invited.

Meetings will be held at other places to be announced later. The Opposition Candidates are invited to attend.

A. B. WARBURTON, L. E. PROWSE, Liberal Candidates

OCTOBER PARTY.

October gave a party The leaves by hundreds came— And Ashes, Oaks, and Maples, And those of every name. The sunshine spread a carpet, And everything was grand, Miss Weather led the dancing, Professor Wind the band. The Chestnut came in yellow, The Oaks in crimson dressed; The lovely Misses Maple In scarlet looked their best, And balanced all their partners, And gaily fluttered by; The sight was like a rainbow New fallen from the sky.

Then, in the rustic hollows, At hide-and-seek they played The party closed at sundown, And every body stayed. Professor Wind played louder; They flew along the ground; And then the party ended In jolly "hands around."

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Result of the Dominion Election 1904.

Table with 2 columns: Votes polled for successful candidates, Votes polled for unsuccessful candidates. Lists names like A. A. McLean, Alex Martin, A. A. Leforgey, J. J. Hughes and L. B. Prowse, A. B. Warburton, J. W. Richards, Jno. McLean.

Total majority 1904, 650. This explains what "total majority" means. We have many inquiries on this point and the estimates are pouring in rapidly. First nearest estimate gets first prize. In case of two or more alike first prize will be given to the first one received and so on. Something worth remembering. A receipt for your book account will pay to estimates, the same as cash sale receipt.

ELECTION COUPON

This coupon is good for five estimates providing you have a receipt for \$2.50 worth of goods purchased from James Paton & Co., Charlottetown. A receipt for fifty cents from the same firm entitles you to one estimate and so on. Do not estimate more than your receipt calls for otherwise your coupon will be void. Receipt to bear date from Sep 21st to Oct 25th 1908 both days inclusive and must accompany the coupon. Address all coupons to The Guardian, Charlottetown, and mark on the bottom left hand corner of the envelope "Election estimate." For one estimate use column one. For two estimate use column one and two and so on until you have made enough to cover your receipt. Mark the successful candidates by X and write plainly the total majority of the four members.

Table for Election Coupon with columns: Names of Candidates No. 1, No. 2, No. 3, No. 4, No. 5. Lists names like Hughes (Lib), Fraser (Con), McLean (Con), Martin (Con), Prowse (Lib), Warburton (Lib), Leforgey (Con), Richards (Lib), Total Majority.

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