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To deliberately misrepresent is not fair to the people. Notwithstanding the fact that I have on repeatted occasions clearly stated my position on the "Win the war" platform, my opponents continue to mislead the people. They are "whining" abouot somoe minor matters of contention, (which have appeared in the press), but they are careful not to try to defend my opponents on the main issue.

Now, once again, and I hope it will not be necessary to repeat it.

Here is where I stand, and will continue to stand "Until the Boys Came Home."

I shall support conscription of men, conscription of money, and will advocate that all the resources of Canada be put to the one paramount duty of "Winning the War." Coould anything be clearer than that?

I say "conscription of men" was necessary because of Quebec's failure to supply the man, and now we must insist that the "men should come from Quebec." There are enough down the act. It is plain to any person who is not blinded by "politics" that Blondin and Sevigny are protecting them. Are we expected to stand for this kind of thing? The issue is "Win the War"-and these men must be giben to understand that we mean business. If the brand "union" candidate carries with it a pledge to support these men, (and apparently it does , then my opponent is welcome to carry it. I shall hold myself free to represent the people, and I believe thy can see plainly that we must "make Quebec do her part." It will be too late after "the first 100,000" are gone overseas.

The union candidate had two distinct opportunities to meet us. MacBride offered to leave his name to be put to a meting in order that the people could unite on one "win the war" candidate. Mr. Cockshutt ignored the proposal. Was this the right attitude for a man who professes to sponsor the real issue of "win the war." No! It was emphatically the stand of a man who put "politics" ahead of "patriotism," and no amount of edging will change that fact.

Who can defend any man for failing to answer the clarion call of his country to "unite." That was the crucial test, an dno one regrets the stand he took more than we do. Our supporters had consented to make every effort for "unity"-and all they received was the choice Germany gave Belgium : "Lie down, or we'll ride roughshod over you." In kaiser-like tones one of his supporters said to our candidate: "If you are nominated, we'll break you." That is the kind of thing that brought Mother Britain to the help of Belgium-and it is the thing that Britons everywhere will fight for.

We are confident of the result.

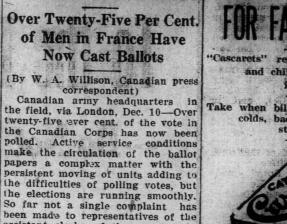
The soldiers, the next of kin, and all other good citizens wil showo on election day that they stand on the side of "right" not might.

M. MacBRIDE.

P. S.-In our articles to the press, we have used plain, unvarnished English. If we have hurt the feeling of any too sensitive people, and if in our vigorous expounding of truth we have in any way touched the sensitiveness of our opponent, we offer an apology. It is not the "man" we are fighting, it is the "clique behind the man," and we cannot understand why he chose "politics" when the call to all of us was to "unite."

EFFORTS TO UNITE

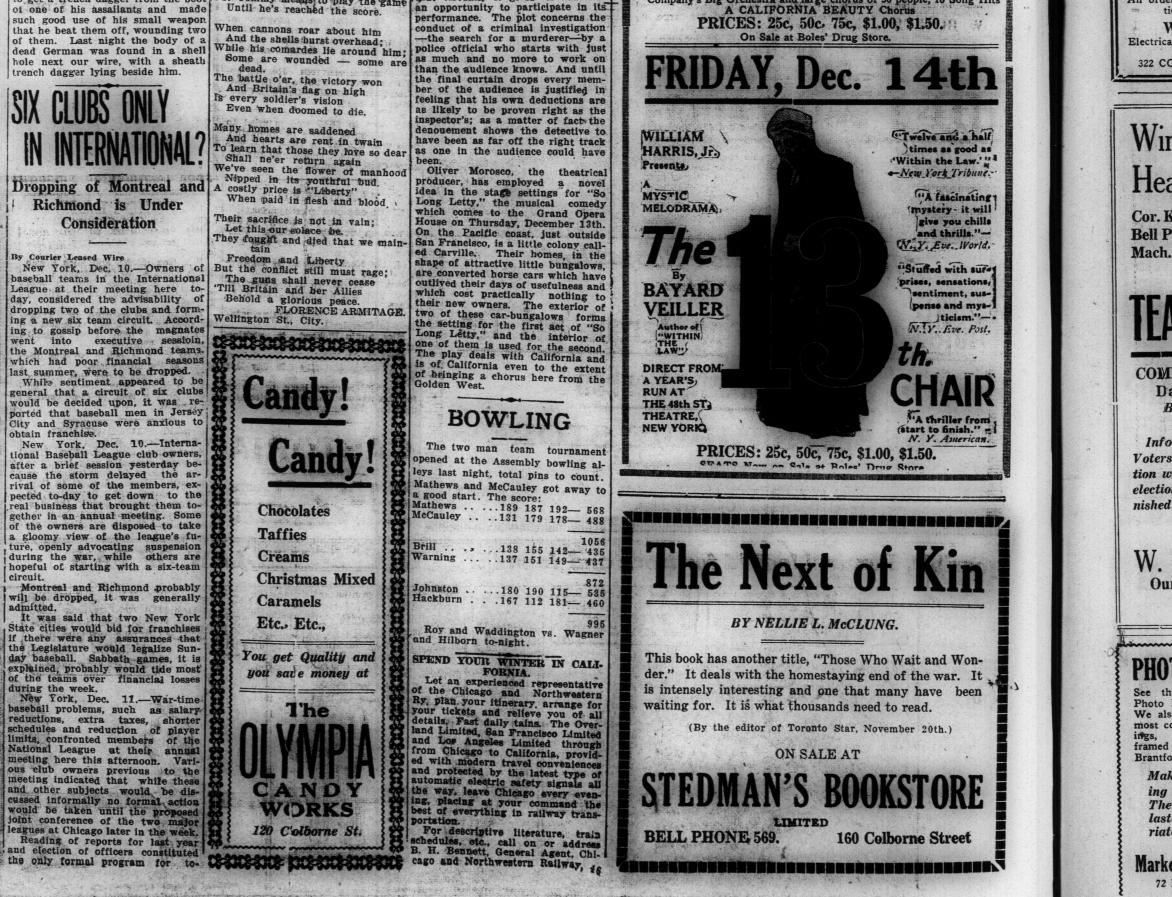
They profess to say the first "get together" meeting in the Temple Building was a farce. Well, if it was, they



the elections are running smoothly. So far not a single complaint has been made to representatives of the chancery. Interest in the elections continues keen, the Canadian de-velopments being followed with lose attention. Great satisfaction is being ex

pressed at the splendid success of the Canadian loan and army subscriptions have been closed in view of the great over-subscription at

On the firing line clashes between our own and enemy patrols are of frequent occurrence, but the enemy's nthusiasm for raids has been coniderably dampened. In one recent patrol skirmish one on-commissioned officer and five men put nine of the enemy to flight. after all but one of our men had vity, the garrison of one of our posts league. was ordered to move along the line risoner. The other two men were then bombed and four or five of the seized, managed, during the fight, to get a trench dagger from the boot



Something novel in the range of miniature musical comedies is pre-sented by the "Girls' of all Nations" sented by the 'Girls' of all Nations' at the Rex Theatre for the first part of the week. The two comedians with the company are exceptionally good and present an entertainment that is original, their time while be-fore the follights is a verifable suc-condition of company at wasa tore the folights is a vertable suc-cession of excusing excuses. A powerful portrayal of the effect on the lives of individuals of environ-ment is presented in Sister Against Sister featuring Virginia Pearson in dual roles. There is drama, light comedy and a strong and interesting political mode woven throughout the political plot woven throughout the story. Virginia Pearson's versatil-ity is given ample scope to extend itself in this picture and her acting, it is safe to say, has not been sur-passed in any of her former produc-

AT THE GRAND. One of the secrets of the huge access of "The 13th Chair," Bayard Veiller's melodrama of mystery





hemselves made it such. Mr. Harris and MacBride placed their names entirely in the hands of the commitee-but not so Mr. Cockshutt. He said, he reserved to himself, the right to take up his nomination if he saw fit." Was that the act of a man who had but one desire "to win the war?" Or was it the act of a man whose chief object was to "win the election."

That result of that meeting was 11 votes for Mr. Cockshutt and 11 for MacBride. The labor men announced the next day in the public press that they were ready to continue the conference. Silence from Mr. Cockshutt Then, when Capt. Cornelius came to our meeting and asked us to withdraw our candidate, we met him more than half way, when we agreed to have both candidates address a public meeting, said meeting to decide which man should run and which should drop out. Still Mr. Cockshutt was silent. One of his supporters thought a public meeting might be packed, saying "the party that gets the crowd there first will get the nomination

Just to show that we did not want any unfair advantage we then suggested the meeting be made up as follows: 10 from Labor Party; 10 from Unionists; 10 from Board of Trade; 10 from Trades and Labor; 20 from Great War Veterans; 20 soldiers wives (privates). Surely this would have been a fair representative meeting. But this suggestion was not even entertained. Then we asked them point blank: "What is it you want? Is it to 'win the war,' or is to 'win the election for Mr. Cockshutt?" "-and they professed to be highly insulted.

These are the simple facts of the whole case, and now we ask the citizens to decide for themselves who is the truest and most patriotic "win the war" candidate?

In contrast to one open, above board fight, citizens well know In contrast to one open, above board fight, citizens well know that a "gang of heelers" have been "whispering" malicious false-hoods about the city regarding our canlidate. We have heard they are even preparing "something" to "kill" MacBride this week. It stands to common sense that if they really had anything they could successfuly charge against him they would have used it long ago. We know they hunted the city high and low before nomination day, and failed. Anything they may "spring" now would only be "manufactur-ed" for one purpose—and we believe fair-minded citizens will show their resentment of any such tactics. The man or men who would emulate the "submarine" has no place where "British Fair Play" is appreciated. Watch for him—and on Election Day give your ans-

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