

A philosophy of expiration and courage, skill in the projecting of ones personality before the public are necessary in leadership in any line of business or profession.

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

The People's Paper Read by Everybody

Covers Prince Edward Island Like The Dew

The art of mastering oneself consists in the domination of impulse, and in restraining an arrogance always in a state of insurrection.

Charlottetown Guardian Two Cents Morning Guardian, Founded 1887

CHARLOTTETOWN, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1925

Annual Subscriptions Delivered \$2.00 By Mail, Canada and U. S. \$4.50

CHALLENGE TO PREMIER KING FROM QUEBEC

Invited to Test Real National Issues in the Riding of Quebec, South

"L'Evénement," of Quebec City, is Canada's oldest French daily newspaper. Politically it is independent. During the recent campaign it lamented the excesses of speech of which the leaders in Quebec had been guilty and admitted that in this election Ontario could not be accused of encouraging racial strife.

In its columns on Wednesday last was published the following letter from a correspondent:

1st, October, 1925. Honorable W. L. Mackenzie King, Ottawa.

Sir—The Federal elections which took place last Thursday have resulted in conveying to the large majority of Canadians, the impression that the Province of Quebec has put itself on record as being adverse to principles vitally essential to the carrying on of Confederation as well as to the "Bonne Entente."

With many other electors of the Province of Quebec I wish to say most emphatically that we do not agree in any plot to have one province or part of Canada array itself against another part of our country.

Whether we be English, Irish, French or otherwise, all of us form part of Canada and we must all work together shoulder to shoulder to promote the welfare of our country.

CARRIED TORCHES.

I maintain that the verdict of the Liberal party has obtained from the Province of Quebec, is one that has been obtained by unfair means and that the majority of voters in this province did not understand the real issues that brought about the elections.

The question of Protection and Tariff, Finance and Railways, should have been put before the voters. Instead of this, your Honorable carried all over our district the incendiary torches of conscription, nationality and other subjects which should never have been mentioned.

You have now the opportunity of stating the real issues and repeat here the policies you have advocated in the west and Ontario.

NOT TRUE FEELINGS.

Major Power has, I understand, offered to open the Quebec South constituency so that you may attempt election here; accept Major Power's offer; come in Quebec South, discuss solely the questions at issue and we will show the other provinces that Quebec is loyal to the principles of Confederation, that we want to live in unity and harmony with the other provinces, that we do not want a "Bloc Solide," that the vote of the 29th, October, 1925 does not represent the true feelings of French Canadians.

It must never be forgotten that it was the French Canadian soldier Colonel de Salaberry, who saved Canada for Canadians.

Trusting we will have the opportunity to meet you in Quebec. Yours truly, J. de S. BOSSÉ.

Brantford Paperman Dies

BRANTFORD, Ont., Nov. 10.—T. S. Preston proprietor of the Brantford Expositor died here Saturday with angina pectoris.

Condensed Specials

WANTED ROOMER—ATTRACTIVE, heated front bedroom, private home. Phone 605—J. 5994

JOB PRINTING OF EVERY description, cheaply and expeditiously executed. Guardian Central Job Printery, Phone 138.

POTATO FARM FOR SALE near Charlottetown. Modern house, large frost-proof cellar. For particulars write "Farmer" care Guardian. 5884.

YOU WANT GOOD ENVELOPES Prices 50 for 20c, 150 for 35c, 250 for 55c, 500 for \$1.00, 1,000 for \$1.95. Postpaid. Guardian Office.

USE SAUSONOME SAUSAGES—Made fresh every day. Saunders, Newsom & Co., Market Building. 2674-7-23-6mou.

RUMMAGE SALE—AT ST. PETER'S Schoolroom this afternoon at 3 o'clock. 6061 11 11.

Honorary Degree Conferred On Lady Byng

(Special to The Guardian.) KINGSTON, Nov. 10.—Her Excellency Byng of Vimy was guest of honor at Queens University this afternoon when the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon her at a special convocation held in Grant Hall which was filled for the occasion.

Sir Robert Borden, Chancellor of the University presided. Lady Byng was presented for the degree by Dr. R. Bruce Taylor, Principal of Queens and was hooded by Dr. J. C. Connell, dean of the Medical College.

Babington Had Majority of 10,000 Votes

(Special to The Guardian.) BELFAST, Nov. 10.—Anthony Babington's great fight in the South Belfast bye-election resulted Friday in a magnificent 10,000 majority for the unionist candidate.

It was a triumph for the intrepid middle class voters who participated steadily for him against Communism.

Babington's opponent Donaldson took his beating like a good sport and shook hands with the victor. The result shows beyond doubt that certain proportions of the better class of Roman Catholics voted for Babington who last night made a triumphant tour of the constituency.

There has been no confirmation from any source of the forecast of the boundary commissions report but it is certain that the Free State will get very little northern territory even on the minority award. Free State elation has been greatly diminished in the past few days.

Barred From Sending Ear Corn

(Special to The Guardian.) SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 10.—The province of Ontario and ten states were barred from sending ear corn to the international stock show in Chicago, Nov. 28 to Dec. 5 by an order issued by the state.

The standard of the department of agriculture today.

Catholic Church At Tracadie Burned

BATHURST, N. B., Nov. 10.—The beautiful Catholic Church at Tracadie was totally destroyed by fire last evening. The value of the building is placed at \$200,000 and the loss is partly covered by insurance.

The church, one of the finest in a County noted for its churches, was of freestone construction and beautifully finished throughout. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Pinchot Wants A Coal Parley

HARRISBURG, Nov. 10.—Governor Pinchot today sent letters to W. W. Inglis, chairman of the Anthracite Operators Negotiating Committee and John L. Lewis, International President of the United Mine Workers, asking them to meet him to discuss the coal strike situation.

The Governor hopes to meet Mr. Lewis in Philadelphia on Wednesday and Mr. Inglis in Harrisburg on Thursday.

Progressive Leader Denies Report

(Canadian Press.) WINNIPEG, Nov. 10.—Robert Forke, Progressive leader in interviews with Canadian Press over long distance telephone to his home at Pipestone tonight denied emphatically he had protested against the calling of a session of the federal house in December. A local paper today quoted him as having protested.

"Premier King," he said tonight, "Probably had good reason for calling session in December and I can't see anything wrong with the date."

"Do you think that an election in the spring would work a hardship on farmers of Western Canada?" Mr. Forke was asked.

"I think it would," he replied adding that that was one of the busy seasons for the farmer.

"Would you like to make a statement as to your attitude toward the government when the House assembles" was another question put to him.

"I have nothing to say about that at the present time," Mr. Forke replied. "I will say though that I have no intention of saying or doing anything at the present time that might embarrass the government."

LOYALTY TO \$4,000 INDEMNITY NOW HOPE OF LIBERALISM

As Premier King Will Not Sit in House of Commons Parliament Will Have to Decide on December 9th. Who Will be The Leader of The Government.

(Special to The Guardian.) OTTAWA, Nov. 10.—Premier King will not sit in the House of Commons in the coming session which it is expected will open on Dec. 10th. What his course will be after Parliament decides who is to govern will be determined then.

This was made known in a brief statement made public this evening by the Premier who while not making any specific reference to himself or to Right Hon. Geo. P. Graham, made clear by inference that neither would take the necessary steps to enable him to sit in the coming session.

In his statement Premier King simply says that until Parliament has decided upon the majority questions now by elections will be held except to fill the vacancy in Bagot Que., caused by the death last Thursday of Mr. J. E. Marcell.

A week after he had been elected for that riding. It means though that no contests will be held to fill vacancies in the cabinet caused by the defeat of Ontario ministers.

Both the Prime Minister and Mr. Graham, however, will continue to direct the affairs of their respective departments, but the problem created by their absence from the House of Commons will have to be solved.

First of all it will be necessary to name a government leader in the House in the absence of the Prime Minister. Had Hon. Charles Murphy, Postmaster General, not been appointed to the Senate, his seniority as a privy councillor would have given him this position.

The responsibilities of leadership during a difficult time are likely to devolve upon Hon. James A. Robb, Minister of Finance, or Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice. It now appears doubtful whether the votes which will be taken in the House when it meets next month can be regarded as adequate tests of party strength and solidarity.

There is the ever present indemnity consideration which would deter many members from casting a vote, the effect of which would be to throw the gov-

ernment out and possibly precipitate another election, not at least until the fifty days requisite for the drawing of the full sessional indemnity of \$4,000 have elapsed. It is more than probable that there will be no adverse vote against the government before Christmas but that the real test will be deferred until it resumes business in January.

OTTAWA, Nov. 10.—Political opinion here is particularly unanimous in predicting that Hon. Ernest Lapointe will be leader of the Liberal party in the House of Commons when that august tribunal meets on Dec. 10. The member from Quebec is the senior of the cabinet ministers surviving the battle of Oct. 29 and has been a member of the House of Commons since 1904. It is a fact worthy of remark that Mr. Lapointe represents the constituency of Quebec East for which Sir Wilfrid Laurier sat at the time of his death.

OTTAWA, Nov. 10.—A cabinet meeting will be held on Thursday afternoon and it is expected that this gathering, that the various portfolios will be allocated. It is obvious that some will be filled in an acting capacity but there is sufficient of ministers to carry on quite comfortably.

TORONTO, Nov. 10.—A night edition of the Toronto Telegram published the following: "It is reported in local Liberal circles that several surprises are all ready to be sprung by Premier King in the formation of the new Government. The first surprise it is said will be the entry of Robert Forke leader of the Progressives into the cabinet as Minister of Immigration.

Hon. Charles Dunning Premier of Saskatchewan is coming to the capital also to take a seat according to report and it is said the Prime Minister is going to run in Russell when the time comes. Rt. Hon. Geo. P. Graham will not be in the new cabinet after the first session.

Will Obey No Reprisal Order

(Canadian Press.) ROME, Nov. 10.—The Fascists have obeyed Mussolini's orders that no reprisals be taken for the plot to assassinate him says the Limpero, extreme Fascist organ, but nothing could stop them in the event of another attempt from staging a St. Bartholomew night to destroy all the enemies of Fascism. The paper urges reestablishment of capital punishment and its infliction upon Tito Zanaboni and "the traitors" implicated in the plot against the Premier.

Alberta Wheat Pool Will Not Operate

CALGARY, Alta., Nov. 10.—The Alberta Wheat Pool will not operate a pool for coarse grain this season. At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Wheat Pool, held in Calgary Saturday, it was decided that the number of contracts received in response to the inquiry sent out by the Board regarding the desire of Alberta farmers for a coarse grain pool was not sufficient to warrant the organization of such a pool for the present season at least.

British Steamer Is In Danger

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 10.—While the salvage steamer Salvage King is rushing to her assistance, the British freighter Poleric, crippled by the shifting of her grain cargo, tonight is fighting the worst storm of the season, 500 miles out on the Pacific.

Messages received by the Pacific Salvage Company here from the Poleric said that with a bad list to port she was heading back to the coast in the teeth of a 50-mile southeast gale.

The vessel left Vancouver Friday for the Orient with a full cargo of grain.

The Salvage King, which left here at four o'clock this afternoon, is expected to reach the Poleric early Wednesday.

The Poleric is of 6,132 tons gross, and is owned by Andrew Weir and Company. She carries a crew of about thirty.

POWDER LADEN BOAT FIRED ON AS RUM RUNNER

U.S. Patrol Boat Sent Two Shells After Army Steamer With

2 TONS POWDER ABOARD

Frantic Signals of Latter Avert Disaster in Nick of Time

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 10.—Coast guard patrol boat C.G.-151, opened fire today on a suspected rum-runner which proved to be an army coxswain loaded with two tons of explosive powder. Two one pound shells passed close to the army craft before its signals were recognized.

The army boat the United States Quartermaster's steamer L-49, had a deckload of cases of powder, which attracted the attention of the patrol craft.

As the army vessel swung off the CG-151 started in pursuit, not realizing that the vessel was being pursued the L-49 put on speed and the firing began. Frantic signals were made by the army men as the shells whizzed overhead. The commander of the patrol boat explained his action by saying: "It looked very bad with cases piled on deck and you running away from a coast-guard boat."

STANDING OF THE PARTIES

(Canadian Press.)

TORONTO, Nov. 10.—With Provencher, Manitoba, now definitely in the Progressive column the standing of the parties by province in the general elections follows:—

	Lib	Con	Pro	Lab	Ind	Ttl
P. E. I.	2	2	0	0	0	4
N. B.	10	0	0	0	11	21
N. S.	3	11	0	0	14	24
Que.	60	4	0	0	64	124
Ont.	12	68	2	0	82	162
Man.	1	7	2	0	17	27
Sask.	15	0	6	0	21	42
Alta.	4	4	8	0	16	32
B. C.	3	10	1	0	14	28
Yukon	0	1	0	0	1	2
	101	117	24	2	248	592

The above table includes the riding of Bagot, Que., in the Liberal column. The member elected in this constituency J. E. Marcell, Lib.eral, has died since the election.

Britain Fires Ex-Counsellor From Service

LONDON, Nov. 10.—It was announced today that Walter Annesley Stewart, former counsellor of the British embassy at Rio Janeiro has been dismissed from the diplomatic service.

A foreign office board of inquiry was held a year ago to investigate sensational charges made by both sides in a dispute between Mr Stewart and his chief, Sir John Tilley, British ambassador to Brazil. The nature of the charges was not made public, but it was indicated disciplinary action against Mr Stewart was to be expected.

Claims Husband Committed Fraud In Marrying Her

VIENNA, Nov. 10.—Lady Georgina Douglas, divorced wife of Lord Sholto Douglas, son of the eighth Marquis of Queensberry is suing her husband Prince Burban, son of the late Abdul Hamid of Turkey, for the return of £500 and 500,000 francs charging that the Prince committed fraud when he married her.

Lady Douglas who is Dutch by birth met the Prince on the Riviera and their marriage ceremony was solemnized in Vienna last May. When the Prince spent the money she had given him however, she charges, he told her to go and bring more.

On her return to Vienna from London, Prince Burban, is said to have refused to resume relations with her or even to see her. Viennese society is much agitated over the incident.

DECLARATION OF RETURNS IN QUEEN'S IS POSTPONED

Yesterday Was Declaration Day in King's County And Mr. J. A. MacDonald's Official Majority is 336.

Yesterday was Declaration Day in Queen's and King's Counties, and the official returns for the latter, giving a majority of 336 votes to Mr. J. A. MacDonald, are to be found below.

Proceedings for Queen's began in the Supreme Court room at 10 o'clock before Mr. J. G. MacFadyen, Returning Officer, but owing to the returns from four of the polls being unsatisfactory the adjournment was made until Friday at two o'clock.

Outside of the four delinquent polls, Charlottetown Ward Five East, Southport, Mount Stewart and Brackley Point Road, there was very little change in the returns. Mr. Jenkin's net loss being 12 votes, Mr. MacKinnon's 5 votes.

In the case of Mr. Sinclair's total there was no change, and Mr. Messervey's total rose by 29 votes, making the order of the candidates—Jenkins, Messervey, Sinclair, MacKinnon. As the four polls already named cannot be counted it is impossible to give the complete totals.

Both Ward Five East Central and Southport polls had no certificates included in the ballot boxes. In the Mount Stewart returns figures were marked over, so that it was not apparent whether the totals were 87 or 78. In the Brackley Point Road returns the figures were contradictory in the face of the returns.

There was some discussion over Riverdale poll, where no separate statement was in the ballot box, but it was agreed to accept the statement which had been attached to the poll book and had not been detached.

In one poll, South Rustico, after giving the figures of the straight party vote, the Deputy Returning Officers added "plumpers, and other complications," and the New Haven poll after the straight party vote were recorded it was stated "split votes 8."

Forty-eight ballots were rejected by the Deputy Returning Officers throughout the County.

	Johnston	MacDonald
Bothwell	93	93
North Lake	57	74
Priest Pond	58	47
Red Point	62	38
Souris	60	118
Souris East	64	77
Souris River	132	58
Souris Line Road	53	48
Rolls Bay Chapel	49	43
Souris West	40	44
Del Rollo Bay	47	51
Bay Fortune	29	65
St. Margarets	66	51

DENY REPORT OF REVOLT IN ARCTIC

LONDON, Nov. 10.—An astonishing story that was published two or three days ago about a revolt among the members of the British Arctic Expedition against the leadership of Grettir Algarsson, the Scandinavian-Canadian explorer in favor of Commander Woresley, has evoked denial from the latter.

The denial has come in the form of a telegram from Commander Woresley, which telegram is endorsed by other officers of the expedition now at Granton and Midlothian, Scotland.

The telegram expresses annoyance at the published report that the leader of the expedition to the North Pole, Grettir Algarsson, had been deposed by what might be termed constitutional mutiny.

Commander Woresley appointed in his stead, the author of the report being a member of the expedition, according to the story published.

The telegram states that Algarsson offered to place Woresley's name with his own at the head of the expedition. When Algarsson offered Woresley the command of the ship Brigantia Island, the latter declined as he thought it would not be fair for him to assume the command, seeing that Algarsson had organized everything. Algarsson proposed to fly to the Pole himself while Woresley's share would have been the command of the exploring expedition in the ship.

PLACE EMBARGO ON POTATOES TO U.S.

Action Taken in Order to Relieve Heavy Freight Congestion

(Canadian Press.) MONTREAL, Nov. 10.—An embargo has been placed on shipments of potatoes from Canada to Boston, New York and Pittsburgh. Notice of this embargo was given to Canadian Railroads through the car service section of the American Railroad Association Washington.

This request was made to the association by the Boston and Maine Railroad so far as Boston was concerned, the New York Central for New York, and the Pennsylvania Railroad for Pittsburgh. It went into effect at midnight last night and shipments loaded here before midnight will be accepted but shippers who tried to ship today were refused.

The reason given is that as a result of reports of a potato shortage, the large markets in the U. S. have been glutted with the tubers. The action has not been taken as a result of any move of the Canadian lines but they are compelled to follow the American embargo by refusing to accept shipments destined to the U. S. as the American lines will not receive cars from them. It was reported by the Canadian Pacific Railway that at Boston there were between two hundred and three hundred carloads of potatoes lined up on the track awaiting delivery. A local dealer said that probably most of these potatoes were grown in Quebec, N. B. and P. E. I. The action of the railroads though it may not be pleasing to speculators who were calculating on making large sums from marketing Dominion grown potatoes will at least benefit Canadians in the large centres who have been going on short in the general desire to export home grown potatoes while prices on the other side were high.

Bruce Muir, Mr. R. H. Jenkins, M. P. Dr. H. D. Johnston, Official Soldiers' Advisor, Mr. C. M. Williams Soldiers' Settlement Board.

His Worship Mayor McKenna was then on motion appointed chairman of the committee and Dr. H. D. Johnston secretary. The above committee now constitutes the personnel representing the work of the last Post Fund in P. E. Island.

Will Look After Affairs of Quebec

(Special to The Guardian.) QUEBEC, Nov. 10.—Sir Francois Lemieux Chief Justice of the Supreme Court was officially advised today that he had been appointed administrator of the province in the absence of Lieutenant Governor Hon. Narcisse Proulx who is leaving for a six weeks trip abroad.

Armistice Day Program

The Armistice Day services are to be held this morning at eleven o'clock, before the Soldier's Memorial. The Veterans of the Great War and the South African War will fall in at the G. W. V. A. Rooms and Grafton street at 10:15 will march to the monument headed by the Veteran's Band and draw up in formation.

The program consists of patriotic hymns and addresses by Capt. Rev. J. Rooney and Capt. G. C. Taylor, concluding with the two minutes silence and the Last Post, sounded by Sergt. Chas. Hynes.

The musical part of the program is under the direction of Prof. W. E. Fletcher, and the members of the different choirs and the school children have been invited to take part.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

Rates—2c. per word each insertion.

**Bean Supper at Stanchel, Nov. 11th. 5981

**High Tea and Sale, St. Paul's Thursday. Doors open 3 p.m. Tea served from 5 to 7. Tea and admission, 50c. 5988-11-11-21

**St. Andrew's Society will hold an Entertainment and Lecture at Tracadie Cross Hall Monday evening, Nov. 16. Dr. McDonald, of York, Lecturer. Several popular entertainers will assist. Dance after.

5990-11-11-21



TORONTO, Nov. 11.—Maritime moderate west winds fair and high or temperature.

Toronto, cloudy	39-32
Montreal, clear	34-28
Quebec, cloudy	30-22
Charlottetown, snow	34-25
Halifax, clear	44-28
Saint John, fair	43-24
Boston, clear	38-34
New York, cloudy	42-32

High tide this evening at 7:23, and tomorrow morning at 7:19. Sun sets this afternoon at 4:33 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:56. New moon Monday, Nov. 16th, at 2:34 a.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.