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CONVENTION OF LIBERALS NEXT AUGUST

Choice of Leader, Compilings of a
National Platform and Or-
ganization to be Ar-
ranged.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Vancouver, April 2. — A National
liberal convention is to be held
in Vancouver on August 5, 6 and 7.
The choice of a leader will be the
principal question, the
preparation of a platform and
arrangements for organization.
Delegates will be chosen on a
centralized plan. Each provin-
ce to be divided into districts
in each district a convention
will be held. At these conventions
delegates will be formed
and the provincial names to
be in turn delegates are to be
appointed for the national con-
vention.

THE FINAL CALL OF DOMINION TRUST ON SHAREHOLDERS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Vancouver, April 2. — As part of
preparation to announce a
liquidation, J. C. Gwynn, liquidator,
obtained leave from Mr. Jus-
tice Murphy to make a final call
on shareholders who owe unpaid
shares.
About 173 individuals are af-
fected. Calls are for payment of
unpaid premium of \$35 a
share, aggregate \$60,000.

MY SICK SOLDIERS ARE STILL OVERSEAS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Ottawa, April 2. — It was stat-
ed to the Parliamentary Pensions
committee that there are still 16,
Canadian soldiers in hospi-
tals in the United Kingdom and 2,
in hospitals in France.

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TRADE RESUMED WITH THE ENEMY

War Trade Board Authorizes
Business Resumption With
Germany and Austria.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Washington, April 2. — The re-
sumption of trade and communi-
cation with Germany and Austria
is authorized in an order issued
by the War Trade Board acting
in accordance with an agreement
reached by the Associated Na-
tions.

The only restrictions upon im-
ports into Germany and Austria
will be on commodities of a mili-
tary nature. This constitutes
the first direct trade relations re-
sumed with any enemy state.

AGRICULTURE BEING DISCUSSED BY WOMEN

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Winnipeg, April 2. — The first
annual meeting of the Canadian
Council of Agriculture which is
being held here is attended by
representatives of the Interna-
tional Association of Farm Wo-
men, five of whom are present at
the sessions.

WOMEN ORDERED FOR MILITARY DUTIES

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Paris, April 1. — All women
between 18 and 35, living in the
city of Pskov, Russia, are be-
lieved March 8 by the Bolshevik
Government in Esthonia, to re-
gister with a view to doing mili-
tary duty.

PRINCE RUPERT ROD AND GUN ASSOCIATION

The annual general meeting of
the above association will be held
in the Court House tonight at
8.30 p. m. Every sportsman wel-
come.

R. H. Shockley, Secretary.

PRINCE GEORGE

It is announced that a double
wire outout telephone line will be
installed by the G. T. P. Tele-
graph Department for the use of mil-
lmen and settlers in the district
east of here.

The marriage was solemnized
here by Rev. Wm. Graham of Geo.
H. Jackson and Miss Olive Hunt
of Aleza Lake. Al Young was best
man.

Constable Roberts of the R. N.
W. M. P. is visiting his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Roberts of this
city.

The halibut boat Chief Skugaid
owned by the Canadian Fish and
Cold Storage Co. is expected to
get away for the halibut banks to-
night. The Kelly, the first of the
trawlers to go out since the tie-
up, should be ready by Friday and
the other trawler next week.



LET BOLSHEVISM EMBRACE YOU AND YOU WILL SOON
BE AS HAPPY AS YOUR RUSSIAN BROTHER.

HOUSING PLANS IN THE DOMINION

Ontario and Quebec Deal With
Matter by Legislation; Special
Provision for Soldiers.

Toronto, March 29. — Progress
is being made with housing legis-
lation throughout the Dominion.
The Ontario Legislature gave a
third reading to its housing bill,
which will make available prac-
tically at once from ten to twelve
million dollars for the building of
workingmen's houses costing not
more than \$3,500 each, including
land. The plan of the Act pro-
vides for the creation of housing
commissions in such municipali-
ties as desire to participate in the
Government grant.

Borrow Money.
The municipality through the
necessary money from the Govern-
ment issuing debentures there-
for. The commission then ad-
vances the money to those in-
dividuals or companies which
wish to make use of it. In the
case of a company, the loan may
amount to 85 per cent. of the
value of the land and houses; in
the case of private persons, other
than returned soldiers, 90 per
cent. and in the case of returned
soldiers or their widows 100
per cent.

Repayment.
The loans to the municipalities
are repayable within a period not
exceeding 20 years and bear in-
terest at 5 per cent. A loan made
to a company by a housing com-
mission is also repayable in the
same terms in equal monthly in-
stalments. Individuals to whom
loans are made become purchas-
ers from the commissions under
an agreement of sale.

Amendment.
At the last reading of the bill
an effort was made by the oppo-
sition to have an amendment in-
troduced under which in addition
to the loan to returned soldiers
of the full value of the house, a
grant of \$200 should be made.
This would enable soldiers to buy
their lot, which is a necessary
possession before a building loan
can be secured. The amendment
was ruled out because of the
Government's exclusive right to
propose financial legislation.

Quebec.
In Quebec, the housing bill of
the Provincial Government is also
making progress. Here the chief
opposition to the measure ap-
pears to be based on a fear that
it placed power in the hands of
the municipalities which might
lead to exploitation and favorit-
ism unless great care was taken.
The reply to this criticism was
that every proposal would have

MANY ARRIVE FROM SOUTH

Industrial Developments Draw
Many to This District From
Other Parts.

The arrival of the Prince Rup-
ert this morning from Vancou-
ver and Seattle with all her ac-
commodation sold out, gives an
indication of the increased inter-
est which is being taken in this
district of late. While there were
a number of people returning
from visits to the south the ma-
jority were those who were com-
ing to take advantage of develop-
ments on British Columbia's north
coast.

A goodly squad of workmen
were going to Anyox and there
were something like fifty bound
to the islands. Stewart is to re-
ceive its quota, while the mining
districts of Hazelton and other
interior points was the objective of
some.

The shipbuilding work here is
drawing very many who are look-
ing for new opportunities of busi-
ness or employment. A number
of investigators have arrived for
a few days and will have an op-
portunity to enjoy the spring sun-
shine of the industrial capital of
the north coast.

SOLDIER SETTLEMENT IS BEING FORWARDED

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Ottawa, April 2. — The Soldier
Settlement Board has authorized
the loan committees of the west-
ern provinces to take special ac-
tion toward over-taking the ac-
cumulation of applications for
land, by employing immediately
additional inspectors to pass on
the value of land for soldiers'
settlement. There has been a
delay owing to the snow being on
the ground.

ITALY'S FRONTIER MUST BE SETTLED

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Paris, April 2. — The settlement
of Italy's frontier contempor-
aneously with that of France is
a matter that was insisted upon
by Premier Orlando at a confer-
ence held just before the Council
of Four convened to discuss the
Italian frontier.

Swimming Club Dance May 2.

to have the approval of the Min-
ister of Municipal Affairs. The
Quebec allotment from the federal
grant of \$25,000,000 will be \$6,
400,000.

ATTEMPT TO STEAL LAUNCH AT VANCOUVER

Caretaker Gagged and Bound But
Escapes and Telephones to
Police.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Vancouver, B. C., April 2. —
Two men and one woman were ar-
rested by the city police Sun-
day night as a sequel to one of
the most startling and mysterious
criminal schemes that have come
under the attention of the police
for a long while.

An attempt to steal the 65-foot
launch Isis, owned by Mr. Lang,
of Powell River, was frustrated by
A. McDonald, caretaker of the
Vancouver Yacht Club, who, after
being bound and gagged and car-
ried into the bush at Stanley
Park, managed to slip his bonds
and row across Coal Harbor to
telephone the police.

Sergeant Yorke despatched Con-
stables Knox and Proudlock, who
manoeuvred the capture, which
was done while the two men were
trying unsuccessfully to start the
engine.

Mr. McDonald and his daugh-
ter, May McDonald, and a friend,
Mr. Gawn, were conversing in
the spar room of the Yacht Club
late in the evening some time af-
ter eleven o'clock when they
heard someone coming up the
stairs of the club. Mr. McDonald
investigated and was told by two
men and a woman that they had
missed their boat and asked if
the caretaker would not assist
them to find it. Mr. McDonald
went with the trio and, when out-
side, a man appeared from the
darkness and levelled a gun at
the caretaker's head.

McDonald offered resistance,
but the woman who formed one
of the trio, placed the muzzle of
the gun in the small of his back
and he was gruffly ordered to
move on. Realizing that resist-
ance was fraught with danger, he
did so. He was guided into a re-
cess of Stanley Park and there
tied hand and foot and gagged
with a handkerchief. He was left
in the park in this condition. He
saw one man and a woman leave
him and make their way back the
way they came.

Miss McDonald alleges that the
woman of the trio said: "There
is big money in this for us if we
pull it off. We are working for
someone else," and also flashing
her gun, said: "This is my war
baby; I depend on this to keep
me out of jail."

Caretaker McDonald had griped
loose by this time and had
phoned the police. The two of-
ficers, on arriving quietly ap-
proached the boat and covered
the occupants with their revol-
vers.

While Knox kept them covered
Proudlock sent for more help.
Constables Quirk and Tuley ar-
rived, and the arrest of the two
men and the woman was effected
without resistance. The trio were
taken to the police office.

The accused gave their names
as Sidney Lincoln Price, Blanche
E. Price and Winifred W. Douglas.

EBERT'S SALARY

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Berlin, April 2. — The salary of
President Ebert, which has been
the subject of discussion in the
press recently, is officially an-
nounced today to be 100,000
marks monthly, with no perqui-
sites or expenses allowed. The
salary must pay the cost of run-
ning the presidential house and
the salaries of the personnel.

FISH ARRIVALS.

There were three fish arrivals
this morning which will be sold
tomorrow noon. The Vienna with
5,000 pounds of halibut; the At-
lin 7,000; and the Molly May also
with 5,000 lbs.

The oldest Canadian Life Co. —
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CAMPAIGN IS IN FULL SWING FOR BUILDING

About \$25,000 Subscribed on First
Day of Active Canvass
In the City.

Twenty-five thousand dollars
was approximately the amount
subscribed yesterday towards the
Prince Rupert building scheme.
That is one fourth of the distance
toward the objective which is in
view. It was a successful start
for much of the money came from
unexpected places. For instance
a Japanese restaurant keeper
subscribed \$1,000 and there were
many others who gave much more
than was expected.

The canvassing committee re-
ports that in some cases sub-
scribers are inclined to postpone
a decision relative to the amount
they will take. They think it
should not be necessary for them
to have to go over the ground a
second time but that everyone
should be ready when the com-
mittee calls, with the amount of
his subscription settled. No per-
son is being paid for the can-
vassing, and a procrastinating
subscriber makes the work doubly
hard.

One of the members of the
committee in discussing this mat-
ter with the News said that if the
people here, and the businessmen
in particular, could but realize
the importance of the building
campaign in the present juncture
they would back it to the limit of
their resources. Those who live
here and make their money in the
community should be willing to
give practical support to the de-
velopment and progress of the
city.

VANDERHOOF

There is a good deal of building
going on here. Lumber is being
shipped in from Terrace and other
points.

A. D. Crocker and S. Holmes,
formerly prisoners of war in Ger-
many, have come here to take up
land. They are staying with Wil-
liam Herdman of Chico.

Ole Rolleg, of Anyox, has been
here inspecting some property.
Formerly Ole was a walking boss
at Fort Fraser during construc-
tion days.

The Land Settlement area in
this district is attracting a great
deal of notice and numbers of
people are arriving on every
train to look over the land with a
view to becoming permanent resi-
dents.

The Fort Fraser townsite lands
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