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LARGE CROWD HEAR MEIGHEN SATURDAY

MACKENZIE KING SAYS ANTI-AMERICAN PROPAGANDA DOING COUNTRY HARM

Premier Meighen Speaks at Two Meetings Saturday Night Before Big Crowd Prince Rupert People

A large crowd of men and women of all shades of thought and opinion turned out Saturday night to see and listen to Premier Arthur Meighen. Most of them had never seen or heard him before. They heard a clever speech of a clever lawyer and an able man and gave good attention throughout. The Westholme Theatre was packed to the doors and there was a fair gathering at the overflow meeting in Boston Hall. At the meeting G. H. Orme, president of the district Conservative Association, presided and at the smaller gathering, his assistant, E. A. Main, was chairman. On the platform with Mr. Orme was Mayor Newton, D. C. Stuart, president of the Prince Rupert Conservative Association, J. O. Williamson, George Munro, Joseph Scott Sr., J. A. Kirkpatrick, J. H. Thompson, J. C. McLennan and John Flewin.

All three speakers, Premier Meighen, Leon Ladner and J. C. Brady, addressed each meeting although the addresses were more lengthy and more impressive before the larger audience. In the theatre Leon Ladner opened with an eloquent address. J. C. Brady followed with an impassioned appeal for support and Mr. Meighen gave a reasoned account of his view of the outstanding matters pertaining to the present political situation such as tariff, the customs investigation and the constitutional question involved in the refusal of the Governor to grant dissolution to Mackenzie King. He also mentioned several matters of local interest particularly the decision he had come to that the fish trap licenses should be cancelled for the present until further investigation had been made, that the fish boat floats should be built if it was found the Mackenzie King government had placed an amount in the supplementary estimates with which to do the work, but he refused to commit himself in regard to a post office building.

MORNING FIRE AT VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Aug. 16.—Three firemen were slightly injured and damage estimated at \$350,000 was caused this morning by a fire which gutted the warehouse on Beatty Street housing the British American Paint Co. and the Gutta Percha Rubber Company. The fire was one of the most spectacular in years owing to large quantities of combustible material it took the entire fire fighting force three hours to gain control.

MYRTLE CAUGHT AT CRANBROOK

Mr. Meighen's Speech

R. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Premier of Canada, the speaker of the evening, arose to address the meeting amidst applause. Mr. Meighen prefaced his speech by stating that it had been over a period of very many years that he had entertained the hope of some day reaching the far north and the city of Prince Rupert. It was not only a pleasure but a revelation to visit this fine new Canadian city, see the industries, hear of the aspirations of the citizens, meet the people and get some close intimate knowledge of the district. The City of Prince Rupert, the speaker said, was a long way from the more populated parts of the country but it was part of Canada and was better than he thought it was. He did not think it would be too bad to live in Prince Rupert, in fact it seemed to possess the physical factors which would make it, with development, one of the most beautiful cities in the Dominion.

Workers entered the foul interior and recovered three bodies. Little was left of the corpses but the boots and leather belts of the victims which are said to have been perfectly preserved.

EDMONTON MUSEUM GETS ENCOURAGEMENT

EDMONTON, Aug. 14.—Efforts to establish a city museum here are likely to succeed. The city council has granted permission to use part of the fourth floor of the civic block for this purpose.

Streak of Rust

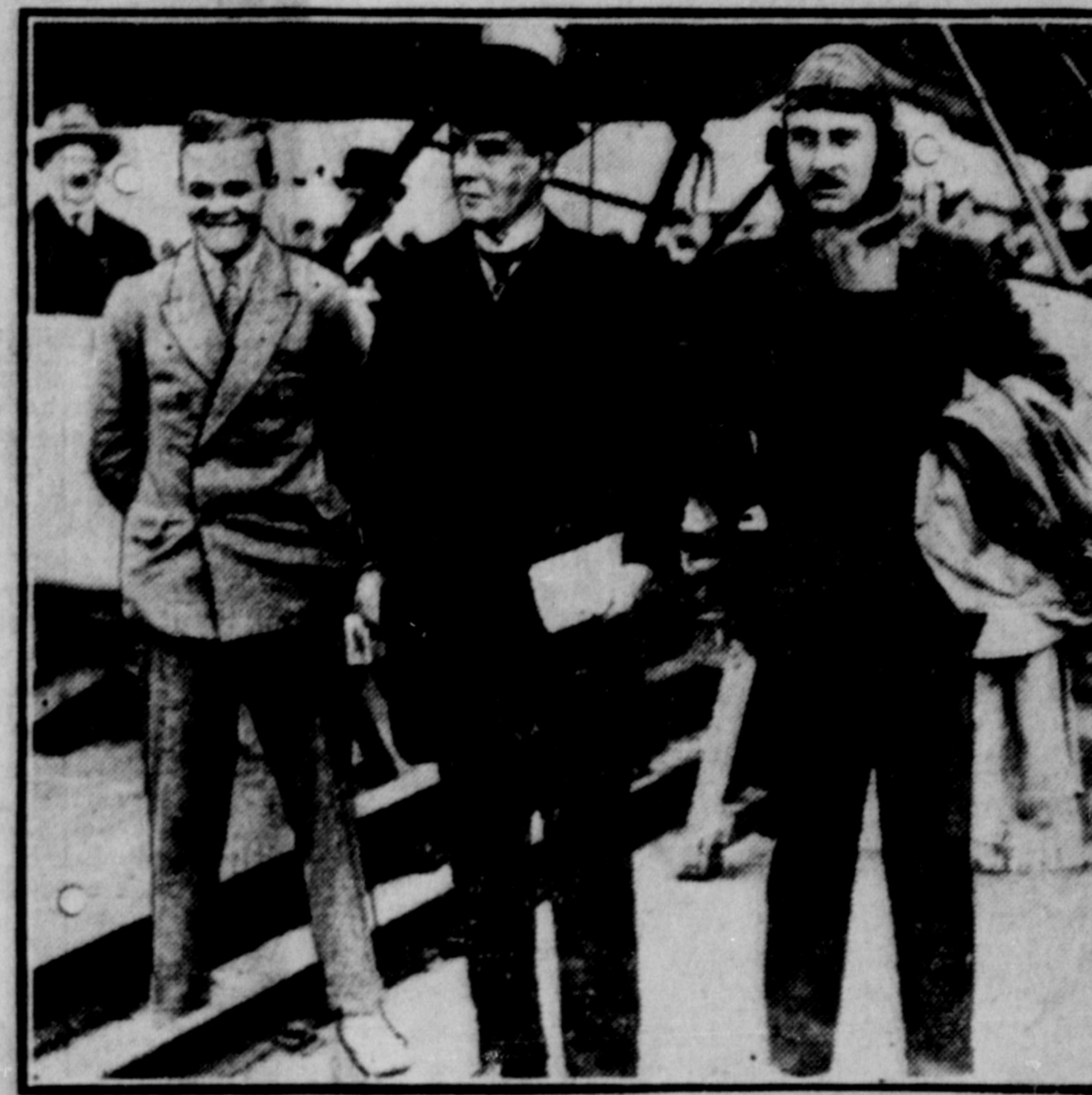
The speaker remarked that it had been said that the city had been the creation of the Liberal party and had enjoyed no support or interest from the Conservative party. It was true and he would be the last man to deny the credit to the Liberal party. The Grand Trunk Pacific railway venture had been the enterprise of the Liberal party in 1903 and 4, and the Trans-continental likewise. At that time of railway development the venture did not meet with the favor of the Conservative party. That

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PREMIER MEIGHEN WAS WELL RECEIVED

VANCOUVER, Aug. 16.—Premier Meighen was given an enthusiastic reception on his arrival here this morning. Later he went to New Westminster to deliver an address and then leaves for Royston in the Comox-Alberni riding where he speaks tonight.

The Premier expressed himself as wonderfully pleased with his northern trip and says he enjoyed the scenery immensely.



A. B. Elliott, Sir Charles Wakefield and Allan Cobham are shown here in order named. The Wakefield flight of 26,000 miles to Australia and back was interrupted in a desert stretch, 100 miles northwest of Basra, where a wandering Arab shot at the plane. Young Elliott was mortally wounded and died in hospital where Evans took him.

Perjury Charged in Connection With Cleaning up Voters' Lists Vancouver Centre Constituency

VANCOUVER, Aug. 16.—An information charging perjury has been laid before Earle Robinson, justice of the peace, against Amos G. Ferguson, said to be a worker in the Liberal ranks, in connection with the filing before Chief Registrar Haskins of affidavits demanding that upward of 3,000 names be removed from the voters' list in Vancouver Centre on the ground that they no longer resided in that constituency.

A summons was issued today calling on Ferguson to appear in court on Wednesday. The list of names submitted to the registrar included those of Hon. H. H. Stevens and his wife.

Liberal headquarters issued a statement denying any attempt to remove the names of bona fide residents and stating that they were seeking to remove only the names of persons who have long since ceased to reside in the district.

JAPANESE VESSEL IS ON THE ROCKS

GORDOVA, Aug. 14.—The St. Paul wireless station in Behring Sea picked up a message stating that the Japanese steamer Unkai Maru No. 15 was in distress off the Aleutian Islands yesterday and later reports said the vessel was on the rocks.

SENATOR DIES

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—Senator Alfred Thibaudeau, 75 years of age, died Sunday night.

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"The people want a government with a working majority and they are swinging to Mackenzie King in order to secure that King will get full control in the next House."

Mr. Stork took two days off at Whitehorse in order to aid Fred Congdon in his political fight with George Black. He addressed an enthusiastic meeting at Whitehorse and he says he considers Mr. Congdon has a good chance

COFFIN ONLY, BUT NO BODY

Packing Case Said to Contain Kitchener Found to be Empty.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The British Home Office officially announced today that the packing case recently delivered at Waterloo station and alleged to contain the body of Kitchener, was found to contain an empty coffin." The statement added: "The coffin was new and obviously had not contained human remains." Frank Powers, a British newspaperman, had previously declared that it contained the body of the famous military leader, which had been buried in Norway following the disaster of the Hampshire.

Atlin Will Go Stronger Liberal Than at Last Election Says Fred Stork on His Return from North

"Mr. Brady has not a Chinaman's chance in Atlin," declared Fred Stork on his arrival from the north this morning. "Last year the vote for me in that part of the constituency was about two to one and it will be better this time."

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Mackenzie King Says Conservative Campaign Breeds Illwill in U.S.

KAMLOOPS, Aug. 16.—"I should like to draw attention of my fellow Canadians to the unpatriotic aspect of the campaign of prejudice against the great republic to the south which the leaders of the Conservative party are again seeking to arouse," declared Mackenzie King here Saturday night at his third and final meeting in British Columbia.

"For themselves," Mr. King said, speaking of the Conservative leaders, "it comes at a particularly inopportune moment. Every hotel in every city of Canada is today crowded with American tourists who cherish only the kindest feeling toward the people of the Dominion and who are spending their money freely in all parts of our country. It would be difficult to estimate what the tourist trade alone means to the present prosperity and future development of our and

"It is wholly unnecessary to talk of annexation and the contemptuous terms in which many Conservatives refer to the United States does not foster good will. It breeds ill will in a variety of directions. It is a cheap sort of business at best and a party driven to appeals of that kind cannot wonder if its unpatriotic attitude is arousing in the hearts and minds of the public a resentment that will make itself felt in no uncertain terms.

"If this campaign is kept up along these lines, I intend to have much to say about it during the next few weeks. The people of Canada expected to have more positive statements from the Conservative leader and less of detractions," concluded Mr. King.

JAPANESE FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED

R. Hayashi, Japanese, was found dead in his shack on Third Avenue West by the provincial police yesterday afternoon.

In response to notification by two Japanese that they could not gain admittance at the shack the police forced the door and found Hayashi dead in bed. Dr. Tremayne was called and found that Hayashi had been dead for some four hours. An enquiry will be held into the death by Coroner Tannock.

BEAR BOUND SOUTH ON FINA LVOYAGE

POINT BARROW, Aug. 14.—The coastguard cutter Bear, turning south on her final voyage to the Arctic, left Point Barrow today for Nome. The passengers included several men who remained here after the Detroit Arctic expedition went to the states.

FISHING SCHOONER LOST IN A STORM

HALIFAX, Aug. 16.—Fears are felt that the La Havre fishing schooner Sadie Knickle with a crew of 22 founded in the storm last Saturday which wrecked the Sylvia Mosher. No word has been received of the crew of either vessel.

RUTH HITS HOMER

NE YORK, Aug. 16.—Babe Ruth scored his 38th homer in match between England and Australia. The latest and best for the least. Phone 457.

ENGLAND GOOD LEAD TEST CRICKET MATCH AGAINST AUSTRALIANS

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The score in Saturday's play in the test match between England and Australia was for the first innings: England 280, Australia 60 for four wickets.