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WELCOME THE LEADER

On behalf of the people of Prince Edward Island, The Guardian extends a hearty welcome to the Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Leader of the Conservative party in Canada and to his distinguished colleague, Senor Gideon D. Robertson of Welland, Ontario, who arrive this evening and will address meetings in the Prince Edward and Strand Theatres as announced elsewhere in this paper.

The welcome to Mr. Meighen on the present occasion will be all the warmer and more cordial because of the very general belief that, within the next few weeks, he shall be the Prime Minister of Canada. This belief is not confined to this province nor even to the Conservative party. It is in the air of Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific. There has probably never before in the history of Canada been a more widespread conviction of the need of a change at Ottawa than there is at present and Premier King, during his present campaign is strengthening the conviction by his reiterated excuses for his government's failure. For four years, at a time when Canada, just recovered from the effects of the Great War, should be moving forward industrially and commercially, the King government has been marking time, spending money like drunken sailors, while the country looked helplessly on and hundreds of thousands of its people left it in sheer disgust and hopelessness for the United States. For this condition the man at the head of the government, the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, has only excuses to offer, has not uttered one definite word of hope for the future. He asks for a "majority" and a "fresh mandate" and, given these, he will look after immigration, railway problems, the rights of the Maritimes and the West. He has had both the mandate and the majority. His mandate was to go forward and keep the promises on which he was elected; he did not do it. For a majority he had but to snap his whip and the Progressives came obediently to heel and he has boasted of his majorities. Yet the country is in a worse condition today industrially and commercially and has relatively a smaller population than when he assumed office. The people are wearied with it all and are demanding a change.

It is this conviction that there is going to be a change at Ottawa that is intensifying the welcome which the Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen is meeting with wherever he speaks. He is being welcomed as the coming Prime Minister, the man with a definite, straight forward message, the man who has the courage to say what he shall and shall not do. It is with this conviction that the people of this province will meet and welcome him tonight. Liberals and Conservatives alike are looking to him and end the present stagnation. His distinguished colleague, the Hon. Gideon Decker Robertson admittedly one of the ablest platform speakers in Canada will receive a no less warm welcome.

A SERIOUS PROBLEM

In conversation with a prominent merchant of this city yesterday, The Guardian was informed that merchants now are obliged to keep a constant watch over young people, boys and girls, and in some cases over grown ups, to prevent them pilfering while in the store. He instanced a number of amazing thefts in his own store and declared that others had similar experiences. This kind of thing has doubtless been going on throughout the ages. It has been done in Charlottetown

and other towns and cities for many years. A pertinent question, is—whether things in this connection are growing better or worse. There are those, and the merchants referred to is one of them, who take the latter view. If this be true it indicates a serious condition and calls for a remedy. In the case of grown up men and women who have come, or should have come, to years of discretion there appears to be only one remedy, namely, the remedy the law provides. And yet men and women who steal when the opportunity offers, are, so far as morals are concerned, only children.

In the case of the young the trouble is clearly and definitely the want of moral training and it is these untutored children who grow up to be unmoral men and women. Are we in our schools and churches sufficiently emphasizing the necessity of right living, of strict honesty and truthfulness? To the child who is brought up in an atmosphere of loose thinking with regard to absolute, unswerving right and wrong, the only sin to be found out. This is a dangerous standard and the whole community, through its various and multifarious organizations and institutions should in all circumstances and on all occasions hold up the high and only right standard of doing right for right's sake, putting the fear of being found out in the category of cowardice and unmanliness and unwomanliness. The person who refrains from thieving and lying through fear of being found out is essentially a thief and a liar.

There is a class of young people in every city, a small class relatively, who are brought up in surroundings which are not conducive to moral living. This class may or may not be increasing in numbers in our city. In any case little is being done for them. Our schools are not emphasizing, as they should, the imperativeness of right or right's sake. The Christian community as a whole is not doing its whole duty in this respect and under the shadow of our schools and churches this unfortunate class is growing and ripening inevitably for the criminal life and the criminal's fate.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Now that the Liberal convention is over perhaps the weather may improve some and it needs it.

Prince and Kings Counties nominate their standard bearers next week.

The Prince Edward Island campaign begins in earnest tonight at the Strand and Prince Edward Theatres.

Rexton's tribute to the memory of Andrew Bonar Law yesterday was worthy of the birthplace of the great Statesman who made the name of Canada great in the Imperial Parliament. The Cairn erected by his fellow countrymen is within sight of the church of which the distinguished statesman's father was the Minister for many years.

The Toronto Globe announces that its Editor, Mr. Stewart Lyon, has gone south for a few weeks holidays. The Patriot also recently announced that its Editor, Hon. F. J. Nash, had gone on holiday. It is a striking coincidence that both these Liberal Editors should deem it advisable to desert Premier Mackenzie King at the very time their services are most urgently needed. There's a reason, of course. It is quite evident the Liberal party has no use for supermen when it drops the representative who, The Patriot claims, accomplished most for his country of all the members in the House.

Notes By The Way

Tonight Right Honorable Arthur Meighen, tomorrow night Right Honorable W. L. Mackenzie King will be heard in Charlottetown. There will be many who will greatly desire to hear them both. There will be other speakers of ability and prominence, but the chief interest will centre in what the leaders will have to say. The leaders are nearly of the same age. Mr. Meighen's birthday being in June and Mr. King's in December of the same year—1874. And they were both first elected to Parliament in 1908. Mr. Meighen has been continually a member of the House of Commons since that date, having successfully contested many elections. Once only he was defeated, and that was in 1921, in Portage La Prairie, Manitoba, the majority of his Progressive opponents being only 171.

Mr. Meighen held several different portfolios in the Conservative and Union Governments. He was appointed Solicitor General in the Borden Government in 1913, Secretary of State in 1917 and later was made Minister of the Interior, which position he held until July, 1920, when on the retirement of Sir Robert Borden he became Prime Minister. He held that position until the dissolution of Parliament in 1921.

Mr. King has not been continuously in Parliament since his first election in 1908. He was defeated in North Waterloo in 1911 and again defeated in North York in 1913. The majority against him being 1,053. In the interim between his defeat in North Waterloo and his defeat in North York he was engaged with the Rockefeller Foundation in the States some three years, 1914—1917.

Canada had entered the war in 1914 and the United States entered the war in 1917. It has since been made the subject of much comment that Mr. King went to the States the same year that Canada went to war and he returned to Canada and re-entered politics when the United States joined the Allies. What is of more interest just now is what has been the attitude of the two leaders and their respective parties toward the Maritimes and especially toward Prince Edward Island.

Mr. King was chosen leader of the Liberal party at a convention held in Ottawa in August, 1919. The next thing was to find him a seat. Prince Edward Island gave him a seat in Prince County by acclamation in August of the same year and in December, 1921, after the defeat of the Meighen Government he became Prime Minister of Canada.

The gift of a seat in 1919 was enhanced by the Province electing in 1921 a full quota of four members to support the King Government. Nova Scotia in a like spirit elected a solid block of 16 to cheer the new Government on its way, and New Brunswick added five more. But the result has been sadly disappointing. Of 31 seats at their disposal the Maritimes gave the King Government 25. Well, they won't do it again!

With every year since the King Government began its career of misrule the sense of disappointment has grown stronger and discontent has spread wider and further. The exodus has been alarming. Despite the millions spent on immigration the Maritimes have not got one immigrant settler where ten native born sons and daughters have gone away. The conviction has become established that we are denied our place in the sun, that justice is denied us and that the moneys wrung from a tax-burdened people are being poured into sink-holes or squandered upon the salaried nabobs on Parliament Hill.

So many are the "ten thousand dollars and upward" salaries that their names and offices are refused for publication, concealed from the people who pay them. Once in a while it crops out that a \$7,000 salary has been jacked up to \$15,000 and only the other day a \$50,000 salary was hoisted to \$65,000. And this is called economy at Ottawa. The King Government has out-Heroded Herod in salaries.

The conviction grows that at most any change would be for the better and in no part of Canada is that feeling stronger than in Prince Edward Island. Arthur Meighen is the only party leader who admits that the Maritimes have any just claims and has outlined a plan of redress, and Premier King was the first to denounce and jump on it. A noble effort of priceless value was made by the Conservative party to break our winter shackles,

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

NEW OR OLD

You are reading frequently about vitamins, about the mineral salts that are found in vegetables, and about the refinements in our foods that take away much of their nourishing qualities, and the roughage that if it were left in, would prevent constipation.

You have read also, about how the cooking of vegetables takes away from them much that is of vital need to the body. You have also read about the advantages of raw foods, that they contain everything in its perfect form, and cooking spoils and impoverishes food. Perhaps you have begun to speculate to work out a diet for yourself.

You start out perhaps with cucumbers, carrots, turnips, cabbage and so forth. The result is not very gratifying. You find that you have considerable uneasiness, and much of what you eat is not for you. Had you started off with just the carrots or the cabbage, well cut up, made tasty with a little sauce, and eaten some whole wheat bread and a little stewed fruit besides, you would perhaps have had better luck.

However, to show that some of our new ideas about cooking vegetables are not new, I was reading about what is called "pot licker" in some localities.

Our food friends have been wisely advising us that this habit of cooking vegetables in boiling water, and then throwing away the water, is a terrible mistake, as from twenty to forty per cent of the nourishing materials, mineral salts, pers after his death.

There is no mystery about the cause itself. Every effect is just as any intelligent man knowing the causes, would anticipate without seeing it. If the water moving upward in a great river reaches a point where there is a perpendicular jog of a hundred feet in descent in the bottom of the river, it is plain the water will have a violent and continuous plunge at that point. It is also plain, the water, thus plunging, will foam and roar and send up a mist continuously in which last, during sunshine, there will be perpetual rainbows.

So go on your raw foods gradually, one at a time. Chew your food well, and get some outdoor exercise. If you don't want to do this, then you will have to eat food that is partly digested and softened for you by cooking.

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

September 18, 1925

THE LORD'S PRAYER:—Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever, Amen. Matthew, 6: 9-13.

PRAYER:—Our Father, for this prayer given by our Lord to all mankind, we thank Thee. May we prove our sincerity in using it by daily, brotherly practices, until the mind of Christ be fully ours.

WEATHER WISE

(Written for the Christian Science Monitor.)

My neighbor's always right — his almanac. Fixes the dateless advent of the Spring. "March, twenty-first," he reads, "it will be back." Conclusive proof that settles everything!

Less wise, one glimpsed its coming days ago — A child was dancing in a sordid square. Another heard bird-voices murmur low. As if the twilight held trees in a snare.

And yesterday, from February skies suddenly lighted slanted on a floor. So like the gold of far-off Paradise, I knew who passed a moment at the door.

Swiftly I wrote across my calendar The name of Spring—and set a rosy star. Imogen Clark.

save us from financial ruin and keep for us a fragment of representation at Ottawa. All that successive Liberal Governments have done for us since 1896 would not measure a drop in the bucket compared with the Car Ferry alone. Under Liberal rule, had it not been broken in 1911, Prince Edward Island would now have but two members in the Commons and the little ice boats at the Cape for winter service. Think it over!

The Public Forum

This column is open for the discussion by correspondents of questions of interest. The Charlottetown Guardian does not necessarily endorse the opinions of correspondents.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH CALL

Sir.—Please correct errors in The Patriot of 18th inst. re congregational meeting in St. James' Church. The Moderator was Rev. Donald MacLean, not Rev. Daniel MacLean, as stated; also Rev. W. B. Muir is from Sherbrooke, not from Truro. The number of votes signed at the meeting for Rev. Mr. Muir, was 35. I am, Sir, etc., DONALD MacLEAN, Sept. 17, 1925.

USELESS WARNINGS

Sir.—Time and again notices have appeared in the press warning those in authority of the dangerous condition existing at many of our railway crossings. During the past summer cars have on at least two occasions crashed into trains owing to the impossibility of seeing approaching trains on account of trees and bushes cutting off the view. There are several crossings within a few miles of Charlottetown which are a disgrace in this respect, and could easily be rectified by a squad of men armed with axes, yet nothing has been done.

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Niagara Falls

Written by Abraham Lincoln.

The following article on the Niagara Falls, in Mr. Lincoln's handwriting, was found among his papers after his death.

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Let Your Banker Collect It. If you wish to collect a debt from a party in another section, you can have your banker draw a draft on him at sight or for a given time. This will be presented through his local banker as request for payment from you. When your draft is paid it is turned over to the payer. It is his receipt for an account paid. This is only one of the numerous ways in which the Bank of Montreal can be of service to its customers. A Bank Where Small Accounts Are Welcome. BANK OF MONTREAL. Established over 100 years. Total Assets in excess of \$700,000,000.

Election Pact Rumors Negatived By Forke. WINNIPEG, Sept. 17.—Rumors of a Progressive-Liberal election pact in Western Canada definitely were negatived today by Hon. Robert Forke, Leader of the Progressive group in the Federal Parliament. He declared before members of the Provincial Progressive Executive and Manitoba's Progressive ex-members that "absorption of the Progressives by the Liberal party whether in or out of office and under whatever guise effected, would postpone for a generation the attainment of necessary reforms, the reshaping of National policies and the infusion into Canadian public life of that moral courage and idealism, which slavish partisanship well might destroy." Urging the alleged failure of the Progressive movement to fulfill its mission within the life of a single Parliament, should not be made the occasion for retreat or the excuse for abandonment, Mr. Forke declared Progressivism was not less verile today that it was in 1921. HON. P. C. LARKIN PLANNING NEW BUREAU IN ENGLAND. QUEBEC, Sept. 17.—Following the presentation of the old Quebec caucus to this city by Hon. P. C. Larkin, who arranged for its return from Hastings, England, the high commissioner addressed a Canadian Club luncheon attended by eight of the lieutenant-governors of Canada. In reviewing his work in England, Mr. Larkin said his first mission had been to settle the embargo on Canadian cattle and after the second day of his arrival in London he had interviewed Mr. Churchill, who at first had only promised to make some reference to the coming settlement of that question, but following his insistence, had finally agreed to make a definite move. He also obtained the payment of several loans by countries which had borrowed from Canada and also the payment of the money advanced to England by Canada in Canadian funds, instead of sterling. In summarizing his four years work, he said he had been able to recover \$150,000,000 owed to the Dominion. It is a very poor piece of crust that will not both grease and flourish its own plate. If a silk or cotton sunshade is soiled it can be easily cleaned. Wring a flannel rag out of hot water to which a little ammonia has been added, and sponge each panel firmly but gently. Keep a towel under the material to avoid wetting the wires and causing rust, and dry each part well with another towel. Expose in the sun and dry, and you will be surprised and delighted with the result.

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Your Birthday. SEPTEMBER 18.—You are of a faithful nature, though sometimes impetuous and sometimes headstrong; but your heart is in the right place. You are a good manager, and can make a very happy home. You might fall in love at first sight, but you must take care not to rush into marriage. Your birth-stone is the sapphire, which means deep love. Your flower is the morning glory. Your lucky color is brown. DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. RHEUMATISM, BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, BACKACHE, GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, HEADACHE, INDIGESTION, URIC ACID, URIC ACID, URIC ACID. 4087 THE PHARMACEUTICAL CO.