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Mackenzie King New Leader of Liberal Party in Canada Was Chosen by Convention

Had Close Run For Position with Fielding Second Secured Support From every Province, But Especially from Quebec and Manitoba; Is Only 45 Years of Age.

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
 Ottawa, August 8.—William Lyon Mackenzie King, formerly minister of labor in the Laurier Government, was chosen leader of the Liberal party in Canada by the big convention of Liberals in session here yesterday. Four names were nominated for the position, W. S. Fielding, George P. Graham, D. D. McKenzie and L. Mackenzie King.
 Four votes were taken and Mr. King led the poll each time. The first ballot gave King 344 votes, Fielding 297, Graham 153, and McKenzie 153. On the second ballot King increased his lead still did not get a majority. The vote stood, King 411, Fielding 344, Graham 124, and McKenzie 60. Before the third ballot Graham announced his retirement and after the third, McKenzie withdrew, making it a straight vote between King and Fielding. The result gave King 476 and Fielding 438.
 Just as the nominations were made Lady Laurier entered the hall and was given an ovation. The whole convention rose en masse and cheered. The utmost enthusiasm was aroused. It is very difficult to analyze the vote secured by the candidates for the leadership. Whence each man derived his support cannot be known because the ballot papers were purposely mixed so the count was not taken by provinces. It is known, however, that King secured a good deal of support from practically all the provinces, but particularly heavy from Quebec and Manitoba. Fielding secured a heavy vote from Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia and the maritime provinces.
 W. L. Mackenzie King was born in Kitchener (Berlin) Ont., December 17, 1874 and is, therefore, 45 years of age. He was educated at Toronto University and also took post graduate courses at Chicago University and Harvard, securing his M. A. and Ph.D. degrees.
 He was deputy minister of labor and editor of the Labor Gazette and later became minister of labor in the Laurier cabinet. Took part in many commissions and inquiries into disputes. In 1914 he was appointed director of the investigation of industrial relations instituted by the Rockefeller Foundation of New York and has held many important positions in clubs and societies. He is an author of repute and his latest book, "Industry and Democracy," has attracted a great deal of attention and has been widely read.

HON. T. D. PATTULLO WENT SOUTH LAST NIGHT

Returned to Capital With Mrs. Pattullo and Daughter on Prince George.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo returned last night from a visit through the district going as far as Prince George where he met his father, the former editor of the Woodstock Sentinel. Shortly afterwards he went south, taking Mrs. Pattullo and daughter with him. Mrs. Pattullo found things very busy along the railway line. Settlers were coming in and everyone was clamoring for new roads and other improvements in order to accommodate the settlers. While the minister was away Mrs. and Miss Pattullo were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Hays.

NEW CAR FERRY SLIP HAS BEEN COMMENCED AND WILL BE FINISHED IN OCTOBER

COST OF DOCK WILL BE ABOUT \$50,000—WILL BE LOCATED AT SOUTHWEST END OF SECTION TWO NEAR FOG ALARM

Work has commenced on the new car ferry slips which are being built by the Grand Trunk Pacific for the handling of the products of the district in car load lots without trans-shipment. The new car ferry dock, it is estimated, will cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000 and should be completed in about two months. It is to be located opposite the bell fog alarm opposite the southwest extremity of Section 2, and near the location for the ocean docks which it is proposed to build. It will be three cars wide and will therefore allow of the loading or unloading of three cars at one time, accommodating a car barge carrying nine loaded cars.
 Not only will the new slip be useful in handling shingles, sulphite, paper and other products from Swanson Bay, Ocean Falls and other points, but it will be used in distributing machinery and other supplies without breaking cars to Stewart, Alice Arm, Granby and any points on tide water.

E. C. HOY FLIES OVER ROCKIES; HALL SMASHES HIS MACHINE

FIRST FLIGHT OVER MOUNTAINS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED BY VANCOUVER AVIATOR LAST EVENING AT 8:55—LIEUT. HALL'S MACHINE OUT OF BUSINESS

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
 Calgary, August 8.—Captain E. C. Hoy in a race against darkness successfully completed his long flight from Vancouver, arriving here and landing safely at 8:55 last evening. He made several stops en route, at Chilliwack, Vernon and other points.
 Nelson, August 8.—Lieut. Ernie Hall, who attempted to beat Capt. Hoy in a flight over the Rockies, smashed his machine at Canyon City while attempting to make a landing to secure gasoline.

BETTER PRICES FOR HALIBUT

Ten and a Half Cents Paid For Five Car Loads This Morning.

There was a slight stiffening of fish prices on the exchange this morning, the average for first-class being ten and a half cents. A large number of sales were made, each of the local buyers securing a share. The following were the catches: Tatoosh, 10,000 lbs.; Lumen, 12,000; Helena, 13,000; Brothers, 6,000; Yellowstone, 13,000; Bartalome, 10,000; Ranier, 8,000; White Star, 10,000; Alameda, 8,000; Reliance, 27,000; Director, 8,000; Venus, 14,000; Gilford, 14,000; Advance, 14,000; Pair of Jacks, 9,000; Dorreen, 10,000; Ringleader, 8,000; Bayview, 10,000; Rosepoint, 8,000; M. M. Christopher, 2,500; Notlad, 4,000; Verna, 5,000, and Mayflower, 6,000 pounds.
 Of these enough boats were sold this morning to fill five car loads. The average price was 10.5 and 5 cents.

CURRIE KEPT IN ENGLAND, SHIP HELD UP

Labor Condition is Improving, But Still Serious—Bread Famine in Liverpool.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
 Liverpool, August 8.—General Currie, who was to have sailed for Canada on the Corona has been delayed owing to labor troubles at Liverpool and will not sail until tomorrow.
 The labor situation is improving, but many ships are still held up. The city is still without street cars and a real bread famine exists.
 London, August 8.—The strike of bakers and Yorkshire miners is still unsettled, but the railway position in London is resuming a normal aspect.

LADY CHARGED WITH GETTING RUSSIAN GOLD

Sylvia Pankhurst, Feminine Agitator, Said to Have Been in Pay of Bela Kun.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
 London, Aug. 8.—Sylvia Pankhurst, the leading English feminine agitator, is again in the limelight. Scotland Yard officials charge her with receiving \$30,000 of Russian gold from Bela Kun, the Hungarian soviet leader to be used in promoting British strikes. Miss Pankhurst denies having received the money.

OBJECTION TAKEN TO PROFITEERING BILL

English Newspapers Take Exception to Sudden Decision of The Government.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
 London, August 8.—The Government's decision to introduce a profiteering bill into parliament met with many adverse comments. Many newspapers condemned the terms of the bill which provide for a system of "tradables." Others expressed dissatisfaction with the decision which interrupted the work of the parliamentary committees.
 St. Andrew's Society regular business meeting tonight at 8 o'clock.

PRESIDENT WILL DISCUSS WAGES WITH RAILWAYMEN

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
 Washington, Aug. 8.—President Wilson has notified the Director General of Diners that he is authorized to take up the hands of the railroad shopmen for higher wages and determine on their merits.
 The President said that "until employees return to work and we recognize the authority of the organization, the whole matter must be at a standstill."

SIR DOUGLAS HAIG BECOMES AN EARL

London, Aug. 8.—Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig has been raised to the peerage by King George as a reward for his services to the country in the recent war. He will take the title of Earl Haig of Bernessyde.

NEW BUILDINGS FOR THIS CITY

Plans Drawn by Local Architect For Apartment Houses and Soldiers' Dwellings.
 William Bruce is preparing drawings for a permanent and thoroughly modern apartment building on 3rd Avenue to contain 12 large suites on the upper floors and 12 store rooms in the basement with a laundry for the use of the tenants, all complete. The building will cost upwards of \$40,000. Also he has a large scheme for the corner of 4th Ave and Agnew Place, of 24 suites, six storeys high. At the present time this scheme is under the consideration of a capitalist in the south and the beginning of construction will depend upon the progress of the shipbuilding. The cost of land and buildings will be about \$100,000.
 For the returned men eight sets of drawings have been prepared, six for section 2 and two for other parts of the city, and the construction of the eight buildings will begin as soon as the drawings are approved by the authorities.



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POWER SCHOONER IS HERE WITH SALMON

The power schooner Alki, the property of the Washington Tug & Barge Co., is in this afternoon with a cargo of salmon from Alaska. She is a fine boat and has a capacity of about 25,000 cases of salmon.

TWO YEARS IN PEN. FOR STEALING SHOES

The Chinaman, Jou You, who was recently convicted of stealing shoes from McArthur's shoe store was this afternoon sentenced by Judge Young to two years in the penitentiary with hard labor.

Arthur Manson—returned to Vancouver on the Prince George last night, having been holidaying here for the past few weeks. It is only a short time since "Art" returned from overseas and all his old school friends were very glad to see him for the brief holiday. Art is the star first baseman for the Prince Rupert baseball team and is always a great favorite with both players and fans on account of his clean playing.

Mrs. T. Ballinger and family arrived from Terrace last evening to join Mr. Ballinger here. During the summer months they have been visiting on their ranch near Terrace.

Your opportunity now to procure carpet squares at Tite's sale, 20 per cent reduction. 85
 Carhart's overalls and gloves. Agent, J. F. Maguire, Smith Block.

FRUIT CASES BEFORE COURT

J. C. Gavigan and J. Killas Appear With L. W. Patmore Defending Them.

In the police court this morning before Magistrate McMordie, James Killas and J. C. Gavigan appeared charged with keeping their stores open after 6:30. Police Constable Bailey testified that he had bought fruit in both places between 8 and 9 o'clock on Tuesday evening. Chief Vickers stated that he had seen lots of people going in and buying fruit and taking it away with them on that same evening.

L. W. Patmore for the defense claimed that both places were refreshment houses and he said that he could see no difference in carrying away fruit from carrying away ice cream. The fruit was the minor part of their overturn. Both merchants testified that the fruit stock was only a percentage of their main line. It was only on the side for the convenience of the public who require such a place to go and get their fresh fruit.

In conclusion Mr. Patmore pointed out that the whole business had come to a head when J. C. Gavigan started up his business. Before that time no thought had been taken of Jim Killas selling his fruit and, as was stated, the Retail Merchants in 1916, at the time the petition for early closing was circulated, did not take him into account. Jim Killas had come along as the "goat in the tail end of a scrap among the grocers."

The case was adjourned until tomorrow morning.
 Easy chairs, rockers, bed springs and mattresses. Tite's Big August Sale. 185

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