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PREMIER SAYS LIBERALS ARE WINNING

MANSON REPORTS ALL POLLING STATIONS BUT THREE HIS

Reports Indicate Liberals Will Have Sweeping Majority in the Election Tomorrow Premier Says

Forecast is that 31 Liberals will be elected to next Legislature and two Labor with only 14 Conservatives

The following telegram has been received by Hon. T. D. Pattullo from Premier MacLean: "Victoria and Vancouver never looked better for us and reports from all over the province indicate a sweeping majority for the government on Wednesday. The labor vote is going to us where no Labor candidate is in the field and the women and independent vote is supporting us. "Please convey my thanks to all your workers and supporters in Prince Rupert. Trust that Prince Rupert will roll up a handsome majority for yourself. "J. D. MACLEAN."

A telegram received by the Daily News from Vancouver says: "After a very careful and thorough checking up by accredited authorities of the prospects of election of the various candidates in the province, the results show 31 Liberals, 14 Conservatives, 2 Labor, 1 Independent Liberal will be elected. This will give the MacLean government a majority in the next legislature of two to one. Tolmie's followers have virtually thrown up their hands."

METEORITE IS SEEN IN SOUTH

PEOPLE OF WASHINGTON AND OREGON REPORT SAME PHENOMENA FROM DIFFERENT PLACES

SEATTLE, July 17.—Residents of Puget Sound country yesterday engaged in a hunt for traces of what they believed to have been a meteorite which lighted the heavens shortly before one o'clock in the morning. The path of the celestial visitor was marked by a display of eerie blue lights and was seen in Seattle, Tacoma, Manetto, Olympia and other communities. Reports describe variously a tremendous concussion crash, a hissing sound and brilliant light.

STEAMER MOGUL RUNS AGROUND

SEATTLE, July 17.—Steamer Mogul went aground at Three Crown Point just south of Seattle early this morning bound from Anxos with ore to Tacoma. An attempt will be made to refloat her this evening.

MANSON IS SURE WINNER IN OMINICA

VANVERHOOF, July 17.—Hon. A. M. Manson is a sure winner in this constituency. His opponent Sheldford will not get three polls out of the total 36. The people throughout this constituency are convinced that this is no time for a change.

WESTMINSTER BEATEN AT LACROSSE, TORONTO, BY AN ALL-STAR TEAM

TORONTO, July 17.—The New Westminster Salmonbellies, Canada's Olympic lacrosse team, were defeated here last night by the local all-stars 7 to 4.

LOUGHRAN GIVEN DECISION OVER SCRANTON MINER

WILKESBAIRE, July 17.—Tommy Loughran, lightweight champion, noosed out a ten round decision over Pete Latzo, the Scranton miner.

NEW YORK IS PLAYING BALL BETTER TODAY

BOTH AMERICANS AND YANKEES PICKING UP AND RUTH HITTING HOMERS

NEW YORK, July 17.—Chicago Americans since Lena Blackburne took over the management from Ray Schalk on July 1 have won nine victories in twelve starts. For the second time in two playing days they took both ends of a double header from Boston yesterday. The Yankees demonstrated that they have recovered from their recent slump by taking the second consecutive double header from Cleveland. Ruth hit his 35th homer in the third inning of the opener and is now standing 22 games, 20 days and five homers ahead of his 1927 schedule.

DONAGHY AND TOLMIE SPEAK

MINISTER OF FINANCE URGES GIVING MACLEAN FIAT TO SELL P. G. E.

VANCOUVER, July 17.—Hon. Dugald Donaghy, addressing a meeting last night, warned that if the Liberals were defeated "you must bid farewell to all hope of getting rid of the P. G. E. No deal will be made, so far as I can see, if you turn down the man who tells you his policy is to sell the road. Ottawa will hear your verdict and act accordingly."

Dr. Tolmie addressing another meeting last night said his party would give good clean, honest government and would attempt to get a dollar value for a dollar expended. He said he wished a better understanding with the prairies where in some sections he found hostility toward British Columbia and a desire to favor trade with the United States rather than this province.

FOREST FIRES NORTH MANITOBA

MINING TOWN OF CRANBERRY PORTAGE NORTH OF THE PAS THREATENED

WINNIPEG, July 17.—Sweeping through the northern districts in the mineral belts adjacent to The Pas forest fires reached alarming proportions and unless rain comes soon fear is expressed that they will get beyond control. The dangers and prove a great menace to mining camps and settlements in the north. The fires are all within a 30 mile area.

For a time Saturday the mining town of Cranberry Portage, north of The Pas was threatened with destruction but rain came just in time to check the progress of the flames.

HELPED POLICE

VICTORIA, July 17.—Chris McRae, former member of the Legislature, was yesterday charged with assault for his part in assisting to eject Walter Harbord from a Liberal meeting in Victoria recently at the same time that Constable Samuel Strange, also charged by Harbord with assault, launched a counter charge against Harbord of interfering with an officer in the performance of his duty. All three cases are postponed to next Friday.

EDITORIAL

CIRCULAR TO SCANDINAVIANS

A circular letter is being sent out among Scandinavian people in this riding by K. W. Bruha, Conservative member for salmon Arm, the man who failed to put in an appearance for the proposed meeting last night, in which he suggests that Liberals in Canada do not treat foreigners fairly. Norway and Sweden are among the most liberal countries of Europe and the people the most intelligent any they will hardly be led away by such suggestion. Norwegians and those of Swedish birth will remember that Dr. Tolmie was a member of the Government who distanced them during the war and it is most unbecoming to his party now to suggest that they are the particular friends of those of foreign birth.

NEW BOATS FOR C.N.R.

VICTORIA, July 17.—Construction of three new coastwise passenger liners which will be larger and more modern than the present "Prince" ships will be undertaken. It was announced here today by Sir Henry Threlkeld. The liners will be ready for service in 1930 and the service will be again extended to Victoria and probably Seattle.

PRESIDENT OREGON OF MEXICO MURDERED

MEXICO CITY, July 17.—President-elect Oregon who was named to office only a few days ago, was assassinated today. Political enemies are held responsible for the killing and there is uproar in the capital today over the affair. The assassination took place at a banquet at a restaurant in Mexico City shortly after two o'clock this afternoon. Assassin who was not immediately identified was shot five times through the body.

BRITISH WINNERS OF YACHT RACES TODAY

DUNOON, Scotland, July 17.—The British six-metre yachting team won the new British-American cup by defeating the United States representatives in the fourth of a series of races on the Clyde. The British won three of the series and United States one.

PRICE OF WHEAT

VANCOUVER, July 17.—The price of wheat here today is quoted as \$1.25 1/2.

Notice to The Electors

J. H. Thompson and his campaign committee wish to announce that they disclaim all knowledge of the origin of the scurrilous letter about Mr. Pattullo which appeared in the Daily News yesterday. The personal character of Mr. Pattullo has not been and will not be attacked by the Conservative party and it would be in the interest of cleaner politics if such letters were consigned to the waste paper basket instead of being published. THOMPSON'S CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE.

Ogopogo Again Seen by Girl Guides and Nurse Okanagan Lake Friday

VERNON, July 17.—The Ogopogo, the mysterious monster which inhabits Okanagan Lake, was seen Friday by a group of girl guides and Miss L. Price, a nurse, disporting itself in Otter Bay.

The Lake was calm and Miss Price on the beach observed a motion in the water north of camp. In a few minutes a long creature swam swiftly from a point across the bay in a southerly direction. According to Miss Price and five girl guides, it was between thirty and forty feet long and swam with undulating motion.

The creature made quite a noise as it rushed through the water.

Few Reasons Why People Will Vote for MacLean Government Candidates at Polls Tomorrow Given Herewith

Here are a few of the reasons why we believe the electors will vote for the MacLean candidates tomorrow: They have given British Columbia the best government the province ever had. The Conservatives are offering nothing half as good. Liberals will be better able to conclude the deal to dispose of the P.G.E. Labor has little hope of getting anything from the Conservatives but they have been shown what the Liberals are willing to do. Liberal government means government for the people, whereas Conservative government means class government.

LIBERALISM IS SWEEPING SOUTH

THAT WAS WHAT KEPT R. W. BRUHN FROM COMING TO PRINCE RUPERT YESTERDAY

Yesterday it was announced locally that R. W. Bruhn, Conservative candidate in Salmon Arm, had failed to arrive here to address a meeting last night and the meeting was cancelled. The reason for Mr. Bruhn failing to appear was not set forth. Here it is: Mr. Bruhn had a hurry-up call from his own constituency saying that a wave of Liberalism was sweeping the interior and that it was necessary for him to return at once to help stem the tide. The result was that he immediately bought a ticket for Salmon Arm and is there now.

WESTMINSTER ROYALS ENTER SECOND STAGE FOOTBALL CHAMPION

VANCOUVER, July 17.—New Westminster Royals defeated Edmonton Canadian legion in the interprovincial soccer playoff in the Dominion championship 9 to 6 and winning the two game series 13 to 6, thus entering the western finals against either Winnipeg, Westbrooks or Saskatoon.

CONSERVATIVES WIN SEAT IN ENGLAND AT HALLAM, SHEFFIELD

LONDON, July 17.—The parliamentary seat for Hallam, Sheffield, vacated by Sir Frederick Sykes upon nomination to the post of Governor of Bombay has returned to the Conservatives by the election yesterday of L. W. Smith by a large majority.

YACHT OAXACA IS NOW RESTING ON BOULDERS

KETCHIKAN, July 17.—Salvage workers report the yacht Oaxaca which went aground north of here last week resting on a bed of boulders. The salvage King is expected to arrive soon to assist the Akuten of Ketchikan in making temporary repairs and floating the ship. The Oaxaca will probably be taken to Vancouver.

C.N.S.S. freighter Canadian Farmer Capt. John McKernan, which has been at the local dry dock for the past week having fish oil carrying tanks installed and undergoing cleaning and painting and annual inspection, will sail for the south on Wednesday or Thursday.

PATTULLO IS VERY CHEERFUL OVER ELECTION

SAYS NO MATTER WHAT PEOPLE HERE DO, PROVINCE AS WHOLE WILL SUPPORT MACLEAN

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, seen this morning in regard to the political situation on the eve of the election which takes place tomorrow, was very cheerful over the outlook. He said that whatever Prince Rupert might do, he felt sure the province as a whole would return the MacLean government with a good working majority. He also had faith in the people of Prince Rupert that they would again send him to Victoria to represent them. However, that was their option. He was in their hands. Tomorrow would tell the tale.

STORMS DAMAGE PRAIRIE CROPS

HEAVY TOLL IN SOME DISTRICTS FROM HAIL AND WIND LAST FEW DAYS

WINNIPEG, July 17.—One dead and several persons injured and severe damage to property and crops is the toll of electrical and hail storms in several Saskatchewan districts Friday, word received here yesterday indicates.

MELROSE, July 17.—George Roehl, 16 years of age, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. High winds wrecked numerous barns. In southern Saskatchewan storms, winds and hail took heavy toll, bringing ruin to crops and destruction to buildings. One man lost a flock of 300 sheep killed by hail and a cyclonic wind.

LIQUOR DEALER DEFIES COURT

REFUSES TO ATTEND AS WITNESS TO GIVE EVIDENCE BEFORE COMMISSION

VANCOUVER, July 17.—Challenging the jurisdiction of Commissioner Gordon Lindsay to inquire into alleged violation of the excise law Harry Beitel, secretary of Joseph Kennedy Ltd., dealers in wines and spirits, refused to attend as a witness Monday afternoon although served with a subpoena.

HOMES BURNED JORDAN RIVER

VICTORIA, July 17.—A fire yesterday afternoon at Jordan River destroyed three homes and damaged adjoining premises. The places destroyed were those of Mrs. Bent, the post office, the homes of Mr. Davidson, Mr. Dedingham, Mr. Lee and the Community Hall was damaged as well as the Government telegraph lines.

Opposition candidate or accredited representative invited to Westholme to speak on same platform with Hon. T. D. Pattullo tonight at 8.

PUBLIC MEETING

WESTHOLME THEATRE

Tuesday, July 17

Hon. T. D. Pattullo

will address the meeting.

An invitation is extended to the opposing candidate, James H. Thompson, or his accredited representative. Ladies especially invited.

How to Mark Your Ballot on Wednesday

Table with 2 columns: Name and Mark. Pattullo, Thos. Dufferin (X), Thompson, James H.