

Election Bet Hinges On Fortunes Of CCF

By RICHARD ANCO
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CALGARY (CP)—It was an innocent little question — "wanna bet?"

That bet means a Calgary newspaper editorial writer may have to work a full day on a farm, or a southern Alberta farmer may have to put in a day's work in the newspaper office.

By June 11 Cleo Mowers, editorial writer for the *Albertan*, and Jack Sutherland, Hanna, Alta., farmer, will know which is the loser for his election prediction, stubbornly defended since Jan. 25.

On that day a short editorial in the *Albertan* said: "Saskatchewan's premier T. C. Douglas said in Calgary this week that the CCF would gain increased support in the federal election this spring. Wanna bet?"

Reader Sutherland, longtime CCF supporter, snapped at the challenge.

CONDITIONS LAID DOWN

Mr. Mowers replied: "If he insists on going through with it, we have no alternative but to spell out the terms and conditions. If his party gains in either popular vote or members elected, we will concede him victory."

There were to be no odds. If Mr. Mowers lost he was to work one day in Mr. Sutherland's lost field. If the Hanna farmer lost, he was to do a day's work in the newspaper's editorial office.

A prolific writer and active socialist in Alberta's farm organizations, Mr. Sutherland, nearly 70 who came to Alberta from Nova Scotia nearly half a century ago, wondered if that meant he would be given "a free hand" at writing editorials and articles.

Definitely not, answered the 41-year-old editorial writer. If Mr. Sutherland lost, he would have to write a short editorial on the theme of why the CCF lost

ground; a 1,500-word piece on his "most vivid" memories of farming; an article on reminiscences of the Alberta farm movement, and "other short articles."

Not to be outdone, the farmer socialist listed his own conditions: If at the end of Mr. Mowers' shift on the farm he threshes fewer bushels than Mr. Sutherland's average, he will buy a year's membership in the CCF party for every 50 bushels short. If the newspaper man threshes more than the average, Mr. Sutherland will buy a year's subscription to the *Albertan* for every 50 bushels more.

Mr. Mowers, born at Sibbald, near Hanna, and brought up on a farm, says he's happy with the terms of the bet.

Violence Top Child Killer

OTTAWA (CP)—Violence plays "the commanding leading role" as the biggest killer of Canadian children and young adults, the bureau of statistics said Tuesday in a survey of causes of death.

Heart disease was overwhelmingly predominant as a cause of death in Canada but takes the lead only after the age of 40.

The report was based on an analysis of death causes as they change with age.

"A baby who survives the first year of life faces little threat from fatal diseases until he or she reaches the middle-age mark of 40. However, throughout infancy, childhood, adolescence and a sizable proportion of his mature years, accidents and violence have

Report Treasure Ship Located

DURBAN, South Africa (AP)—A fabulous treasure ship, wrecked off South Africa's coast 175 years ago, is claimed to have been located by the leader of a skin-diving expedition.

Graham Reed of Capetown said divers operating from the 100-ton motor yacht *Martinetta* discovered cannons and coins "positively identifying" a bulk in Lady's Bay as the East India Co. ship *Grosvener*.

Reed, a wealthy retired businessman, has been described as South Africa's foremost authority on wrecks off the union's coast.

The *Grosvener* was reported carrying a gem-encrusted peacock throne said to be worth £6,000,000 (then more than \$30,000,000), and

Guardsmen Faint During Rehearsal

LONDON (Reuters)—Twenty Guardsmen fainted Monday during a rehearsal for the annual trooping on Queen Elizabeth's official birthday next week.

The muggy, 76-degree heat was too much for 20 Guardsmen standing stiffly at attention under their tall bearskin bushes. One by one they slumped, rifles and bayonets clattering to the ground.

Fainting is an offence in the strictly disciplined Guards. Offenders are punished with extra parades in the sun to toughen them up.

London evening papers expressed anger not at the fainting

Guards but at the rehearsal blocking main roads and snarling traffic.

CAPITOL



TODAY



Bick Benedict was big enough to stand up and take what he wanted, and biggest one day when he crawled...

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VERNON SOFTBALL TEAM

The above picture is of the Vernon softball team, a member of the Southern Kings softball League who played their first game of the season at Montague June 2, defeating the home team by a score of 20-11. L to R front: Ed Murphy, Clayton Morrissey, row: Bill Cairns, M. MacDonald, Ron MacInnis, Norbert Fraser, Malcolm MacRae, M. Dunn, Back

EASTERN GUARDIAN

PRIVATE sale of household effects. Mrs. Bert MacDonald, Montague.

RESERVE Wednesday, July 17, for St. Mary's parish chicken supper. Beaver Club Hall, Montague.

THE DEDICATION of the Mt. Stewart United Church Manse will be held in the Church, on Friday, June 7, at 8 o'clock. A welcome is extended to all denominations.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Robert Glover, Murray Harbour, accompanied by her daughter, Marion and Gary Glover, spent the weekend in New Glasgow, N.S.

Ladies' Auxiliary Holds Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Canadian Legion, Montague, was held at the home of Mrs. Atwood MacDonald, Wednesday evening, May 22nd.

The meeting, which was conducted by the president, Mrs. George McKean, opened in the usual manner. Roll call was answered by seventeen members. The minutes and the correspondence were read by the secretary, Mrs. Wellington Campbell, and the financial report was presented by Mrs. Garnet McIntyre. Mrs. Campbell reported for the visiting committee and also read the report of the recent meeting of the Trustees. An interesting report of the Provincial meeting held in Summerside was presented.

Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Margaret MacKinnon were appointed on the Visiting Committee for the next three months.

Plans for the annual lobster supper were discussed and it was decided to hold the supper on June 5th, and a committee was appointed to convene the arrangements. One new member, Mrs. Jennie MacKenzie, was welcomed by the president.

At the close of the meeting a social hour featured a white elephant sale and a substantial sum was realized. At the lunch hour, the hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. Sandy MacDonald and Mrs. Neil Hooley.

J. H. King Dies In Miramichi

The death of John Henry King, a well-known and highly respected resident of the Willows, N.B., occurred in the Miramichi Hospital early Sunday morning, April 14th, 1957.

He was born in Milltown Cross, P.E.I., on March 10th, 1876, a son of the late George W., and Margaret (Matheson) King. He was twice married; his first wife was Miss Sarah MacEwen of Chatham and his second wife, who survives him, the former Mary Evangeline Gallant of Egmont Bay, P.E.I.

Surviving from his first marriage are: one daughter, Margaret, Mrs. Harry McCash, Douglastown, N.B.; and three sons, Norman, Hartford, Conn., James and Walter, residing on P. E. I.

Also surviving from his second marriage are three daughters: (Mona) Mrs. Wallace Scott, Greenwood, N. S.; (Mildred) Mrs. Alex Gillis and (Audrey) Mrs. Joseph MacLellan, both residing in Truro, N.S.; and ten sons, Harry and Sterling, the Willows; Murdoch, New Jersey, N.B.; Daniel, Winston, N.B.; Archibald, Ottawa; Clayton, Plaster Rock, N.B.; Lawrence, Gander, Nfld.; Kenneth, Utopia; Hazen, Cold Lake, Alta.; and Hugh, St. John's, Quebec.

A brother, Archibald, residing in Montague, P.E.I., and two sisters, Mrs. N. A. MacKinnon, Sturgeon, P. E. I., and Mrs. Edward Pratt of Watham, Mass., also survive.

The largely attended funeral was held from his late residence on Tuesday afternoon. A short service was held at the house at 2:00 p.m. with services at 2:30 at St. Matthew's Presbyterian Church, Bartibogue Bridge, conducted by Rev. R. W. Ross, assisted by the choir. The pall bearers were: Messrs. Harry McCash, George Cooper, Douglas Russell, James Pallen, Colin C. Ross and Bernard Bowie. Interment was in the church cemetery, conducted by Rev. R. W. Ross, assisted by the choir. Telegrams and messages of sympathy were received by the family.

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GEORGETOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Don Holden of Charlottetown motored to Georgetown recently, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Thompson.

Mr. William Bruce of Charlottetown, was a recent visitor to Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richards and Mr. James MacLeod of Murray River, motored to Georgetown early in the week. On their return to Murray River they were accompanied by Mrs. James MacLeod, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Rafuse.

Mrs. Norman Thompson, accompanied by baby daughter, Deborah Lee and Mrs. J. W. Lavers motored to Charlottetown early in the week.

Master Billy Hook has returned to his home in Charlottetown, following a visit to Georgetown, where he was the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lavandier.

Mr. Vincent Elordietta, who is employed as a supervising engineer on the ferry Lord Selkirk under construction at Pictou, N.S., was the weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Solomon.

On Friday evening Hoh Eugene Cullen and Mrs. Cullen and Mr. and Mrs. James Pendergast motored from Charlottetown, and were guests of Mrs. Cullen's and Mrs. Pendergast's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. De-

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Japs Protest To Soviet Union

MOSCOW (Reuters)—Japan protested to the Soviet Union against the recent seizure of Japanese fishing vessels and crews by Soviet coast guards.

Japanese Ambassador Suemitsu Kadovaki presented the protest to Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko.

Gromyko promised that the Soviet government will examine the circumstances surrounding the latest Soviet seizure.

Early in May Soviet coast guard vessels detained 21 Japanese fishing boats in waters between the Russian-held Sakhalin Islands and the west coast of Japan.

Six vessels later were released but 15 still are in Soviet hands with their crews.

Soviet authorities claim that their territorial waters extend 12 miles offshore and although the Japanese government does not accept this, it advises its vessels to keep outside the 12-mile limit.

Japanese authorities say the seizures took place on the high seas but the Soviet Union says the

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