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LIBERAL M. P.'S WELCOME CONTEST

La Pointe Opens Campaign in St. Jean, Quebec. Says Fight is Not for Free Trade, What was Wanted was Tariff for Revenue Only—Position of Quebec.

St. Jean, Port Joli, Que., Sept. 6.—Opening the Liberal campaign here last evening, Ernest Lapointe, M. P. for Quebec East, addressing 3,000 electors, said the decision of the federal government to hold a general election this year could not be more agreeable to anybody than it was to the Liberal members.

The real reason for the government's decision was that it was crumbling under public disfavor. The best men of the union government had disappeared in Borden, Rowell, MacLean, Newburn and Crerar, but the others did not wish to go. The new name, "National Liberal-Conservative," which they had adopted, meant nothing. The people wanted sincere men at the head of the government.

On the tariff issue, he said, the attitude of the Liberal party was very simple. They wanted to continue the policy of Laurier, who had given Canada sixteen years of unprecedented prosperity. What was wanted was a tariff for revenue only, and not a high protective tariff.

FINE OR JAIL AND POSITION LOST

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 6.—A C. P. R. telegraph operator at McAdam appeared before Judge Limerick this morning charged with being under the influence of liquor while on duty.

TAKEN ILL AT BALL GAME, DIES SOON AFTERWARDS

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 6.—Andrew D. McPherson, a well-known citizen and a resident of this city until he returned to Marsville, where he became town clerk, died at his home here last night.

ADAM CARTEN DIES SUDDENLY

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 6.—Adam Carten of Mount Whately dropped dead at his home on Monday. Death was due to heart trouble.

LORD BYNG OPENS TORONTO EXHIBITION



His excellency is here seen presenting the colors of all Toronto regiments after they were dedicated by Canon Scott. The colors will be deposited in Westminster Abbey.

PLUNKETT FOR A PLEBISCITE

Importance in Interview on Irish Situation.

Fearing That Hour of Crisis is Near at Hand—British Cabinet Tomorrow—Some Ulster Unionists Get Arms.

London, Sept. 6.—Considerable importance is attached to the fact that Sir Horace Plunkett has given out for publication an interview in which he emphasizes the need for a plebiscite.

Belfast, Sept. 6.—Unionists employed by a large concern near the scene of the recent rioting in this city held a meeting last night and were given arms with which to protect themselves if attacked.

London, Sept. 6.—Premier Lloyd George today held conversations with members of his cabinet and civil and military authorities in Ireland relative to the situation which has arisen as a result of the latest note to the British government from Eamonn De Valera.

BLACK LAKE ASBESTOS AND CHROME CO. STATEMENT

Toronto, Sept. 6.—Further information concerning the affairs of the Black Lake Asbestos and Chrome Co. has been made public by President J. A. Jacobs, who explains that sales have fallen off seriously of late.

FROST HITS NEBRASKA

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 6.—The first frost of the season was reported from lowlands in the vicinity of Omaha, Nebraska, last night. The lowest official temperature for the night for forty degrees.

Chicago Grain Market. Chicago, Sept. 6.—Opening: Wheat, Dec. \$1.30-1.2; May \$1.34-7.8. Corn, Dec. 85; May 89-1.4. Oats, Dec. 38-1.8; May 42-9.4.

HE IS IN DANGER



Maximilian Harden, noted German journalist, whose life is in jeopardy. Reports state that his assassination may follow that of Erbenberger and Eisner.

MEMORIAL TO SOLDIERS

Large Gathering in Village of Stanley on Monday.

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 6.—The largest number of people ever gathered together for one purpose in the history of the village of Stanley witnessed an unveiling ceremony yesterday afternoon when a soldiers' memorial cenotaph, erected through the efforts of the Women's Institute of Stanley, was unveiled.

ON PILGRIMAGE TO STE. ANNE'S

About fifty people from St. John left for the early morning train today on a pilgrimage to the shrine of Ste. Anne de Beauce, Quebec. Amongst them were Rev. Simon Oram and Rev. Roy McDonald, of the Cathedral. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc and Rev. W. M. Duke, rector of the Cathedral, will leave this evening and tomorrow his relations will celebrate pontifical high mass at Ste. Anne.

GIRL HYSTERICAL ON WITNESS STAND

Barnstable, Mass., Sept. 6.—Miss Gertrude Butler, who charges that she was attacked by three Cape Verde negroes while returning from a dance three weeks ago, became hysterical today while testifying in the case of Joe Andrews, one of the alleged assailants.

WEATHER REPORT

Synopsis.—Pressure is comparatively low over St. Lawrence valley and along the Atlantic coast and high over the central portion of the continent. The weather has been showery in Ontario and Quebec and fine in the western provinces.

As Hiram Sees It

Mrs. Hiram Hornbeam set a dish filled with delicious apples upon the table and invited Hiram and the Times reporter to help themselves.

"No," said the reporter—"that in a fruit store in the city the other day I saw apples in a box with a price card which read: '3 for 25c.' Imagine apples at over eight cents each in September in a country that exports millions of barrels of them and lets other millions rot on the ground."

"You look close at them apples," quired Hiram. "No," said the reporter—"not particularly. But I'll wager they were no better in flavor, and they were no larger than the ones you are now eating."

FINDS LIQUOR WORTH \$20,000

Ruin and Champagne Items in Loot Seized in Cape Breton.

Sydney, N. S., Sept. 6.—Liquor valued at \$20,000, said to have been landed at Long Beach, near Port Morien, on Saturday night by smugglers, was found in an old deserted house on Sunday afternoon by Inspector O. M. Orr of the customs department, and is now in Sydney aboard the revenue cutter Grib.

NORTH SHORE BURDER CASE CONTINUED

Newcastle, N. B., Sept. 6.—Hearing in the Ross case was continued this morning by reading of evidence to witnesses. It is not expected to close until Wednesday.

Lord Byng Visits Warships

Montreal, Sept. 6.—Lord Byng, Canada's new governor-general, yesterday visited the Canadian warships lying at Laurier pier here. He made a tour of inspection of H. M. C. S. Aurora, part of the Patriote, while the ships boomed out a vic-regal salute.

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FINE GIFT TO THE BAR ASSOCIATION

Presentation of \$50,000 by Sir James Aikens.

Use Interest for Association Purposes—He Makes Suggestions—Judge Alton B. Parker on Relations With U. S.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—(Canadian Press)—Sir James Aikens, K. C., L. D., president of the Canadian Bar Association, at the opening session of the sixth annual meeting here this morning, presented to the association \$50,000, the interest to be used toward the upbuilding of the organization, the furtherance of the cordial intercourse between members and for the payment of the expenses of annual meetings.

Sir James' gift, which came as a complete surprise to the members, was announced by George F. Henderson, K. C., of Ottawa. Since resolutions of appreciation and thanks were extended to Sir James, who has spent many years and toured Canada from coast to coast in the interests of the association.

FOREST FIRES IN MAINE SERIOUS

Bangor, Maine, Sept. 6.—Back fires were being built and trenches dug over a wide area by a force of several hundred men last night in an effort to save the village of Millford and other settlements along the Penobscot River threatened by fire. Up to a late hour 15,000 acres of meadow and woodland in the towns of Millford and Greenbush had been burned over and the fire had spread into the town of Bradley. Two farm houses in Greenbush were destroyed. There is no adequate water supply with which to fight the flames.

WILL GET BIG SALVAGE AWARD

Good News at Last Catches Up With Men of Steamship West Islets.

Philadelphia, Sept. 6.—Officers and crew of the steamer West Isleta, in port here, have just been informed that they will be the recipient of a big salvage award for saving the Danish ship Uffe off the coast of Scotland last January.

IN HONOR OF LAFAYETTE AND THE MARNE

Washington, Sept. 6.—More than a score of patriotic societies, national and local, participated in the Lafayette-Marne day exercises at Mount Vernon today under the auspices of the Lafayette day national committee.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Montreal, Sept. 6.—The local stock market was rather inactive during the early trading this morning. Laurentide was the most active issue of the few leads that put in an appearance, rising two and a half points to 66, after closing last week at 64. Atlantic Sugar was unchanged at 25 1/2. National Breweries was at 52 1/2.

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PLAN AID FOR HALF MILLION OUT OF WORK

New York, Sept. 6.—Plans for aiding New York's army of 500,000 unemployed were taken up today at a meeting of the new industrial aid bureau, created by the legislature. Establishment of great dormitories in national guard arbories and organization of free kitchens were two proposals for ameliorating the condition of the jobless taken by the bureau.

BALLOONIST FALLS TO DEATH

Parachute Strap Breaks and He Plunges 600 Feet at Fair.

North Adams, Mass., Sept. 6.—More than 10,000 persons saw Eugene M. Stafford of Boston, a balloonist, fall 600 feet to his death at a fair here yesterday. The web belt attaching him to his parachute broke as he changed parachutes. He was giving an exhibition of the double parachute drop. At the height of 1,000 feet he jumped in the first parachute, and soon leaped off that for the second. Just as he changed the spectators saw him break loose and drop rapidly to the ground.

BATTLE ON DECK OF A FREIGHTER

New York Police With Riot Guns Called. Captain Barricaded in Cabin, Negroes in His Defence Opposing White Members of Crew.

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