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## A. K. MACLEAN IN UNION CABINET

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Mr. Robertson will act as chairman of an important sub-committee on labor and labor conditions, and that he will have associated with him on that sub-committee persons of special knowledge and experience in respect of the matters which the sub-committee will deal with.

It is anticipated that a prominent representative of the trades and labor organizations will in the early future enter the government as parliamentary secretary of the department of labor, in which position he will be able to render important service to the public interest. Such parliamentary secretary, when appointed, will naturally be a member of the sub-committee on labor and labor conditions also.

The Hon. Mr. Robertson since his appointment to the senate has taken a high position, and his wide experience in all matters relating to labor conditions and his close study of the questions have been of great advantage in the senate's deliberations.

Important Accession.  
Hon. A. K. Maclean was sworn in as a member of the privy council this morning and he has become a member of the union of national government.

He has had a long experience in public life, and he attained a very prominent position in the Liberal party during the past ten years. His experience has not been confined to the federal parliament, as for some time he was a member of the provincial legislature of Nova Scotia.

His recognized ability, his high character, and his strong devotion to duty make his accession to the government of great importance.

For the present Mr. Maclean will be without portfolio, but it is anticipated that in the not distant future he will undertake the administration of an important department.

In the meantime he will find full scope for his activity and energy in the vice-chairmanship of a permanent committee of the cabinet, which is to be known as the reconstruction and development committee. The wide range of important subjects committed to the consideration of that committee renders the position of vice-chairman one of great importance and usefulness. The prime minister is chairman of the committee, but the enormous demands on his time and energies will not permit him to give necessary attention to the very important duties involved in the direction of the committee's activities. These duties will therefore devolve almost altogether upon Mr. Maclean, and will give him the opportunity for public service of far-reaching importance.

## Y.M.C.A. WORKERS PASS ALL OBJECTIVES

Teams Secure More Than Thousand New Members During First Day of Big Campaign.

The first day's result of the great Y.M.C.A. membership campaign was given out last evening at a banquet at the Central branch, when the various teams, with their captains, were present. The first results were:

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DIABETES  
RHEUMATISM  
GOUT  
GRAVEL  
SCURVY  
AND ALL THE OTHERS  
OF THE URINARY SYSTEM

## THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Oct. 23. (8 p.m.)—The barometer has remained quite high today from the Great Lakes to the Maritime Provinces, but a very shallow depression passing eastward across the Ohio Valley has caused rain in southern Ontario. There are now indications of pronounced disturbances on the Atlantic coast.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44, 52; Vancouver, 48, 54; Kamloops, 36, 58; Calgary, 28, 48; Edmonton, 26, 48; Battleford, 24, 52; Prince Albert, 22, 48; Medicine Hat, 24, 48; Moose Jaw, 19, 46; Regina, 3, 41; Saskatoon, 15, 52; Winnipeg, 15, 28; Port Arthur, 18, 32; Parry Sound, 28, 38; London, 20, 32; Toronto, 34, 42; Ottawa, 28, 48; Montreal, 34, 46; Quebec, 32, 44; St. John, 34, 50; Halifax, 40, 50.

—Probabilities.—Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Strong northeast and north winds; gradually clearing and cool.

Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawa Valleys—Strong northeast and north winds; cloudy and cool, with rain in most localities.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore—Increasingly cloudy, followed by rain or snow.

Maritime—Winds, increasing to gales from northeast and east.

Lake Superior—Fresh east and south-east winds; light and mild.

Western Provinces—Unsettled and cool, with light local snowfalls.

THE BAROMETER.

Time.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.
8 a.m.	39	30.50	8 N.E.
10 a.m.	40	30.55	21 N.E.
12 p.m.	41	30.60	21 N.E.
2 p.m.	41	30.65	21 N.E.
4 p.m.	40	30.70	21 N.E.
6 p.m.	39	30.75	21 N.E.
Mean of day.	40.2	30.68	21 N.E.
Max. & min.	41 & 39	30.75 & 30.50	21 N.E.

## STREET CAR DELAYS

Tuesday, Oct. 23, 1917.  
King cars, eastbound, delayed 8 minutes at 10.40 a.m. at Don bridge, by horse down on track.

Bathurst cars delayed 5 minutes at 9.13 p.m. at Front and John, by train.

## RATES FOR NOTICES

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, not over 50 words, \$4.00. Additional words, each 5c. Long Notices to be included in Funeral Announcements.

In Memoriam Notices, 50c. Poetry and quotations up to 4 lines, additional 4 lines or fraction of 4 lines, 25c. Cards of Thanks (Reverence), 1.00.

## DEATHS.

COLEMAN—Fidley, on Monday, 22nd October, 1917, at her residence, 64 East Charles street, Sarah Ann Renick, widow of Arthur Coleman.

Funeral on Thursday, the 25th inst., at 2.30 p.m., to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.

GOBEL—On Monday, October 22, 1917, Mr. George Gobel, in his 76th year.

Funeral from his residence in Kleinburg at 5 o'clock on Thursday, October 25, 1917. Interment in Roman Catholic Cemetery, Toronto.

McKAY—On Monday, October 22, 1917, at her late residence, 422 Dundas street east (formerly 224 Wilson avenue), Jane Stevens, widow of John R. McKay, in her 63rd year.

Funeral from above address Wednesday, at 2.30, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

MOHRN—Suddenly, on October 22, 1917, at Clinton avenue, Port Richmond, Staten Island, Hilda, youngest daughter of Edward W. S. Morn.

ROONEY—On Tuesday, October 23, 1917, at her residence, 445 Manning avenue, Margaret Angus, widow of the late John Rooney, age 55 years.

Funeral on Friday at 2.30 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

SCRUTTON—At the residence of his father (Louis Scrutton), 1841 Dundas street, on Tuesday, Oct. 23, 1917, Lloyd J. Scrutton, in his 32nd year.

Funeral from above address on Friday, Oct. 26, at 2 p.m., to Prospect Cemetery.

SPENCER—On Monday, October 22, 1917, at Toronto, Nelson St. Vincent, beloved husband of Lillian Hoefner Spencer (druggist), in his 66th year, and son of the late Capt. N. Spencer, R. N.

Funeral from his late residence, 446 King street west, on Wednesday, at 2 p.m., Interment in Prospect Cemetery.

(Motor.)

TOSTLE—At her late residence, 32 Laurier avenue, Tuesday, October 23, 1917, Catherine, beloved wife of T. H. Tostle, and daughter of the late Wm. Hunter, Division street, Kingston.

Funeral notice later. Kingston papers please copy.

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turns were ahead of the figures aimed at, and also ones of last year, as they were received with many cheers. The Central branch had secured 994 new members, 30,000 in all, while the Division street branch had gained 623. The total for the first day's work was 1,617. Justice authorized the workers on their grand showing. He said every great movement in the world has been made with success, and he felt sure that this campaign of the Y.M.C.A. would be, G. Warburton, general secretary, also congratulated them, and said they must remember they were connected with an organization that is bigger than this whole continent.

"All right," he said, "the Y.M.C.A. stands high. Remember, you men, you have the eyes of the world upon you. We have the largest boys' membership for a city of this size in the world. If a boy is valuable before he is much more valuable today, because of the great sacrifice made at the front by our men. The Y.M.C.A. is serving the greatest national demand made by any organization, and I feel you workers, who are so enthusiastic with your work, will rise to meet that demand."

Just how important the work of this membership campaign is, may be more thoroughly understood by some figures given by H. Hopkins, the general secretary of the Central branch, who said that to bring the membership at the Central branch to the maximum, an extra 2500 would be needed. There is at the present time a communication for 5000 members at this branch.

## REV. DR. FRANK J. DAY, President Toronto Ministerial Association and one of the leaders in the Visitation Day, Friday afternoon, November 2.

## ASSESSMENTS CUT ON KING STREET

Prince George Hotel, Mail Printing Company and Mrs. Stone's Property.

## OTHER REDUCTIONS Court of Revision Upholds Assessment Made on Many Other Properties.

Owners of King street property between Bay and Simcoe streets were prominent before the court of revision yesterday, and in many cases substantial assessment reductions were granted. Among those given reductions were: The Prince George Hotel, Mail Printing Company and Mrs. Prudence Stone on property at 196 West King street.

The court of revision confirmed the assessment of the Arena, Gardens, Limited, 60 Mutual street. The assessment is \$297,175. Harry Nixon stated that the bond issue was \$300,000.

"There has been a loss of \$44,000 during the past four years," said C. E. Huston, who represented the company.

"It is a bad issue, but I do not think we can help you," said the chairman.

L. V. Dussan, provincial ranger of the Catholic Order of Foresters, appealed against the business assessment of 2-250 on the order's office at 62 Bond street, contending that the bond was all done from the Chicago office. The court, however, decided that the order was liable.

The assessment on the Prince George Hotel was reduced by \$33,000. The land assessment on that part of the property extending from 115 to 133 West King street was reduced from \$1150 a foot to \$1050 a foot. Two hundred feet of the hotel property fronting on York street was reduced from \$250 and \$175 to \$125 a foot, making a total on the York street property of \$14,000. Fifty-seven feet of the hotel property was reduced from \$185 to \$1200 a foot.

A. W. Carrick was given a reduction on his property at 168, 170 and 172 Bay street, from \$2000 to \$1800 a foot.

The business assessment of A. W. Roffe, who occupies part of A. W. Melbourn's property, was reduced by the court, as Mr. Roffe contended that the work was purely of a religious nature, from which no profit was derived. He stated that a prayer meeting was held there every Tuesday noon. No outside printing was done except religious purposes, and the office expenses, he said, were met by voluntary contributions. The assessment amounted to \$1420.

The lessee of the property opposite the city hall at 37 1/2 and 39 1/2 Queen street, John H. Hyland, said that the assessment of \$2500 a foot was too high. Harry Nixon said that it was leased on the basis of \$4000 a foot. The lessee admitted that he had paid too much for the property. Mr. Carrick's, he said, was ten feet deeper, and this he reckoned to be worth \$30,000. This, he stated, would mean between two and three thousand a year to his theatre. The assessment was reduced from \$2500 to \$2400 a foot.

Jacob Cohen appealed against the assessment of \$66,417 on the Municipal Hotel at 37 West Queen street. He said that the building was assessed too much, but he had no complaint against the assessment. He thought the assessment on the building should be split in two.

"If the hotel is of business use you are not so busy in the police court," said Mr. Ardagh.

The assessment was reduced from \$26,000 to \$22,000 on the building.

The Mail Printing Company was allowed a reduction on 20 feet of its land at the northwest corner of King and Bay streets, from \$750 to \$750 a foot, and of 30 feet from \$500 to \$400 a foot, thus reducing by \$53,000 the total assessment of \$337,000.

## SUPPLY OF SUGAR.

If Housewives Buy Judiciously There Will Be Enough.

Toronto is like New York City in one respect today, and that is the lack of sugar. In both cities sugar is displayed in many stores, "Out of sugar."

The cause of this is attributed to the Cuban Government, which, it is said, has great quantities of this commodity, but which they are holding up for a high price that the Governments of Canada and the United States refuse to pay. Not for three or four weeks yet will this year's cane and beet crop be available, so it will be a wise housewife who uses her sugar sparingly for awhile.

"There need be no sugar scarcity," said one merchant, "if the women will not let their heads be run by the speculators. If they buy judiciously there will be enough for all until the new orders arrive."

## THE DRUG THAT BRINGS HEALTH

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## WAR CABINET FOR DOMINION NAMED

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efficient prosecution of the war so far as Canada is concerned.

While the powers and duties of the committee will be of a very wide character, special attention will be given to the increased cost of living. "Undoubtedly," says the order-in-council, "this is chiefly due to causes which are beyond the control of the government of Canada, or of any other country, inasmuch as the withdrawal of more than 20,000,000 men from productive activities and the consequent increase in the cost of the necessities of life, nevertheless, it is the duty of the government to take every means possible to alleviate conditions so far as may be possible. It is essential that the government should prevent any increase or inflation of prices through hoarding, through excessive profits or through combinations. The steps already taken before the war should be considered with a view to any further action, that conditions may demand."

Provision is made for the appointment of sub-committees to consider any particular subject requiring special investigation.

The reconstruction and development committee during the progress of the war and will after demobilization. It will investigate the economic and varied resources of the Dominion, and it will consider a scheme of immigration and colonization in order that further production of the Dominion's agricultural products may be assured.

Coming to the problem of transportation, which will be dealt with by the committee, the order-in-council points out the probability that in the early future 2000 additional miles of railway must be acquired in the public interest.

The committee will also consider the future possibilities of air service for the Dominion, and will be given the widest methods of raising revenue and possible reduction in public expenditures. Questions of land use and the productivity of the land will come under review. The committee will take into consideration the importance of encouraging other associations among persons engaged in agricultural production.

## BIG MOVEMENT AFOOT BY CHURCH WORKERS

Canvass Will Be Made to Enroll Everyone With Some Religious Institution in City.

Six thousand volunteers are to be asked for next Sunday in the churches, synagogues and Sunday Schools throughout the city, to assist in the great home visitation movement announced for November 9. Jews, Catholics and Protestants of all creeds are being co-operating in this tremendous campaign. Printed invitations are to be handed out in the hope of enrolling every person in the City of Toronto.

The church, synagogue or Sunday School of their choice. People will be invited to attend church, synagogue or church preference of each individual and these will be given to the pastor, rabbi or minister of the organization that would be the most interested.

Every faith will be represented and given a square deal for the movement. The work in Toronto is under the International Sunday School Association, under the auspices of the Protestant, Catholic and Jewish churches, synagogues and Sunday Schools. Y. M. C. A.'s, Knights of Columbus, Young Men's Hebrew Society, Y. W. C. A.'s, Catholic Women's Societies, Jewish Women's Societies, Missions, Salvation Army, etc.

The work in Toronto is under the direct charge of J. Shreve Durham, International Home Visitation superintendent, with headquarters in Chicago. The headquarters in Toronto have been established in Suite 504, 299 West Queen street.

Harper, customs broker, 39 West Wellington st., corner Bay st.

## HONOR ROLL UNVEILED.

Ceremony Performed by Wounded and Returned Soldier.

A grand patriotic concert under the auspices of the Advance Order of the Sons of the Empire, was held last night at the College Street Baptist Church. A fine program was given by the church choir under Dr. Chas. J. Rodgers, assisted by the Misses Vera McLean, Mildred Walker and Lenore Hurd, and James E. Piddes. The president of the class, J. J. Davis, was in the chair. A photographic honor roll of the young men of the Bible class was unveiled by P. W. Skilling, one of the members, who has been invalided home after having been wounded in scout work. There are 104 names on the roll, out of which 14 have been killed and 12 wounded. A silver collection was taken which amounted to \$116.16. This money will be spent sending Christmas boxes to the boys at the front.

## PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

"Nothing But the Truth." Anderson and Weber will offer William Collier, a comedian of known ability, at the Royal Alexandra Theatre for one week with the usual matinees beginning Monday evening, Oct. 29, in James Montgomery's stage version of Frederick Schiller's work, "Nothing But the Truth." A young stockbroker, played by Mr. Collier, bets his partner \$10,000 he can be truthful for twenty-four hours. The money he bets belongs to his fiancée, who has raised it for charitable purposes. Complication after complication arises, and the young broker goes thru many trials in being a truthful young man, but finally wins the bet, and he nearly loses the girl of his heart.

Newspapers have spoken with acclaim about Jane Cowell's first appearance upon the screen in the lovable story, "The Spreading Dawn," and all who have witnessed the presentation at the Regent say the picture is a gem. It is the first rank. Among motion picture productions it stands out as a picture that will be remembered many a long day. The diary of a New York society belle in the early 60's is more interesting than might at first be supposed. Lucille Angiers, the mezzo-soprano soloist, is a singer of renown, who adds greatly to the attractiveness of the program.

"The Golden Crook." "The Golden Crook," which comes to the Gayety Theatre next Monday, is said to include the largest number of bewitching characters ever seen in one company. There is one "best" in said season to set the pace that will be very difficult for other shows to follow. Chief among the funmakers is Billy Arlington, and his well-known ability in that direction leaves but little room to doubt that he will tickle the risibilities of his audience.

At the Strand. The headline for the first half of the present week at the Strand Theatre is "The Varsity." The first half of the week, starting tomorrow, will be "On the Level," a splendid Laskey production featuring Fannie Ward, and possessing a story of universal appeal.

BIG SCOTCH CONCERT. Florence Mulholland has again been booked for the Scottish concert at Massey Hall, Thursday, November 1. Last year she fairly captivated the audience, and all lovers of Scotch music should be on hand to enjoy a treat. Next Baxter, Scotch comedian, from Boston, is also on the program; his humorous songs and stories are splendid. The assisting artists are James Elcho Piddes, Margie Munro, George Neil and Henry Milne, all of whom are prime favorites. Seats on sale at Massey Hall on Saturday, and early booking is advised.

TAKE FURTHER STEP TO ATTAIN HARMONY. Executive of Ward Four Conservatives Endorse Union Government.

Compared with the last general meeting of Ward Four Conservative Association, that of the executive held last night in Broadway Hall was a most successful and harmonious one. There were three resolutions passed, the first being to appoint a committee consisting of Miles Vokes, A. R. Denison and Col. Brock, with full power to negotiate with the ridings association. The terms upon which these negotiations will be opened are that no officers of either association shall be on a committee to be formed, that both lists shall be brought into a committee of six members, excluding the secretary, that one list shall be compiled upon which the election of officers will be held. If there is any dispute it will be settled by the central association.

Another resolution passed had for its purpose the forming of a committee to select enumerators and prepare the new voters' list. One hundred and one men must be named for this work. The committee is composed of Ald. Russell Nesbitt, Miles Vokes, W. H. Smith, H. W. Saunders, and B. Stone.

The final resolution was one endorsing union government. A. H. Birmingham gave an address on the Election Act, explaining the Franchise Act and other features.

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STRAND TO-DAY CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN "The Adventurer" ANN MURDOCK IN "The Outcast"

MADISON BLOOR AT BATHURST MADGE KENNEDY IN "Baby Mine" Gaumont World Tour Comedy.

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4. Blue Danube Waltz Imperial Marimba  
5. Take You Home Kathleen Anna Case  
6. Home Sweet Home

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7. Millicent Waltz Jaudas Orchestra  
8. Just For To-Day Christine Miller

Hear the New Edison to-day at any of the following theatres: Academy Theatre, Bloor and St. Clarens. Iola Theatre, Danforth Avenue. Garden Theatre, College near Spadina. La Plaza, Queen East, near Broadview. Lido at Chiswick, near Boot Store, Keele and Dundas Streets, all this week.

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ALEXANDRA MAT. TODAY \$1.50. Best Seats. America's Greatest Comedian. N. Y. Winter Garden's. SHOW OF WONDERS Including SUBMARINE "F" 7. Curtain 8.15 Sharp. Prices: Evngs. 25c to \$2.00. New at \$2.50.

NEXT WEEK—SEATS THURS. WILLIAM COLLIER NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH In the Greatest of All Farces. One Year Longacre Theatre, N. Y.

GRAND OPERA House Today. Evngs. 50c to \$1.00. Mats, 25c and 50c. LAURETTE TAYLOR'S CREATION PEG O' MY HEART J. Hartley Manners' Delightful Story With ANN FITZWOOD as "PEG" THE MASTERPIECE OF THE SCREEN William Fox Presents THE HONOR SYSTEM FOR THE FIRST TIME IN CANADA Mat. Every Day, 25c and 50c. Evenings, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

LOEWS Mat. 10c, 15c This Week Evng. 10c, 15c, 25c CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN "THE ADVENTURER" "BARBARA SHEEP" with ELSIE FERGUSON, Henry & Gardner, in the "Bachelors' Club" "