

### WOMEN CROWDED THE SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE TO HEAR HONEST DISCUSSION OF GOVT AFFAIRS

Hon. Dr. Baxter and Colonel MacLaren Intelligently Review Political Situation of Canada, Pointing Out the Value of Meighen Policies to the Dominion—All Mooted Questions Thoroughly Gone Into—Great Enthusiasm Shown by Large Number of Ladies Present.

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The speaker pointed out the disastrous railway policy which had been carried into effect by the Liberal Government, and referred to the building of the transcontinental railway from Moncton to Winnipeg and from the latter city to Prince Rupert. Three lines of railway had been built over a desolate area of 300 miles in the Prairie Provinces, where one line, that of the Canadian Pacific Railway, would have sufficed.

The Laurier Government had appointed the Transcontinental Railway Commission, and not one of the members of that Board had had any experience in connection with the construction of railways. An investigation had been conducted into the management and construction of the railway lines which were built under the Board. The result was that it had been conclusively proven that millions of dollars had been uselessly expended, and on the road from Moncton to Winnipeg alone, the sum of \$40,000,000 had been expended, and it was tragically proven that the construction of the railway lines had been built many years ahead of their time.

#### Government Burdened

The Meighen Government had been burdened with this railway legacy handed down to it by the Laurier administration. The Government had been forced to assume the railways or allow them to go into bankruptcy.

#### Where Does King Fit?

Mackenzie King aspired to be the Premier of this country. What were Mr. King's capabilities. He had not gone overseas, but the speaker did not wish to raise that point as there may have been reasons for this. Mr. King had, however, gone to the United States, where he took a position with the Rockefeller Institute, a considerable distance from the scene of war activities. In the institute, Mr. King had indulged in research work and had written a book on the "Industry of Humanity." Dr. MacLaren did not desire to question or make observations in regard to Mr. King's work, if he thought it was his duty to be in the Rockefeller Institute at that time writing a book.

During the war while the men were fighting overseas the women of Canada had been doing their utmost and striving themselves in many ways. At this time Mr. King was pursuing his research work in the United States.

#### Answers To Correspondents

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#### Died

CRAIG—Suddenly on November 21st, 1921, at his residence, 142 Princess street, Robert S. Craig, leaving his wife, two daughters and one brother to mourn.

Funeral—Thursday from his late residence. Service at 2:30 o'clock.

COUPE—At 187, German street, on Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1921, Robert Edward Coupe, in his 76th year.

Funeral on Friday from Trinity church. Service at 3 o'clock. Please omit flowers.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our thanks to the Great War Veterans' Association of St. Stephen, the American Legion boys of Calais, Maine, the Calais City Band, and the many friends who sent flowers and displayed so many acts of kindness at the time of the recent death of our son, Francis G. Maxwell.

THOS. E. MAXWELL AND FAMILY. Dated Nov. 22nd, 1921. Calais, Me.

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### PREMIER ENTERS INTO THICK OF ONTARIO FIGHT

Found People of Western Canada Thoroughly Interested in Campaign.

#### BULK OF FARMERS TO VOTE FOR GOVT

They Desire to Encourage Frankness Against Duplicitous in Public Life.

#### Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Nov. 23.—Premier Meighen looking great despite the tremendous vigor of the campaign which he has been waging, spoke for eight hours in his office here today before embarking upon a final campaign into the thick of the fight in Ontario. Asked regarding his tour in the West, the Premier replied:

#### View of West.

"I found the people of Western Canada interested almost exclusively in two subjects—grain marketing and the tariff. On the marketing question every kind of manoeuvre was being resorted to to divert the attention of the farmer from the government's definite and ordinarily most acceptable plan. Reports from all parts indicated that the farmers were fast making up their minds to vote for a plan that they understood, and not for men who had no plan at all. On the tariff the propaganda of the last ten years has generally not been without effect. Thousands, however, will vote for the government out of a desire to encourage frankness against duplicity in public life. On the whole, the people of the West showed the keenest interest, and desire to apply the test of reason to public issues. I am not in the habit of making prophesies and leave that exercise to those who are destitute of argument, but I am confident of a splendid showing from Western Canada on the 5th December."

Mr. Meighen's final two weeks in Ontario will exceed all his past performance in the present campaign. Thus far, in the opinion of old observers here, he has waged a fight which, from the standpoint of sheer physical vigor, has never been paralleled in a Canadian election. In eight weeks he has delivered upwards of 200 speeches directly reaching about a half million electors.

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#### Globe's Misstatement

The speaker declared that he had considerable respect for the St. John Globe and its broad-minded criticism. Recently that paper had stated that the grain of Canada was going over the Grand Trunk Railway to Portland. Hon. Dr. Baxter pointed out that he had on many occasions drawn attention to the fact that the Grand Trunk Railway had not yet come under the control of the Government and under the legislation enacted during the regime of the Laurier Government it was bound to give preference to Canadian ports, unless the shipper stated otherwise. The Minister of Customs and Excise had studied the legislation in that matter. As soon, however, as the Grand Trunk Railway actually came under the control of the Government, the latter would for the first time be in a position to say that Canadian goods should pass over Canadian railways and through Canadian ports. That statement had also been made by the speaker on several occasions.

#### Hanna's Letter Read

Hon. Dr. Baxter proceeded to read a letter from the President of the Canadian Government Railways, H. B. Hanna, bearing date, Toronto, November 18, 1921, in which it was stated: "The point we have been endeavoring to stress from time to time is that the railway company cannot divert grain from one port to another—we must, in every case, respect the bill of lading."

"As perhaps you know, the Management of the National Railways has no jurisdiction whatever over the Grand Trunk Railway, and I am, therefore, not in a position to give you any definite information respecting the movement of traffic on that line." That statement from the President of the Canadian Government Railways was conclusive, and in view of the speaker's several previous statements he was unable to account for the articles which had appeared in the St. John Globe. The statements in that paper that he had asked for support for the two Conservative candidates, in order that he would be in a position to insist that the policy he had outlined should apply to the Maritime Provinces.

The opportunity which presented itself to the Maritime Provinces in regard to the railway policy was a splendid one, and would be of immense value to the Port of St. John and Halifax. The Minister of Customs and Excise declared that he asked for support for the two Conservative candidates, in order that he would be in a position to insist that the policy he had outlined should apply to the Maritime Provinces.

### Decide On Wage Rate At Final Conference

Fifty-Five Cents Per Hour Will be Paid Longshoremen from December 1st.

At a final conference which was held yesterday between representatives of the various shipping lines and the Longshoremen's Association, it was decided that the rate of fifty-five cents per hour will be paid from December 1st next. The present agreement expires on November 30, to which date the longshoremen will receive 70 cents per hour; while the new arrangement will remain in force for one year.

The following were present on behalf of the shipping interests: Capt. Welsh, C. P. R.; Harold C. Schofield, Dominion Line; David Leddingham, Furness Withy & Co. and Wm. Thomson & Co.; Mr. Robb, Shipping Federation; Montreal; Capt. McMillan, C. P. R.; J. T. Kellow, Elder Dempster Steamship Line, New Zealand Line and others; and Thomas Nagle & Wignore.

### Jail Sentences For Violators Sherman Anti-Trust Laws

Heavy Fines Were Also Imposed on Those Found Guilty of Offence.

New York, Nov. 23.—Four active members of the life, grain and malt manufacturers and dealers association who were among those who pleaded guilty last week to violating the Sherman anti-trust law, today were given jail sentences by Federal Judge Van Fleet. F. H. Noble, Arthur Shilstone and Albert Schalle, were sentenced to four months in the Essex County jail and fined \$4,000 each. Herman Petri was sentenced to two months in the same jail and fined \$3,500. Twenty-nine other defendants were fined sums ranging from \$500 to \$5,000. Eleven corporations composing the combine, were fined \$4,000 each and six others were fined from \$500 to \$3,500.

### Huge Profits From Government Sale of Liquors

British Columbia Cleans Up \$451,606 on Sales in Three Months.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 23.—The British Columbia government made a profit of \$441,606 on liquor sales for the first three and a half months of operation under the Canada market board from June 15 to Sept. 30, according to a balance sheet filed in the legislature this afternoon, by Hon. J. W. De Be. Farrie, attorney-general, in accordance with the terms of the Liquor Control Act. This does not include the \$121,000 received from the sale of permits.

### Montreal Hotels Lowering Prices On Bill of Fares

Montreal, Nov. 23.—That there is a distinct tendency towards lowering of food prices in the majority of the hotels and restaurants throughout the city is shown by a canvass made yesterday by the better class caterers have begun to make their appearance, until today, in many cases, the figures on the bills of fare range from fifteen to twenty five per cent below those asked for the same articles a few weeks ago.

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Another great demonstration, masses of people thronging the platform in an effort to get near the prince's car made it difficult to get the train moving. The populace, the governor reports, appear to be stimulated by the unfortunate riots of last week to prove their loyalty.

Two more protectionists were taken in late last night at the police station. Peter Winters was arrested about midnight and is being held for the Montreal police.

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## The Message of the Candidates



DR. J. B. M. BAXTER

Standard Bearers of the National Liberal and Conservative Party



COL. MURRAY MACLAREN

## Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C. Col. Murray MacLaren, C. M. G.

Announce meetings in their interests as follows:

Thursday, Nov. 24, (This Evening)--Manor House, Glen Falls. Col. MacLaren, S. W. Palmer, Lt. Col. W. H. Harrison, Dr. J. H. Barton.

Friday, Nov. 25--Agricultural Hall, Loch Lomond and at School House, Garnett Settlement. Col. MacLaren, Dr. J. Roy Campbell, C. F. Inches, Dr. J. H. Barton.

Saturday, Nov. 26 -- Temperance Hall, Golden Grove. Col. MacLaren, W. E. Golding, J. Starr Tait, C. Scott.

Monday, Nov. 28--Temperance Hall, Milford. Col. MacLaren, Lt. Col. W. H. Harrison, M. E. Agar.

Tuesday, Nov. 29--Gardiners Creek. F. L. Potts, S. W. Palmer and J. Starr Tait.

Wednesday, Nov. 30--St. Martins, F. L. Potts, Lt. Col. W. H. Harrison, C. F. Inches and D. Hipwell.

Men and Women Electors Cordially Invited to Attend These Meetings.  
L. P. D. TILLEY, General Chairman.

### RESTORATION TARIFF

Want the Right to Tariff Rates—Desire Term to be Agreed

Washington, Nov. 23.—A plan for restoration to China of tariff rates was presented to the Far Eastern committee of the Washington Conference today by Wellington Koo, the Chinese delegate. A substitute was appointed to discuss the subject. Dr. Wellington Koo said at the Conference today at length Chinese financial affairs, and general discussion, the question referred to the tariff sub-committee comprising one member from each of the nine powers. An adjournment then taken over Thanksgiving official postponement on the proposal was in part:

"Mr. Koo proposed to restore to China the right to fix and to adjust the import tariff rates, to be proposed that on and after January 1, 1922, the Chinese tariff rates at her own discretion. It is proposed that the tariff rates be raised to 12 1/2 per cent as stipulated for in the treaties of the United States, Great Britain and Japan.

Supporting Reasons  
Among the reasons he also support the proposals of the one delegation the following:

1.—The existing customs, in China, constitutes an infringement of China's sovereign right to tariff rates at her own discretion. 2.—It deprives China of the right to make reciprocity arrangements with the foreign powers. W.

### ARMS DELEGATION FRAME OF MIND OF FAR EAST

France Questioned Right the Whole of China Interpretation of Geneva Conference—Premier Support from Other

Washington, Nov. 23.—When arms delegates quit work Thanksgiving Day recess the considerations embraced the points of interest in their discussion. The effort to apply accepted principles to specific the Far East would bring definite commitments, or only lead to delay.

Whether, in view of the of France and the general situation, any serious attempt be made to agree on a limited armament.

Whether a way can be found ten consideration of details naval limitation plan, which would be smoothing, but too at restfully some of the delegates brought sharply to the fore

### The Kidney

The office man and the worker suffer alike from ailments of the kidneys. Backaches and headaches among the symptoms. In cases Bright's disease soon develops, others suffer from blood pressure until hardened arteries set in.

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