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Country Inflamed Over Sugar Prices

GOVERNMENT TO CARRY OUT WILL OF PEOPLE ON PROHIBITION QUESTION

Campus Over Sugar Order Caused Dominion Government To Back Down on Decision

will be Heard by Cabinet on October 20; Premier
Postponed Western Tour owing to Importance
of Matter

Mackenzie King Launches Terrific Attack at Vernon

Publication of Names of Owners of Sugar Re-
fineries; Manufacturers Give Their Side of
Question

OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—The Governor General in Council
hear the sugar case on October 20. Owing to the
stance of the matter the Premier has postponed his
tour one week. The Government's decision was
after a special meeting of the council held to con-
sider the report.

Mr. C. J. Doherty set out the view that the regula-
tion passed by the commerce board was very probably
and whether illegal or not was of a character never
before by the legislation establishing the board. It was
that the order seemed designed to effect a pur-
wholly outside the board's authority. On these
the Government declared the order was inoper-

MACKENZIE KING ATTACKS ADMINISTRATION.

Vernon, Oct. 15.—Charging the Meighen Government
being the tool of the big interests, one of the which
sugar order was designed to placate, W. L. Mackenzie
leader of the Liberal party, launched a terrific at-
on the administration at a meeting here. He said:
think in the public interest there should be an immedi-
disclosure of the persons who at the present time and
within recent years have acted as members of the
of directors of the sugar refining companies in
ada, the St. Lawrence refinery at Montreal in particu-
lar. They should disclose by whom and in what
the stocks in these companies are held. I challenge
Government to see that these facts are immediately
to the Canadian public."

Vancouver, Oct. 15.—Mayor Gale of Vancouver, the
Vancouver Great War Veterans, the Vancouver Liberal
association, and other bodies have sent telegrams of pro-
test to the Government against the orders.

REFINERS' SIDE OF QUESTION.

Montreal, Oct. 15.—Huntley Drummond, president
of the Canada Sugar Refining Co., gives the case for the
refineries saying, as a result of continuous Government
control, the refineries have been left with commitments
amounting \$60,000,000 which they were forced into
meeting. If they were forced to sell at the same ruinous
prices as in the States the whole industry would be destroy-
ed. He pointed out that Canadians, owing to Govern-
ment control, had been able in the past to buy sugar
at less than the price paid in the United States.

NEWS REGARDING MISSING FISHERMEN

There was a very per-
sonal rumor here this morning
that the four missing fishermen
had been found, there has been
no confirmation. Several fishing
boats are now out looking for

NOTICE

City Light Department.

The public will please not that
light and power will be cut off for
several hours Sunday morning.

T. C. DUNCAN,
Superintendent.

BIRTH.

There was born to Mr. and Mrs.
Charles P. Balagno, at Prince
George, on Wednesday, October
13, a daughter, Marie Salvina.

NELSON JAIL IS EMPTY SAYS MRS. FARRIS IN SPEECH

VANCOUVER, Oct. 15.—
Mrs. J. W. deB. Farris,
speaking on behalf of pro-
hibition, said the jail at
Nelson was empty and at
New Westminster there
were 173 fewer inmates
than three years ago.
Tuberculosis had also de-
creased 25 per cent in the
last three years.

HOLDS OVER FISH SALE

Fish Buyers have Four Carloads
Lined Up for Cars Arriving
in the Morning.

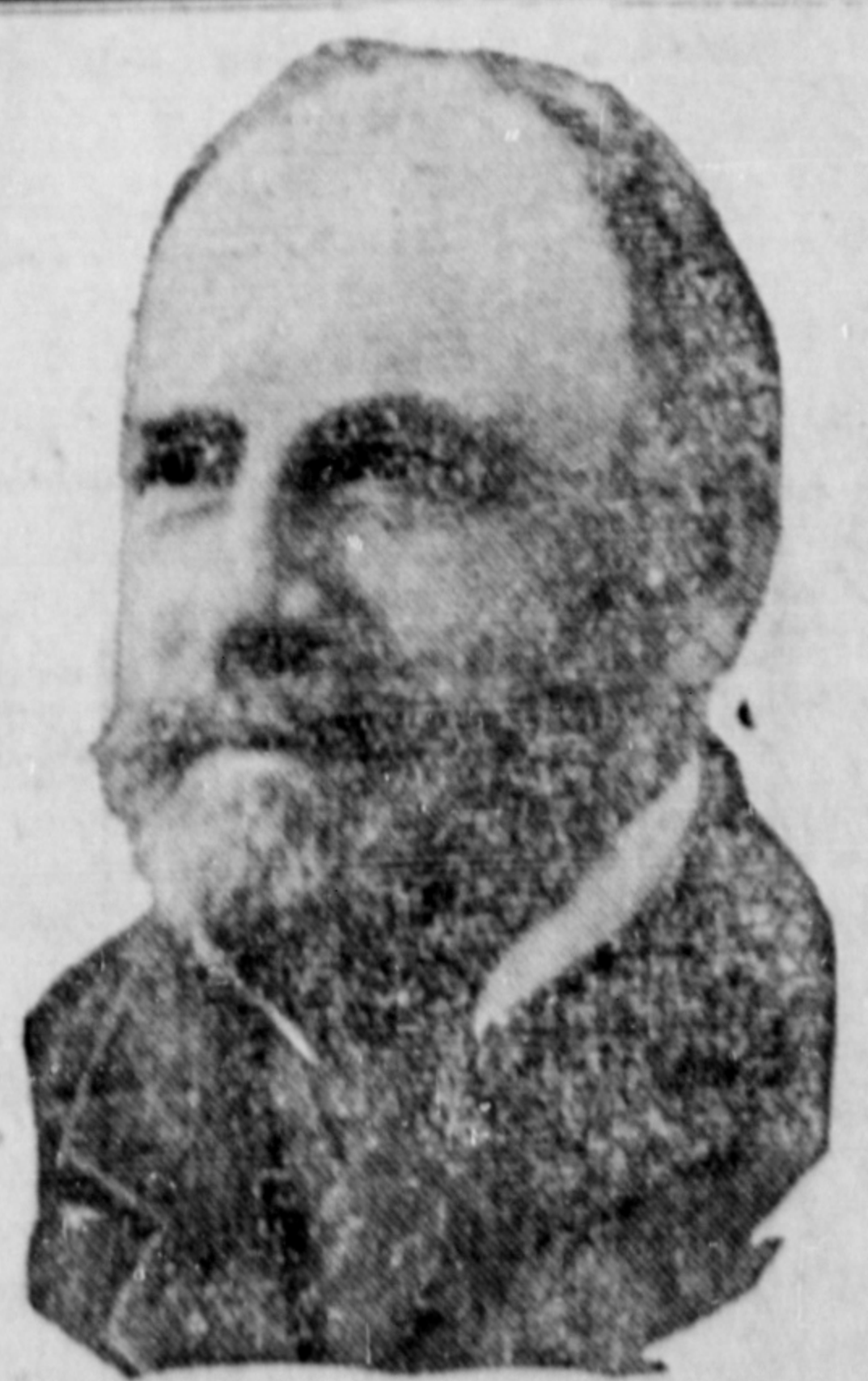
Four car load lots of fish ar-
rivals are lined up at the Fish
Exchange for sale tomorrow
morning on the arrival of cars
that are due in the yards then.
The sale will depend on the
decision of the company as to
whether a special will be sent out
to take this fish East. In the
meantime the buyers are waiting.

A few small boats sold this
morning as follows:
Hesquiat, 1,600 pounds to the
Pacific Sea Products, at 12c and
7c.
Ringleader, 1,600 pounds to the
Atlin Fisheries at 12c and 7c.
Murineag, 2,000 pounds to the
Royal Fish Co. at 12c and 7c.
Marguerite, 2,000 pounds and
the Rose Point, 2,000 pounds to
the Cold Storage at 12c and 7c.

Port Clements arrivals on the
Prince Albert last night included
M. Smith, F. Pearce, and James
Oliver.

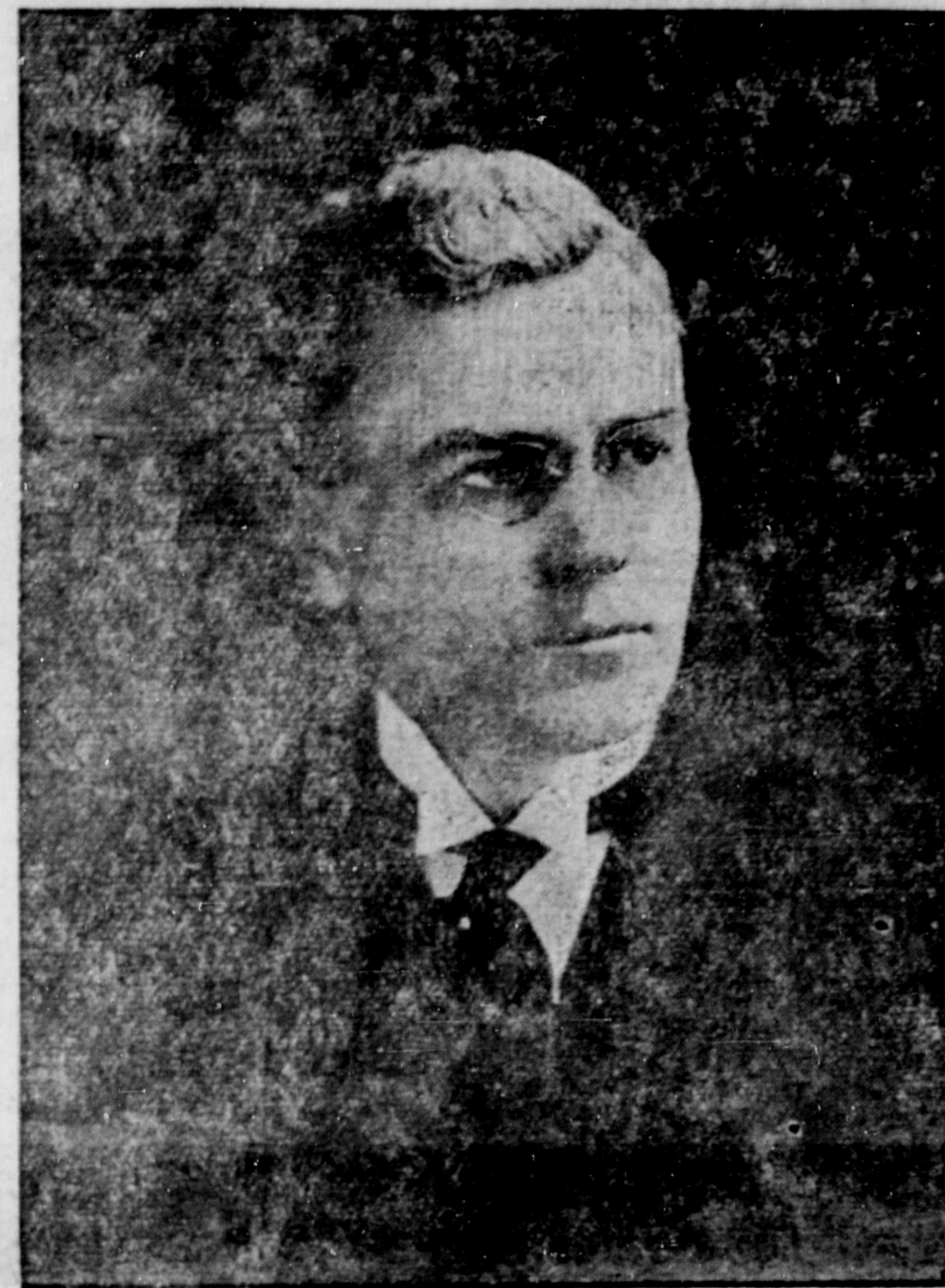
J. W. Bowerman, of Seattle, re-
turned from Buckley Bay on the
Albert during the night.

M. P. Vincent, of Stewart, is
registered at the Hotel Prince
Rupert.



Hon. George Langley, minister
of municipal affairs, who will
present the views of the Saskat-
chewan Co-operative Elevator Co.
to the Tariff Commission in Re-
gina on October 11 and 12th.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL FARRIS



Who says Liberals will present united front at election in near future.

ESSINGTON IS FOR PROHIBITION, SAYS REV. JAMES DUNLOP

Rev. James Dunlop returned
last night from Port Essington in
a very optimistic frame of mind.
He had gone expecting to find, as
the result of reports received
here, that the whole community
was opposed to prohibition. The
result of his visit is that he feels
sure a substantial majority will
be given the prohibition cause at
that point.

A meeting was held in the
church at which the issues were
explained and a number of the
people were visited. Mr. Dunlop
says that while there is much
objection to the manner in which
the law has been allowed to be
broken, there is no intention on
the part of the people to stand
for the open sale of liquor. What
they want is to have importation
shut off, so that none may come
in.

PRICE THE SAME

VANCOUVER, Oct. 15.—The
local sugar refinery has not raised
the price of sugar, which is re-
tailing here at 20c.

J. N. Muir sailed for Vancouver
last evening.

BOAT RACE TO BE THANKSGIVING DAY

Time Set for Starting in Com-
petition for Daily News
Pennant is 2 p. m.

The speed boat race for the
Daily News pennant will take
place on Monday at 2 p. m. A
course will be laid out and ar-
rangements made so that those
who wish may have an oppor-
tunity to view the event.

The pennant will be a fine silk
one about four feet long suitable
for flying on the boat. Several
boats are expected to enter for
the race.

PRESENTATION TO SUPT. KILPATRICK

Given Gold Watch and Chain by
Railwaymen at Smithers

A presentation was made to
Superintendent Kilpatrick on
Tuesday night at Smithers on the
eve of his departure to a new
position at Winnipeg. Jack
McIntosh, on behalf of the engi-
neers, trainmen and trackmen gave
Mr. Kilpatrick a gold watch and
chain suitably engraved as a
token of their good will and the
estimation in which he is held.

Election Soon Says Attorney General

Party will present United Front when
it goes to the Country; Neutral on
Question of Prohibition

VANCOUVER, Oct. 15.—Speak-
ing at the annual meeting of the
Vancouver Liberal Association,
Hon. J. W. deB. Farris, attorney-
general, said it was no secret that
it will not be long in British Co-
lumbia, before the Liberals will
be called on to take the field to
make a fight for the return of the
Liberal government.

Mr. Farris denied as scurrilous
rumors the statements made that
there was trouble between M. A.
Macdonald and himself. Liberals
would present a united front when
it appealed to the country.

Discussing prohibition, the at-
torney-general said it was im-
possible for the Government to
take a stand on either side. The
party could not unite on such a
question. If the people are solid
for prohibition the question will
be settled. If they cannot win on
a clean voters' list the prohibition
law should no longer remain on
the statute books. It was up to
the people to decide and the Gov-
ernment would carry out that de-
cision.

SUGAR STOCKS DROP MONTREAL EXCHANGE

MONTREAL, Oct. 15.—As a re-
sult of the crisis over the ruling
of the Board of Commerce and the
subsequent backing down of the
Government as announced by Mr.
Doherty, Atlantic Sugar stocks
dropped twelve points today on
the Montreal stock exchange.

APPEALED FOR REVOLUTION IN GERMANY

Radicals Responded But Moderates
Walked From Hall After
Hearing Address.

HALLE, Germany, Oct. 15.—
For four hours Seimovitch, one of
the chiefs of Soviet Russia, ap-
pealed to independent socialists
to join with Moscow in creating
a revolution in Germany in order
to help carry out the proletarian
program of world revolution.
After the address the conserva-
tive Socialists walked slowly out
of the hall, while the radicals
sang the International with bared
heads.

TERRACE WEDDING.

Miss Florrie Gibson Via Bridle,
of Houston, was married at Ter-
race last Friday to J. G. Raven,
of Kitsumkalum Lake. Rev. T. J.
Marsh officiating. The brides-
maids were Miss C. Raven and
Miss R. Raven, and the bride was
given away by Mrs. Raven, the
mother of the groom. Mr. and
Mrs. Raven will reside at Kitsum-
kalum Lake.

George Bryant, W. E. Willis-
croft, W. McLeod and W. Fulton
left this morning on the Harla for
a few days' hunting trip to Ogden
Channel and will be back about
the first of the week. Ogden
Channel, which is in the vicinity
of Pitt Island south of here, is
reported to be one of the best
hunting grounds for deer and
fowl in the vicinity of Prince Ru-
pert.

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tial sections of the United States
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ly British policy.
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British Empire and will do every-
thing in our power and at any
cost to maintain the principle
"Equal rights to all and special
privileges to none."
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E. R. TABRUM, W. M.,
M. M. STEPHENS, R. S.
A. C. Burdick, of the B. C. Sal-
vage Co., went south from Swan-
son Bay on the George this trip
after having inspected the wreck
of the Prince Rupert.