

HALIFAX AND THE LIBERAL MESSAGE

Comment of Chronicle on
Speeches of Messrs. King
and Lapointe.

(Halifax Chronicle.)

The two meetings which Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Ernest Lapointe addressed in Halifax on Monday night were great successes from the point of attendance, the enthusiasm of the audiences and the public interest which they undoubtedly have revived in the discussion and consideration of public issues and the fundamental principles of good government. It was an auspicious opening for the series of speeches which the Liberal leader proposes to deliver before the opening of the next session of parliament.

For more than five years there has been almost complete subsidence of political discussion in Canada. A new generation of young Canadians have grown up who know little of the political history of our country and have

but little conception of the necessity of maintaining responsible government and representative institutions, both of which are not only essential to the progress and good government of the country, but are imperatively needed to preserve our liberties and free institutions. The revival of platform discussion of public questions is, therefore, greatly to be welcomed.

There are fundamental principles underlying our political institutions which

need to be reasserted and emphasized anew in these days of change and unrest, and Mr. King and Mr. Lapointe are standing upon solid ground and are performing a real service to the country when they seek to revive interest in the principles which are the basis of our whole system of government and to lay before the people of the country their interpretation of the history, teachings and ideals of Liberalism.

The audience which Mr. King had to face at the Orpheum Theatre, where his main speech was delivered, was not an old-time campaign crowd. There was no election campaign fervor in evidence, and the audience might properly be described as critical and expectant. It was eager to hear the message of the new leader of a great historic party. It not only gave him a good hearing, but, as he developed his message, it appeared to him a demonstration, the enthusiasm of which could not be mistaken. This does not mean that the appeal which Mr. King made to his audience won complete support, but it does indicate that his presentation of his case and his appeal for stability in government and unity in the nation as solvents for the problems which face the country was given a very sympathetic reception.

Mr. King has an excellent platform style. He speaks easily, pleasingly and with persuasive force. He rises at times to flights of oratory. His speech throughout was marked by no unpleasant word, and was a model in dignity and courtesy. His quickness and aptness in retort were frequently displayed, and he showed that he was capable of striking back with effective force when challenged. It was not in any sense a campaign speech. It was devoted rather to the exposition of the philosophic principles of Liberalism and to the reaffirmation of the policy of the Liberal party, as adopted at the great national convention at Ottawa in August last. The message he delivered will be read with interest throughout the whole country.

Mr. Lapointe came to Halifax with a high reputation as a brilliant speaker, and that reputation was more than sustained, although necessarily his speech had to be greatly curtailed. His declaration of the gospel of sound Canadianism, which knows no sectional or national divisions, which knows no east or west, but only the building up of a larger Canada and a united people free from prejudice and sectionalism, will especially appeal to the people of Nova Scotia who, as Mr. Lapointe proudly acknowledged, are distinguished for tolerance, liberality and good will. Mr. Lapointe appeals for Canadianism in the best sense, and it is a happy omen for Canada that the mantle of the Laurier leadership and traditions in the great province of Quebec has fallen upon the shoulders of one who so admirably expressed the ideals and principles of true Liberalism, which means the best



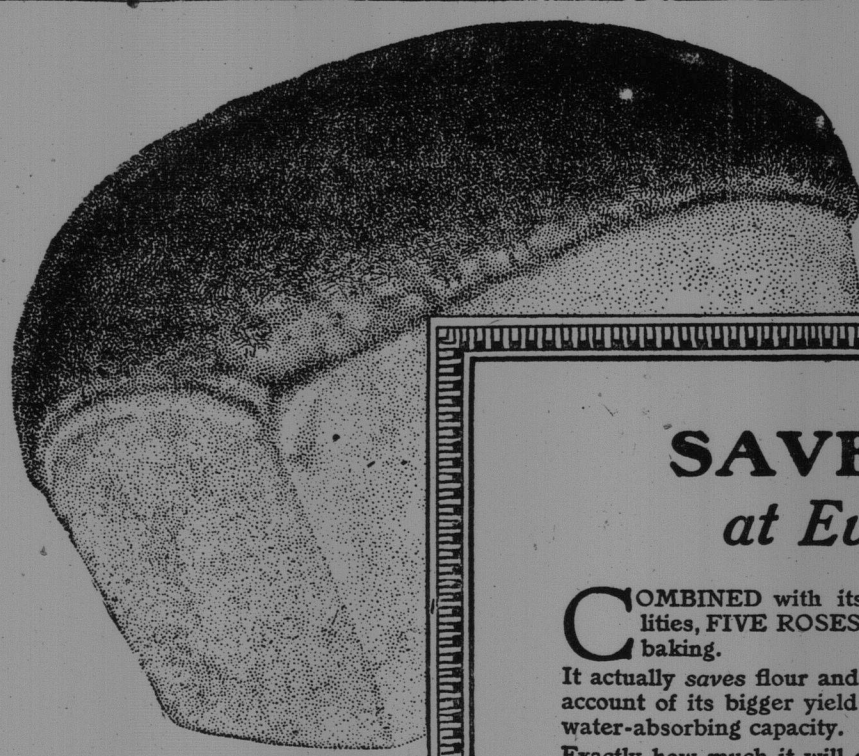
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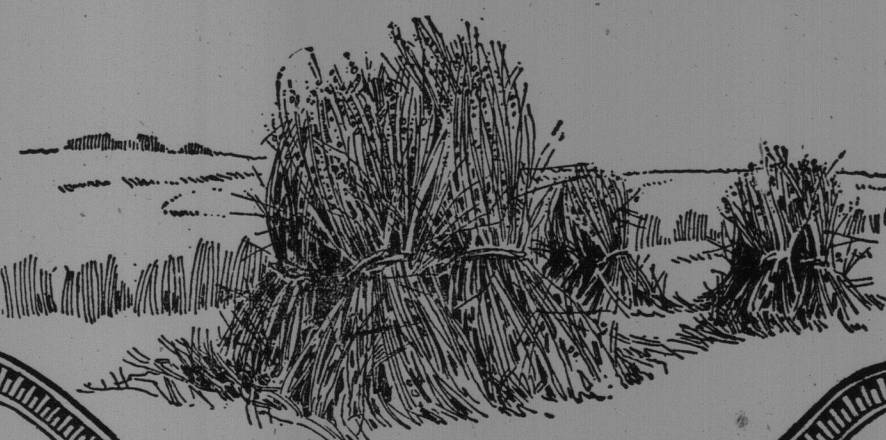
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