

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

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THE GENERAL ELECTION IN QUEBEC TODAY.

A general provincial election will take place in the Province of Quebec today—being the thirteenth since the union of 1867. The House recently dissolved contained 74 members, among whom only fifteen belonged to the Opposition side of the Chamber. The number of members has now been increased to 82 by additions made to the representation of the populous Montreal district. So far as our present information goes this increase will have no material bearing upon the chances of the coming contest, as the Montreal district is divided in its allegiance to the two parties somewhat as are the outlying districts of the Province.

Regrettably there is a disposition on both sides to bring in federal issues into the campaign. The good intention of the fathers of Confederation in framing the British North America Act was to keep the two fields separate, and this was seconded by the Legislatures of the Maritime Provinces by provisions which prevented the members of their local Legislative bodies from being elected or sitting or voting in the federal Parliament and vice versa. Later the Dominion Parliament took like action. The questions to be dealt with in the provincial Legislatures are quite separate and apart from those with which the Canadian Parliament is called to deal. And yet such is the strength and cohesion of the party spirit that in all the Provinces there is more or less of a disposition for parties federal and local to make common cause.

The Conservative Opposition is led with some ability by Mr. Tellier, a lawyer, who has sat in the Legislature since 1892 continuously. The hopes of the Opposition are no doubt raised by the overturn in federal affairs which took place in September last. What effect this may have on the elections today can only at present be guessed, but Mr. Tellier has been able to place candidates in every constituency of the Province, a fact which contrasts strongly with several previous elections in which a score or more of seats were sometimes carried by the Liberals by acclamation. This time there have been no unopposed returns on either side.

The party papers tell that their respective parties are both confident of success, the Liberals by a strong, but somewhat diminished majority, while the Conservatives hope to win by a small majority. We are left to infer that the chances are pretty strongly in favor of the Gouin Government being sustained by the people. Premier Gouin is a man of notable ability and integrity, who has planned boldly to improve the public highways and schools of the Province. He is charged by his opponents with extravagance, and has certainly increased the annual expenditure pretty largely, but the people are always calling for an enlarged outlay and are always slow to condemn an Administration unless on some other charge than that of a too lavish expenditure. And the people of Quebec are very like those of other Provinces in that regard.

A MINISTERIAL VISIT.

The approaching visit of Hon. Francis Cochrane, Minister of Railways, naturally awakens some interest in the man, who comes to us for the first time in an official capacity, and the object of his mission. He was born at Clarenceville, Quebec, of Scotch and Irish parentage fifty-nine years ago. He was elected to the Ontario Legislature for Nipissing in 1905, and in 1908 for Sudbury, holding from the first the portfolio now known as Lands, Forests and Mines, for which he was selected by Sir James Whitney. At the formation of the Borden Government last fall he was chosen Minister of Railways.

Hon. Mr. Cochrane is a man of affairs, who in earlier life had important lumber and mining interests. In politics he is, of course, a Conservative, while he is set down as a Methodist in religious creed. He is not a man who talks much or makes long speeches. As to the object of his maritime tour, we cannot, perhaps do better than set down what the Liberal—St. John Globe has to say in connection with his recent visit to New Brunswick. We quote:

"The Minister of Railways is apparently a practical business man. He did not visit the country through which the Intercolonial Railway runs from Montreal or Quebec to the sea for the sake of receiving delegations, attending dinners, or serving personal local interests. He went over the line for the purpose of seeing the road and understanding its merits as

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far as possible. He did not want, apparently, to commit himself to the views of others before examining the road for himself. It is easy to understand that if at every small town on the way he had stopped, made speeches and congratulated the residents on the boom, on the great future before them, and on the over-increasing evidences of prosperity, he would have shown great 'tact' in dealing with a self-conscious people; that is not—it is quite evident—that he is out for. He ought to be encouraged in the line he has adopted in order to become a useful administrator. Indeed, its novelty, is interesting. When Mr. Cochrane comes this way again he will know—having studied in the meantime—what is really necessary."

THE VENDORS.

The prohibitory law in force in this Province for ten or eleven years past provides for the appointment of vendors of wines and liquors for sacramental, medicinal and mechanical purposes on the certificate of clergymen and doctors. It seems a necessary provision of the law, but it is one which has given rise to a good deal of discussion. The law does not contemplate any sale by the appointed vendors for beverage purposes and it lays down penalties against physicians prescribing, or vendors selling intoxicants, except for the purposes set forth as legal under the statute.

It is to be always remembered that the prime object of the law is to restrict and diminish the consumption of intoxicating liquors, as a practice inimical to the public welfare and the good of the individual. It is, we believe, something new and therefore, unusual and unexpected, to find the appointed vendors of this city advertising their merchandise by circulars sent out to the practicing physicians of the Province, as set forth in an evening paper. And inasmuch as the vendors hold an official position, as appointees of the provincial Government, the innovation is likely to call forth serious criticism and objection. We trust that the Government will see the propriety of at once reminding the vendors in question that their new departure neither accords with the spirit of the law under which they are appointed nor with the public sentiment of the Province.

NOTES.

Many friends will regret the departure of our esteemed townsman, S.C. Moore, for the Canadian West. Mr. Moore has been a good while in business in his native city and will be much missed in the church, social and business life of the city, in which he has been active and has exercised an influence for good.

It is becoming more and more probable that the sharp antagonism between Taft and Roosevelt may prevent either of them obtaining the Republican nomination as a presidential candidate, and the name of Judge Charles E. Hughes, a former

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After driving from Charlottetown to York on Saturday evening last, however, I was convinced of the fact that if the people will only take hold of this Act that it is the best yet in the matter of having a good road. The York road on Saturday was something to delight any driver, just as smooth as the streets of our city.

On enquiry I found out that B. R. Brown of York received his appointment as Roadmaster on Friday evening at 6 o'clock and at 6 p.m. on Saturday had the road in his district in the above state.

In making the road Mr. Brown used a split-log drag manufactured for the purpose by Col. G. Crockett of York. It would be well for other roadmasters to get into communication with those gentlemen on the manner of building and working this machine. By all means let us have more roads like York.

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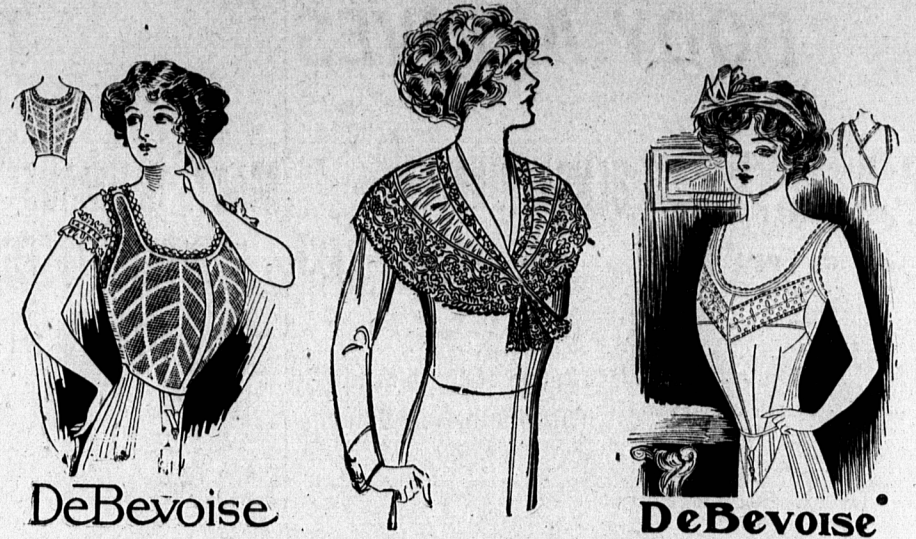


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