

THE POPULAR CANDIDATES

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THE DAILY EXAMINER

JUNE 15, 1896. CHEERING NEWS.

The EXAMINER is permitted to publish the following telegram from Sir Charles Tupper:

TORONTO, June 15. "Hon. D. FRASER." "During the past week I have addressed seventeen mass meetings in the province of Ontario, from Ottawa in the east to Windsor in the west, and during the coming week I hope to address nearly as many more. These meetings have been without parallel in the history of the province in the numbers present and the unbounded enthusiasm displayed. I am glad to be able to tell you that the Conservative party never presented a more united front in Ontario, nor were ever more confident of a sweeping victory than now. All boasting of our opponents to the contrary, Ontario will give us a good majority on the 23rd. At the same time, my advice from Hon. Hugh J. McDonald assure me of our certain success in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories."

CHARLES TUPPER. This is cheering news. We hope that little Prince Edward Island will be in the swim this time with the big provinces of Canada. The votes of the electors only are needed to put it in that position. Every lever of his country ought to make up his mind now to drop his ballot into the box, on the 23rd of June, marked with the cross opposite the name of the Liberal-Conservative candidate.

THE QUESTION OF CREDIBILITY.

The Patriot charges that THE EXAMINER published an untruth in the telegram from Toronto, which stated that—"The Grits have abandoned the idea of giving a reception to Mr. Laurier upon his arrival here to-day."

It will readily be seen that the statement here quoted is not at all in conflict with the Patriot's telegram which reads:—"Hon. Mr. Laurier addressed a packed meeting in Massey Hall last night and got a great reception."

The fact is, Mr. Laurier was not given a reception "upon his arrival" in Toronto. In proof of this, we quote from a Toronto despatch to the Halifax Chronicle (June 12) which reports:—"The Liberal leader arrived here at one o'clock from St. Catharines and went to Mrs. H. Jan's house, where he is a guest until tomorrow for Peterboro."

Not one word about a "reception upon his arrival," no bands, no procession, no "reception" in the ordinary sense of the term—only a meeting in the evening! THE EXAMINER's telegram was exactly true. The Grits of Toronto did abandon their idea of giving Mr. Laurier a reception upon his arrival, for none was given. He merely "read" to Mrs. Jan's. Of course, there was, in the evening, a "packed meeting." It would have been wonderful if, in a city of the population of Toronto, there had not been a "packed meeting" to hear what the Leader of the Liberal party had to say for himself and his party. The intelligent people of Toronto like to see the public men of the country and to hear "the other side of the question."

We have here another proof of the care taken by THE EXAMINER's correspondents and the reliability of THE EXAMINER's news. Erroneous statements will occasionally, in spite of every precaution, be found in every daily newspaper, particularly during times of political excitement. These, resulting from hurry or annoying mistakes in the printing, a forwarding public will excuse if not important or, if important, when promptly corrected. But what is to be said of the Patriot's attempt, by means of false telegrams, to convince the electors that Hon. Dr. Montague had gone out of the Government, that Hon. Mr. Haggart was sulking in his constituency, and that the break-up of the Administration of Sir Charles Tupper had already begun. This was not a printer's error. Nor was it a blunder resulting from overhear or the misconception of a fact. It was a lie deliberately coined and given currency for the malicious purpose of deceiving and misleading the people. Suppose that some one here had telegraphed to the Montreal Gazette a statement that Mr. L. H. Davies, the Maritime Leader, an champion common school man, had, in view of the Liberal canvass in Quebec—to the effect that the Liberals would go further than the Conservatives in forcing separate schools upon Manitoba—withdrawn from the conflict, and proposed to take an independent course if elected for West Queen's. Such an invention would have much stronger ground in fact and reason than that to which the Patriot gave currency in respect to Messrs. Haggart and Montague. But what would the Patriot not have said if the Gazette had published such a telegram? Words would fall to express its indignation against the Gazette, its lying correspondents and the Liberal-Conservative Party. Or suppose some mischievous reporter here had telegraphed the Quebec Chronicle to the effect that Mr. Davies had told certain Protestant electors in this Province that Mr. Laurier had assured them that not even an hour a day would be

permitted the schools of Manitoba for the purpose of religious instruction, and that the Liberal leader's candidates were humbugging the electors of Quebec when they declared that Mr. Laurier would go further than the Remedial Bill in relief of the grievance of the minority in Manitoba. Would it not be said by the Patriot that so damaging a statement ought not to have been published by the Chronicle except upon the most positive evidence of its truth? A much more false and scandalous statement—a statement affecting the personal honor and reputation of two members of the Government—was given to the public of Prince Edward Island by the Patriot, and enforced by an editorial article. We say that a paper which persists in such a statement is not worthy of credence; we say that a party which resorts to such detestable tricks is not worthy of the support of honest men.

WILL IT PAY?

Under Conservative government and the National Policy—Canada's foreign trade increased from 153 million dollars to 224 million dollars. Imports increased from 81 million dollars to 110 million dollars. Exports increased from 71 million dollars to 113 million dollars. Canadian railway earnings increased from less than 20 millions to over 49 million dollars. Freight carried by Canadian railways increased from less than 8 million tons to over 20 million tons. Letters carried through Canadian post-offices increased in number from 50 million to 130 million.

The business of the country, as represented by bank discounts, increased from 113 million dollars to 211 million dollars. Chartered bank note circulation increased from 20 million dollars to over 30 million dollars. Deposits in the chartered banks increased from 73 million dollars to 180 million dollars. Deposits in savings banks increased from 14 million dollars to nearly 56 million dollars. Total seagoing and inland tonnage arrived and cleared at Canadian ports increased from 12 million tons to over 20 million tons.

In view of these facts, the Moncton Times aptly asks, will it pay to abandon the policy and the party under which this growth has been attained for a party with a past record of decreased trade and a future of indifference?

A NOTABLE RESOLUTION.

A rousing meeting was held at Fenelon Falls, Victoria North, Ontario, on the 8th inst. It was addressed by Dr. Delamere, an Independent candidate, Major Hughes, the Liberal-Conservative candidate, and by Mr. Clarke Wallace. At the conclusion of the meeting, so runs the report, cheers were given at once for the Queen, a few were given for Mr. Wallace, but when a stentorian voice called for three for Major Hughes they were given with a will. Then Mr. George Ashman, Past District Master of the Orange Association, from Elton township, moved, seconded by Dr. Mason, also an Orangeman, the following resolution, put it to the meeting, and called on those favorable to stand and raise their hands. A forest of hands went up, and three rousing cheers followed. Only a few Reformers besides Mr. Wallace and Mr. Delamere opposed it. The resolution was as follows:

Moved by Mr. George Ashman, of Elton township, seconded by Dr. Mason, of Fenelon Falls, "That this meeting composed almost entirely of Orangemen and other Protestants, having heard the discussion here to-night: (1) Regrets that Mr. Clarke Wallace should so ungratefully and maliciously exert an influence derived not from his personal abilities or superior qualities, but from his position in the Orange Order, where he has been held by the influence of Major Sam. Hughes, Mr. Robert Birmingham and many other true Canadians; (2) expresses its sincere sorrow that Mr. Wallace's unseemly conduct during recent months in pursuing such courses as would have inevitably resulted in placing Mr. Wilfred Laurier, with Mr. Dalton McCarthy and other jealous-minded political rascals, in power in Canada; (3) and emphatically condemns his miserable attempts to defeat Major Sam. Hughes in North Victoria by trying to take votes from him to split the Conservative party, and thus secure the election of the Grit candidate. We clearly recognize that his conduct is not directed by manly principles, but by an insane ambition to secure a position in any Cabinet in Canada, and also by an unwholly and unwarranted jealousy of Dr. Montague, that talented and honorable young statesman, dear to every true Canadian's heart. We further censure Mr. Clarke Wallace for coming to Victoria county with the avowed object of injuring one who ever proved a friend to him, Major Sam. Hughes, and a gentleman who has ever been staunch and true to Protestantism, to Orangemen, to responsible government, and to Canada; and who has done more than any other man in Canada to advance Mr. Wallace's cause, and present to the Canadian public commendable features in Mr. Wallace's character, which few others could ever observe. We respectfully suggest to Mr. Wallace, and hope he will accept promptly on the suggestion, that he here to-night should apologize to Major Sam. Hughes for his conduct, and that he should utter the unholiest words unting him to Messrs. Laurier and McCarthy, and should return again to his senses, and to the grand old Conservative party. We further express our firm faith and unbounded confidence in Major Sam. Hughes as our representative, and cordially endorse his course in opposition to Mr. Laurier's amendment."

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REFERRING to a paragraph published by the Halifax Chronicle of the 12th inst., and republished in the Patriot of the 13th inst., we take the liberty of quoting the following from a private letter written by Mr. W. C. Desbrisay to a friend in this city: "Of course, that paragraph in this morning's Chronicle about my arrival with a bag of koolies, etc., is a pure fabrication. The interview I had with prominent Tories was confined to a shake hands and a few words with Theodore Cosman, a commercial traveller whom I have known for many years. I am not going to the Island but am returning to Ottawa to-day."

It may be that we have taken an unnecessary liberty in quoting Mr. Desbrisay's statement. Everyone (Grit and Tory) who knows Mr. Desbrisay, knows that he is not the man to be engaged in work of the kind described by the Chronicle. The story is, of course, merely the product of an evil imagination.

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PERSONAL.

Messrs. Ivan McKinnon and James H. Bradley, have returned from McGill. Mr. O. G. Carstairs, of Hamilton, Ont., is at the Hotel Davies. Mr. J. F. L. Carron, of Montreal, is at the Davies. Mr. Clairmont having concluded his studies in this city, left this morning for his home in Nova Scotia, greatly to the regret of many friends.

Mr. Geoff Bayfield returned on Friday from McGill College, accompanied by Mr. Pigeon, of England, son of Dr. Pigeon, of Peterborough, Ontario, and Mr. White, son of Sir William Whiteley, of St. John's, N. F., who are now the guests of Edward Bayfield, Esq.

Mr. Frank Bayfield returned last week from Fredericton, having passed the examination and successfully completed his sophomore year at the University of New Brunswick. At the college sports held on the 24th May he carried off four medals, winning the quarter mile, half mile, and mile runs, and the medal for the best all-round athlete of his class.

LITTLE LORD FAULTREY.—For the first time on the Island this widely known and eagerly read young nobleman appears appears dramatically at the Opera House this evening. From real life, with its contrasts of caste and nobility, with humble and poor surroundings, this story has been embodied. The scene is laid both in New York and England, and the characters are not only stereotyped but comical types such as bootblacks, grocermen and adventurers, and the interest is kept up from the start to finish. Little Lord should be an admirable representative of the character, and Mr. Lin ley will be the grocerman in real flesh. This is the last appearance of the company, who deserve much better appreciation peculiarly than they have been awarded, and trust they will be rewarded this evening.

REV. M. BELL'S SERMONS.—The Rev. J. W. Bell, of Ontario, preached yesterday morning in St. James Church, and in the evening in the First Methodist Church, making a pleasing impression upon both congregations. At 8.30 he addressed a mass meeting in the First Methodist Church and gave a practical discourse on citizenship from the standpoint laid down by St. Paul. Mr. Bell is a plain, unostentatious and for a speaker, and everyone should hear his lecture to-night in the First Methodist Church. His subject will be "The saloon vs. the citizen, home and state."

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