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# Bishop O'Leary's Condition Is Critical

## Premier Opens Campaign In Brantford Address

### Empire Preference Stressed By Prime Minister As Leading Issue In Federal Campaign. Declares that Maritime Grievances Are Now Fully Satisfied.

Speaking at Brantford, Ontario, last night in his opening speech in the political campaign Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada, stressed taxation reduction, transportation improvements, the British preference in the Dunning budget and the importance of Canada's representation at the forthcoming Empire political and economic conferences as issues of prime importance before the Canadian people. The Prime Minister's speech was broadcast over a network of twenty-four Canadian radio stations and was distinctly heard in Charlottetown.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

- Tea party at St. Columbo Church, July 1. 4491-6-17-11
- Reserve Wednesday, July 9th, for Cornwall S. S. Picnic. 4517-11
- Come to the Ice Cream social at Pownall Hall on Friday evening, June 20th. 4511-6-17-31
- Meal by Prof. Thompson's pupils at Zion Hall, Thursday, June 19th. 4480.
- St. Stewart Club leading live stock Wednesday afternoon, June 18. 4509-11
- Come to the ice cream social in Albany Baptist Church grounds Wednesday, June 18th. 4502-11
- Craigmud-The Chelton Dramatic Club will present their popular play to the new hall on Wednesday, June 18th. 4504-11
- Meeting of Uigg Shipping Club on Thursday, 19th. Representatives from Live Stock Branch will be present to discuss meeting. 4498-6-17-11
- Semi-annual meeting of Queens County L.O.L., will be held at Argyle Shore on June 21st, at 8 o'clock. 4464-6-16-21
- Annual meeting of the Belfast Public Hall will be held in the hall on Tuesday, July 1st. N. A. Gills, Secy. 4492-6-17-21
- Hear a real good play, "The Three Pigs" with music by orchestra in Kensington tonight by the Marshall Dramatic Club. 4514-11
- Come to the ice cream festival in New Glasgow Hall Friday evening, June 20th. If not fine Saturday. 4524-tues-thurs-fri.
- Reserve Wednesday, June 18th for Ice Cream at Cornwall. Proceeds in aid of Mission Band. 4337-6-11-16-17-31.
- Notice—Come to Sea View Wednesday, June 18th, and see "Tony the Convict" presented by Lot 16 players. If not fine, Thursday. 4471-6-16-21
- Reserve Wednesday evening, June 18th for Ice Cream Social and Dance in Elliott Hall, Fairview. If not fine Thursday, June 19th. 4490-6-17-21.
- Tenders will be received by the undersigned till noon June 21st for the painting of the outside of Rose Valley United Church. Painter to provide first quality paint and all supplies. Offers for labour alone considered. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Chalmers MacLeod, for Comm. 4488.

istic of the budgets in the preceding Conservative years, and estimated, at the present rate of surpluses year after year, that in the course of forty years the entire debt of Canada would be wiped out. He dealt specifically with the conditions leading up to the consolidation of the Government railways under the Canadian National system and pointed out that from a state of chaos they had become one of the most marvellous and successful systems in the world, and that without causing enmity or unfair competition with the other great national railway, the Canadian Pacific. He paid a high compliment to Sir Henry Thornton, and to Mr. Beatty for the way in which their railways were co-operating and carrying on in the interests of Canada as a whole.

"When we found that family founding on our door-step, suffering from all kinds of malnutrition," said the Prime Minister, speaking of the Canadian National system, "there was not any Conservative willing to have his name associated with it. But now that it has become strong and vigorous they all want to get in and call this particular giant their own. But that change has come about under the period of the present administration.

"Just as we changed railway operating deficits into operation revenues, we have also made important reductions in railway rate charges corresponding to the reduction of taxation on the people," he continued.

"The Tryon Circuit of the United Church will hold their picnic on July 18th (Wednesday) at 8:30 a.m. at the following:

"The Mt. Stewart Dramatic Club will present their play "Deacon Dubbs" at St. Peter's Bay, Wednesday 18th, at 8:30. Come and enjoy a laugh. 4484-6-17-21.

## Agricultural Editors Program

Following is the schedule to be followed by the delegates from the American Agricultural Editors' Association who arrive in the city by special train at 7 o'clock this morning:

9 a. m.—Leave Queen Hotel, one party to visit Brackley Beach, Cavendish, New Glasgow, the other to visit Victoria via St. Catharines.

2 p. m.—Luncheon at the Experimental Farm, followed by a visit to McLure and MacKinnon's Fox Farm, Easton Bros. Avyshire Herd and the Falconwood Farm Holstein Herd.

4 p. m.—Leave for Pictou by the S. S. Hochelaga.

## Presented At Court



Mrs. Frank Verdon, wife of the High Sheriff of Montgomeryshire, England, waiting in the Mall for the royal court during recent presentations.

## Nominations In Nova Scotia Constituencies

(Canadian Press) HALIFAX, N. S., June 16.—The nomination of Peter Jack, chairman of the Halifax Harbor Commission, and E. J. Cragg, member of the provincial legislature, Halifax, as Liberal candidates in the federal election brought the total of candidates chosen in Nova Scotia today to four.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 16.—A Dewitt Foster was today nominated to contest the constituency of Kings with the history of any other industrial country. It was a Liberal Government, he pointed out, that had enacted the Old Age Pensions law, under which 50,000 people are enjoying at this moment the comparative comfort and stability which they otherwise would not have.

The War Veterans' Allowances bill passed at the last session of Parliament, was, Premier King, admitted, supported by all parties in the House but it was the Liberal Government that shouldered the responsibility of putting it through. This was something in which he felt particular pride.

The claims of the Western Provinces for natural resources had been settled satisfactorily. So too, the Premier declared, had been the grievances of the Maritime Provinces. "I am proud to say that these great questions have been satisfactorily solved as between the Provinces and the Dominion.

(Canadian Press) NEW YORK, June 16.—Elmer Sperry, inventor of the gyro-scope, died today at St. John's Hospital.

## CONDITION IS CRITICAL

Disquieting Telegram Received With Regard to Bishop O'Leary Last Night.

## Two Die From Prostration

(Special to the Guardian) TORONTO, Ont., June 16.—The torrid heat and the heavy city and highway traffic proved a deadly combination yesterday in Toronto and district when two youths died presumably from prostration and fourteen persons were severely injured in automobile and traffic mishaps, to say nothing of a number of others hurt in less serious accidents.

## Dawes May Clean Up City

(Special to the Guardian) LONDON, England, June 16.—Dawes, a gang smasher, and Daves, savior of Chicago's reputation as streamers flaring from leading London morning newspapers, which carry a report that the famous Chicagoan may resign his ambassadorship here in order to devote himself to cleaning up the hornets which are finally stinging the lion into action.

## Two Killed

(Special to the Guardian) TORONTO, Ont., June 16.—Accepting a "hitch-hike" lift on their way to Montreal, cost the lives of two Toronto youths and serious injuries to a third at Prescott yesterday. Jack Palmer 17 of 570 St. Clarens Avenue, Duncan McMullen, 20 of 103 Symington Avenue, and Fred Massey 19 of Muir Avenue, the first two were killed and the third one injured. They accepted a lift from a car which crashed into another on the highway. The police are seeking the driver of the car.

## Assassinated

(Special to the Guardian) CANTON, Kwantung, China, June 16.—Liu Huan Yen, governor of Kwangsi Province, which adjoins Kwantung on the west was assassinated today by his bodyguard as he was eating supper at the Asia Hotel. He was shot in the back.

## Graduation Of Nurses Of Charlottetown Hospital

Exercises At Rochford Square School. Nurses Addressed by Dr. G. Harvey Agnew.

Six nurses received their diplomas last evening at the graduation exercises of the Charlottetown Hospital School of nursing held last evening in the hall of Rochford Square School, under the patronage of Rt. Rev. Mgr. J. C. McLean, in the absence of His Lordship Bishop O'Leary.

The graduating nurses are Misses Mary Adella Gaudet, Virginia Ann McKenna, Mary Florence McInnis, Mary Margaret McDonald, Rose Helena McGuigan and Hazel Don Keefe. Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan presided, Dr. G. Harvey Agnew, Secretary of Department Hospital Service Canadian Medical Association, addressed the graduates, Miss Rose McGuigan read the salutatory, Miss Eileen McDonald, the class prophecy, and Mrs. Mary Gaudet, the valedictory. The diplomas were presented by Rev. Mgr. McLean, and the benedictions by Miss Gertrude Trainor. The Corpus Christi Choir rendered three selections, and two solos were sung with splendid effect by Miss Lucy Blanchard.

The nurses were becomingly arrayed in white, and the stage beautifully decorated in the class colors, pink and gold.

Dr. MacMillan in his opening remarks, referred to a telegram received in the afternoon conveying the news of the renewed severity and critical illness of Bishop O'Leary in Dayton, Ohio.

In reference to the City Hospital, Dr. MacMillan spoke of the late Dr. S. R. Jenkins, in terms of the highest regard, a man in whose death the institution suffered an irreparable loss. For forty years, he was a member of the staff, and for the last fifteen years, its chief. At all times he gave of his time and talents unstintingly. Few, the speaker stated, knew Dr. Jenkins, better than he himself. In the twenty years since the speaker came to the city he has seen the death of two noble men. Dr. Conroy and Dr. Jenkins, who have earned the title of the beloved physician. It is for the speaker to grasp the torch, and carrying on the work which they began, the work of ministering to the sick. It must be remembered that the hospital is not an infirmary or a poor house. It needs support. Last year there were 393 patients who paid nothing and 181 who paid part.

The salutatory address was read by Miss Rose McGuigan, expressing the appreciation for what the sisters have done for the graduate nurses during the last three years, imparting useful knowledge, instilling the love of the calling, acting as examples of virtue, and administering correction where needed and deserved. To the doctors for lectures and instruction, gratitude was also extended by the nurses. The prayer expressed was that, when life is over, all who have been ministered to will find their pains and sickness more endurable because duties have been fulfilled conscientiously by the nurses.

The presentation of the diplomas by Rev. Mgr. McLean followed. Dr. McMillan in introducing Dr. G. Harvey Agnew, Secretary Department Hospital Service, Canadian Medical Association stated that the latter came to the city purposely to address the graduating nurses.

Dr. Agnew in opening referred to the hospitality with which the visiting delegates of the Canadian Medical Association were received while in Prince Edward Island last year. The pleasure of being once more in the province is tempered by the fact that Dr. S. R. Jenkins is absent. Dr. Agnew paid a tribute to nurses and to the nursing profession. Today the graduate nurse with the scientific training and wonderful back-ground is taken almost for granted. Yet it is only a matter of a few decades when modern nurse training was

## The Weather, etc



TORONTO, June 16.—(Times) Made late southerly... High tide this afternoon at 2:10 and tomorrow morning at 3:50. Sun sets this evening at 7:53 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:03. Last quarter moon Thursday, June 19, 4:36 a. m.