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BULWARK OF LIBERALISM IN CANADA NO LONGER SEES EYE TO EYE WITH THE KING GOVERNMENT

Sets Forth Its Attitude Toward The Present Liberal Administration And The Policy It Will Follow In The Coming Dominion Elections.—Criticizes The King Government For Not Accepting The "Arrogant Challenge" Of The Senate When The Second Chamber Threw Out Government Measures, By Dissolving Parliament On The Issue Raised By The Senate's Veto.

TORONTO, Sept. 1.—Under the heading "The Globe and Partyman" the Toronto Globe in its leading editorial tomorrow morning after outlining its relationship with the Federal Liberal party since the federation will set forth its attitude toward the present Liberal administration, and the policy it will follow in the coming Dominion elections. The editorial criticizes the King Government for not accepting the "arrogant challenge" of the Senate when the Second Chamber threw out Government measures of social reform, of railway aid, of relief to Home Bank depositors, of rural credits, and of restriction of gambling, by dissolving parliament on the issue raised by the Senate's veto. "The result would never have been in doubt," the editorial states, "self government is still dear to the peoples of Canada."

The attitude of the Globe in the coming election is summed up in the following paragraph of the editorial:

"It has been suggested that, because of failure to see eye to eye with the members of the present Dominion Government on the matters of the promotion of immigration, Senate reform, the prevention of whiskey smuggling, the adoption of laws to lessen the opportunities for gambling, the deep-

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT AT WEMBLEY



The Duke, in spite of his advanced age, is an active and interested figure in affairs of the day and is seen here leaving one of the Canadian buildings at Wembley after a visit.

OIL AND GAS PROSPECTS IN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

It will be remembered that in 1920 Mr. Hugh MacKay, Geologist, obtained a charter to explore for oil and gas in this province. Since that time he has been, at intervals as time permitted, examining the geological strata of the island and of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. During the past year his investigations here have been prosecuted more vigorously and he has about completed his survey. It is gratifying to announce that he has found sufficient evidence to justify actual operations and preparations are now under way for proceeding with boring. The necessary boring equipment has been ordered and is expected to arrive shortly.

There are four areas in the province all of similar geological formation and all indicating the probable presence of oil or gas. As to which of these will be the scene of the first experiment no decision has been arrived at as much will depend upon the arrangements which can be made with the owners of the land in question.

It is a curious geological fact that certain areas in this province are, geologically, hundreds of feet below the general level of the province. For example, Sir Wil-

BRITISH SHIPS HELD UP BY THE STRIKE

Crews of the Royal Mail Liners Refused to Sign On—Majestic May Also Be Delayed.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—The unvarnished truth of the seamen's strike is that the crews of the Royal Mail liners are beginning to feel the effects of this unofficial movement which has developed considerably in the past day or two. The White Star liner Majestic, due to sail from Southampton for New York Wednesday, is one of them for there is uncertainty as to what the Majestic's crew will do.

Tonight there was hope that the strike would not prevent the Majestic from sailing; her crew had not yet given the stipulated 24 hours' notice of withdrawal, and this men must do by 11 o'clock tomorrow morning if they are to quit the ship.

BAPTIST CONVENTION SERMON URGES MORE CHRISTIAN SERVICE

"Have We Been Worshipping Mars?" Asks Special Preacher.—Three Young Men Enter Ministry.—Financial Report Of Acadia University, Shows Net Surplus, And Forward Movement.

WOLFVILLE, Sept. 1.—The United Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces was held in Wolfville, N. S., Aug. 28-30. The various sessions were held in the Auditorium of the magnificent new University Building. This building is justly the pride of the denomination, built of white Benedict stone, occupies the same commanding site of the old one burned in 1921. It was erected at a cost of \$435,000 and has the finest Assembly Hall of any building in the East. The President of the Convention, Mr. H. A. Rice occupied the chair at all sessions in a very capable business-like way.

The Ministers Institute was held on Wednesday in three sessions, given to the delivery and discussion of papers. Rev. A. L. Hadden of Halifax delivered a scholarly paper on "The Religion of the Future"—and Rev. G. C. Warren of Fredericton, N. B. (a native of P. E. I.) followed by one on "The Teaching Function of the Church". In the evening Rev. J. H. MacDonald, D.D., gave a masterly address on "The Influence of the Bible in National Life". In a fine poetic vein he showed how the Bible has woven itself into the warp and woof of our national and social life shaping institutions and character.

The sessions of the Convention proper opened on Thursday morning. Rev. H. T. DeWolfe, D.D., for eighteen years principal of the Acadia Ladies' Seminary delivered the Devotional address—a very fine one. He based his thought on "The Lord's Prayer" and from the richness of his scholarship he dwelt upon the various phases of this matchless power of Christ. Dr. DeWolfe made a very large contribution toward this convention's helplessness. The routine of business was commenced at 10 o'clock on Thursday morning.

The report of the Home Mission Board was presented by the superintendent, Rev. E. S. Mason. 119 different fields are under care, 67 received regular pastoral care. These are all churches unable to carry on without assistance. This year 39 student pastors have been out at work in the summer season in addition to the regular year-round workers. The total sum of \$29,128.79 was received and spent on this important phase of work.

The Social Service Board in its report referred to our enterprise work in the Maritime Home for Girls, Truro, and the Moncton Home, both supported in conjunction with other religious bodies and doing noble work. An appeal for an earnest attempt of our Provincial Governments in law enforcement was sounded. Our present laws are good but are being flouted.

Thursday evening's session was given to three addresses: "Board of Promotion and Finance"—Rev. H. R. Boyer

SURGEONS AT HALIFAX FOR SESSIONS

Eminent Specialists Attending Conference Which Opened Yesterday—Will Hold Clinics.

HALIFAX, Sept. 1.—Probably the most important medical congress to be held in Halifax for many years opened here yesterday the affair being the annual congress of the Maritime Section of the American College of Surgeons with a number of the most eminent surgeons attending from all parts of Canada and the United States.

The members of the College held a series of important meetings throughout the day and several medical papers, marking the wonderful progress made in surgery on the North American Continent in late years, was read.

This afternoon there will be a hospital conference at the new Medical Science Building, with Dr. G. H. Murphy, Chairman of the Maritime Executive Committee, occupying the chair, as he will continue to do throughout the two days' congress.

Last night at the School for the Blind there was a community health meeting at which the general public was admitted free of charge. They had an opportunity of seeing a motion film, "How the Fire and Police are Fed," this being the first time for the film to be screened in Canada.

Tomorrow forenoon there will be clinics at the Victoria General Hospital, round table conferences, etc., and the surgeons will meet tomorrow afternoon at the new medical science building on Summer Street.

In the evening at eight o'clock the visiting surgeons will attend a band concert at the Waegwollie Club, North West Arm.

Clerk's Clever Ruse Routs 2 N.Y. Robbers

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—When two men held pistols to the head of Henry Penhiser, clerk in a Brooklyn pawn shop, today, and ordered him to hand over the cash box, he exclaimed: "Fire, a-bok!" and fell in an apparent faint. A second later the waiting blast of a burglar alarm siren aroused the neighborhood and frightened the robbers away. Henry had but merely so cleverly and conveniently reach the alarm button.

Two Crews Won't Sign On

The crews of Royal Mail liner Arlanza and Glamorganshire refused to sign on today, and it is possible that the sailings will have to be postponed. The strike, however, so far as it concerns Southampton, appears to be hanging fire.

At Hull, a meeting of seamen decided to join the strike. They formed a strike committee and elected pickets to visit the dock. The meeting, however, represented only a small portion of the Hull seamen.

The fruit steamers Cavina and Arctica due to sail from Avonmouth for the West Indies today with passengers, were unable to depart, all the sailors and firemen refusing to sign on at reduced wages. The engineers took the vessels to Walton Bay, hoping to obtain crews from other channel ports.

Premier King Will Tour The Maritimes

(Special to the Guardian)
 OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—Premier King is planning an extended speaking tour following his speech at Richmond Hill. Although arrangements have not yet been made the first week, it is proposed that the Premier, speaking at different points, after that tentative plans call for a tour of the Maritimes.

(Special to the Guardian)
 OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—Premier W. L. Mackenzie King will be the guest of honor of the Canadian National Exhibition on International Day, Tuesday, Sept. 8th. He will be the chief speaker at the directors luncheon on that day. On Friday, Sept. 11th Premier Rhodes of Nova Scotia will address the directors at luncheon in the administration building, when a special Nova Scotia fish dinner will be served in his honor.

Spanish Transport Reported Sunk

(Canadian Press)
 FEZ, Sept. 1.—It is reported here that the Spanish transport Epa, number five, carrying troops from Penon De Vellez, to Alcanon, both in Spanish Morocco, has been sunk.

Emigration To Canada From British Isles

(Special to the Guardian)
 OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—Emigration to Canada from the British Isles, particularly was the subject of a conference in the Prime Minister's office today between the Premier and Messrs. Robb, Graham and Stewart. Sir Henry Thornton, President of the British Isles Railway executives are urging strongly a more intensive campaign for the promotion of immigration, and this is the second conference held recently on the subject. Arrangements are being made with the Government for the co-ordination of activities abroad for the promotion of immigration, particularly these classes designed to go on farms. An active campaign is foreseen as a result of the successive conferences. It is probable that to a greater extent the Empire settlement plan will be availed of.

Who is Eligible to Join?

Any ordained Baptist Minister within the bounds of the Maritime Baptist Convention, who is in good standing, in active service as a Pastor, Home Missionary, or Field Worker in employ of Convention, and not over sixty-five years of age, and the wife of any Minister who has joined.

What is the Cost of the Minister's Annuity?

\$80.00 per year paid for thirty-five years commencing at age thirty will provide an Annuity of about \$500.00 per annum for life, commencing at age sixty-five. If payments are commenced before age thirty, the Annuity will be larger. If not until after thirty the Annuity will be smaller unless back premiums are paid up.

The Friday evening session was devoted to the Foreign Missionary Enterprise. Inspirational addresses were given by the Home coming and out going missionaries. Rev. H. E. Stillwell the General

Instantly Killed

(Canadian Press)
 MONTREAL, Sept. 1.—Henry Fitz, prominent local notary and member of the firm of Dunton-Fry and Gribb fell from the fourth or fifth story window into a lane this morning and was instantly killed.

Geologists Visit Subterranean Cave

Through the kindness of Mr. Justice Arsenault and his son, Master Cyril a party consisting of Mr. Hugh MacKay, Geologist, Mr. B. R. E. Pointsett, Mr. Ross M. Stuntz, Mr. J. J. Johnson and a representative of The Guardian, drove to Dundas to examine the peculiar depression on the farm of Mr. John M. McDonald. This depression is situated in the centre of a cultivated field and is about 10 to 15 feet in diameter. There are in its depths an accumulation of stumps, stones and other debris thrown in during several generations. All of these accumulations have disappeared and become buried in unknown depths. In the absence of boring and sounding implements only a superficial examination was possible. Mr. MacKay and his friends, who are here in the interests of Henry L. Doherty and Co. of New York, investigating the oil and gas possibilities of the province would not express a definite opinion as to the cause of the natural geological curiosity. Mr. MacKay, who is an experienced geologist, is of the opinion that the depression has some relation to the glacial period, there being well marked indications of rather extensive glacial deposition in the neighborhood. For example, a retreating glacier, which is really a melting glacier, might deposit rock material around a broken off body of ice, and the rock material becoming somewhat consolidated and the body of ice melting would naturally form a depression of considerable depth, depending upon the size of the original detached body of ice.

Another possible explanation would be the presence at not a great depth, of soluble rocks, such as limestone, salt or gypsum, in which cavities are often formed by running water.

The depression or cave, is certainly a remarkable one and appears to be somewhat extensive subterranean and has hollow for many yards around sounds ground. It is interesting to note that during the present summer many visitors came from considerable distances to see it.

Mr. McDonald, on whose land the depression is, has a beautiful and well cultivated farm with excellent buildings, and both he and Mrs.

FACTS ON THE ANTHRACITE COAL STRIKE

(Canadian Press)
 PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—Facts about the anthracite suspension. Workers involved—158,000. Collieries affected 272, serving 828 mines. Companies involved 135 of which nine control 133 of largest collieries. Area affected—Ten counties in North Eastern Pennsylvania, covering 500 square miles, practically the only commercial anthracite in the United States. Maintenance men remaining on duty to preserve property \$900 to 10,000. Loss in wages per day \$1,150,000. Loss in daily production 265,000 tons. Cause of suspension; expiration of two year contract August 31, 1925 and failure to reach a new agreement. Demands of union miners; ten percent increase in tonnage rates, \$1 a day additional for day men; check off; equalization of day rates; two year contract and other features.

Condensed Specials

RAYE—5c per word, not each insertion in this column.

FIVE HUNDRED BASKETS OF plums for sale at P. J. McDonald's. 11.

Syndicate To Market Bonds

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Formation of nation-wide syndicate to market the \$70,000,000 issue of Canadian Government one year four per cent. notes was announced tonight by Blair and Company heading the banking group which was awarded the financing after spirited competition with other bankers, including J. P. Morgan and Company, public offering of the notes will be made next Wednesday.

Included in the syndicate are the Chase Securities Corporation, the Equitable Trust Company of New York, the First National Bank of Boston and other large banks throughout the country.

Blair Chase group also were the successful bidders for the \$90,000,000 note issue sold by the Dominion Government last year and which will be retired on September 15, largely through the proceeds from the sale of the new securities.

Complete Tie-up

(Special to the Guardian)
 PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—A peaceable but complete tie-up of the hard coal fields was reported today as the result of the suspension instituted by 155,000 mine workers at midnight.

B. C. Emerges From Stone Age

(Canadian Press)
 VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 1.—British Columbia was one of the last countries in the world to be visited by the Stone Age, according to archaeologists who point out that the number of stone implements and other signs of that pre-historic era in this province is far greater than in most regions.

British Columbia, in fact, is just emerging from the Stone Age, they point out. It is not a matter of a thousand years since the age was in full sway in Canada's Pacific province but barely fifty years ago.

When the first white explorers and traders came to this wilderness west of the Rockies they found simple dark-skinned natives who depended very largely on stone implements in the course of their every-day existence.

It is a common thing to find stone hatchet heads and other tools of stone under a thin covering of soil representing the accumulation of only half a century or so. Particularly frequent are these finds made on the sites of Indian villages, often in heaps of clam shells left as a relic of countless Indian feasts.

Victim Of "Dud"

AMIENS, Sept. 1.—The "dud" of the great war still remains a deadly missile. Joan Roy, a farmer of Boucheville, which was under heavy fire by the German guns during the period of hostilities, was blown to pieces yesterday by a shell, which had fallen without exploding and was buried in the earth. He struck it while driving a stake into the ground.

Takes Over Assets And Business Of The Union Bank

(Canadian Press)
 MONTREAL, Sept. 1.—In accordance with an agreement sanctioned by the Finance Minister, the Royal Bank of Canada at the close of business yesterday took over the business and assets of the Union Bank of Canada. The following directors of the Union Bank have been added to the board of the Royal Bank; W. R. Allan and R. T. Riley, Winnipeg; Stephen Isaac, Toronto; John H. Price, Quebec; and W. H. Malkin, Vancouver.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

- **Come to the Ice Cream Social in Clinton Hall, Thursday evening, Sept. 3. 4668
- **Dr. Green's Office Hunter River will be closed from Wednesday, Sept. 2 to Friday, 4th inclusive. 4656-1-21
- **Belfast Farmers' Institute meeting Friday, Sept. 4. Come and help build up your own community. Business: Discussion of the mail order business. 4670-9-2-21
- **Poll Meeting—A meeting of the Council consisting of Brockley Road Poll for the purpose of organization will be held in Winsloe Hall, Saturday night the fifth instant at eight o'clock. All interested are asked to attend. Queen's County Executive. 4680 2 84

WANTED—A CAPABLE MAN to take charge of management of Hardware Store, preferably one who has a knowledge of Marine Hardware. Apply giving particulars to P. O. Box 370. 4642-9-1-41

Wider Sale Of 4.4

(Canadian Press)
 TORONTO, Sept. 1.—A wider sale of 4.4 beer is contemplated by the Ontario Government. Premier Ferguson today announced an immediate increase in the distribution of sale permits and moving toward a removal of some of the restrictions surrounding its sale and eventually would consider the abolition of a regulation which requires it to be sold only to customers seated at tables.

"Gossip Day"

(Special to the Guardian)
 NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Today is official gossip day in the United States. It is the first day of thirty during which vitally important news may secure a legalized position through their neighbors' affairs. Publication of income tax returns is permitted by law from September 1st to September 30th.

Advertisements: 10c per line per week. 25c per line per month. 50c per line per quarter. 1.00 per line per year. 2.00 per line per year. 3.00 per line per year. 4.00 per line per year. 5.00 per line per year. 6.00 per line per year. 7.00 per line per year. 8.00 per line per year. 9.00 per line per year. 10.00 per line per year.