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THE PROHIBITIONIST VOTE.

(To the Editor of the Witness.)

Sir,—As the general elections are likely to be held this fall, or as Sir Wilfrid Laurier puts it "within twelve months," I would like to say a few words to the prohibition voters throughout the Dominion. To begin with, let me say I am no disappointed office-seeker, nor a political partisan, but a prohibitionist and one who took somewhat active part in the plebiscite campaign two years ago. Now, I know the question will arise in the minds of many of the temperance people, "which party should I support?" This is the question which I will attempt to answer.

In the first place, I cannot see how the prohibition party can support the Liberal Government after the treatment received from their hands. It is not necessary for me to go into details, for your readers well know how the prohibition plank was placed in the platform of the Liberal party at the convention held at Ottawa a few years ago, and during the campaign of 1896 this plank was freely held up before the independent prohibition voters and they gave almost every assurance that a plebiscite would be taken and the party would stand by the majority. This appeal had its effect, and the result was that the Liberal party was placed in power, and I believe largely by the temperance vote. After two years' dickering and trying all ways to evade the issue, they finally gave us the plebiscite, and with what result? We all know that two or three of the cabinet ministers took the platform against us, and used every possible means to defeat us, yet, notwithstanding, we secured a fairly respectable majority, and we had a good reason to expect that the government would abide by the decision or at least recognize it in some way. But no, Sir Wilfrid then came forward and informed us that there was an understanding between the prohibitionists and the non-prohibitionists of his party that unless we polled a majority of the possible votes it was to be considered as defeated, and that would end the matter as far as his party was concerned. We have no reason to doubt Sir Wilfrid's statement, but why did they not make this plain to the people and thus save the country about two hundred thousand dollars, and the temperance people their time and money, which they freely gave for the cause? Did they not know it was almost impossible to poll such a vote as they must needs have before taking action? Why this silence during the campaign? I think it is plain to everybody. The prohibition plank above referred to was merely a bid for votes, and now when they are in power, and feel secure they not only ignore our just claims but some of the leading party papers have insulted us, called us 'cold water-drinkers'—thank God we are 'cold water-drinkers'—and some have even cast reflections on our sincerity in the cause. Why then should we support them? Have we any reason to expect anything more from the party?

In the second place, I think we should vote for the Conservative party. Not that they deserve our votes, for they have done nothing to merit the temperance support, but we must show both parties that we are in earnest and here to stay, and as I have shown we cannot expect anything from the Liberals, let us vote for the Conservatives, and let them know that we are giving them our support, and if elected we expect something from them or they will receive the same treatment as their predecessors. Let each party understand that they must give us prohibition, or at any rate, what they promise us, or out they go at the very first opportunity. This is why I think we should vote against the government and for the Opposition.

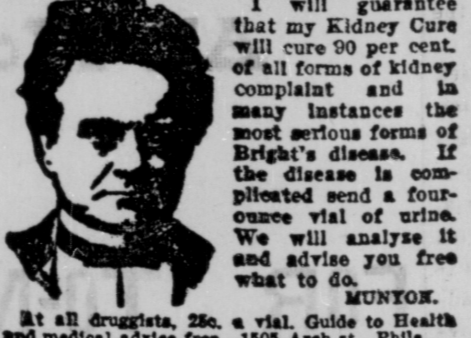
We must defeat the present government, and we may have to defeat their successors, but we must keep at it, and in the near future the temperance cause will triumph and our grand Dominion will set an example to the nations of the world worthy to be followed.

Trusting that you will find space in your valuable paper for these few suggestions from one who is in no way, as I said before, a political partisan, but an independent prohibition voter.

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us to surrender, but I grabbed Conway's rifle and brought down three of them. That steadied the rush, and they took cover. I took my puttees off then, and strapped Hensman to the rifle, and when the relief came up they carried him away, and afterwards he was taken to the hospital at Rondebosch. He died there a few days afterwards. I found that a bullet had gone through my helmet just a quarter of an inch above my scalp. Another had cut away my shoulder-strap, and a third had grazed my knuckles.

Kruger received a letter from Mrs. Hensman, mother of the dead lieutenant. She congratulated the Ballarat man on his courage and presence of mind, thanked him warmly for the assistance he had rendered her son and enquired for the address of the relative of Trooper Conway, so that she might express her gratitude towards those belonging to one who had died in the cause of humanity. Lieut. Hensman, a cousin of Mr. Justice Hensman, of Western Australia, was formerly in the Horse Guards in London and was a man of six feet two inches and proportionate build—a fact which led to his being nicknamed 'Tiny.' He was a sergeant at the time of his death, for, although his promotion had been gazetted, he had not yet been transferred to the higher rank.—The Australasian.

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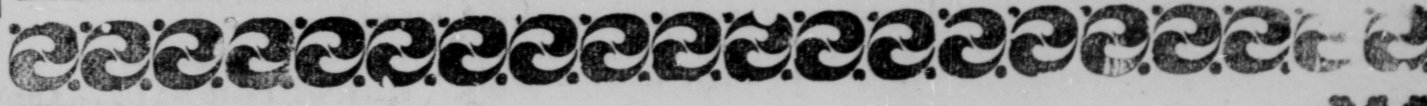
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