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PRICE FIVE CENTS

New Political Party to be Formed

FATAL DROWNING ACCIDENT AT SHAWATLANS LAKE WHEN CANOE UPSETS

Premier Borden Announces Decision to Retire at once

No Announcement of Successor but Hon. Arthur Meighan suggested; New Party to be Formed

OTTAWA, July 2.—In the Government caucus yesterday Premier R. L. Borden announced his final decision to retire. This decision was regretfully accepted, but no announcement of a successor was made.

It was decided to discard the old name "Unionist" and form a new party under the name of National Liberal and Conservative party.

It is understood that the caucus was in favor of Hon. Arthur Meighan for leader of the new party.

Sir Thomas White is possibly the second choice to Meighan for the premiership. Rowell is unable to support the new party but Calder will. The political retirements expected are Foster, Sifton and Burrill. The entire cabinet resigns in order to give the new premier a free hand. The Liberal Unionists have decided to support the new party.

FOURTEEN ARE NOMINATED AT CONVENTION

McAdoo is Favorite so Far and May Have to be Drafted to Serve.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 2.—Fourteen men were nominated by the Democratic convention, but President Wilson was not one of them. There was forty minutes cheering for his son-in-law McAdoo. The nominees were:

Senator Robert L. Owen, Oklahoma; Homer S. Cummings, Connecticut; Attorney-General Palmer, Governor James M. Cox, Ohio; W. G. McAdoo, New York; James W. Gerard, New York; Governor Edwards, New Jersey; Senator Hitchcock, Nebraska; Secretary of Agriculture Meredith; Governor Alfred E. Smith, New York; Ambassador Davis, West Virginia; Governor Harrison, Philippines; Senator Simmons, North Carolina; Senator Glass, Virginia.

Lunch Alice B. Phone Blue 542

Grand Automobile Parade

Jazz Carnival

at 6 p.m.
THE GREENVILLE BAND
will play from 6 to 9

Continuous Jitney Dancing

Grand Balloon Dance
with GRAY'S ORCHESTRA at
10.45

TONIGHT EMPRESS THEATRE

May Allison

"Fair and Warner"
14th Episode of
"The Tiger's Trail"
Kinogram

VINDICATION OF PREMIER

Verdict Against R. T. Elliott in Libel Case with Nominal Damages.

VICTORIA, July 2.—After being out from 1:20 to 5 p.m. on Wednesday, the jury in the Oliver-Elliott libel case exonerated the Premier by bringing in a verdict against Elliott with the nominal damage of 25c.

In charging the jury, Mr. Justice McDonald said the publication of a telegram sent to the legislature was privileged. It was for the jury to determine if there was malice. If the reports heard by Elliott at the hotel were exaggerated he would lose his privilege.

After hearing the verdict, Premier Oliver said he accepted it as a vindication of his character. Elliott said it was satisfactory to him as exemplary damages had been asked and refused.

LABOR ELECTED

WINNIPEG, July 2.—After eight counts three are elected in Winnipeg: Dixon, Johnson and Ivens.

Advertise in the Daily News.

YOUNG MAN DROWNED IN SHAWATLANS LAKE

Jack Dalziel victim of tragic canoe accident—Young Man with fine War Record

A sad accident marred the holiday proceedings yesterday when a young returned soldier, John B. G. Dalziel, was drowned at Shawatlans Lake. He and Ripley Boyd were out in a canoe on Shawatlans Lake and there was a little wave running. In turning, the canoe began to fill and the boys decided to swim for shore. Dalziel taking off his rubber boots but Boyd not freeing himself until he was in the water and they struck out for shore.

Apparently Dalziel must have been taken with cramp when a few feet from safety in the cold waters of the lake, for he went down and his body was found near where the canoe upset.

At 2:30 Chief Minly of the provincial police had a call from Shawatlans by telephone saying that two men had been drowned. He sent the police boat Myfaway at once with Constables Alex Saint and Wesley and they found Dalziel had been drowned but Boyd had reached shore safely although much exhausted. The canoe had upset about 200 feet from shore at the far end of the lake.

On the arrival of the police on the scene dragging with a makeshift outfit for the body of the drowned man was commenced. On the third drop of the hooks it was recovered and brought to town in the evening.

Mr. Dalziel was a returned man who served overseas as sergeant with the 13th Battalion. Leaving with the first contingent, he saw a good deal of fighting but escaped without wounds, although

he was badly shell-shocked. He had been for some time employed as stenographer for J. D. McAuley in the local freight traffic department. He was well known among the younger people of the city. He took part in amateur theatricals here when "Captain Rackett" was put on at the Westholme Theatre.

Mr. Dalziel's father lives at Cranbrook, British Columbia, and his mother and sister are in Edinburgh, Scotland. He was 25 years of age.

The funeral arrangements will be made as soon as possible with the B.C. Undertakers in charge.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE'S STATUE.



On the occasion of the centenary of Florence Nightingale, the organizer of the Red Cross, nurses from the Metropolitan Nursing Association placed wreaths on her statue in London. Miss Nightingale stirred all England by her untiring efforts in caring for the sick and wounded during the Crimean War and other wars that followed. She received several rare distinctions, among which was the Order of Merit given by King Edward VII of England. Her work for humanity will never be forgotten.

Jazz Carnival an Immense Success

Large Crowds attended and most enjoyable time spent by throngs of people

Both financially and socially the Jazz Carnival yesterday was a huge success and it is to be continued tonight, when it is understood everything will be freshened up and will look like new. While in the afternoon the games attracted the large crowds, in the evening the Exhibition Hall was often so full it was difficult to get around. All the features were running full tilt and a large amount of money was made by the Daughters of the Empire toward their new hall on Fifth Avenue.

Every one of the helpers worked with a will and the success of the event is due to the splendid work of Mrs. Parkin, vice-regent of the Municipal Council, and her fine band of helpers. The hall was tastily decorated, the refreshment booths being particularly natty and all the features blending nicely in the general scheme.

Mayor McClymont declared the carnival open sharp at 1:30 and at once the crowds began to assemble, and the fun was on.

Music and Dances.

During the afternoon and evening there was a most enjoyable program of music and dances. The two native bands, Greenville and Port Simpson, provided the music.

One of the prettiest events was the song "Cheekers" by the jockey girls in which eight pretty girls paraded as jockeys and sang the well known racing song. The young ladies were Misses Gladys Kemp, Isabel Kelly, Annie Kelly, Dorothy Barge, Inez Ross, Amy Shaw, Lita Carroll and Mrs. McEvoy, with Miss Giddings as pianist.

Mrs. Lipsett in her delightful soprano charmed with her songs and Miss Kathleen Grant in the afternoon also sang most pleasingly. Miss Georgina Hunter was accompanist for the soloists.

The Hawaiian instrument quartette by Mrs. Bryant, Sidney Bazzett-Jones, Alex Rix and David Donaldson proved one of the popular numbers adding to the laurels of this already popular group of instrumentalists.

The fish wives reel was very pretty and unique and was excellently performed by Misses Georgina Hunter, Eva Thomson, Louis Fisher and Wood.

The Nursery Rhymes Tableau

was a very pretty thing in which Margaret Smith, Florence Smith, Amelia Pillsbury, Hilda Murray, Gordon Parkin, Margery Parkin took part. This was prepared under the supervision of Mrs. D. Thomson who also trained the gavotte dancers and the fish wives. Her work was excellent and was deserving of much praise. Many appreciative remarks were heard regarding the gavotte by four little girls dressed in old English costume with white wigs. The performers were Misses Winnie Thomson, Betty Groves, Jean Grieve and Margaret Rowness.

The jitney dances and balloon dances during the evening were enjoyed by many, the Greenville Band during the evening providing most excellent music for the dancers. In recognition of their excellent services this band was given three hearty cheers by the assembled crowd.

Those in charge of the different departments were:

Gipsy Booth—Mrs. D. Train, Mrs. Whalen, and Miss Rosie Adams.

Refreshments, Mesdames Kemp, Steen, Strong, Adams, Kerr, Evans, Gilhuly, and Miss Orchard. Kewpie Stall—Mrs. Self, Miss Dyer, George Kerr, Harry Day, F. Gilhuly, Ben Self and Fred Dawson.

Fish Pond—Mrs. Newell, Mrs. H. Hampton and Mrs. Larkin. Japanese Tea Room—Misses

Graham, Knight, Carter, Shockley, Stephens, Reid, Marcellus and King.

Barber, McManis, D. J. Stacey, Cameron, Spencer, Reddie, Mc-Mordie, and Conway.

Country Fair, Mesdames Grieve, Barnsley, Parsons, Dawson, Kergin, and Misses Lois McRae and Margaret Kergin.

Crazy House—Miss King, and Messrs. Pattinson, Tinker, Wearmouth, W. E. Fisher, and Joe Hutchingson.

Refreshments and Aunt Sally (upstairs)—Mrs. Roberson, and Misses McMullin, Phillipson, Tite, Gurvich, McRae, Daphy, Bloomfield, Palmer, Stevens, Johnson, Thompson, Ludgate, Watt, Morgan, Mrs. Gray.

Door—Messrs. Healy, Blance, Bazzett-Jones, F. Williams, and Bulger.

Queen Mary Chapter Refreshment Booth—Mesdames Blance, Warton, Harper, Davidson, Hunter, Beatty, Pattinson, McLennan, Carmichael, and Misses Belding, Cummins, and Hill.

Finance—DeGex, Woodland, Orchard, Whitehead.

Jitney Dance—Messrs. Pattinson and Bob Feizell.

Tonight there will be a parade from the Prince Rupert Hotel at six o'clock through the city to the Exhibition Building in which twenty automobiles will take part. This parade will be headed by the Greenville Band.

There will be jitney dancing from 6 to 9 to the band music and a grand balloon dance at 10:15 with Gray's Orchestra.

LADY MINE TO KETCHIKAN

Large Number of Local People
Expect to Leave This
Evening.

The Lady Mine has been chartered to carry those who wish to go to Ketchikan with the ball players to help the people of that city celebrate the "glorious fourth." Many who have never been to that city or who wish to go again will have the opportunity to join the party. It should prove a pleasant trip and is a chance to spend an enjoyable holiday.

MEN MUST GO BACK TO WORK

Says if Men Apply Consideration Will at Once Be Given.

The following telegram was received by Mayor McClymont from the Deputy Minister of Labor at Ottawa:

"Information reaching minister regarding longshoremen's strike suggests situation has improved since your wire was sent and that community is not put to any serious inconvenience because of delay in handling freight. Minister's view is that his right to establish board under section 63 A should be used but sparingly and particularly so when dispute has developed into a strike which is contrary to laws.

Should men return to work and apply for board, application will receive immediate consideration and procedure preceding board inquiry might be conducted by wire."

DUNSMUIR LEFT TEN MILLIONS

Province Will Receive Over Million in Inheritance Tax.

VICTORIA, July 2.—A preliminary statement of the Dunsmuir will filed here shows an estate of \$10,000,000 which figure will probably be increased on revaluation. It is expected that the province will receive from one to two million dollars in inheritance tax.

WON ON POINTS

In the boxing bouts held at the Westholme Theatre last evening, Red Davidson and Tommy Sherman fought to a draw, Joe Fargell and Len Holliday both fought hard but honors were even. In the Chet Neff vs. Harry Anderson 10-round affair the former won a decision in his favor by points.

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