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Lloyd George Wields Big Stick for First Time Since Election to Warn Labor Against Socialism

LONDON, June 13. — Liberalism and not Socialism must be the keynote of the new Labor Government's policy or its career will come to a summary conclusion, declared Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, in outlining this afternoon the policy the Liberal party would pursue in the coming Parliamentary session.

"Before the meeting of the Liberal Parliamentary Party, we shall await with interest the forthcoming declaration of ministerial policy," said Mr. Lloyd George. "But we must declare that as far as lies in our power the mandate of the Government ends when it fails to pursue the Liberal policy. At the very hour the ministry decides to become a Socialist administration its career ends, for it has no authority from the nation to embark upon Socialistic experiments. It could then be kept in power only by Tory votes or Tory indulgence."

The Liberal leader said the Liberals represented 5,300,000 of their fellow countrymen and women and that neither insults nor grumbles could detract from that striking fact. "We must not use the power given to us by the electors in a paltry, fractious or pettish spirit. This government was not called into being by the verdict of the nation but by Mr. Baldwin's midwifery," said Lloyd George.

Lloyd George was unanimously elected chairman and leader of the Liberal party in Parliament. The meeting was at the National Liberal Club.

PREMIERS SEND FELICITATIONS

Macdonald despatches Message to Mackenzie King and Latter Replies in Kind

CO-OPERATION URGED

Renewal of Former Pleasant Associations Anticipated by Both Prime Ministers

OTTAWA, June 13.—Rt. Hon. Ramsay Macdonald, prime minister of Great Britain, has cabled the following message to Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, premier of Canada:

"As one of my first acts in again taking up the office of prime minister, I should like to say how much I am looking forward to co-operating with you. I feel sure we can do great things together in promoting the interests of the British Commonwealth and of the world as a whole. It will be my earnest hope to continue the happy relations which existed between you and my predecessor."

Premier King replied: "May I express my warmest appreciation for your message. I, too, look forward with much pleasure to a renewal of our co-operation in Imperial and international matters of common interest. I very cordially share your hope that aims and ideals which we cherish in common may thereby be materially furthered."

AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

John Dawson Only Surviving American in English Play; Fifth Round Is Completed

SANDWICH, June 12.—Philip Perkins, defending champion, was eliminated from the British amateur golf championships today by a single hole by Andrew McNair of Glasgow in the fourth round.

Cyril Tolley, former champion, defeated Robert H. Baugh Jr. of Birmingham, Alabama, and Oxford student three and two in the fifth round. John Dawson of Chicago also entered the sixth round, being the last American to get that far, by defeating S. L. McKinlay of Glasgow two and one.

This afternoon A. J. Evans, London lawyer, defeated Andrew McNair.

STATEMENT OF NORMAN WATT

He Suggests Publication of Letter and Manner of Securing It

The following letter was received from Norman Watt this morning:

As my dismissal from the service of the Provincial Government becomes effective tomorrow, I feel that I owe it to both the public and myself to make a public statement.

As you know, I have been dismissed on the grounds of political activity. This charge I absolutely deny. I did, however, write a personal letter to T. D. Pattullo prior to the last general election. In this letter I made certain specific recommendations which I considered to be in the interests of the service, and for which I assume full responsibility. The point I wish to make, however, is that the letter in question was a personal one, and would appear to form the entire basis of my dismissal. I understand this letter is in possession of the Honorable Mr. Shelly. Mr. Shelly has my approval to the publication of the letter and to explain, if he so desires, the particular manner in which it came into his possession.

Unless this personal letter to Mr. Pattullo can be construed as evidence of political activity, then I challenge Mr. Shelly to substantiate that I have by word or deed, shown the slightest political activity during the five years I have occupied the position of government agent at this point. I understand considerable protest has been filed with Victoria regarding my dismissal. I wish to make it plain that I am not in any way responsible for the filing of such protest.

NORMAN A. WATT.

APPOINTMENTS GREAT BRITAIN

Labor Men to Be Connected With Royal Household and Other Positions

LONDON, June 13.—The remaining Government appointments are expected to be made by Premier Ramsay Macdonald without delay. They include several offices connected with the Royal household, holders of which must be approved by His Majesty.

J. H. Hays, Labor member for Edgely, Liverpool, for ten years sergeant in the metropolitan police force, is cited to become vice-chamberlain of the household, and Tom Henderson, who formerly worked on the Clyde as ship carpenter, to be comptroller of the Royal household. B. T. Smith, member for that very workaday district of London called Rotherhithe, will be treasurer of the household.

Sir Henry Slosson has been appointed lord justice of appeal to succeed Sir John Sankey, the new lord chancellor. The appointment creates a vacancy in southeast Leeds, which Sir Henry has represented since 1924.

CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S GUILD FORMED HERE

New Organization Came Into Being Yesterday With Mrs. M. A. Burbank President

At a meeting yesterday afternoon in the Moose Hall, with Dr. John A. West presiding, a local guild for the assistance of the Crippled Children's Hospital in Vancouver was organized by Mrs. Joseph Sheasgreen. Officers are as follows:

President — Mrs. M. A. Burbank.
Vice-president — Mrs. M. H. Blott.
Secretary-treasurer — Mrs. G. A. Bryant.
Convener of sewing — Mrs. G. E. Windsor.

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(Courtesy of S. D. Johnston Co.)
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Nickel, 48.25.
Mandy, 85.
Newbec, 62.
Noranda, 52.50.
Sudbury, 8.00.
Sheritt Gordon, 7.15.
Teck Hughes, 8.45.

FLEET ROBERTSON DIED AT EVERETT EN ROUTE ENGLAND

VICTORIA, June 13.—William Fleet Robertson, 23 years provincial mineralogist, died yesterday at Everett, Washington, where he was taken ill while en route to England via the Panama canal from Victoria.

Mr. Robertson was born at Montreal in 1859 and retired from active work in 1925.

Terrace to be Represented in Full Force at Convention with New Province Resolution

TERRACE, June 13.—Terrace will be represented at the convention of the Associated Boards of Trade with a full complement of delegates and they will bring with them a resolution for submission to the gathering asking that a committee be appointed to inquire into the whole subject of the feasibility and desirability of forming a new province. Several other resolutions will be brought forward, but this was the outstanding one and was adopted following a discussion on the subject.

The delegates chosen consisted of E. T. Kenney, W. A. Kirkpatrick, W. H. Burnett and W. Chapman, representing the Terrace district, and J. Willman, representing U.S. Alternates were C. R. Gilbert, O. T. Sundal, N. Sherwood, H. Halliwell and A. A. McDonald, the latter being from U.S. J. K. Gordon as past president and chairman of the municipal council, is also eligible to take part in the convention.

NEW FLOATS HERE READY THIS FALL

It is expected that tenders will be called within the next month for the new fishermen's floats which are to be built here just east of the dry dock. It was stated yesterday by J. P. Forde, district engineer for the federal department of public works, who was in the city en route to the Yukon Territory. Within two months after the letting of the contract, it is expected that the floats will have been completed and ready for use. Plans and specifications have now been forwarded to Ottawa for final approval.

TERRACE HEARS ENGINEER TELL OF ROAD PLANS

Sum of \$60,000 to Be Spent on Main Highway and Smaller Sums on Others

TERRACE, June 13.—Five thousand dollars is to be spent on the Kalam Lake highway, \$3,500 on the Lakelse road, and \$4,000 on the roads in the vicinity of town, according to W. K. Gwyer, district engineer of Prince Rupert, who accompanied by W. H. Cotton, assistant engineer of Smithers, met the Board of Trade at their monthly gathering yesterday. He also stated that \$60,000 would be spent on the provincial highway between Copper City and Skeena Crossing. He planned to go over the Remo road and would make an allotment for it.

Mr. Gwyer assured the meeting that the roads would be built to standard condition. It was the policy of his department to have the work laid out properly first and then carried through as quickly as funds would permit, either by contract or otherwise. He was already formulating a program to submit to the department for next year's work in this district.

Assurance of co-operation in working for the best interests of the district was extended. Appreciation of the engineers' attendance and the address was voiced, it being stated that the policy and method he outlined in regard to public works activity was the best and most encouraging program formulated here in some time.

On being asked, Mr. Gwyer stated that no work would be done on the road between the head of Lakelse Lake and the highway this year, it being too expensive a job for what funds were available.

CONSERVATIVES GOT MOST VOTES IN THE BRITISH ELECTIONS

Popular vote totals covering the practically complete results in the British elections show that although the Conservatives failed to win as many seats as the Laborites, they were given more votes by the people than any other party of the British Isles. The total vote, in round figures, is about as follows:

Conservatives	8,700,000
Laborites	8,400,000
Liberals	5,200,000
Independents	250,000
Communists	50,000
Total	22,600,000

LARGE PACK AT CLAM CANNERY

Langara Fishing & Packing Co. Has Big Production at Tow Hill Plant, Near Massett

The Langara Fishing & Packing Co. has put up a large pack of clams at the cannery at Tow Hill, near Massett, this spring. Up to the end of May some ten thousand cases had been shipped and packing operations are still in progress. Later in the summer the staff at the Tow Hill clam cannery will be transferred to the company's salmon cannery at New Massett.

Nationalists Win South African Polls-- Hertzog is Sustained

CAPETOWN, June 13.—It is now certain that the Nationalist-Labor Pact Government will have a majority in the new House Assembly. Whether or not Premier Hertzog will have a working majority is still doubtful.

CAPETOWN, June 13.—Figures so far in yesterday's South African election are favorable to General Jan Christian Smuts, leader of the South African party, and indicate the possibility of his receiving a majority and the government under Premier Hertzog being defeated. So far the sensation of the election has been the defeat of Hon. Thomas Boydell, minister of labor, in Greyville, Durban, where he was believed firmly entrenched. A split of the labor vote is believed to have defeated him.

With ninety-six out of 148 seats reported, the standing of parties at 8 o'clock tonight was as follows:

South African party (opposition), 50.
Nationalists (government supporters), 38.
Crawwell Laborites (government supporters), 5.
National Council Laborites, 3.
Early returns from urban constituencies were, as expected, predominantly in favor of the South African party. Here also most of the labor strength was situated. Practically all the early gains of the South African party were from Laborites.

FINANCING OF STEWART MINES

H. W. L. Rolston on His Way North From Visit Regard to Mining Development

H. W. L. Rolston of Stewart, editor of the Stewart News and Stock Broker, is in the city today en route home, after being in the south and east in connection with the financing of Stewart properties. He has been successful in connection with the formation of the Northern Metals Holding Syndicate, the object of which is to take options to control the Blackhill Mining Co., the Bitter Creek Mines, Ltd., and any other properties which it may be thought advisable. It is expected to ship ore from the Blackhill property this year and make a good profit.

Mr. Rolston is enthusiastic over the mining prospects, but objects very strenuously to the mining stock tax which has been finally adopted by the Dominion Government and which, he claims, will injure the prospector.

MACDONALD TO MEET DAWES IN SCOTLAND

British Premier to Receive United States Ambassador at Forres on Sunday

LONDON, June 13.—It was authoritatively stated today that British Ambassador Charles G. Dawes would travel to Scotland on Sunday to meet Premier Macdonald at Forres, a little town seventeen miles from Lossiemouth, where the Premier is spending a brief vacation.

CONDUCTS HIS OWN DEFENCE

Joe Sankey Disdains Counsel in Charge of Stolen Goods in Possession

Joe Sankey, Port Simpson Indian, is conducting his own defence in County Court this afternoon before Judge Young against a charge of having stolen goods, namely gear from the local halibut boat Ingrid H., in his possession. His considerable previous experience in court in which he was acquitted of a murder charge has provided the native with a good deal of resource in handling himself on this occasion.

Yesterday afternoon, Joshua Tait, associated with Sankey in the stolen goods charge, was dismissed. L. W. Patmore was his counsel.

W. E. Fisher is crown counsel for both cases.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. John Lindseth extends his sincere thanks to all friends for the kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received in his recent bereavement.