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THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 3, 1907.

IS AN ELECTION NEAR?

There are several reasons for apprehending that there may be a general election in Canada before the snow flies next winter. Of course there is always uncertainty about the future, and no man knows what will happen in a year to come. It is not usual, it may be said, to dissolve Parliament when only four sessions have been held, but there have been several exceptions to this rule. The second Parliament of Canada held but two sessions, the fourth Parliament but four and the fifth and sixth Parliaments but four each.

In each case when dissolution took place in advance of the full term the Government of the day was successful in carrying the country. On the other hand some of the long terms have not resulted so favorably. The first Parliament held five full sessions and was followed by the narrow escape of Sir John Macdonald's Government at the election of 1872 and its resignation a year later. The third Parliament held five sessions and was followed by the defeat of the Mackenzie Government. The seventh Parliament sat through six sessions and at the end Sir Charles Tupper's Government went to defeat.

Such are the facts of political history and they all point to the unwisdom of allowing Parliament to run out to the last syllable of its term. Fortune has favored the leaders "who knew" the seasons when to take occasion by the hand. Three times in succession that astute leader, Sir John Macdonald, found pretext for dissolution after the end of the fourth session, in 1882, 1887 and 1891, and in each case the result proved the political wisdom of his decision. The reasons are obvious. At the end of the full term the Government has no choice but to go to the country, though there may have been a bad harvest, or trade depression or other unfavorable conditions. The Opposition cannot be surprised at such a time as they may be earlier.

What are the present signs of the times? Trade booming, the treasury overflowing, the Opposition with several of its leading spirits under a cloud, and all unready for an appeal to the country. The revised tariff furnishes a pretext for the dissolution. The coming and inevitable reconstruction of the Cabinet will furnish another pretext. The enormous expenditure of over a hundred millions, and the increased subsidies to Provinces, are just the sort of things that usually prepare the way for a general election. This year or next there may be failure in the harvest or the beginning of a period of commercial depression.

Under such circumstances would Sir Wilfrid Laurier not be ill-advised to wait longer before obtaining, if he can, and as he and his lieutenants believe he can, a renewal of his lease of power from the people? The Opposition are told, expect to spring some new scandals next session. Would it be wise to give them the opportunity, when it might happen that the party in power could not retaliate with counter charges so effective as those brought to light by the Insurance Commission during the scandal session just closed?

As we have said, no one knows what may happen. The Opposition leader is to make the tour of the Dominion during the near future. This is but common prudence on his part. In the mean time an Ottawa despatch to the Toronto World quotes "a prominent member of Parliament" as authority for the statement that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will, on his return to Canada in August, reconstruct his Cabinet, taking in five or six new men to replace those who have gone out or are to go, and will then appeal to the country. He is expected to "sound a strong note of imperialism" and at the

same time announce some trade concessions from the United States. We conclude from a cursory survey of the situation that a general election next fall is something more than merely possible.

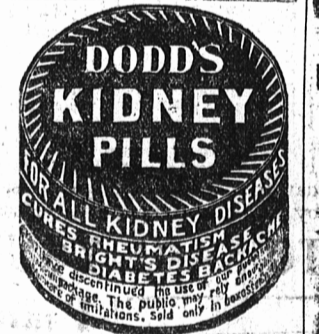
The New York Times concludes there is justification for believing "that some of us still alive are going to travel through the air in machines really dirigible and moving at great speed."

The Guardian is sorry to hear of a number of places of ill resort where a considerable number of working men and others spend Saturday nights and Sundays in drinking and gambling. The attention of the police and the prohibition Prosecutor is directed to this evil with a view to having it more effectually checked.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier hit upon a happy phrase the other day in the four words, "Imperial Unity; Local Liberty." It may yet become historic. The words precisely express the best form of imperialism, and the only form that can ever become acceptable alike to the central Kingdom and the Outer Britains beyond the seas. The idea is capable of indefinite expansion. If ever we are to realize the Parliament of Man and the Federation of the World, it must be upon that basis, universal unity coupled with local liberty.

The breaking up of the North River Bridge by ice involves serious inconvenience to the people whom it served, and has revived the project of a bridge or ferry from Brighton to York Point. One suggestion is that by the construction of a ferry wharf at York Point, the ferry boat now plying between Rocky Point and the city could serve the proposed new ferry as well. Such a service would be a vast convenience in many ways, and would seem the readiest and cheapest way of meeting the present emergency. It might in time develop great usefulness.

The long-pending election petition and cross petition in Brandon, Man were the other day dismissed without costs—evidently another "saw-off." There were charges of gross corruption on both sides. Mr. Stifton was at the election of 1894 returned by a majority of 821 over his opponent R. L. Richardson. The defeated candidate filed a petition against his return, a cross petition was also filed and there the matter has hung for nearly three years. It is surely time that we had some prosecutor or organization, independent of party, to see that corruption was always prosecuted to a finish. Till this is done we shall have a repetition of these disgraceful "saw-offs," while honest men, by their very honesty will be practically excluded from political life.



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TENDERS

- Sealed tenders will be received by the Board of Water and Sewerage Commissioners of the Town of Summerside up to 8 o'clock, p. m. of Wednesday, May 15, 1907.
- No. 1. For the complete installation of a system of Water and Sewerage Works for the Town of Summerside.
 - No. 2. The laying of Water and Sewerage pipes.
 - No. 3. Supply of all material required for the system.
 - No. 4. Complete equipment of steam pumping plant.
 - No. 5. The erection of a stand pipe.
- Plans and specifications can be seen at the Office of the Commissioner's, Summerside, or at the office of the Engineer, H. V. Dupont, 62 St. James St., Montreal.
The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. Address all tenders to the undersigned,
JAMES A. McNEILL
Chairman.
Summerside, P. E. I.
-14th May 14.

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Notice to Fishermen

Spring fishing for oysters is prohibited this year, quahaug fishing commencing on 1st of May.
No fishing for quahaugs allowed on oyster beds, by order of department.
A license fee of \$1.00 per man is charged Quahaug fishermen.
J. A. MATHESON,
Inspector Fisheries,
Charlottetown.
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