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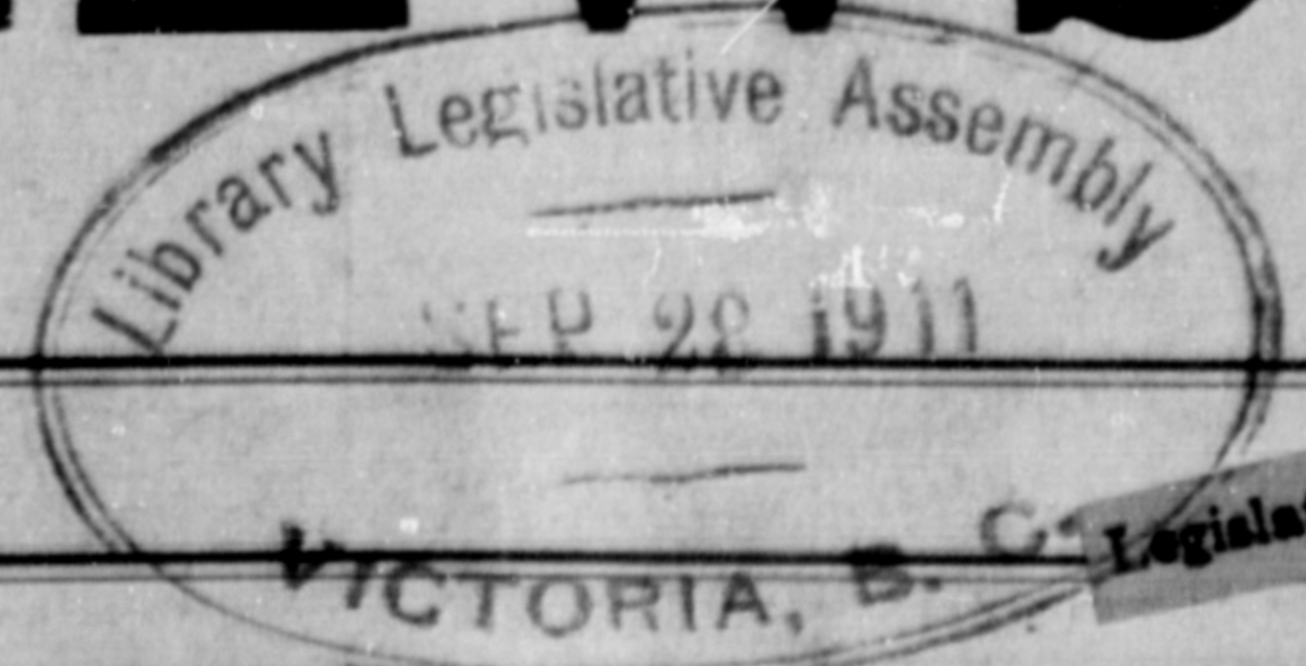
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PRICE FIVE CENTS

PRICE OF FOODS RISE ON DEFEAT OF RECIPROACITY

BORDEN IS TRIUMPHANT TAFT IS DISAPPOINTED

Upon Receipt of News That Reciprocity Was Defeated the Prices of Foodstuffs on the Chicago Market Started to Soar—Increased Prices on Foodstuffs Sure to Follow

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Halifax, September 22.—Mr. R. L. Borden, leader of the Conservatives, has dictated the following statement, following his victory:

"In rejecting reciprocity, Canada has amply affirmed her adherence to the policy of national development which she has pursued for many years. The Government, without a mandate from the people, undertook to reverse that policy and upon submitting their action to the people were defeated.

"The verdict was in no wise dictated by a spirit of unfriendliness to the great neighboring republic. No such spirit exists. My conception of friendly relations can be best maintained if each country preserves complete and entire control over its own tariff and enters into no entangling agreements which might impair and effect that control."

President Taft Disappointed

Kalamazoo, Mich., September 22.—President Taft received most of the returns of the Canadian elections by wire last night. As the bulletins indicated the defeat of the Government and of reciprocity, the President expressed his bitter disappointment.

At Washington the utterances of Champ Clark when he referred to the annexation is attributed to a great extent, the result of the polling.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Chicago, September 22.—Prices of all foodstuffs rose sharply today as a result of the defeat of reciprocity by the Canadian voters. Wheat, oats, flour and barley are soaring. Increased prices to consumers on all the food supply is sure to follow.

Winnipeg, September 22.—Great disappointment was felt in many households in Western Canada today at the defeat of reciprocity. To the average family reciprocity meant a saving of \$100 a year on table provisions. It would have put more spending money in the pockets of the farmers by the reduced cost of American hams, canned goods, meats, vegetables and fruits.

ELECTION OF CLEMENTS NOW GENERALLY CONCEDED

Returns Came in Slowly All Morning and There Are a Number of Polling Places to be Heard From Clements Majority is Now Sixty-two

The election of Mr. Clements is practically conceded. All the morning returns were coming in by wire, wireless, steamer and launch. Sometimes the added figures giving Ross the majority and sometimes wiping this out and giving his opponent the lead. At eleven this morning, with forty-five polling places still to hear from, the majority for Clements was 93, Courtney being the last poll reported.

At the time of going to press Mr. Clements' majority had receded to 62. The places reporting this morning included:

Ross	Clements	
Valdez Island.....	4	30
Port Alberni.....	15	70
Coombs.....	4	2
Parkesville.....	24	42
Alberni.....	63	87
Campbell River.....	7	14
Whaleton.....	2	13
Tofino.....	33	13
Hornby Island.....	6	8
Union Bay.....	26	21
Nanose.....	6	16
Wellington.....	32	38
Uchuelet.....	13	8
Pachena Bay.....	4	1
Porcher Island.....	10	10
Ti-Ei River.....	2	2
Spiller River.....	7	3
Chicken Lake.....	4	4
Pleasant Valley.....	6	7
Claxton.....	2	9
Welcome Harbor.....	6	2
Vananda.....	15	33
Bowen Island.....	6	10
No. Francois Lake.....	2	0
Denham Island.....	14	16
Aldermere.....	17	15

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ARE ALL ELATED AT THE RESULT

Tariff Reformers in England Overjoyed at Defeat of Reciprocity.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, Sept. 22.—The tariff reformers here are all elated over the result of the Canadian elections which they say hastens the day of Imperial preference.

The moderate tariff reform morning papers expressed great regret at the disappearance of such a staunch Imperialist as Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

If you can do a certain work as well as anybody else can do it—why not advertise the fact.

BASEBALL SCORES

FRIDAY GAMES

Northwestern League

Vancouver 2, Seattle 0.

Other games postponed; rain.

Pacific Coast League

Portland 4, Oakland 3.

Los Angeles 5, San Francisco 2.

American League

Philadelphia 2, St. Louis 1.

Detroit 8, Boston 3.

New York 4, Cleveland 3.

Chicago 1, 5; Washington 0, 0.

National League

New York 4, St. Louis 3.

Chicago 8, Philadelphia 3.

Cincinnati 5, Brooklyn 3.

Boston 1, Pittsburg 0.

McBRIDE MAY ENTER CABINET

Ottawa Journal Says He will be Made Minister for the Interior.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—Mr. Borden is expected to reach here today in reply to the Governor-General's summons to begin the task of cabinet making. The "Journal" which is in close touch with the Premier-elect last night mentioned the names of Hon. R. McBride for the portfolio of Works for the Interior, and that of Mr. A. S. Goodeve for the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

GRAND TRUNK TO START BIG GRADING OPERATIONS

Plans are All Ready For the Removal of Over One Million Two Hundred Thousand Yards of Material for Station Site, Round House and Dry Dock Work

Tenders have just been called for by General Superintendent Mehan of the G. T. P., for the excavation and grading work for the new station site, round house sites, yard clearing, dry dock and ship building yards, etc., in line with the big developments promised by the G. T. P. after the settlement of the assessment problem. The railway engineering staff have just completed the cross sectioning of the areas to be graded, and their estimate of the amount of work to be done shows that no fewer than one million two hundred thousand cubic yards of material must be removed. Of this at least 840,000 yards is solid rock, the rest being gravel, loose rock or muskeg.

Station site and yards extend from the present engine house to the Kelly-Douglas building, and right back to the post office. Dry dock grading work will be over a space of 4000 feet from Cameron Bay towards Hays Cove. The work will be a steam shovel job all through, and will involve an enormous plant and grading gang. At least three steam shovels will be required, says General Superintendent Mehan. All the local contractors have been notified of the measurements, etc., and are now looking over the ground.

ALAS, ALAS, ALAS.

The following interchange of telegrams between two well known citizens needs no explanation:

C. W. Peck,
Prince Rupert.
Snowed under. Heads hardly showing. But still living.—J. Y. Rochester
J. Y. Rochester,
Vancouver.
Confined to bed since election. God help us.—C. W. Peck.

"THE COUNTRY HAS SPOKEN AND WE MUST BOW TO THE INEVITABLE"

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Makes Statement to the Canadian People—"Glad to Lay Down the Burden of the Premiership After Fifteen Years"

Special to The Daily News

Quebec, Sept. 22---"There is no doubt we have been decisively defeated. I gladly lay down the premiership, a burden which I have been carrying for 15 years.

We believed that in making the reciprocity arrangement we had done something which would be greatly to the benefit of the people of Canada. The electors declared otherwise and I bow to their decision.

I regret we have been unable to carry reciprocity, which I still believe would have protected the material advancement of Canada and would have promoted a closer feeling between Canada and the United States. However, the country has spoken. We must bow to the inevitable and I cheerfully do so.

WILFRID LAURIER."

MARKET WAS HIT

Election News Sent Railway Stock Down—C. P. R. Rose Five Points.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Chicago, Sept. 22.—The defeat of reciprocity in Canada exerted a great interest on stocks especially those of the transportation companies which fell many points. C. P. R. gained five points.

Anniversary Service

It is just a year ago tomorrow since the Salvation Army under Ensign Johnston started work in Prince Rupert. The local officers will celebrate the occasion by special services at the Citadel tomorrow.

There will be special music and decorations, and a special address by the Ensign.

Building Permits

The building permits for the week include a residence for the Prince Rupert Home Builders Co., on Fifth avenue to cost \$1900; Residence for A. J. Burroughs on Ambrose avenue to cost \$1,000; Store for Mike Seve on Eighth avenue to cost \$500; and Addition to Mr. M. P. McCaffery's property on Third avenue to cost \$500.

Wedding [Next Thursday]

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Emillie Lysle, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mortie Harley Craig, to Mr. Douglas Duncan McTavish of Victoria, which will take place on September 28.

EARTHQUAKE VISITS ALASKA

Shook Cable Station at Valdez and Severed the Cable Wires—Lasted Over an Hour.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Seattle, Sept. 23.—A severe earthquake was felt over a portion of Alaska last night rocking the cable station at Valdez, and severing the cable wire between that place and Sitka.

The seismograph at Seattle which recorded the shock gives the duration at sixty-three minutes.

AVIATOR MEETS TERRIBLE DEATH

Frank Miller is Roasted in Mid-air by Gasoline Explosion at Troy North.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Dayton, Ohio, Sept. 23.—Frank Miller, the American aviator, was burned to death in mid-air yesterday afternoon when the gasoline tank of his machine exploded while on an exhibition flight at Miami County Fair at Troy North. The awful spectacle was witnessed by thousands of people who had gathered to cheer the intrepid young fellow.

Just Arrived

Our new Fall stock of suitings just arrived. It is full of new and nobby patterns. It will pay you to see us before ordering your new suit.—Sweder Brothers, Helgerson Block. 2t

Baptist Services

"The Champion Chieftain or Our Ideal of the Hero," will be the subject of Rev. Warren H. McLeod's sermon tomorrow evening at 7.30 p.m. Morning worship at 11 a.m. Bible School and Brotherhood Baraca Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Music conducted by Mr. John E. Davey, organist and choirmaster. Strangers and visitors always welcome. All services held in McIntyre Hall on Third avenue near Sixth street.

May Come to Rupert

Mr. Hamar Greenwood, M. P. of England, with Mrs. Greenwood, has arrived in Canada. They are making a short visit at Toronto and intend coming to the Coast. They expect to be in Canada for about six weeks.

ANOTHER GOOD STRIKE

Joe McGrath is Again the Fortunate Discoverer

Joe McGrath got in from Goose Bay this morning, in his gasoline launch, exuberant over the rich mineral showings discovered this season in the vicinity of Alice Arm and particularly as to a grey copper and galena deposit that he himself located.

"It will go over \$250 to the ton," says Joe, "and it is not for sale. I have four claims and I am going to keep them and work them myself next spring. I leave on the Camosun tomorrow for my home in Victoria, where I purpose spending most of the winter."

RUPERT RAILWAY MAN SUFFERS SERIOUS HURT

George Anderson of Seventh Avenue Falls Under Freight Car and Loses Leg in Hospital—Much Sympathy For Young Wife and Children

George Anderson, one of the bridge building gang employed by the G. T. P., was run over by a freight car yesterday and his leg was so badly crushed that its amputation above the knee was necessary. The operation was performed by Dr. Eggert at the General Hospital yesterday and the patient is progressing well this morning.

The accident took place on the branch line to the tie wharf near the site of Ross and McColl's camp. Lumber for station and bridge construction was being transferred from a barge moored there, to cars for up river points. An engine and open freight cars were being used by a gang of several men. The men rode to and from the wharf to the siding where the lumber was being loaded and Anderson somehow fell off the car on one of these trips, and got caught by the wheels one of which passed clear over his leg before the engine could be stopped.

Had Anderson's fall been noticed at the instant there was a chance of his being spared injury, but the first warning his comrades had of his danger was his cry at the instant he was struck, and though the engine was very promptly stopped it was just a second too late. Mr. Anderson resides in a cottage on Seventh avenue, and his accident is a sore blow to his young wife. He has two children, one an infant six weeks old. General Superintendent Mehan spoke most kindly about him today, and is evidently vexed that the accident should have proved so serious.

LARGEST LIGHT ON THE COAST

Langara Lighthouse is Making Progress. Twelve Men are at Work on the Foundations Now. Commands Prince Rupert Approaches.

Langara Island is to have the largest lighthouse on the Pacific Coast. Twelve workmen are engaged at present in preparing the foundations for the structure which is to be of the most modern type and with powerful illumination to make the way clear for the ships of the seven seas and inward and outward bound to and from Prince Rupert. This lighthouse is an important aid to navigation for all vessels sailing these waters, and will be appreciated by the boats making the Island trip when completed. It is on a par with the plans of the late government for the development of Prince Rupert as a seaport, and will no doubt be completed along with the other marine works in progress, under the new regime.

Russian Dwarf Dead

"The Russian Prince," the 36-inch dwarf, who was exhibited in one of the side shows of the Western Fair, died suddenly from heart failure in the Grand Trunk station at London, Ont. His home was in New Orleans.