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POLITICAL MOVEMENTS.

We are informed that Mr. Jeremiah S. Clarke, of Bay View, has been chosen by the grit party as its organizer for this Province, and that he will enter upon his duties within a short time, giving his attention chiefly to the country districts.

This move on the part of the moribund concerns that for the time being exist at Ottawa and Charlottetown is a clear indication of elections in the near future. We therefore bring the matter to the notice of our readers and all who are opposed to grit rule in Canada and this Province so that they may not be taken by surprise but be on the alert to meet and overcome the machinations of the enemy.

It is conceded that the Ottawa Government cannot live beyond the present parliamentary term, and no one questions the complete overthrow of the present incapable and obnoxious rump which holds on to power in this Province, whenever an opportunity is given the people to deal with it.

It will be well for the interests and welfare of our people if, when a change of government comes at Ottawa—and a change is now near at hand—a strong representation from this Province be sent to Parliament in support of the new government of Sir Charles Tupper. This desirable end can only be accomplished by organization and work, to which everyone who has the welfare of the province at heart should contribute. If this be done with zeal and in the proper spirit there is no reason whatever why our whole representation should not be elected opposed to the present Federal Government.

We feel that THE EXAMINER is merely performing a duty in bringing the matter, in this way, to the notice of the public; and we trust that prompt and vigorous action will follow.

THE POLICY OF DECEIT.

ACCORDING to the despatcher, the Boers and burghers will lose more than they have gained as a result of the deceit they practised upon Lord Roberts. Having discovered that he cannot depend upon their words or oaths, that they are ready to return to the fight at the first opportunity, and that those who are not able to take up arms give supplies to the Boers in the field, Lord Roberts has, we are told, abandoned his policy of leniency. The men who have broken their pledges and violated the rules of civilized warfare are to be punished, and the people of the Free State are to be stripped of all provisions except those of which they are in immediate need. Lord Roberts is determined that there shall not be another Boer eruption in the Orange Free State.

It seems to us that the people of Canada will do well if, when dealing with their deceivers, they follow the example of Lord Roberts. The politicians who a few years ago obtained their support upon the strength of pledges to reduce the public expenditures, to reduce the public debt, to reduce the taxes, to abolish protection, to act according to a plebiscite vote on prohibition, etc., and the men who promised to replenish the Provincial treasury by means of an arbitration, and have never even attempted to redeem their pledges and promises, should alike be punished by the only means in the sovereign people's power,—the vote at the polls.

As in the case of the Free Staters they should not have another opportunity to practice their deceitful and dishonest arts; and they ought to be taught that in politics, as in war, honesty is the best policy.

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A MODERN INSTANCE.

Our correspondent "Old Tory" forgot to let THE EXAMINER know his proper name, in confidence, and so we cannot publish his letter in full. The story he tells is, however, so interesting, as showing the modern Liberal methods of conducting public affairs, that we give the gist of it, suppressing all the names. On a certain bridge, not a hundred miles from the Public Works office, there was a hole. A little brush was needed to fill it up in the usual way and a little clay on top—no lumber was required. The supervisor called a sale, and there was a bid of \$75 on the part of a supporter of the party. While the auctioneer was dwelling upon this another gentleman stepped to the front—a Liberal, too,—and said: "There are five of us in this crowd; I will have nothing to do with the job at that money." The effect of this was that the supervisor "put it up again" and the work was knocked down to a third gentleman in the ring for \$150. Our correspondent supplies names and particulars in connection with this job, and says that the same supervisor "played the same trick" at another time within the past two months.

QUESTIONS FOR THE PREMIER AND PATRIOT.

SIR,—A few days ago, under this heading, I asked some questions about boats and other appliances for the protection of passengers and crews of the ferry steamers, Southport and Hillsborough, such as boats, life buoys, life jackets, fire hose, buckets, etc., also about the engineer of steamer Southport. The Premier has not answered. But the Patriot rises to explain,—explain what?—That there is a boat on the deck of the Southport. I did not ask this question, because we all know there is an old ice boat put there by Mr. Bentley many years ago when he was C. P. W. But is it any good now? Mr. Patriot will please explain; also, what about the boats on the Hillsborough? I had no intention of bringing Mr. Patriot into this, but since he has taken a hand let him answer the questions straight.

I did not ask about the captains, but he rises to explain that there are two, perhaps more than enough. But what certificate have they? What about the engineers? The Patriot says Mr. McFarlane has charge of the two steamers. Will he tell us how Mr. McFarlane can work in the two engine rooms when the steamers are ten miles apart?

Mr. Patriot says the man that runs the Southport ran the Hillsborough for years. He knows well this is not true.

When these questions are answered I will give him lots more that may not be as easy.

Just now, let me add: what about the boats and fire appliances on the Elfin? Also why was the man (George Warri) having twenty years' experience, a true and trustworthy man, sent back to the fire hole of the Hillsborough and a farmer of a few months' experience put in charge of the engine room of the Southport?

It is to be hoped that the Board of Trade and the people at large will take hold of this, and see that the necessary outfit will be put on board these steamers at once before some awful accident happens, and that no picnic nor excursion party will employ the steamers till they are well fitted.

I again tell Mr. Patriot and Mr. Premier that there is not another passenger steamer in the world allowed to run in the same condition, equipped, or non-equipped as they are. I believe that if the case was brought to the notice of the Minister of Marine he would not allow it to continue a single day.

I will wait for Mr. Patriot or Mr. Premier to explain, and then look for more information for

ANOTHER PASSENGER.

By the way I have no axe to grind; but in case of accident it may need oil on the troubled waters as hinted by Mr. Patriot.

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LITERARY SOCIETY.

NEW GLASGOW.—Notwithstanding the unfavorable condition of the roads, a large number assembled to enjoy the closing exercises of the "New Glasgow Literary Society" on Friday evening, 27th ult. The president Mr. William Laird, after a few suitable remarks, called for the report of the winter's work, which read as follows:—

Our society was organized on October 20th, 1899, with thirty members, and twelve meetings were held throughout the season, all well attended and with no flagging in interest. For the library about forty volumes, including a set of the "Masterpieces of the World's Literature," were procured, which are being read with enjoyment by many in the community and adjacent districts.

Excellent papers on "Tennyson," "Burns," "Holmes," and Bellamy's theories in "Looking Backward" and "Equality" were given by some of our leading members, also several on more practical subjects, one of which, on "Tuberculosis," given by our late president, Dr. J. C. Houston, was of especial value. Discussions on the "Propriety of the African War," "Canada versus the United States" (as a home), "The Franchise for Women," and on some of the papers, were argued with zeal and earnestness.

A synopsis of the general news at each meeting was another interesting feature. A gramophone concert, with proceeds devoted to Library, occupied one evening, and on another, a musical and general entertainment. A most enthusiastic, patriotic concert was held, which served to show we were "all British yet."

At our last meeting, after some music and a short discussion, an address was presented to our retiring president, who was chiefly instrumental in forming this society. He replied in suitable terms. The number of members enrolled at present is forty-five, and we trust that even greater interest may be shown.

The Treasurer's report showed the finances to be in a healthy condition, there being a considerable balance in favor of the Society.

After the reports were adopted addresses were given by Messrs. R. E. Bagnall, E. W. Harris, James Dickson and William Laird. Excellent recitations by Miss Martha Brown, of Mayfield, and Mrs. Horace Ling, with choice music, consisting of solos, duets, a quartette and choruses were rendered in good style. The meeting closed by singing "God Save the Queen" and three cheers for the Literary Society.

ELLA J. BAGNALL, Secretary.

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