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NOVA SCOTIA ELECTION

"Ruin upon ruin, rout on rout." Milton was not referring particularly to the history of Mackenzie King Liberalism when he penned this expressive line but it is a fitting epitome of the experience of that party from the unfortunate election which placed them in power in December 1921 to the crushing and fatal defeat in Nova Scotia yesterday, recorded in detail in our telegrams.

Probably not since the federal Liberal party came into power in 1921 have such efforts to save a Province for Liberalism been made as were made to save Nova Scotia. It had been perpetually Liberal for over forty years. It had more than once sent solid Liberal phalanxes to Ottawa, the last, the boasted "solid sixteen" having been sent to the support of Mr. Mackenzie King. In the course of the disintegration which has been in progress during the past three years, the solid sixteen was broken by the election of Mr. Black of Halifax.

With such a record the "federal Liberal" party could not afford to lose Nova Scotia. The resources of the dominion were largely drawn upon to save the province for Liberalism. Extraordinary public works as unneeded as they were extraordinary were provided for with federal funds. Every provincial resource that could rightly or wrongly be utilized with advantage to the provincial party was brought into requisition. The means used were so outstandingly and so transparently corrupt that the sound common sense of the province rose almost unanimously against them and the result is as it is.

Since 1921 the Liberal party has lost four provinces and gained none. They are as follows: Alberta, July 1921, Liberal to Progressive. Manitoba, 1922, Liberal to Progressive. P. E. Island 1923, Liberal to Conservative. Ontario 1923, Progressive to Conservative. Nova Scotia 1925, Liberal to Conservative.

This means that the Liberal party has lost four provinces and gained none; the Conservatives have lost one and gained three. The Progressives lost one and gained two. That the result in Nova Scotia spells the defeat of the federal party at the coming general election, not even the most ardent Liberal will doubt. New Brunswick comes next or will the General election come even before New Brunswick, before Liberal confusion becomes worse confounded? Time will tell.

CASE FINDING CAMPAIGN

Reference was recently made in The Guardian to the dominion-wide "case finding" campaign recently undertaken by the Tuberculosis Association of Canada, a campaign which opened in this province last evening with a lecture by Dr. Wodehouse at Hunter River. The purpose of the campaign is to find incipient cases of chest or lung trouble which may eventually, if not checked, result in tuberculosis and give such instructions as are calculated to check the trouble. Persons having reason to suspect tendencies as a result of colds or other causes, which may lead to tuberculosis are invited to attend the lectures and consult the specialists conducting the campaign, all of which they may do free of charge. Dr. Wodehouse is one of the most eminent specialists in Canada on chest and kindred diseases. He is accompanied by Dr. Brink, chest diagnostician who is provided with a portable X-Ray machine, with which photographs

of the lungs are taken and by means of which any suspicious symptoms are made recognizable. The patient, or the patient's local physician is given the photograph with such instructions for treatment and watching as the specialist may deem necessary. Those who have reason to fear lung trouble of any kind are asked to consult their own local physician and, if he considers further examinations necessary, to consult Dr. Wodehouse or Dr. Brink. The point to be emphasized is that tuberculosis in its incipient stages is curable and, as stated, the purpose of the dominion wide campaign is to find such incipient stages and, by advice or treatment, save lives which otherwise are doomed. These chest clinics are now being conducted in five provinces of Canada, Prince Edward Island being taken up this year. It is a life-saving campaign and we trust our people everywhere will give it their support and sympathy.

The next clinic will be held at Victoria on Monday morning, June 29th and at Summerside on June 29th in the afternoon and all day on the 30th.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The summer visiting season has opened up auspiciously in Charlottetown. Good weather, pleased visitors, lots of enjoyment, and best of all, delighted and delightful visitors.

The Senate refuses to be dictated to by the House of Commons and has rejected by a vote of 35 to 11, the latter's objections to its reasons for vetoing the Home Bank bill. What will the House of Commons do now?

Such an excursion as that enjoyed by the Quebec delegates of the Union of Municipalities is the last word in popular and enjoyable outings; a palatial steamer, a company of friends and acquaintances, congenial company, a sea route which is not excelled in the world for scenic beauty—and the will to enjoy.

Charlottetown did itself proud in entertaining the distinguished visiting delegates from the province of Quebec and the visitors reciprocated with a grand reception and entertainment on board their palatial steamer the Richelieu. Yesterday the visitors expressed themselves as delighted with the sections of country over which they were driven and when they left last evening they carried away with them very pleasant recollections of their visit.

The Liberal press of Canada has for several months past carried such legends as "The end of the strike situation in Cape Breton is expected this week." "Another party of 1000 immigrants is on the way to Canada from Europe." "The emigration from Canada to the United States is practically over and those who have settled south of the border during the past year or two are returning," and many similar ones all of about the same tenor and all calculated to serve the same purpose, namely, that the King government is going great work both in the matter of securing immigrants and retaining our own people; also to make it appear that the government of Nova Scotia and the federal government are working effectively for the settlement of the Nova Scotia strike. These three are perhaps the greatest accusations against Liberalism in Canada. Nothing has been done to bring immigrants except the appointment at heavy expense of Liberal officials. As to retaining our population, it has driven them out and, as for settling the strike all they did was to gerrymander constituencies in Cape Breton and employ troops.

NOTES BY THE WAY

That Canada is not getting any thing like a sufficient number of immigrants is freely admitted even by the Liberal press. Even Hon. Mr. Robb, the Minister of Immigration admits the fact. He will not admit that other and smaller Dominions or even the larger ones such as Australia, or South Africa, have superior attractions to those offered by Canada. And there are certain facts that stand out on the face of the situation that the Minister of Immigration does not care to discuss. One of these facts is the inefficiency of his own department which is largely due to his own inability to attend to it.

As acting Finance Minister his time and energy have been wholly expended in that department, on tariff tinkering, preparing and defending his budget and in manipulating figures to make deficits appear as surpluses. The Immigration Department, left as it has been without a directing head, has failed to function otherwise than to eat up three millions a year without bringing immigrants to the Dominion. And that is not all.

Mr. Robb as acting Finance Minister has done more than any other man to make the Government's immigration policy a failure. If this statement is a strong one, it is none the less true. By destroying the stable tariff policy which Mr. Fielding sought to maintain, and reducing the customs duties, he closed scores of important Canadian industries, drove thousands of Canadian workers into exile, despoiled Canadian farmers of much of the value of their home market, produced an unexampled amount of unemployment in the cities of Canada and prevented the return of prosperity in the Dominion.

All the migrating world naturally avoided Canada when they read the news reports of hard times and unemployment and labor troubles in this country. Immigrants who had come from the British Isles last year are this year wrote home to their friends not to come to Canada. We know how it is in Cape Breton today. The Liberal Free Press tells how it is in Winnipeg and elsewhere in the west. It says: "In Winnipeg and other large centres unemployment is still a problem even with the summer at hand."

Present unemployment and the continuing exodus, to which the tariff tinkering of the acting Minister of Finance has been so large a contributor, are blighting the prospects of immigration over which he same man as a full-pledged Minister presides! We had almost written that with one hand the acting Minister pulls down the fabric which with the other hand he strives to erect. It is really worse than that. Both his hands are doing a work that is injurious to Canada and to every worker, or producer within its bounds.

For conditions as they are in Canada the King Government is responsible. Mr. Robb is only one of a dozen and a half in the coteries of Ministers of State. The party is so limited in Cabinet timber of average size that poverty of available material compels him to administer two of the most important departments in the Cabinet. That the task is beyond his ability or that of any of his colleagues is painfully apparent. Never before in the history of the Dominion was the need of a capable and active head for the Department of Immigration who would devote all his time and energies to its direction so seriously felt.

Parliament, well along in the fifth month of the session, has seen the Government forced to abandon its principal measures, and with nothing done toward reducing the public debt or relieving the crushing burden of taxation, now in a deadlock with the Senate over the iniquitous Home Bank bill. Apparently at this writing nobody knows whether prorogation will be reached this week or not. From the beginning the session has dragged along its weary and crooked course like a wounded snake, and has again proved that under its present leadership the national Parliament is the most unbusinesslike, inefficient, and wasteful legislative body between the two oceans.



Dr. James W. Barton, M.D.

BLOOD PRESSURE AND LUNG CAPACITY

In the examination of University students it has been found that a certain percentage had a low blood pressure notwithstanding that they appeared to be in fair health, with no history of anaemia or other illness. However further investigation showed that they were not of the rugged type, that they did not indulge in athletics to any extent, that they were under the normal weight for their height and age. Now we have perhaps an explanation of this from the work research men are doing at the School of Aviation Medicine. These men state that a normal person will have a lowering of the blood pressure the higher in the air he goes, owing to the oxygen in the air becoming less, the higher they ascend.

Further investigation has shown that in any illness involving the breathing apparatus, the blood pressure becomes lower. Therefore an individual who is not sick, but has an insufficient lung capacity, will likely have a low blood pressure normally. One investigator had described these people as being "undersized, non athletic, narrow nostrils, and new chests, slender bodies, drooping shoulders, with poorly developed lax muscles."

Therefore if you find yourself in this class you may expect to have a low blood pressure. Can you increase it? Yes it can be increased and it is important to do so. With a normal pressure you not only will be able to keep free from the petty annoyances of cold hands and feet, frequent colds, and so forth, but in the event of any ailment you will get better in a much shorter time. These ailments will not "hang on" so long. And to acquire a higher blood pressure.

Just remember what these investigators tell us, "these people with low pressure are of the non athletic type." This doesn't mean that you must be an athlete, nor even go in for vigorous athletics. What it does mean is that you must increase your lung capacity, and strengthen your circulation. Not by medicine, but by the eating of good food, and the burning up of this food by plenty of oxygen, secured by open air exercise such as walking, golf, or more vigorous games.

High blood pressure is dangerous when you get older. Lower blood pressure is a liability at any time.

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

June 26, 1925 DELIVERANCE AMID TRIALS:—When thou pass'st through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee; when thou walkest through the fire thou shalt not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle upon thee, Isaiah 43:2. PRAYER:—Our Father, we thank Thee that Thou art our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

IF YOU WOULD WIN If you would seek a place of power, And climb aloft to high estate, Keeping moving with the running hours, While idlers make excuse to wait— Then rush ahead and swing along! Until you pass the lagging throng!

If you would rise above your kind, And occupy an honored chair, Bestir yourself, resolved to find The lion-heart, to do and dare— Then face the battle, fight to fight Your way up to the splendid height!

If you would have the master-skill That overcomes the toughest task, Yield to the Master's guiding will, By tearing off your blinding mask— Then take a grain of sense thus found And plant it in productive ground!

If you would win the loud applause Bestowed on men of rare renown, Proceed to seek the basic cause Why they can not be trodden— Then follow them with faith unfurled And blaze your name around the world!

Character Reading

A Symbol of Heroism The three-storeyed man or woman who possesses "the dome of thought," belong to the class of the world's heroes and heroines; who are a law unto themselves, and are capable of controlling the destinies of empires. The two-storeyed class may be very amiable and clever to a certain extent; they may be well-bred refined, with a cultivated imagination, and a love of the beautiful but they are blown about by every wind, or else they drift with the tide, and so they never do anything of importance, for they have no inward driving power and little or no originality.

St. Peter Closing

The closing of St. Peter's School yesterday was quite largely attended by the parents and pupils of children and the following program was very nicely rendered. Song—The Heart of a City. Marion Morris. Dialogue—Two Little Kittens. Muriel Peake, Betty Duff, Gordon Batt. Recitation—Little Peter, Spencer Gallagher. Recitation—Land of Nod, Daphne Miles. Recitation—The Rainbow, F. A. Alenby. Recitation—The Giant, Mary MacNutt. Dialogue—Five Little Birds. Anne Hunter, Constance Large, Helen DeBlois, Billy Richards, Allan Harding. Recitation—One, Two, Three, Esther Hart. A Dance—Marion Morris. Dialogue, Three Little Birds, Muriel Peake, Daphne Miles and Betty Duff. Song—The Girl I Left Behind Me, Allan Cosh. A Reading—Hymn of Empire, Gladys Hart. Dialogue—Helen Hyndman and Robert DeBlois. Physical Exercises—The School. The Scholars presented Miss DeBrisay with a very beautiful pocket book and a box of chocolates. His Grace the Archbishop of N. S. and P. E. I., was present and presented the prizes as follows:

- PRIZE LIST Scripture, Muriel Peake, presented by Miss E. B. Haviland. Recitation, Writing and Arithmetic, Daphne Miles, presented by Mrs. G. M. Cotton. Daily Marks, Allan Harding, presented by Mrs. R. L. Cotton. Dilly Marks, Anne Hunter, presented by Master Richard Miles. Daily Marks, Helen DeBlois. Daily Marks, Charles Gallagher, presented by Mr. G. D. DeBlois. Daily Marks, Muriel Peake by Mrs. T. E. MacNutt. Examinations, Allan Cosh, by the Rev. Hargreaves Heap. Examinations, Robert DeBlois, presented by Mrs. A. G. Peake. Improvement, Anne Hunter, presented by Rev. E. M. Malone. Improvement, Helen Hyndman, presented by Master Walter MacNutt. Improvement, Gordon Batt. Improvement, Esther Hart, presented by Mrs. W. E. Hyndman. Constance Large, Marion Morris, Billy Richards, these three absent through sickness did not reach the full mark, but receive a prize presented by Mrs. R. L. Cotton. Upper Form Scripture, Mary MacNutt and E. A. Alenby. Reading, Spelling, Dictation, Recitation, Mary MacNutt, by Mr. George D. DeBlois. Reading, Spelling, Dictation, Recitation, Gladys Hart, presented by Mrs. Duff. Grammar and Composition, Mary MacNutt, presented by Mrs. Hargreaves Heap. Improvement, Arithmetic and British History, Betty Duff, presented by Mrs. A. G. Peake. Canadian History, Geography and Map-drawing, Mary MacNutt, presented by Mrs. R. L. Cotton.

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