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FOR A PURE ELECTION.

Today the electors of West Queens are to make choice of a representative in the Commons. Most of them have doubtless heard the discussions between opposing candidates and speakers at one or more of the various public meetings, and have also read the reports and arguments printed in the newspapers. Such persons have doubtless made up their minds as to the candidate in whose support they will give their votes, and it is not the object of The Guardian to disturb any well considered decision in that regard. The true object of an election is to ascertain the preference of the electors according to their best mind and judgment.

At the numerous public meetings held we are glad to learn there was a fair and equal hearing accorded to the candidates and other speakers of both parties. The meetings were orderly and well conducted. The right of free speech and fair public discussion was vindicated, and this is one of the high privileges secured to us under our British institutions. There remains one more day's work to complete on the part of the electors their work in the choice of a representative. It is all important that this shall be honestly and faithfully done. First that every elector shall discharge his duties to his country by attending at the polls and marking his ballot for the man of his choice. This duty cannot be relegated to another. It must be performed by each voter in person. Every elector who loves his country and who values the institutions under which he lives, and who does not? should attend at the polls and mark his ballot. It is a duty, he owes to his country.

It is painful to refer to the fact that there has been in past years an increasing prevalence of corrupt practices in connection with the polling. A few despicable creatures, altogether unworthy to hold the voting franchise, have been found willing to sell their votes to the highest bidder, and election managers and canvassers have been base enough to engage in this unholy traffic. It is needless to say that in this lies the greatest danger to our free institutions. If all, or a majority of elections were decided in this manner by a corrupted electorate our system of representative institutions would speedily become worse than Russian despotism. Few, even of our more

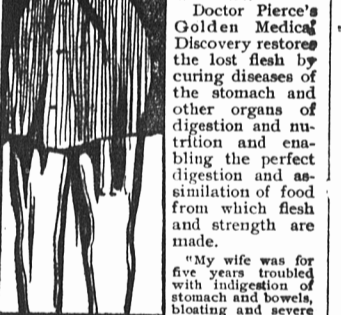
honest and thoughtful people can realize the appalling danger and degradation to which corrupt practices in elections must inevitably lead. We therefore as a solemn duty call upon all candidates, election workers and electors to keep the election of today free from this delilement.

We believe the two candidates, Messrs. Hazard and McLean to be honorable and honest men. Both are contesting their first election for the Commons. Both would, we doubt not alike on public grounds and for their own interest have the election honestly conducted. We ask them and their election workers to respect the law in its letter and spirit. The man who gives or promises a bribe whether of money, rum or other consideration, degrades himself to the level of the man who offers his vote for sale. The member elected honestly gains distinguished honor by being the free choice of the people, but a member whose majority is purchased represents not the honest voice of the people. He is rather the choice of a portion of the community which embodies its shame and dishonor. That would indeed be a sad and a bad way to enter upon a public career.

Let us have a fair, honest and pure election. There is no need to have it otherwise. The constituency is not so close that the purchaseable vote is likely to turn its decision. In any case both candidates and their supporters will find it to their present and future advantage to conduct an honest election, and such will be of lasting advantage and credit to the riding. We sincerely hope and trust that the vote offered for a money consideration will be despised and pass unpolled, and that no elector, worker or canvasser will descend to a traffic in votes to-day. Let us have an honest election and may the best man win!

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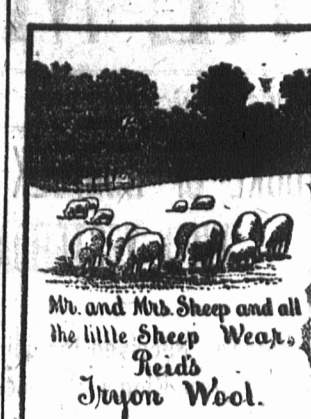
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