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## LIBERAL LIEUTENANTS WOULD OUST LEADER FROM POWER

**Dissatisfaction Among Westerners Now Taking The Form of a Definite Movement the Object of Which is to Obtain Chieftain Who Would Have Confidence of People.**

(Special to The Guardian)  
 OTTAWA, Nov. 25.—Rumors were current in the capital that Hon. Ernest Lapointe had the ambition to succeed permanently Premier King as leader of the Liberal Party. Apparently the time is not yet ripe for he issued a statement strongly endorsing Mr. King and declaring that he would remain as the Liberal Chief. He stated further that Premier King represents in Canada the pure doctrine of Liberalism, notwithstanding Tory clamors and added:  
 "We are going to maintain him as our leader and he is going to remain."  
 But the Liberals seem to forget that it is not the Tory Party that is after Mr. King. Those who want to get rid of him are his own lieutenants, particularly Western persons who think Liberalism's only chance is in union with the Progressives and who see Mr. King as a stumbling block to that union.  
 The Premier is always ready to answer the summons of their chief, but nevertheless the Grain Growers' Guide chastises Mr. King. There is no doubt that a movement has started in the West to supplant Mr. King. Mr. Dunning of Saskatchewan seems to rally the confidence of all the Westerners and some even go so far as to state that he would also be the choice of the Province of Quebec. At any rate Mr. King is becoming very unpopular.

A few days ago Hon. M. MacDonald, Minister of Militia and National Defence had been referred to in the Ottawa Journal as a Conservatism in 1917. The Conservative organ went on to say he refused to run as a "surfer candidate" in the election of 1917. Hon. Mr. MacDonald today issued the following statement:  
 "I desire to say that I was not a conspirator in 1917. I spoke against the adoption of the second reading of the Military Service Act at some length, as by reference to the Hansard of that year you will see. I was absent in Nova Scotia when the vote on the second reading came on and was paired against the bill. On my return to Ottawa I was present at the third reading of the bill when a division was taken. When I voted against the adoption of the third reading. This is my record on the question, which can be verified by Hansard. I did not refuse to run as a Laurier candidate in the election of 1917. For personal and business reasons I retired from politics in that year, but was wholly in accord with the position of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in that campaign and spoke and worked and voted for the candidates who supported him in Nova Scotia."  
 "I may add I have not since seen any reason to doubt that the attitude of those of us who supported Sir Wilfrid in opposition to the bill was the proper one in the interests of Canada."

**Ontario Official Sentenced**  
 (Special to The Guardian)  
 TORONTO, Nov. 25.—W. W. Dunlop, former Inspector of Prisons and Public Charities for the Province of Ontario was yesterday afternoon convicted by Judge Denison on charges of stealing \$40,000 of public monies and was sentenced to four years in Kingston penitentiary.

**Shovelling Snow In Buffalo**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 BUFFALO, Nov. 25.—Snow shovels were in general use in Buffalo today for the first time this season.

**Official Program For Memorial Service**  
 A telegram from the Under Secretary of State, Ottawa, received last evening by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, reads as follows:  
 The following instructions have been issued by the War office to all commands at home and abroad:  
 Gun salute of forty minute guns to be fired at 11:00 a.m., November 27. Similar orders to navy. Where there are both navy and army stations at the same station, army salute will follow naval salute.

**Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc**  
 Rates—2c. per word each insertion.  
 \*Home cooking table at United Church Tea, Thursday. 6233-24-31  
 \*Today United Church Tea 5 to 7 o'clock. 6238  
 \*Social and dance in Graham's Road Hall, Thursday, Nov. 26th. 6260 25 21.  
 \*Kensington, Caldwell L. O. L. No. 1207, Annual Meeting and election of Officers, 27th at 7 p.m. All members requested to be present.  
 \*Whist and dance in Hope River Hall on Thursday, Nov. 26th. Ladies with lunch baskets free. 6215-11,12,31.  
 \*Coming—Stupendous show "Unknown Story" a super special, Georgetown, Friday, Montague Saturday, Souris Monday. 6263

**23 MORE SHOPPING DAYS**  
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\*Wanted goose and duck feathers, best prices paid when not mixed. Will also take old feather beds. Henry MacFarlane & Co. Rear R. T. Holman's. 6086-11-17utsimo  
 \*There will be a concert and social in Webster's Corner Hall on next Friday night the 27th inst. Ladies with pies free. 6265-11-26 21.  
 \*Special Meeting of New Wiltshire District L. O. L. will meet at Kingston, Friday, 27th at 7 p.m. Murdoch E. MacSweeney, District Secretary. 6244-11-25M2L

\*At Kinkora—Come to the dance in Kinkora hall, Thursday November 26th—Good music and refreshments served. Admission ladies 25c, gents, 50c. 6237, 11 25 21  
 \*Notice—The Annual Meeting of the North Wiltshire Rural Telephone Company will be held in the Hall at Wiltshire, Wednesday, December 2nd at 7.30 P. M. G. B. Noy, Secretary. 6275-11-26M7L

\*Potatoes Wanted, Table stock, Canada A grade. In the market for twenty cars. Highest cash prices paid. Will be at Queen Hotel, Summerside, Thursday and Friday to make contracts for spring delivery. Certified Cobblers and Mountians. You will find our prices attractive. Abbott Worthy. 6232-26-11 utes later than Charlottetown.

## QUEEN ALEXANDER IS DEAD AT SANDRINGHAM



Empire-wide grief is being expressed to the Royal Family upon the death of Queen Alexandra, at Sandringham. The photograph above shows her in one of her most recent pictures. At the right above she is shown with her husband, then Prince of Wales, and below, with her husband.

**C. N. R. Net Revenues Show Increase For October**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 MONTREAL, Nov. 25.—For the month of October, 1925, the net revenues of the C. N. R. Railways after payment of operating expenses were \$8,139,958, an increase of \$3,466,115 over October, 1924, and of \$2,974,941 over 1923.

**Halifax Girl Dies In Dentist's Chair**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 25.—Louisa Margaret Flockney, 19, died in a local dentist's chair this morning while under the effects of chloroform taken for the purpose of having some teeth extracted. The chloroform was administered by a physician.  
 Medical examiner Woodbury conducted the examination and indicated that his finding would absolve professional men from all blame. It was an unfortunate accident, he said, that might occur once in ten thousand cases. The girl was said to have never been sick a day in her life.

**10 Million Dollar Gold Shipment From New York**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Gold valued at \$10,000,000 was withdrawn from New York Banks today for shipment to Canada. While no details were disclosed it is assumed that the shipments represent foreign exchange transactions as the Canadian dollar is quoted at premiums of 5-32 of one cent in the New York market.

**Prince County Supreme Court**  
 The case of the King vs. Benjamin Souler for burglary and for being found in a dwelling house by night, occupied the attention of the Supreme Court in Summerside all day yesterday. When the court adjourned at 5 p.m. two witnesses for the Crown had been examined. The Attorney General and Mr. Heath Strong, K. C., appeared for the Crown and Mr. Ernest Strong and Mr. J. J. Johnston for the prisoner. The court meets again this morning at 10 o'clock.

**Period of Mourning At Gov't. House**  
 The following telegram from A. F. Sladen, Secretary to the Governor-General, was received last evening by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor.  
 His Honor Lieutenant Governor Heart.  
 His Excellency the Governor-General has decided that the period of mourning for her late Majesty Queen Alexandra, to be observed at Government House, will be one month, from November 20 to December 17, inclusive; half mourning December 18 to December 30 inclusive.  
 This same period of mourning will be observed here at the local government House, in common with the other provincial Government Houses.

**BANDITS HOLD UP BANK**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 MEDANVILLE, Ind., Nov. 25.—Three bandits obtained four thousand dollars in the holdup of the Medanyville State Bank here today. They forced the employees into the vault scooped up all the cash in sight and escaped in an automobile.  
 No trace of them was found at an early hour this morning by vigilantes guarding main highways.

## RUM RUNNING OVER HUNDRED COMPETITION KEEN PERISHED IN FLOODS

**Capt. of Customs Cruiser Margaret Tells of Smugglers Organization.**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 QUEBEC, Nov. 25.—Rum runners on the Atlantic coast and in particular on the coast of Nova Scotia were organized on such a large scale and smugglers were so numerous during 1925 season of navigation that they were actually in one another's way; many being unable to dispose of their wares. Such was the situation during the past summer as reported today by Capt. Alfred Lacouvee of the customs cruiser Marguerite which arrived from Charlottetown where \$75,000 worth of assorted liquors and alcohol had been placed in the customs warehouse.  
 This shipment was confiscated from schooner towards the end of last week off the Nova Scotia coast. The commander of the Marguerite declined to give the name of the schooner or exact place in which seizure was effected.  
 Capt. Lacouvee declared that practically all of the 225 schooners which he estimated are engaged in the rum running and smuggling trade off the Nova Scotia coast were Canadian vessels manned by Canadian crews who secured their cargoes from ports in the British West Indies. They all had foreign clearances but were run by regular Bluenose captains.  
 Capt. Lacouvee believes that the rum running organization on the Atlantic coast is so strong that it cannot be broken by law but that it is gradually killing itself by its very strength. A great deal of money is being lost by the organization by frequent seizures, delay in delivering cargoes and actual waste on board the ships. He said one rum runner captain told him his cargo of liquor had been in the hold of his schooner since last December. It is also claimed by rum runners that profits in other sections do not more than make up for these losses.

**Dawes' Name Mentioned For Nobel Prize**  
 (Special to The Guardian.)  
 STOCKHOLM, Nov. 25.—The Aftenbladet understands that the Norwegian Storting intends on December 10 to award the Nobel Peace Prize to Vice-President Dawes of the United States in honor of his plan for reparations settlement.

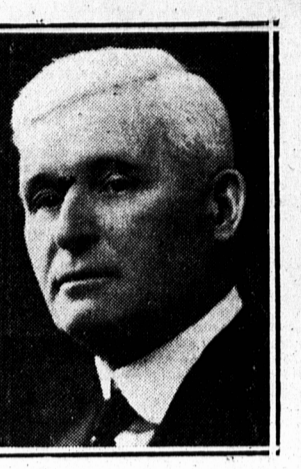
**St. John River At Record Level**  
 FREDERICTON, Nov. 25.—The Saint John River is at the highest level reached in the fall of the year for at least twenty years, as a result of the abnormal rains of the past several months. Today the river stands 11 feet, 9 inches above the summer level. Last week the water dropped off a foot and a half, but today it was starting to rise rapidly again following the heavy rain of last night. At the Dominion meteorological station at University of New Brunswick, the official measurements today showed the rainfall last night as 1.65 inches, which brought the total for the month up to 4.7 inches. The total precipitation in November last year, was 2.6 inches, which included 10 inches of snow, and the average for the last 50 years for November is 3.98.

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**New York Is Now Smoky City**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—With soft coal being burned on a large scale and with the smoke ban in New York lifted, this city daily resembles a sooty train shed with a deep plume hanging over the entire island. A 75,000 ton shipment of Welch anthracite arrived in the harbor yesterday from overseas in eight specially chartered freighters. Additional fleets are reported on the way and will bring in about 75,000 tons each week. Prices quoted ranged from \$20 to \$22 a ton.

**Armed Outposts In Ireland**  
 (Special to The Guardian.)  
 BELFAST, Nov. 25.—Special armed police of the Ulster Government in the Clady district near Strabane in County Tyrone and Fairing, the territory which by the reported award of the British Boundary Commission would be transferred to Ulster, have erected sand bags at their outposts.

## Heads Maritime Board of Trade



Angus McLean, Bathurst, N. B. who was elected president of the Maritime Board of Trade at the annual meeting held recently at Charlottetown, is prominently identified with Canadian industrial and financial affairs. Mr. McLean is president and general manager of the Bathurst Company, Ltd., lumber, pulp and paper manufacturers; president and general manager, Cascoedia Manufacturing & Trading Co., Ltd.; director, Canada Cement Company, Ltd.; Maritime Life Assurance Company; New Brunswick Publishing Co. Ltd.; New Brunswick Telephone Company, and numerous other concerns.

**MAKES APPEAL FOR UNITED EFFORT**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 BATHURST, N. B., Nov. 25.—A call directed to all people of the Maritime provinces to put their shoulders to the wheel and help along the recently launched movement to stimulate production and renew prosperity in the seaboard provinces was issued here today by Angus McLean, President of the Maritime Board of Trade on his return from Winnipeg where he attended the economic conference of delegates of the Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce from all over the Dominion.  
 The Maritime bill of rights including the use of Canadian ports for Canadian trade, adequate equipment for those harbors, share in immigration and obtaining of world markets, lower freight rates and scientific investigation to ascertain the natural resources of these provinces had been heartily endorsed at Winnipeg, Mr. McLean declared and the problems of the east have captured the sympathetic ear of the remainder of the Dominion. He urges all interested in the Maritime case to obtain a copy of the resolutions of the Charlottetown conference in which the Maritime position was enunciated in detail.

**Verdict Of Guilty Against Communist Leaders**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 LONDON, Nov. 25.—A verdict of guilty was returned today against 12 Communist leaders tried in Old Bailey on charges of conspiring to publish seditious libels and for violation of the Incitement of Mutiny Act.

**Locarno Treaty Date Is Late Queen's Birthday**  
 (Special to The Guardian.)  
 BERLIN, Nov. 25.—The German Government has suggested to the British and French governments that in view of the mourning for Queen Alexandra of England and because the Locarno Treaty signing ceremony falls on her birthday December 1, the ambassadors of the Locarno Signatory Nations sign instead of higher dignitaries. In this way it was suggested all pomp would be eliminated.

**Fire Engines Collide One Killed**  
 (Canadian Press.)  
 NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Two fire engines collided last night in Brooklyn killing one fireman and injuring two others.

**HERRIOT WILL TRY HIS HAND**  
 (Special to The Guardian.)  
 PARIS, Nov. 25.—Senator Paul Doumer late today notified President Doumergue that he could not form a cabinet in succession to the fallen Painleve regime. Later former Premier Herriot, President of the Chamber of Deputies and leader of the Radical party was summoned by the President.

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