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ANOTHER DECISIVE VICTORY FOR CONSERVATIVE CANDIDATES

York Meeting Expresses Itself In Favor of Premier Stewart And His Policy. Conservative Candidates Get Splendid Reception. The insinuation That The Expenses Of The Campaign Are Being Paid For By Brewers And Distillers Is Absolute Falsehood.

The joint political meeting held at York last night was a decisive victory for the Conservative candidates, Messrs. J. Augustime Mc Donald and Matthew W. Wood. The meeting which was a large one was presided over by Mr. Peter Brodie and addressed by the Conservative and Liberal candidates: Hon. Premier Stewart and Mr. Claire Campbell. The Conservative candidates were tendered a most cordial reception and Premier Stewart who was in excellent form, presented the cause of the government in such a clear and masterly manner that the audience received his address with the greatest interest, attention and enthusiasm. The addresses of the Liberal candidates were listened to with respectful attention but their criticism of the Stewart Government and its policy "flat," or elicited adverse remarks from the electors. Mr. Claire Campbell who addressed the meeting in the interests of the Liberal party must be congratulated on his courage in speaking to an audience who so cordially received him and who, as was most apparent, allowed him to continue, solely from the reason that he was most amusing and the only speaker who seemed to raise the abilities of his hearers. After a few opening remarks by the Chairman, Mr. Matthew Wood, Conservative candidate and hearty applause, opened his speech by expressing his extreme pleasure and privilege in being able to address the people of York. He thanked them for the generous support which had been given to his brother the Hon. Leonard Wood four years ago and bespoke the same support for Mr. J. A. McDonald and himself in the coming election. "Premier Stewart," said Mr. Wood, "came to you four years ago with a definite platform which has faithfully been fulfilled. In the coming election all we ask you to do is to be guided by your conscience and then I think Mr. McDonald and myself will have the majority of the vote polled. He stated he would, in speaking, confine himself to but one plank of the Stewart platform—that which concerns advanced temperance in the province. It is the duty of the adults to have regard for and consider the boys and girls in regard to their future possession of the virtue of temperance. As a strict temperance man, he was convinced that the future of the youth of the province was in direct danger if the Prohibition Act was not carried out. He had always upheld Prohibition but the train of evils which has followed in its wake—the bootlegger, the moonshiner, perjury and utter disregard

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Close Struggle Between Two Parties is Feature of Irish General Elections.

(Special to the Guardian) DUBLIN, June 13.—The close struggle between the government party and the supporters of Eamon De Valera is the dominant feature of the Irish Free State general elections. Up to early this afternoon of the 152 members of the Dail, 74 have been declared elected, the standing of the parties being, as follows: Government, 24; De Valera party, 24; Labor, 11; Independent, 8; National League, 4; Farmers, 3; Sinn Fein, 2. President Cosgrave had a surplus of 6,000 votes in Kilkenny. Vice President Kevin O'Higgins a surplus of 8,000 in Dublin and De Valera a surplus of 8,000 in Clare. The only minister defeated is Peter Hughes. James Burke, local government minister and External Affairs, was elected in Tipperary County and Dublin respectively. Mr. Russell Clarke, opened a short address, amid scattered applause. After thanking the electors for their support four years ago, he repeated the words of criticism that the Liberal party should not have been taken into politics. After making the usual misrepresentation that the Stewart Government is going to open up liquor shops all over the island he asked "Would you like to see a liquor shop in York? He received answer from one elector to the effect that "We have them here now." Having stated that the Stewart Government had made money out of liquor and didn't want to enforce the law, he expressed himself as sincere that the Saunders' Government if elected would enforce the Prohibition Act. On being respectfully asked by an elector "How would you begin to clean things up. We people would like to know," he replied "Take down a number of detectives."

Mr. J. Augustime McDonald, Conservative candidate, arose to address the meeting amid prolonged applause, which augured well for the support of the people on the 25th of June. Having thanked the people of York for their support four years ago, he congratulated the Stewart Government of 1923 which carried out except one which could not be carried out. Continuing he satisfactorily proved that Premier Stewart is deserving of the highest credit in the able way in which he presented the claims of the Province at Ottawa. He elicited tribute from the chairman of the Duncan Commission and the foreign press. Speaking on road building he refuted the charge of extra agencies he stated that the present administration controlled expenditure in every department it could. When it couldn't—well they are not expected to do the impossible. He showed the great benefit which the Government conferred upon the dairy industry of the Province by closing the expensive Technical School and appointing instead a first class and efficient Dairy Inspector. The audience having been informed how Premier Stewart obtained the Railway Grant, Mr. McDonald took up the question of Temperance. Prohibition, he said, has been in force here about twenty-seven years. Up to 1918 the law was not so rigid as now. In 1918 the Temperance Alliance were instrumental in having the present law passed. Since then the several Commissions in whose hands the enforcement of the law, was did their utmost to better conditions. Mr. Clarke says we didn't enforce the law and adds that if he gets in the law would be enforced. (Voice) "There's a big 'If' there!" The Stewart Government doubted the searches and convictions during their regime. After showing the fallacies of, and impossibility of enforcing, the Prohibition Act, he showed up the insincerity of the Leader of the Opposition. He

Commander Byrd is Making Preparations For Paris Flight

(Canadian Press) NEW YORK, June 13.—While New York was welcoming one flier back from Europe today, another flier, Commander Richard E. Byrd was making near-final preparations for another flight—which he said, like Lindbergh's feat, will be to Paris. Mechanics at the hangar at Mitchell field hinted the hop-off might be made Wednesday. The America, tri-motored plane was to be put through a final radio test today which would make the craft ready for flight except the loading. Emergency supplies are ready on board.

How Prohibition Works In Halifax

Rev. H. R. Grant and the Patriot claims that Prohibition prohibits in Halifax. The following from yesterday's Halifax Herald tells a different story: Many Arrests on Week-End "Charged with being drunk, using profane language and otherwise causing a disturbance on Sackville street on Saturday evening, four young men, Martin Evoung, Clarence Briand, Roderick Sampson and Alexander Burkey, were taken in custody by Police-man McLennan. "A similar charge faces Robert McLeenan, who was given in custody on Saturday evening by Mrs Stewart of Thistle Lodge, Barrington Street, also for creating a disturbance. "Fred Osborne was arrested on a vagrancy charge, also on Saturday evening. "Two men and one woman fell into the toils for limbing too freely over the week-end, and consequently will face drunkenness charges. "All the prisoners will be brought before Stipendiary Cluney this morning. Does Prohibition prohibit?"

PRELIMINARY HEARING Further Evidence Given in Connection With the Vogue Robbery.

The preliminary hearing in connection with the charge against Edmund Byers and James Crowley on the charge of breaking, entering and stealing from the Vogue, was continued in the Police Court, yesterday morning before Magistrate Martin. The following witnesses were examined:— Mary McDonald, daughter of Simon McDonald deceased, living at 297 Sydney St., with her mother, Mrs. Mary Ann McDonald. I remember the night of the Vogue robbery. He and another came to the door about eleven o'clock a.m. looking for beer. I don't know who the other fellow was. Esther, my sister and I were downstairs, mother was upstairs. Esther went to the door. They asked her if there was any beer. She said "No," but McCloskey's might have some. So they went down Cumberland and up Dorchester St. Esther and I went to Michel's shop for milk and saw Byers going into McCloskey's. The other fellow walked to the station. When we were going to Michel's we met Jack Coughlin and Jack Marr on the corner of Weymouth and Dorchester St., and they spoke to us. When we came back we saw no one and went up Weymouth and down Sydney house. When going for the milk we went down Cumberland and up Dorchester St. We passed McCloskey's door. We were about 10 yards from Byers when he went into McCloskey's. Cross-examined. That was the 8th of May. I think it takes an hour or two to get down to the house. I know about three weeks ago. My mother was home at that time. She is in jail now. I am out of jail a good spell now. I got out about two or three months ago. I was put there for simply nothing. My sister, Esther was put in jail at the same time. We were taken out of the house. Mrs. McCloskey never to see me. I never saw her or Mr. McCloskey for a long while. We have a clock in the house. I was putting on dinner the Sunday I saw Byers and the other fellow. It was just eleven. I looked at the clock. I was putting on potatoes. We have dinner about 12.30. We always put the potatoes on at eleven o'clock sharp. It takes an hour to boil the potatoes. I took off the potatoes at twelve sharp. I looked at the clock. The meat was cooked Saturday morning. I always look at the clock when putting on the potatoes. I always look at the clock when taking the potatoes off. Everybody does. Maybe we put them on a little earlier on week days. When these men called, Esther and I and my mother were in the house. We did sell beer. We were not selling it then. We haven't sold it since last fall. We sell nothing else. Our house is on the north side of Sydney St., and the west side of Cumberland. The door faces Sydney St. Michel's shop is on Weymouth St. It is about two blocks from our place. It is between King St. and Dorchester St. It is over two blocks. McCloskey lives on Dorchester St., between Cum-

berland and Weymouth. (Continued on page 6) (Canadian Press) TIMMINS, Ont., June 13.—William Oke died of suffocation today. Two others were injured and property damage of upwards of \$125,000 was caused when fire practically destroyed the red brick last night. The block was one of the most important business and residential buildings in Timmins. 10 per cent.

Mysterious Death Of A Seaman

(Canadian Press) HALIFAX, N. S., June 13.—Relatives, assisted by authorities, were searching the harbor and vicinity today for William Creaser of the schooner W. S. Eastwood, who was last seen Friday night at ten o'clock when he placed a number of men of the crew ashore at Fairbairn wharf and turned about to return in a small power boat to a schooner. Saturday morning the empty boat with engine running and tiller lines trailing astern, was found wedged against the pilings at the naval dockyard. It is thought probable that Creaser in some way fell from the boat and drowned although he was an able swimmer. He leaves a wife and eight children in Lunenburg.

Artillery Brigade To Start Training On June 28th

Authority has been received by Lt. Col. J. P. Hooper, M. C., from headquarters at Halifax that the first P. E. I. Med. Bde. Artillery will go into camp at Charlottetown along with the other Island units on June 28th to do their Local training before proceeding to Petawawa Camp for their practical training. No. 2 and 8 Batteries will have a strength of 33 other ranks and 5 officers each and the Brigade staff with 1 Lt.-Col., 1 Adj., and 1 Staff Warrant Officer making a total of 79 all ranks. The Brigade will leave Charlottetown on July 20th for Petawawa remaining there eight days to do their practice shooting in competition with all Canadian Artillery (Light, Medium and Heavy). Prizes will be given for those qualifying in Gun Laying and Signalling. As this is a very fine outing the officers of the Brigade hope to see as many of the other men turn out as possible. No doubt there will be some vacancies and men will be signed on in the course of a few days, the exact date of which will be published in the daily papers.

Encouraging Report For Fox Men

The report of C. M. Lamson & Co's spring sale of 1927 is to hand and is cheering to our fox men. At the January and April sales in 1926 the Lamsons report shows 4,017 and 3,775 pelts sold, making a total of 7,792 at the two sales. At the January and April sales of 1927 the January sales were 9,049 and April 4,239, a total of 13,288, or 6,496 more than in the corresponding two sales in 1926. By classes, for black, silver and inferior advance 10 per cent while all good kinds advanced 25 per cent. The market for this fur was once more exceedingly keen and every skin catalogued was sold at a considerable advance in January. The collection contained odd skins of nice quality and color. All the silvery kinds of clear color and fair quality, were in excellent request and these are now at least 25 per cent. higher than in January. It may be of interest to note that buyers now appear to attach great importance to the size of the skins, provided the fur is of silky quality bringing very high prices. Compared with last winter sales, heavier advanced 25 per cent, Canadian odd 25 per cent, cross fox 50 per cent, blue fox 25 per cent, each 25 per cent and Persian lamb 10 per cent.

MARITIME PICNIC HELD AT TORONTO

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Aviator Took Off From Lisbon

(Special to the Guardian) LISBON, Portugal, June 13.—Commander De Pinedo, Italian long distance aviator, took off from Lisbon at 8.30 o'clock today for Barcelona, Spain. From there he may go to Madrid to make a courtesy call on King Alfonso and then fly to Rome thus completing his four continent flight.

Welland Canal As Centre Of Population

(Canadian Press) ST. CATHERINES, Ont., June 13.—"I believe without a particle of doubt that some day the Great Lake region will be the chief centre of population of the entire world and with the canal as the main artery into this rich territory it is not difficult to see what it will mean," said Hon. Charles A. Dunning, upon the eve of his departure for Ottawa after two days inspection of the Welland ship canal. "The canal is important," he continued, "and we must educate the people of Canada to its true significance. It is regrettable that the Canadian people are not aware of the magnitude of this great undertaking, and of the vast amount of engineering skill and work that is being put into its construction. It has been in the United States it would have been blazoned forth to each 25 per cent and Persian lamb 10 per cent."

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Resignation Of Chief Of Police Accepted - Police Sergeant James Walker Retires On Allowance - Councillor Foster Criticizes Service Of Maritime Electric Light Company.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council was held in the Council Chambers last evening with His Worship the Mayor, City Recorder and all the Councillors present. After the reading and adoption of minutes of the previous meeting and the usual reading of bills, an application from the Secretary of the local branch of the Canadian Legion was presented asking for the use of the field facing Brighton Road for concession purposes from July 13th until July 23rd. After thoroughly discussing the above application and due to objections being raised by residents along this drive it was decided to put the Market Square at the disposal of the Legion on these dates. The Council was informed by Councillor Blanchard that the G. W. V. A. would gladly accept. It was moved by Councillor Foster and seconded by Councillor Prowse that Councilor William Moran, whose term of office on the City School Board expires on June 30 be reappointed. The resignation of J. W. Shaw, City Marshal was tendered and accepted; acceptance moved by Councillor Hennessey and seconded by Councillor Douglas. The report of the Thiel Detective representatives who were recently employed by the city was presented but not read at the meeting. It was resolved however that the report be accepted as read and placed on file. Moved by Councillor Hennessey, seconded by Councillor Douglas. His Worship read a wire received by His Honor the Lieut. Governor from His Excellency the Governor General, accepting the tentative program as laid out for his reception here in July. His Excellency and party will arrive by special train on July 7th leaving on July 10th. At a special meeting on Thursday morning next a committee will be appointed to draft an address appropriate to the occasion. One case of typhoid fever was reported by the Health Officer. Councillor Moran, Chairman of the Public Property Committee referred to the band stand at Victoria Park saying that it should be torn down as it was condemned by the City Engineer. It was decided to let the matter rest a few days. In referring to the matter of renewing leases Councillor Moran informed the meeting that A. Lohnes & Co. Broom Manufacturers would not renew their lease of their warehouse but stated that C. Lyons & Co. were willing to take the lease over. After much discussion it was decided to hold the matter over until the next meeting. The renewal of the lease of Saunders and Newsom was accepted.

Announcements Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

- **Hope River Tea party, Saturday, July 16th 5812-6-23-att if
**Come to see "Finigan's Fortune" by Little Pond Dramatic Club at St. Peter's on Friday, June 17th. 7031-6-13-24.
**Inquire Re Chronic Diseases 112 Prince Street, Dr. Clift. Don't delay, recovery in next three months. 6063-t1 Sept. 8
**See "Why Men Marry" at Tigris Thursday, June sixteen, Hum-an Cargo Friday and a complete change on Saturday. Vaudeville between acts and novelty Orchestra. Dance after the play. 7032-6-18-24
**The Annual Meeting of the Cavendish Trust Telephone Co. will be held in Cavendish Hall on Tuesday 21st inst., at 8 p. m. June 9th. J. H. Simpson, Sec'y. 7026-6-18-24
**The Oyster Bed Bridge Women's Institute will present their three act comedy "Breaking Wine" at Wheatley River on Wednesday, June 15th. Admiss on 35 and 25. 6-13-27.
**The Margate Dramatic Club will present a four act comedy drama "The Villain Foiled" in Malpeque Hall on Tuesday, June 14th. If not fine first night following.
**McMillan flour mill will be closed from June 30th till October 1st those who have wheat to grind please bring it right away. Will be crushing bread on Saturday's usual. McMillan Bros. 7065-6-14-21

The Weather, Etc. THE MAN WHO LISTENS LESS APPLAUDS MOST.

Table with weather forecasts for Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, Saint John, New York, and Ch'town.