

APPEAL FOR UNITY BY CONSERVATIVES

North Essex Convention Would Agree Upon Win-the-War Candidate. WILL MEET LIBERALS Meeting Adjourns in Order to Meet Members of Other Party.

Special to The Toronto World. Windsor, Oct. 13.—A unanimous resolution to follow the example of Premier Borden in forming a union government by adjourning the convention and recommending that the executives of both political parties confer and agree upon a union, win-the-war candidate, was the feature of today's North Essex Conservative Association convention. William Woolf, president of the North Essex Conservative Association, opened the convention by introducing as chairman Dr. C. W. Hoare, mayor of Walkerville.

"We are gathered today as a win-the-war convention, probably the most important convention you have ever attended," said Dr. Hoare, "our purpose is to nominate a candidate who will carry to a successful issue the win-the-war policy of the Canadian Government."

"You are supporting this policy because of your sons fighting at the front, because of your women and mothers who have made such splendid sacrifices, and because of the motherland which has protected you in the past."

Dr. Hoare read a telegram from Wm. T. Dwyer, who was to have been one of the speakers, regretting that illness prevented him from attending. He presented a candidate who would unite both parties in an undivided support of the war issues already decided upon by the government.

The resolution was seconded by C. E. Fleming, who strongly urged the desirability of both parties uniting in support of a union government. The biggest issues in the history of Canada were before this union government. The first thing we have got to do is to win this war, he said.

There would be great problems to be settled after the war, the problem among them of caring for returned soldiers or their dependents who had sacrificed life or limb in the defense of their country. He would add to the resolution that the congratulations of the convention be tendered to Sir Robert Borden upon forming a union government. This was later embodied in a special supplementary resolution, and both were carried unanimously.

"Your choice today is between Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Liberals who are determined to win the war are now united in a union government under Sir Robert Borden's leadership. There remain outside only those who are not in favor of helping the men to support those already in the trenches. And the only way you can get the men is by supporting Sir Robert Borden."

Canadians Decorated

Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, Oct. 14.—The following have been awarded the military medal (in family privates except where otherwise stated): Sgt. H. Abbotts, Sapper A. Betts, railway troops; Gordon A. Bonner, Sgt. M. L. Bouzan, railway troops; Sapper G. T. Brooks, engineers; R. E. B. Butler, Sgt. E. Calverly, Corp. A. W. Campbell, railway troops; Sapper J. Caulfield, railway troops; Sgt. R. L. Clark, Sgt. A. J. Corrigan, railway troops; Corp. G. S. Cuthbert, railway troops; Corp. W. F. Dale, engineers; Corp. G. E. Dale, engineers; Corp. G. E. Day, railway troops; E. E. Dron, C. L. Ewing, railway troops; W. Fournier, Lance-Corp. J. Gorbach, Sgt. F. H. Gosline, railway troops; Corp. F. T. Gnaedinger, railway troops; Gunner H. Graham, artillery; Corp. J. C. Hardy, Corp. L. Harris, engineers; Sapper R. E. W. Hillier, engineers; Gunner G. E. Hooper, artillery; Lance-Corp. G. M. Howson, W. H. Hudson, Sapper P. Hughes, engineers; W. M. Johnson, J. Kessick, Gunner H. J. Leslie, garrison artillery; Corp. A. M. May, railway troops; Corp. D. Lylik, engineers; D. E. Macdonald, Sgt. A. C. MacMillan, Corp. E. J. McEvoy, labor battalion; J. McRae, H. McMahon, railway troops; Corp. J. McNeil, labor battalion; Gunner H. S. Merson, artillery; R. Phair, Sapper E. V. Richards, railway troops; Sgt. A. B. Ritchie, artillery; Sgt. A. L. Russell, labor battalion; Sapper O. Samsen, railway troops; Corp. D. Scalen, railway troops; Corp. R. W. Scullhouse, railway troops; Gunner, F. Shinnam, artillery; Sapper G. Sly, railway troops; Lance-Corp. O. H. Smith, H. J. South, Corp. A. L. Steeve, garrison artillery; D. Stewart, Corp. J. D. Stinson, Lance-Corp. F. L. Walker, A.M.C.; Corp. H. Bleasdale, imperial machine gunners; M. Slatter, Awarded bar to military medal; Corp. A. E. Johnston, machine gunners.

CHICAGO MARKETS

J. P. Bickell & Co. report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade: Corn—Op. High. Low. Closed. Prev. May ... 109 1/2 109 1/2 108 1/2 109 1/2 114 1/2 Dec. ... 114 114 113 113 114 1/2

WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.—Trading was exceptionally quiet Saturday morning. The grain market was the only market of wheat, absorbing all the light offerings. There was little doing in oats with no demand from the higher grades, which were a better demand for the tough grades. Some offerings at prices unchanged.

LIVERPOOL MARKET

Liverpool, Oct. 13.—Closing: Beef, extra India meso, 29s; pork, prime meso, 28s; extra ham, 14s to 16s; bacon, Cumberland cut, 26s to 30s; clear bellies, 18s; light 23 to 34 pounds, 16s; long clear middle heavy, 15s to 20 pounds, 17s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 pounds, 12s; American refined, 12s; American refined, 12s; butter, finest U. S. in boxes, 12s; turpentine, spirits, 75s 6d; rosin, common, 31s 6d; rosin, extra, 38s 6d; h. oil, 18s; cotton seed oil, h. oil, refined, spot, 68s 6d; war kerosene, No. 2, 12s 2 1/2.

BEAVER'S DEEP VEIN

Cobalt, Ont., Oct. 13.—Recent developments in the 1600-foot level at the Beaver Consolidated are understood to have shown considerable improvement. The high-grade vein encountered at that depth early in the current year has been stopped on for about one hundred feet. It is now supposed to sink still deeper. The main shaft for the time being will not be driven below its present depth, but on the high-grade ore sheet a winze has already been started.

DAIRY MARKETS

London, Oct. 13.—At today's cheese board nothing was offered. Attendance small. Cowanville, Que., Oct. 13.—At the Ontario Dairy Exchange held here this afternoon, seven factories offered 530 packages of butter. Six factories sold at 45 1/2c. One factory unsold. Board adjourned for two weeks.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Special to The Toronto World. Cornwall, Oct. 14.—John Alais, a designer, employed in one of the pot-holes of the alumina company, died at Massena, was fatally injured yesterday when he stepped by mistake into one of the pot-holes in the building. The man fell forward, striking his head on a sharp iron bar which penetrated his eye, lodging in the brain so firmly that it required the strength of two men to remove it.

GOOD PROGRESS AT PORPHYRY MINE

Machinery Reported Arrived and is Being Quickly Installed.

H. B. Willis in his weekly market letter says of Kirkland Porphyry: The quality of ore hoisted from the main shaft at a depth below 90 feet may well be classified as rich, and great care is being taken to prevent undue high-grading from the dump, which is rapidly growing. The estimate of the total values contained in this tonnage, which came exclusively from shaft sinking development, is in the neighborhood of \$900, and realizing such was taken from about 45 feet of sinking, serves to provide a meagre idea of the richness of the ore, as well as what can be expected from this when the shaft is completed. In the meantime, various working levels as much as 100 feet below the main shaft are being reached. The development of the northeast extension of the Orr vein on the West-Hughes, as well as the south-westerly extension on the Kirkland Lake (Beaver-McKean) vein, is similar. Lake depth of the Kirkland Porphyry, clearly shows the main enrichment of this vein occurs on the latter property. As a matter of fact the official records of Kirkland Lake Gold show nothing but good indications were met with at a depth of 100 feet and not until 300-feet of substance encountered. About the same conditions prevailed on Teak-Hughes.

MODERATE OFFSET TO PRICE BREAKS

Ideal Corn-Curing Weather Puts the Bulls at a Bit of a Disadvantage.

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STEADINESS IN GRAIN IN MONTREAL MARKET

Moderate Business in Oats For Shipment to Fort William. Montreal, Oct. 14.—A steady feeling prevailed in the market for all lines of grain, and a moderate amount of business was done in oats for shipment to Fort William. The demand for oats for shipment to Fort William, but the spot trade was quiet. The market was active, with no change in prices. Demand for milled and large lots of flour was steady. Receipts of flour, 50,000 sacks, compared with 38,493 sacks last year. Receipts of eggs, 502,228 cases, against 25,935 last year. Stocks: wheat, 407,559; barley, 121,745; peas, 1518; oats, 407,559; barley, 121,745; peas, 1518; flour, 48,278 sacks.

THOSE ATTENDING DANCE MUST PAY THE FIDDLER

New York Now Seized of What War Obligations Will Likely Mean. J. P. Bickell & Co. had the following from New York on Saturday: What we are experiencing in the stock market is a natural aftermath following three years of joy-riding without care or responsibility in so far as such can relate to the European war. What concerns the public now is that after the government loan, now being floated, is out of the way, the market will be left to its own devices. The announcement comes forth that another loan of equal proportions, if not larger, will be contemplated in the near future. If the public could be assured the present loan would be the last, then they could be certain of certain and full of doubt. Free cash and savings have been absorbed by the government. Funds for corporate use are not available. If scarce today, additional loans and government securities will make up the deficit in available. Earnings and intrinsic values are considered. We are without a parallel to guide us in the war in the stock market is not discounting peace, but readjusting itself to changed conditions. We are among the attendants at the European war dance and are called upon to pay our portion to the fiddler.

BIG RESERVE LIST

New York, Oct. 13.—President Ebbetts of the Brooklyn Club announces that a thirty-three men have been placed on the reserve list of the club. They are: Wilbert Robinson, manager; Edward J. Apley, L. J. Cadore, C. J. O'Rourke, Combs, George W. Cutsbaw, J. E. Daubert, W. G. Dell, E. J. Johnston, J. F. Hickenham, J. P. Mowell, J. H. Johnston, J. P. Kelleher, Ernest Kruger, Lewis Malone, W. B. O'Rourke, J. M. J. O'Malley, H. J. Myers, J. M. Olson, Oliver O'Malley, J. O'Rourke, Ed. J. Pfeffer, Norman Pitt, J. A. Russell, Raymond H. Schmidt, Sherrod W. Snyder, D. Stempel, Mack Wheat, Zack Wheat, Paul Wachtel.

M'KINLEY-DARRAGH IN STRONG POSITION

The statement of the McKinley-Darragh Company, which accompanies the October dividend, shows a strong cash position. The company has a cash in bank, \$180,877.96. One in transit, \$100,000. One at risk, \$392,887.86. The payment of the last dividend just made, a total of 229 cents, is mentioned in the statement of the company so far paid to shareholders.

PRICE OF SILVER

In London Saturday bar silver closed 1/4c lower than yesterday at 44d per ounce. The New York price was 89c.

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BUFFALO LIVE STOCK. East Buffalo, Oct. 13.—Cattle—Receipts 700; slow.

CITY ABATTOIR'S RECORD. The list of the week's killings at the city abattoir from Oct. 6 to Oct. 12, follows:

Number of cattle dressed by owner 96. By contractor 198. By owner 198. Total number of cattle dressed 294. Total number of small stuff dressed by city 687.

WINNIPEG CATTLE MARKET. Winnipeg, Oct. 14.—Receipts Saturday 1500; bulk and 223 heads. The cattle market was steady at Friday's quotations. Hog was steady at \$17.25 for select. Stock was and feeders were in good demand at steady to firm prices. Eastern buyers are on the market.

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Special to The Toronto World. Kingston, Oct. 13.—Flight Lieutenant Harold T. Noble, who went overseas with the 46th (Queen's) Battery, has been killed in action. His home was in Edmonton, and he had two brothers training in the aviation course in England.