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Today is the Day

The electors are asked today to pass judgment on the record of the Mackenzie King Government and to decide on the policy this country shall pursue in the next four years.

There can be no two opinions as to the failure of the King Government to safeguard our interests and develop our abundant resources.

For the upbuilding and expansion of this great Dominion we want a Prime Minister seized with the vastness of our potentialities, and prepared to go to the limit in seeing that full advantage is taken of them.

The Hon. R. B. Bennett is such a man.

For both Canada and this province the policy and platform of the Liberal-Conservative party is the one that makes the greatest appeal. It is needless to review it here and now, suffice it to say that our markets depend upon it, our provincial revenues depend upon it, our old people depend upon it for their pensions.

For a greater and better province, for a greater and better Dominion everyone, irrespective of party politics, should today register votes in favour of Messrs. McLure and Myers in Queen's, for Mr. Arnett in Prince and for the Hon. J. A. Macdonald in King's.

Mr. Bennett's Ideals

"I have promised myself," said Hon. R. B. Bennett after his appointment as Conservative leader, "that I will never speak to an audience of my fellow Canadians, especially young men, without leaving them the one idea I have in my heart and soul.

"We are but trustees for generations yet to come. We do not live for ourselves, nor for today, but for those vast millions that must come after us in the long years to come. Men, remember this. It was the heroic sacrifice of money and blood and the devotion of men and women who lived in these little islands, now the senior partner in this commonwealth of nations, who made it possible that this vast heritage should be handed to us, given over to us with supreme faith and confidence that we would not be untrue to the best of its great traditions, of its history, of its lessons that lift men beyond the sordid and material things into the higher realm of ambition and aspiration.

"It was an idea such as that in the hearts and minds of those men and women, when they made those sacrifices and handed over Canada to the Canadians, without toll, without bounties or royalties, this vast land for our development, believing that we would be true to our trust, as they had been to theirs."

How To Vote

The elector on entering the polling booth will be given a ballot with the names of the candidates printed thereon in alphabetical order. Going behind the screen the elector will put an X mark in the blank space opposite the name of the candidate for whom it is desired to vote. This X mark must be placed on the ballot with the pencil found behind the screen. Any other mark on the bal-

lot will invalidate it. The ballot is absolutely secret. The polling officer on giving the ballot to the elector initials it but it cannot be identified in this way as all the ballots are initialed exactly alike. The ballots are not numbered.

In the case of Queen's County electors, they will place the X mark opposite the names of two of the candidates, Queen's being a two member constituency.

Editorial Notes

Today's day.

Mackenzie King has lost all his horsehoes.

Vote the straight ticket for McLure and Myers, the people's candidates!

Bennett is pledged to 100 per cent implementation of the Duncan Report.

Remember, there is a duty as well as a privilege attached to the franchise.

Mr. King has probably discovered by now that stolen clothes do not always fit.

An exchange says the Dunning budget is somewhat obscured by the elections. It will be out of sight entirely when the elections are over.

"There must be times," suggests an exchange, "when Premier King looks back wistfully at the old, peaceful, care free days of the World War."

Six million pounds of New Zealand butter arrived at Halifax on Friday. Enough to grease the skids for the King Government's spectacular slide into oblivion.

Farmers: Vote out New Zealand butter and Washington-made potato tariffs. Vote in old age pensions, better roads, federal aid to agriculture and protection for your products.

The signs point to a record toll of defeated Cabinet Ministers in this election. In 1925, Mr. King and eight of his Cabinet colleagues fell by the wayside. More than a dozen are threatened with a similar fate on July 28.

Premier King is a "returned man" says Premier Ferguson. He spent the years of the war in the United States working for the Rockefeller interests who were having trouble with labor and returned to Canada after the war to take up politics again. After this election he will be able to go back to his friends across the border.

A prominent gentleman is quoted as saying—"I have been a Liberal forty years and will remain a Liberal until July 27th, but on July 28th I will vote Conservative." We imagine that a great many former supporters of the Government are following this man's example. They are not saying anything about it, but they are going to vote right on election day.

Faced with the fact that textile mills at Truro are already feeling the adverse effects of the Dunning budget, Hon. Cyrus Macmillan replies: "The manufacturers should use their surplus profits to aid them in tiding over a period of depression." So there you are. If the present period is one of depression, what becomes of Mr. Macmillan's oft-repeated arguments about increasing trade expansion and prosperity under the King Government?

Notes By The Way

In view of the declaration recently made by Sir Henry Thornton that the Canadian National Railways is absolutely out of politics, it is somewhat surprising to find that the Canadian National Hotel now under construction in Charlottetown presumably by the Canadian National Railways is being listed among the alleged benefits secured from the Mackenzie King Government by this province. The securing of this hotel by the city of Charlottetown is being credited to Mr. R. H. Jenkins, M. P. This is part of the bunk that is being handed out by the Liberal propagandists for the edification of the electors of Queens County.

The Dunning budget is well seen through by the people of Canada as the farce it is. What does it offer to the producers of Canada? Nothing whatever. The United States has still the upper hand in Canada's home market. As for the Government's claim that the Dunning budget will benefit Britain, that is laughed at by Uncle Sam.

Threatened governments, like threatened men, sometimes live for a long time, and about the British Labor government, in particular, we have heard so many false prophecies of early death that we are bound to be a little bit sceptical. Nevertheless, no government lives for ever, and a minority government probably has fewer intimations of immortality than almost any other sentient creature.

Among the day's quotations one finds this from Hon. Vincent Massey: "Understanding each other's jokes is the ultimate test of mutual understanding." And that is the biggest joke of all. Nobody ever wants to understand each other's jokes. Next time you hear a man making a joke, take a very particular look at all the other people present. You will find that all of them have a far-away look in their eyes, a sort of a spiritual detachment, a look as of a man trying to find a rapid alibi for having been caught by his wife in some domestic dereliction.

Joseph Stalin proves once more the force of his dictatorship in Russia by politically annihilating all of his critics at the session of the Communist Congress now in progress in Moscow. The offence of these opposition leaders consisted in disagreeing with Stalin's policies. In effect, the Congress declared that it would brook no opposition to the dictatorship.

Stalin is in an enviable position. There is but one party in Russia, and that is the Communist party, whose membership of two million rules the destiny of 150 million people.

Lord Byng of Vimy, head of the London Metropolitan Police, reports ten murders in the city last year. There were 489 in Chicago, with much less than half the population of London. Little wonder that Chicago is trying to clean up.

School authorities in the United States have become alarmed over the "Red" propaganda work being carried on among the pupils. This presents a new and perplexing problem, in connection with which officials of the American Federation of Labor should be able to give some good advice. The Federation made a complete clean-up of the Communist agitators in its ranks, and is feeling much the better for it.

Since the Dunning budget was presented to Parliament, Canada's foreign trade has fallen away \$149,000,000, its revenues have declined \$13,000,000, and one of its greatest steel plants has been compelled to curtail operations and let out 1,200 of its workers, to swell the ranks of the great army of unemployed. In the same period the car loadings of the railways have been greatly reduced, and the C. N. R. has suffered the most marked revenue-decline that it has had in 10 years.

The tall-twisters of the United States Senate are furious, and President Hoover is the target. They did not want action on the London Naval Treaty. He insisted that it be dealt with at once. Then they demanded all documents, papers and despatches bearing on the treaty. The President flatly refused to produce them. In that he is within his right, as the Senate was forced to admit. But the Senators could still talk.

An official report issued at Ottawa shows that 90,000 Canadians have bought new automobiles thus far this year. At an average price of \$750 each, the purchase of these cars represents an investment of \$67,500,000. It is probable that the bulk of this money need not have been spent, and would not have been spent if the owners had felt that they could not afford to indulge in a luxury.

THE FINAL WORD

Before this paper reaches the country, the bulk of our rural friends will have marked their ballots, as we believe, for the Conservative candidates—and practical good government.

But a few words to our City friends. At the last provincial election you elected Mr. McLure by a majority of 530 votes. There is no reason why you should not increase this majority today. But if you do not—if you only give him that same majority—his election as your Federal representative will be assured.

And like true sports, you will also stand behind his able and popular colleague—Hon. John Myers. Mr. McLure is confident that his friends of 1927 will stand behind him to a man in 1930 and that the ladies, many of whom did not vote at all in 1927, will rally around him with increasing support, to swell his majority at the polls today. It is Mr. McLure's earnest wish that every supporter of his will also mark their ballots for his friend and colleague, Mr. Myers.

Our City Conservatives are in good fettle, and splendidly arrayed for the fray. They are more enthusiastic and confident than for a long time back. With this energy exercised we are looking forward, not only to a largely increased majority for McLure and his colleague, but for a record vote of which every Conservative worker will be able to point to with pride and satisfaction as a part of their genius and effort. With City workers manning their election guns, as we confidently believe they will—victory is assured.

WHAT CHANCE HAVE WE?

If we make the mistake of returning the King party, what chance have we of escaping the "Not-A-Nickie" penalty? Suppose that the probable happens next year, and the Stewart Government is restored to power, what a plight will we be in, with a government at Ottawa with its face set against giving a "Nickie" to a Conservative Province.

And again, Conservative governments in other provinces gave to municipalities a share of the C. N. R. taxes, paid by the Railway Board into provincial treasuries. What about the \$40,000 paid into the Treasury of Prince Edward Island? Has the City, or any Town corporation received a dollar of this money? Has Mr. Jenkins or his former colleague—Mr. Sinclair—turned a hand to secure this measure of justice to city taxpayers?

And now the Patriot includes the NEW PIPE LINE of the Charlottetown Water Works amongst the King Government benefits. Liberals are experts in the art of bluff and absurd claims, but for unadulterated gall this beats Tom Pepper, Munchausen and Don Quixote—all three.

Hon. W. M. Lea has embarked in prophecy, predicting four Liberals from this Province. Let us think! Isn't this the same Mr. Lea who forecast our Subsidy Claim at over \$3,000,000 which Hon. Mackenzie King so cruelly cut down to \$400,000. Less \$125,000 already received, or \$275,000 net increase? If his election predictions are discounted on this scale, all Liberal candidates are in danger of losing their deposits. Wonder where Mr. Lea will hide tonight when the polls close!

The Three-Power Naval Pact has been ratified by the United States Senate and signed by President Hoover. It is a foregone conclusion, therefore, that it will become effective. Britain and Japan have delayed ratification only because of past experience with the vagaries of the United States Senate. Such ratification marks a victory for President Hoover at the expense of the recalcitrant Senators. They refused to pass the treaty, as they easily could have done, at the regular session. President Hoover summoned a special session and forced the Senators to obey his will. It is one to the President.

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CHILDREN AND WEIGHT INCREASE

It was my privilege for a number of years to examine boys from 10 to 18 in a preparatory school, and also compare their improvement or non-improvement from September to following May.

If there was no gain in weight from September to May of at least 4 pounds in boys of 10 to 12 years, of 6 pounds at 12 to 14 years, or of 8 pounds in the puberty period 14 to 18, then I tried to find out the reason.

If the boy resembled a parent who was likewise thin or had been thin at his particular age that was sufficient explanation. If not, then I went into the question of his habits as to food, sleep, and exercise.

In regard to food whether he ate too rapidly, did not chew his food sufficiently, or had a habit of eating 'sweets' between meals with no appetite at the regular meal hours.

Sometimes it was due to too much activity; the boy being into every activity social or athletic around the school. Sometimes also it could be traced to late hours with insufficient sleep.

In other cases the lack of gain was due to bad teeth, tonsils, or the presence of adenoids.

And more than once it was actually due to tuberculosis. All these cases which did not show sufficient gain in weight were advised to get outdoors, to camp, or elsewhere for the summer holidays, but not to do too much swimming or take other very active exercise.

When they returned in the autumn certain little regulations were observed that in most cases gave excellent results. He was not kept out of the sports but his hours of play were lessened in number.

Also in his school work, where possible, the number of periods was cut down one or two daily, and he was sent outdoors for the entire period when weather was suitable or required to rest in his room.

His hours in bed were increased, so he was assured of ten to eleven hours of sleep, in a well ventilated room.

His diet was watched carefully, and consisted of good plain food with plenty of milk and meat, with usual vegetables and fruits. He was encouraged to eat every kind of food on the table and to get the good of this food he was encouraged to chew slowly even if he remained a few minutes after the other students had departed.

He was encouraged to rest before and after every meal.

A regularity of the intestine was established by the use of fruits, raw or cooked.

So if your boy or girl is not gaining at or near the rate mentioned above, look into the matter and try to learn the cause. It is most important that they increase in weight each year. This shows that they are in normal health.

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Old Age Pensions

Premier King did not say anything in his Prince Edward Island speeches about old age pensions, because to have done so would have been embarrassing to the Liberal Government of this province, which is in no position, financially to bear half the cost of pensions for the considerable number of aged people in the rural sections. But when he got to Nova Scotia, where they have a Conservative Government, he said in his speeches, "If you want old age pensions, tell Mr. Rhodes to pass a provincial law and in three months you can have them."

Mr. King says that it would be unconstitutional for the Federal Government to bear the whole cost of old age pensions, as Mr. Bennett proposes. It is difficult to follow Mr. King in all his political meanderings. He says it is "vicious in principle" to give money to the provinces for the highways and he says old age pensions must be dealt with by the provinces. Then he is willing, he says that the Federal treasury should bear half the cost, while it would be unconstitutional for the Federal Government to legislate for the whole country. It may occur to the majority of ordinary people who do not know the fine points of constitutional law that if it is constitutional for the Federal Government to bear 50 per cent. of the cost of old age pensions when taken up by the provinces it would not be stretching the constitution very much to make it sixty or seventy or eighty per cent.

Mr. Bennett is a lawyer, generally admitted to be one of the very best in Canada. Mr. King is a professional talker, who has written some books and spent four years in the United States during the war studying the labor problem for the Rockefeller Foundation. The people of Canada may make their choice of the two leaders.

The Poet's Corner

JULY

Dark-tressed above her gipsy tan, Adown the road comes gay July, To pluck her Rainbow Caravan Where June's red roses dropped to die.

She stretches forth her hand to span The sunbeams slanting from the sky Then peeps as through a slatted fan As June bids all her loves goodbye.

Then flushes, and folds up her fan And sweeps her bangled arm on high. Then from her rain-splashed Caravan

Sees all the Thunder Hosts go by And laughs, this fickle Charlatan. To see her red-forked lightnings Past Neptune, and Aldebaran, To unmapped spaces of the sky.

—W. BR.

THE LAND WE LOVE

By FRANK LEIGH

ANGUS MacASKILL

Q. Who was Angus MacAskill? A. Angus MacAskill was well known as the Cape Breton giant. Born in the Hebrides he came to Cape Breton in his childhood.

He grew to be 7 feet 9 inches in height and weighed 425 lbs. He travelled 1 year as a human curiosity under the same management as the midget, Tom Thumb. He returned to Cape Breton where he opened a store and died in 1883 at the premature age of 38 where he was widely mourned for his sterling qualities and kindly disposition. His home was at English-town near Sydney.

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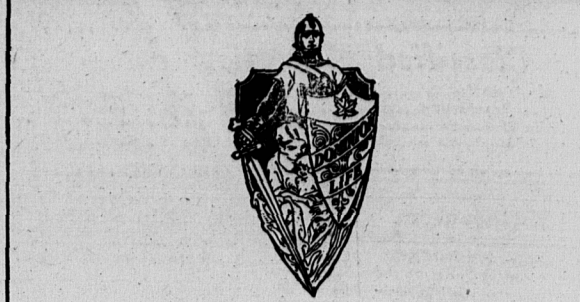
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The number of prizes in each County will be proportionate with the number of entries. Prizes will be paid according to the combined score of the Standing Field and the Threshed Grain.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. A field of oats shall consist of at least five acres; of Wheat and Barley three acres; of Certified Seed Potatoes four acres. 2. An entry fee of \$1.00 shall be charged for the first, and fifty cents for each additional entry of grain, and \$1.00 for each entry of Potatoes. 3. The entry fee shall accompany the application. 4. Entries should be made to the Department of Agriculture not later than August 4th, 1930. 5. The field must be seeded with (a) registered Banner Oats, or (b) seed from a field which has been sown with registered seed and inspected and approved while growing, or (c) seed from fields that have been two or more years in the competition and have secured not less than 2 1/2 out of 25 points for purity and approved by the Department of Agriculture.

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