

THE CAMPAIGN.

GOVERNMENT'S RECORD.

"They promised to greatly reduce the public expenditure. They have largely increased it.

"In the strongest language they condemned a provincial debt. In five years they have added over a quarter of a million of dollars to our debt.

"They solemnly professed that they could manage our affairs without taxation. In three years they have taken from the people over one hundred and thirty-eight thousand dollars in taxes.

"They protested against the practice of borrowing money at the banks. There has scarcely been a year since they attained power, that the Province has not owed very large amounts to one or more of the banks.

"They pledged themselves not to impose taxation without consulting the people. No sooner was the promise made than it was faithlessly broken by the introduction and passage into law of four separate tax acts.

"They seriously engaged, in 1891, to devote about 15,000 dollars of the money to be raised by debentures to the repair of the Provincial building. This has not been done. The building has received no repairs.

"They loudly proclaimed, in opposition, that there was no necessity for a Commissioner of Public Lands. That official still exists, although they have been in power for over six years.

"They denounced, with one voice, Provincial deficits. There has not been a single year of their administration that there has not been a large deficit,—their deficits aggregate over \$255,000, and if the taxes they collected be added, the astounding result of over \$393,000 will be reached."

PEOPLES' PARTY'S MOTTO: VICTORY WITH HONOR.

Peoples' Party's Platform

"The Provincial executive will be reduced from nine to seven."

"No public money will be expended in excess of legislative appropriations, unless in case of unavoidable necessity, such as caused by flood or sudden disaster."

"Provision will be made for a quarterly publication of revenue and expenditure."

"The office of Commissioner of Public Lands will be abolished and the duties assigned to the Attorney General."

"The present ferry system will be reformed with a view to greater economy of expenditure without diminishing efficiency of accommodation."

"A reform in the administration of the Surrogate and Probate court will be effected."

"A radical change will be made in the administration of the Public Works department, so that the money now wasted can be saved to the Province."

"The present system of taxation will be so changed that it will operate with even-handed justice, and not bear oppressively and unfairly on any class of taxpayers."

"Economy will be practised in every department, and taxation will be kept down to the lowest possible limit."

"The efficiency of the Public Service will be maintained, and revenue and expenditure will be made to square as nearly as possible."

"No further increase of the public debt will be permitted."

"There will be considerable reductions in the expenditure of the public money, and the resources of the Province will be safeguarded and husbanded by every legitimate means that can be devised."

Peoples' Party's Candidates. QUEEN'S COUNTY.

CHARLOTTETOWN AND ROYALTY:—PATRICK BLAKE AND JAMES PATON.

FIRST DISTRICT:—D. B. McLEOD AND SAMUEL BEATON.

SECOND DISTRICT:—ALEXANDER HORNE AND RONALD McMILLAN.

THIRD DISTRICT:—PETER McCOURT AND THOMAS A. McLEAN.

FOURTH DISTRICT:—A. A. McLEAN AND HENRY WOOD.

KING'S COUNTY.

GEORGETOWN AND ROYALTY:—HON. DANIEL GORDON AND HON. A. J. McDONALD.

FIRST DISTRICT:—JOHN McLEAN AND JOHN KICKHAM.

SECOND DISTRICT:—MORSON AND McISAAC.

THIRD DISTRICT:—JAMES E. MACDONALD AND CYRUS SHAW.

FOURTH DISTRICT:—PROWSE AND McKINNON.

PRINCE COUNTY.

SUMMERSIDE AND LOT 17:—GILBERT DESROCHES AND A. A. LEFURGEY.

FIRST DISTRICT:—JAMES BIRCH AND EDWARD HACKETT.

SECOND DISTRICT:—WILLIAM DENNIS AND JAMES YEO.

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A GAME ON SUNDAY.

THEY WERE BETTING ON A JACK POT WHEN THE YACHT UPSET.

Imprisoned in the Cabin Until Guided by a Fish Line to Swim to the Surface—A Reminiscence of Poker Playing Off the Long Island Coast.

"The closest call I ever had," said the gray haired, young looking man, "was in a game of poker, and, curiously enough, nobody called in that particular deal in which it occurred.

"Perhaps you remember one summer about ten years ago when a succession of tremendous squalls struck the south side of Long Island on four successive Sundays. I think it was just ten years ago.

"We had a clubhouse, eight or ten of us, that summer which was located on Hicks' beach, on the extreme western end of the Great South bay.

"We all knew something about sailing—I least of all—but the commodore, as we all called him, was the best amateur sailor I ever knew, and naturally we made him skipper, and nobody else assumed or felt any responsibility when he was aboard.

"On this particular Sunday, the fourth in the series of squally Sundays, there were seven of us on the yacht. We had been weak fishing all the forenoon about four miles east of Wreck Head, and had had fair luck, but it was wretchedly hot, and, tiring of the sport, we had run back nearly to Hicks' beach again and come to anchor off the best bathing ground in the neighborhood, opposite the life saving station. Then we had a plunge and after dressing had gone into the cabin. Two of the men had gone to sleep and the rest of us had begun a game of poker. It was the last game I ever played on Sunday.

"After an hour or so there came a jack pot, in which there was some of the most remarkable drawing I ever saw. The broker had opened it on a pair of queens. The commodore sat next, and having a pair of sevens came in. The doctor had three spades with a queen at the head, and being a brush player at all times pushed in his chips. I had been having great luck for a time and decided to rely on it, so I came in with an ace, and the lawyer came also, though he had only two little four spots in his hand. We found out all this long afterward when we were together one night talking over the adventure, and at the same time we learned what the draw was. It seemed so curious to me that I wrote it down, so I speak by the card in telling it. The doctor was dealing, so I drew the first cards. They were another ace and three eight spots. The lawyer caught another four and two tens. The broker got three jacks. The commodore caught a seven and two nines, and the doctor got his two coveted spades. A pair of queens was high hand before the draw, and there were four fulls and a flush around the board after it.

"Naturally enough, the betting began furiously, and the chips on the table were all in the pot presently. We were betting money and were, some of us, feeling through our pockets for our rolls, when suddenly the commodore threw back his head and raised his hand with a sudden gesture that arrested our attention instantly. Dropping his cards, he sprang to his feet and started to rush out on deck, when a lurch of the vessel sent us all sprawling. The squall had struck us. For a moment, while we were scrambling up we could feel the yacht tug at her anchor, and then with a sudden drive dash onward somewhere. Almost at the moment of the snapping of the cable, for it had snapped, we heard a tremendous crash overhead, and we afterward learned that the lurch of the boat had thrown her stick out of her.

"The sudden drive meant that we were drifting helplessly toward the mud flats on the other side of the channel, but before we could ascertain this—in fact, before any of us could get to the companion-way—the wretched boat turned turtle. I have heard it denied that such a boat could turn turtle under such circumstances, and I don't pretend to explain how or why it did. All I know is that it did, and it looked as if we had reached our last quarter of an hour.

"The confusion was indescribable. Of course we were immediately standing or scrambling on the ceiling of the little cabin, while everything that had been on the floor fell with us. The water rushed in more than waist deep, and for a few moments it looked as if the little room would fill up completely before we could even think what possibility there was of getting out. Fortunately, however, there was buoyancy enough about the miserable craft, and the cabin was deep enough in

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the hull to keep us pretty near the water level, and the air in the room was not immediately displaced. At least, that was how I reasoned it out. All that I can say positively is that whereas I expected to be totally submerged I found that I could easily enough keep my head out of water. What air there was in the cabin doubtless helped to keep us afloat, confined as it was, and for a time—it seemed a very long time—we were tossed about, splashed and thrown down, as the boat rocked and pitched, but we were not drowned.

"At first no one spoke. The situation was too awful for words, and it seemed as if we were all so shocked as to be mentally stunned. I know I was for one, and if our escape had depended on my thinking of means we would all have perished then and there. Fortunately the commodore grasped the situation, and, as we could talk and understand one another well enough, he told us his plan in a few words. It was simple, and it gave us at least a chance for life.

"You can all swim," he said. "Find a fishing line. There are plenty in the cabin."

"Somebody produced one in a moment. It was on a reel.

"Hold fast to the reel," said the commodore. "I'll take one end of the line and dive through the companionway. I think I can find my way over the side and up on the bottom of the boat. I'll hold my end, and when you feel three jerks make this end fast. Then you will have to follow, one at a time. Don't let go of the line as you go out, and you can't miss the way. I'll hold the other end."

"Very good, commodore," said the broker, "but I'd better go first. You know what a swimmer I am, and I reckon the man who goes first will have the hardest job."

"The commodore was disposed to dispute this proposition, but the lawyer spoke up sharply: "Let him go, commodore," he said. "It's a forlorn hope at best, and he's far and away the best swimmer." So it was settled, and in another moment the broker had disappeared.

"Well, that's all the story. The plan worked, and we were all perched on the keel inside of ten minutes. There we were seen by the life saving patrol and were all taken off safely soon after."—New York Sun.



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Flags in the Metropolis.

It is customary to hoist the national flag daily from sunrise to sunset, but in large cities there are many flags, or more properly speaking burgees, that are hoisted only when the wind is in certain directions, so that the wind will blow them out over the street in front of the building on which they are hoisted. These are big flags, some of them of great size, bearing the name of the business house from which they float. Some of them are big enough to stretch across the street. Such flags would only be wasted if hoisted when the wind would blow them back over the building. They could not be seen there, and they would soon wear out on roofs and walls and in whipping around chimneys, and so they are hoisted only when the wind is right.—New York Sun.

Another Marine Horror. "I wouldn't have the reputation you have," said the starfish, "for worlds. Your very name stands for all that is grasping, cruel and murderous."

"You haven't any occasion to brag," said the shark. "You're the Five Points of the fish tribe—that's what you are!"—Chicago Tribune.

The chief center of the pearl trade in the Persian gulf is Lingali (Lingah). Most of the products of this fishery are known as "Bonlay pearls," from the fact that many of the best are sold there. The pearls have frequently a distinctly yellow water.

Benjamin Jowett, the famous master of Balliol college, Oxford, said his favorite books were "The Vicar of Wakefield," all Jane Austen's novels and Dr. Johnson.

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