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## BOARD OF TRADE WINS INSURANCE FIGHT

### DETAILS OF THE SECURITY PACT ARE GIVEN OUT IN EUROPEAN CAPITALS

#### Prince Rupert Now on Equal Insurance Terms with Port of Vancouver

Board of Trade efforts to adjust matter has proved successful after long campaign from here

Excluded from the North American Warranty as from November 1, 1925, the port of Prince Rupert from now on will be on equal terms with Vancouver and all other southern terminal ports as regards insurance on hulls and cargoes. This is something towards the achievement of which the Prince Rupert Board of Trade has been devoting strenuous efforts for some time past. Notice of the success of these efforts was received yesterday by the secretary of the board from the vice-chairman and secretary of Institution of London Underwriters, London, England. It is expected that the change will have far-reaching effects in encouraging shipping to come to Prince Rupert, especially now that the elevator will soon be in a position to handle grain.

#### DUTCH VESSEL WAS FLOATED

Remdy Taken to Esquimalt Where She Will be Officially Inspected

#### INQUIRY INTO HOPE

VICTORIA, Oct. 20.—The freighter Eemdyk, which stranded in the fog last week at Beacon Island, where the salvage tug Hope capsized Saturday night with the loss of seven lives, was floated yesterday and brought here for inspection. No bodies were discovered despite a search which continued over the week-end. The Eemdyk arrived at Esquimalt last night with a fifteen-deck list to starboard. Wreck commissioner McPherson has been instructed by the department of marine at Ottawa to hold an investigation into the sinking of the Hope.

#### CHINESE TRY TO GET FREE

Effort Made to Secure Liberty on Technically Before Chief Justice

VICTORIA, Oct. 20.—On the mere ground that Magistrate George H. Hill of Ocean Falls was appointed for the counties of Allyn and Vancouver and that it was irregular for him to be appointed for both and acting for one, three Chinese are trying to escape convictions under the Opium and Narcotic Drugs Act. The Chinese are Ye Hung, alias Ah Hoy, Song Tong and Ghong Woy. The cases are before Chief Justice Hunter in Chambers today.

#### LLOYD GEORGE AND LIQUOR

Says Britain Should Investigate Possibilities of Prohibition There

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Speaking last night at the City Temple on "Responsibilities of Free Church Clergymen," Lloyd George declared that prohibition was an experiment Britain should investigate as last year the country spent \$316,000,000 on alcoholic liquor.

The following is the text of the new regulation which is being issued to all members of the Institute of London Underwriters:

"With reference to circular J. H. 6 dated September 24, 1925, the following recommendations of the Joint Hull Committee have now been approved by Lloyd's Underwriters' Association, the Liverpool Underwriters' Association and this Institute and will come into force as from November 1, 1925:

"(a) That the expressions 'North America Warranty' and 'North America Agreement' be substituted for B. N. A. Warranty and B. N. A. Agreement.

"(b) That the North America Warranty be amended to read:

"Warranted not to enter or sail from any port or place on the Atlantic Coast of North America, its rivers or adjacent islands, north of 43.40 deg. N. Lat., except the port of Halifax and for bunkering purposes only the ports of Louisburg and Sydney, nor to enter or sail from any port or place on the Pacific Coast of North America, its rivers or adjacent islands North of 50 deg. N. Lat. except Prince Rupert via Dixon Strait."

#### ESKIMO CHILDREN TO BE EDUCATED

SEWARD, Oct. 20.—Twenty-two Eskimo children arrived here today from Nome on the steamer Victoria to be placed in the Jesse Lee home here. The Victoria was en route to Seattle carrying a quarter of a million dollars worth of gold bullion returning from her last trip of the season to the far north.

#### SIR H. K. EGAN DIED SUDDENLY LAST NIGHT

OTTAWA, Oct. 20.—Sir Henry Kelly Egan died last night suddenly shortly after dinner, aged 76. He was a director of the Bank of Nova Scotia, managing director of the Hawkesbury Lumber Co. and a director of the Canadian Bank Note Company.

#### ASBESTOS KING DEAD

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Thomas F. Manville, the "Asbestos King," whose fortune is estimated at ten million dollars, died today aged 63.



"Barra Lad," Vancouver horse, in the jump which spelled a world's record and death. Having cleared 8 feet 1 1/2 inches at New Westminster, he died the following day from an internal injury sustained in the effort

#### MINING ACTION IS BEING HEARD HERE

J. H. Robertson Takes Capias Proceeding Against C. T. Cabrera in Connection With Black Sand Operations

Writ of capias having been taken out by L. W. Palmore on behalf of J. H. Robertson of Massett against C. T. Cabrera, mining engineer of the same place, hearing of the action started in the County Court yesterday afternoon and is being continued today. Robertson's action is based on a claim for remuneration for services rendered in connection with Cabrera's development of the Graham Island black sands for gold content. Milton Gonzales is appearing for the defendant.

#### INTERIOR IS BEHIND STORK

Liberal Candidate Given Great Receptions at Endako and Burns Lake

Word was received in the city this morning that Fred Stork, Liberal candidate in the federal election, and Hon. A. M. Manson, K.C., attorney general, addressed the largest public meeting ever held in Endako and were given a splendid reception indicating that Mr. Stork will get the majority of the votes there. The meeting was presided over by Dr. Bamford.

At Burns Lake Mr. Stork and Mr. Manson were also given a rousing reception at a largely attended meeting which was presided over by A. M. Buddy.

Mr. Manson will return to the city on Thursday afternoon and proceed south while Mr. Stork will remain in the interior until next Sunday.

#### SEVERAL MAYORALTY CANDIDATES OFFER CITY OF EDMONTON

EDMONTON, Oct. 20.—There will be no lack of candidates in the field in Edmonton this year, according to the present prospect. Mayor Blatchford is again offering his services, J. W. Adair and Rice Sheppard have also announced their candidatures, while J. T. J. Collinson and Ex-Mayor Short are mentioned as probable.

#### Baker and Sowash Fail in Appeal for New Trial and will be Hanged November 4 for Murder of Gillis

VANCOUVER, Oct. 20.—Owen "Cannonball" Baker and Harry Sowash, convicted before a Victoria assize jury on June 19 last for the murder of Capt. W. J. Gillis on the gas boat Beryl G. off Sidney Island on September 15, 1924, must hang on November 4. The British Columbia court of appeal in a judgment handed down this morning refused the application of the men for a new trial.

The men were originally sentenced to pay the extreme penalty on September 4 but on August 27 Mr. Justice Murphy in the Supreme Court at Victoria granted a reprieve until November 4 in order that the appeal might be heard.

#### STOLEN BOAT HABEAS CORPUS

Stewart Man Implicated in Case Being Tried at Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Oct. 20.—Because a warrant charging Alex. Gallagher, a Stewart hand-lagger, with bringing the launch George B., stolen December 12 from John Regan of Hyder, into Canadian waters, neglects to designate Gallagher as a thief, the latter asks for his discharge under a writ of habeas corpus.

N.J., Oct. 20.—Captain Robert Kinloch, Lieut. A. C. Martin, Sergt. Joseph Coulson, United States aviators, were killed yesterday when an airplane in which they were riding crashed. Wednesday.

#### Negro Crew of Liner Commanche Stampeded Madly Before Flames and Pulled Passengers from Boats

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The World today says the negro crew of the liner Commanche, which burned off the Florida coast Saturday night, stampeded madly before the flames, pulled the passengers out of the lifeboats and precipitated men and women into the sea, according to stories of the survivors. The charge is also made that the negro seamen were drunk when the fire started and could not be controlled by the officers.

**PUBLIC MEETING**  
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Speakers—**PAT MAITLAND,**  
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Everybody Welcome.

#### Details of Treaty are Announced at Capitals of European Countries

LONDON, Oct. 20.—The Locarno security results were shown when seven treaties which comprise Europe's newest and most promising preventive of war were made public at the various capitals last night.

First and foremost on the list is the security pact or treaty of mutual guarantee, guaranteeing the inviolability of the frontiers between Germany and Belgium and also Germany and France as fixed by the treaty of Versailles. It is to be signed in London, December 1, becoming effective when Germany joins the League of Nations.

By the treaty Germany on her side undertakes never to trespass on the soil of Belgium or France or to make warlike gestures in the demilitarized Rhineland area.

France and Belgium likewise promise not to violate Germany's western frontier. Should either party violate the agreement, the pact provides that Britain and Italy shall go to the aid of the aggrieved party.

#### C. P. RIEL TO GO EAST TO DRUM UP GRAIN TRADE HERE

Will Seek Business for Elevator—S. G. Webb is Appointed Secretary of Committee

The joint grain committee met yesterday afternoon and decided to send C. P. Riel of this city to the prairies to interview the grain shipping trade there with a view to having shipments made through the local elevator. Mr. Riel will leave shortly and will probably be away a couple of weeks during which time he will visit various grain centres of importance in Alberta and Saskatchewan contiguous to this port.

This morning S. G. Webb of the Daily News staff was appointed secretary of the committee.

#### SQUATTERS LOSE CASE IN STANLEY PARK ON APPEAL

OTTAWA, Oct. 20.—The supreme court of Canada today allowed the appeal of the Attorney General of British Columbia and the City of Vancouver in the Stanley Park squatters case. The judgment says: "Respondents Agnes Cummings and Maggie West having failed to establish adverse possession for the full statutory period the crown is entitled to secure their eviction."

#### STOCK MARKET

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Silvercrest		.09
Surf Inlet	.06 1/2	.07 3/4
Howe Sound	25.50	
Daly Alaska		.20
Rufus		.17
Porter Idaho		.15 1/2
Gladstone	.24 1/2	.26
Terminus		.40
Marmot		.10
Granby	16.00	
Silversmith	.24	.24 1/2
Lucky Jim	.14 1/2	.16
Glacier	.26 1/2	.28
Indian	.04	.06
Selkirk	.04	.04 1/2
Bayview	.05	.09 1/4

#### HUGE MEETING AT MONTREAL

Premier Mackenzie King Addresses Largest Political Gathering in Dominion

MONTREAL, Oct. 20.—It was a wonderful welcome that Premier William Lyon Mackenzie King received at Montreal last night. Fifteen thousand people were provided seating accommodation but that was not enough. Many remained standing and many others were unable to get near enough to hear the message that Canada's popular young premier brought them. In the course of his speech Mackenzie King referred to the fact that it was the largest political assembly ever held in the Dominion of Canada.

The Premier spoke well, taking up the various outstanding questions and eliciting piteous response from his huge audience. He dealt at some length with transportation and the tariff and made a plea for unity in the Canadian nation.

Liberals here are particularly enthused over the prospects.

#### FIVE YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

Three Girls Given Terms for Causing Death of Matron of Jail.

TORONTO, Oct. 20.—Five years in the penitentiary was the sentence meted out to Bessie Carrell, Jennie McMinn and Isabel Prouse, by Chief Justice Meredith yesterday for the parts the young women played in the death of the matron, Mrs. Margaret Mick, when they escaped from the municipal jail some months ago. They had pleaded guilty to a charge of manslaughter.

#### LEPER FOUND AT WELLINGTON

NANAIMO, Oct. 20.—A Chinese vegetable vendor afflicted with leprosy in advanced stages discovered at South Wellington has been isolated. Inspection of all the Chinese in the Vancouver Island lumber camps has been ordered.

#### BIRTH.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Feasby, 1046 Hays Cove Avenue, at the Prince Rupert General Hospital on October 11.



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Accounts up to October 16, totalling \$8,299.61 were passed for payment at the meeting of the city council last night.

The Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.'s trawler G. E. Foster entered dry dock this morning for cleaning and painting.

The Liberal committee rooms, corner Second Ave. and Fourth Street, next to the Walker's Music store are open every afternoon and evening. 251

Edward Edwards, Indian, charged with intoxication, was fined \$30 and costs in the city police court yesterday afternoon. A charge of supplying against Edwards was withdrawn. 251

Permission was given the Great War Veterans' Association by the city council last night on motion of Ald. McMordie and Ald. Perry to conduct the usual Poppy Day tagging on November 7.

Catholic Bazaar will open tomorrow Wednesday afternoon at 2.30, under the Empress Theatre on Sixth Street and will continue until Thursday evening when the list of prize winners will be announced.

A report from the finance committee recommending that a check for \$350 which had been issued as a loan to Police Constable Alex. Macdonald be cancelled was adopted by the city council last night. Constable Macdonald refused to accept the check.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, M.L.A. for Vancouver, is a passenger going south on the Gardena this afternoon after a successful campaign trip to Anyox. Alice Arm, Stewart and Premier in the interests of Fred Stork, the Liberal candidate for Skeena riding. Mrs. Smith is to address a meeting in the Westholme Theatre this afternoon at which Mrs. Fred Pyle will act as chairman.

Ald. McMordie suggested at last night's council meeting that it was not convenient for working men to register for the municipal election between the hours of 9 and 5 and asked that the office of the city clerk be kept open during the evening for the purpose of receiving registrations. City Solicitor Jones replied that it was the intention to keep the office open evenings the last three days of the month.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
Operatic and miscellaneous program. Westholme next Monday and Tuesday.

Catholic Church Bazaar, October 21 and 22.

Hospital Hallowe'en Ball, October 30.

Hill Sixty Chapter I.O.O.F. Bazaar, October 31.

K. of P. whist drive and dance, November 2.

Anglican Church Bazaar November 5.

Minstrel Serenade, United Church, November 5 & 6.

Presbyterian Church Bazaar November 12.

Royal Purple Bazaar November 13.

Moose Bazaar November 17 and 18.

Baptist Church Ladies' Aid Bazaar, November 26.

St. Andrew's Ladies' Auxiliary Bazaar, December 2.

Lutheran Church Ladies' Aid Bazaar, December 4.

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Judgment was reserved by Judge Young in the County Court this morning in the case of A. J. Prudhomme et al vs. Frank MacDonald. Room rent and loan of money was involved in the case.

Joseph Martin, charged with theft of goods from the gasboat Glory at Cow Bay, appeared before Judge Young in the County Court this morning and elected for speedy trial which will commence tomorrow.

Miss Irene Mounce, B.Sc., of the botanical branch of the federal department of agriculture, after spending the past month in this district on official duties, will sail by the Gardena this evening for Vancouver enroute to her headquarters in Ottawa.

An application from Sam Haudenschild to purchase tax sale lots 5 and 6, block 29, section 8, on which he proposes to erect a house was received by the city council last night. H. Rivett also applied to purchase lot 14, block 27, section 6. Both were referred to the finance committee for the usual course of action.

Union steamer Gardena, Capt. A. E. Dickson, is making a call in the Skeena River today to load salmon at North Pacific Cannery and is due to arrive here at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The vessel will clear at 5 o'clock for Vancouver having among her passengers for Vancouver: W. J. Murray, C. F. Gilbert, J. Littler, W. H. Chase and Miss Irene Mounce.

### WIRELESS REPORT

8 a.m.  
DIGBY ISLAND. — Raining, fresh southeast wind; barometer, 30.10; temperature, 54; sea choppy; 7.15 a.m. spoke steamer Gardena left Wales Island southbound.

DEAD TREE POINT. — Overcast, calm; barometer, 30.06; temperature, 42; sea smooth.

BULL HARBOR. — Cloudy, light southeast wind; barometer, 30.17; temperature, 50; moderate swell; 8 p.m. spoke tug Lorne off Harold Point bound for Powell River; 8 p.m. spoke steamer Mogul, Stewart for Anyox, 14 miles from Stewart.

Noon  
DIGBY ISLAND. — Raining, moderate southeast gale; barometer, 30.04; temperature, 54; sea rough.

DEAD TREE POINT. — Raining, calm; barometer, 30.00; temperature, 47; sea smooth.

BULL HARBOR. — Clear, light southeast wind; barometer, 30.14; temperature, 54; moderate swell; 8.50 a.m. spoke tug Cape Scott abeam Haddington Island southbound; 9.30 a.m. spoke steamer Venture at Telegraph Cove southbound; 9.30 a.m. spoke tug Pacific Monarch towing barge Biscayan left Bella Bella southbound.

**HOTEL ARRIVALS, Prince Rupert.**  
Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Sunderland, Ketchikan; Mr. and Mrs. J. Wynne and Dick, Skeena; G. W. Swanson, Esk; Mrs. J. Kirkaldy and A. King, Terrace; M. Dahlquist, Cedarvale.  
Central  
S. Shefsky and J. L. McEwen, C.N.R.; H. E. Myers, Atlin; P. Sheehan and W. Murray, city.

## FISH PRICES HIGHER TODAY

Over Twenty Cents Paid Several American Boats For Their Catches

Fish prices were higher again today, twenty cents and over being paid to several American boats. Details of the sale follow:

**American**  
Daley, 22,000, to Royal Fish Co. at 20.30c and 8c.  
Venus 8,500, to Booth Fisheries at 21c and 8c.  
Yellowstone, 7,000, to Booth Fisheries, at 20.50c and 8c.  
Superior, 16,000, to Atlin Fisheries at 20.40c and 8c.  
Radio, 44,000, to Cold Storage at 19.50c and 8c.  
**Canadian**  
Volunteer, 3,000, to Booth Fisheries at 18.60c and 6c.  
Margalice, 5,000, to Cold Storage at 18.70c and 6c.  
Selma, 4,000, and Cape Spenser, 2,000, to Atlin Fisheries at 18c and 7c.  
D.S.T., 5,000, to Cold Storage at 19.50c and 7c.  
Scrub, 1,500, to Cold Storage at 18c and 6c.

## PARKING BYLAW FINALLY PASSED

Clause Inserted Prohibiting Parking of Cars Within 25 Feet of Corner

With the addition of a clause prohibiting the parking of cars within 25 feet of any corner in the city except when loading or unloading freight or passengers, the new Parking Bylaw was put through its final readings at the meeting of the city council last night.

Mayor Newton brought up the matter of parking at the corners. Instead of singling out the Alder Block corner which had been decided upon last week he felt that it would be best to extend the 25 foot rule to all corners in the city. If the principle was sound at the Alder Block corner he thought it should apply to all corners. Ald. Casey, Ald. Stephens and Ald. McMordie approved of the suggestion which was put into effect through an amendment moved by Ald. McMordie and seconded by Ald. Perry.

Ald. Casey was desirous of setting some speed limit in passing intersection but was informed by the city solicitor that the council could not deal with this point which was covered by the Motor Vehicle Act.

Ald. Perry suggested that cars should not be permitted to park within eighteen inches of any curb so that congestion could be avoided. Other members of the council felt that such a ruling was not necessary since the by-law already provided that cars could not park within six feet of each other.

## VANDERHOOF

Thomas G. McBride, Independent candidate for Cariboo in the forthcoming federal election, addressed a meeting in the Community Hall last Friday evening. Dr. W. Ross Stone presided.

A bee was held here on Sunday to clear the site which will be used for a skating rink this winter.

Rev. E. B. Arrol, after three years' service here, will leave at the end of the month for Wellington, Vancouver Island, to which church he has been appointed.

Work on the telephone line to Stuart Lake is now finished for the season and Vanderhoof now has direct communication with Fort St. James. The work will be completed next year.

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### DENTIST

## CITY COUNCIL VOTES MONEY

**Makes Grant of \$500 Toward Movement to Secure Grain Here.**

Ald. Stephens opposing the proposal, the city council after considerable discussion last night passed a grant of \$500 to the joint grain committee to assist it in its effort to have grain shipments routed as soon as possible through the grain elevator here.

The matter was brought up by Ald. Gasey, member of the grain committee, who stated that the committee had now reached a point where it required funds to carry on its work. Before embarking on the scheme of raising \$10,000 which had at first been proposed, it was the intention to send a man to the prairies to make a survey of the grain booking situation and, if possible, have grain directed this way as soon as the elevator was ready to handle it. He moved that the grant be made, Ald. Perry seconding the motion.

**Stephens Opposes**

Ald. Stephen thought the time was premature for such a move. He was of the opinion that the government, which had built the elevator, and the railway company should be given a chance to get business for it. He did not think it was the intention of the government to leave the plant idle. The railway company, he thought, was in a much better position to make arrangements for the shipping of grain through this port than any local committee. If the officials of the company were opposed to shipping grain this way, then it would be useless spending money in the effort. If the company was in favor of shipping grain this way, then he thought the situation would take care of itself. As far as small grain shippers were concerned, it would be a mistake to induce them to ship grain here if the railway company

## UNITED CHURCH TO EXTEND ACTIVITIES

**Building of Gymnasium in East End of Town Contemplated— Would Purchase Tax Sale Lots**

The First United Church is contemplating the erection of a gymnasium in the east end of town and last night an application was received by the city council requesting that tax sale lots 19 and 20, block 18, section 7 be sold to the church at a nominal cost on which to place the building. The matter was referred to the finance committee which will meet Rev. G. G. Hacker, pastor of the church.

## In The Letter Box

**TARIFF IS CLASS LEGISLATION.**

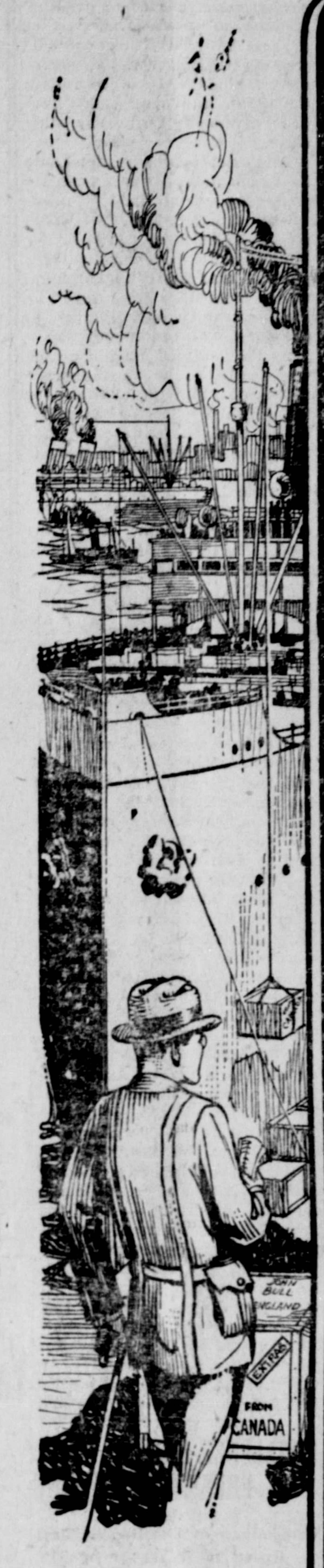
Editor, Daily News.

I am in receipt of a pamphlet entitled "Twenty-one open letters to Hon. Mackenzie King," obviously published and distributed by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association which is now, as it always has been, an ally of the Conservative party.

The principal argument in these letters proceeds upon the assumption that the manufacturers of this country represent the Canadian nation and that consequently any party advocating protection for these manufacturers is supporting a national policy. This assumption, I contend, is absolutely fallacious. The manufacturers no more represent the Canadian people than the farmers, or the miners or the lumbermen and consequently any party which supports a policy which is devoted to the protection of the manufacturers is as much a class party as the Progressive Party representing the farmers.

**Small Locality**

If one examines the statistics published in connection with the last census in 1921 he will find that nine-tenths of the manufacturers are located in Ontario and Quebec and east of a line drawn north and south through Windsor, Ontario, and west of a similar line drawn through eastern townships in Quebec, and consequently the whole of the maritime provinces and the whole of the west, excepting a few insignificant localities, pay tribute to that portion of Canada lying between these lines, and even in this portion of Canada outside of Montreal a few



# Quality

## The most urgent requirement in Canada's Agricultural Products

CANADA produces every year large quantities of wheat, oats, barley, butter, cheese, bacon, beef, eggs, apples, potatoes, grass seed and clover seed that she cannot consume. Her natural outlet for these products is, of course, Great Britain—the one great consuming country of the world with an open market.

Unfortunately, nearly every other country with any surplus of food products seems to want to send its surplus to this same market. The keenness of the competition on this, our only market, and the energy and resourcefulness of our competitors began to impress themselves upon the Department of Agriculture some time ago, but it is only within very recent years that the real and only way to grapple with this problem has been discovered, or at least put into effect. This Department now believes, as do also most of the farmers of this country, that the "grading" of our agricultural products is the policy and practice that is seeing us through the struggle and will assure us of our rightful place on the British market.

**"Grading"** means the classifying of products, whether they be hogs, butter, cheese, eggs or anything else, into what might be called in a general way "BEST," "GOOD," "FAIR" and "POOR" classes.

These exact words are not used in describing the grades, but that is what is meant. The purpose served in grading is threefold—

- (1) **Educational.** When the producer sees the relative quality of his product he is spurred on to maintain that quality if it is the "best" or to improve the quality where necessary.
  - (2) **Fair Play.** When products are not graded the inferior article for various reasons often brings as much as the superior article, and the credit and advantage of putting the superior product on the market is lost to the one who really deserves it.
  - (3) **Facilitating Trade.** The dealer learns to have confidence in the article he is buying and buys more freely, because it is guaranteed by grading, and gradually everybody gets to know what the "best" article really looks like or tastes like. In short, grading brings about standardization and ensures to the producer the best price.
- Canada now grades her cereals, grass seeds, hay, potatoes, apples, eggs, butter, cheese, wool and bacon hogs. The results have been in every case beneficial and in some cases quite markedly so, even though the grading system has been in effect in some cases for only two or three years, thus—
- Cheese—**Grading began April 1st, 1923. Canadian cheese the year before had fallen into such disfavor on the British market that New Zealand cheese was quite commonly preferred. Today Canadian cheese commands cents per pound higher than New Zealand.
  - Butter—**Grading began same time as for cheese. The reputation of our butter was then indeed at low ebb. Canadian butter today, while not the best on the market, is rapidly improving in quality and gaining in reputation.
  - Hogs—**Over two years ago the Department of Agriculture began to grade live hogs at the packing houses and stock yards. The 10% premium paid by the packers for "select" bacon hogs against "thick smooth" ones, as classified by departmental graders has done wonders to improve the quality of our hogs and develop the bacon industry.
- Best Canadian bacon, which ordinarily was quoted two years ago from 10 to 18 shillings a long hundredweight below Danish, has gradually grown in the estimation of the British wholesale buyer until it is now quoted at only from 1 or less to at most 5 or 6 shillings per long hundredweight below the best Danish.

This improvement in price is, of course, due to quality and has come about very gradually, the spread narrowing down by a shilling or two a month until now it is not at all a rare occurrence to see best Canadian selling on a par with the Danish article.

**Eggs—**Canada was the first country to grade and standardize eggs. These grades and standards apply not only to export, interprovincial and import shipments, but also to domestic trading.

The basis is interior quality, cleanliness and weight.

Standardizing Canadian eggs has established confidence between producer and consumer and between exporter and British importer, and has resulted in a greatly-increased demand for the Canadian egg both at home and abroad.

Other products might be mentioned where grading has worked to the great advantage of the producer and to the advancement of Canadian agriculture.

Already Great Britain recognizes our store cattle, wheat, cheese, eggs, apples and oats as the best she can buy.

It is for us to so improve our other products, particularly our butter and bacon, as to bring them also into this list of "the best on the British market" and consequently the highest priced.

Grading enabled us to do this for cheese, wheat, eggs and apples.

Grading is helping us to do it for butter and bacon.

**Quality Counts**

Quality is thus the first objective for the Canadian exporter trade, and then steady, regular supply. It is along these lines the Department of Agriculture is working by educational methods, and the result of this policy is seen in the growing volume of Canada's agricultural exports. Look at these figures:—

	1920-21	1924-25
Wheat (bus.)	123,218,157	191,764,597
Flour (bbls.)	6,617,032	11,929,237
Barley (bus.)	292,338	1,288,721
Oats (bus.)	236,511	518,944
Butter (lbs.)	9,739,414	24,561,981
Cheese (cwt.)	1,869,208	4,128,872
Apples (bbls.)	1,258,499	4,066,237
Oats (bus.)	14,221,048	32,776,761
Barley (bus.)	4,601,553	22,268,164
Rye (bus.)	3,291,430	7,824,992
Bran Shorts and Middlings (cwt.)	318,781	5,667,938
Oatsmeal and Rolled Oats (cwt.)	397,206	890,616
Clover Seeds (bus.)	179,255	417,987
Tobacco (lbs.)	206,153	2,881,622
Cream (gals.)	1,279,195	2,284,186
Flax Seed (bus.)	1,345,891	3,630,105

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insignificant towns and cities.

The conclusion which the writer of these letters intends to arrive at is that the higher the protective tariff the more beneficial will be the results to the country as a whole and the population will increase in proportion to the height of the tariff, in other words, indirect taxation is not regarded as a tax at all, it being a policy of benefit. The country is to hoist itself by its own boot straps.

**Tariff Already High**

Now, how has this argument been proved or disproved in the last fifty years? In 1878 Sir John A. Macdonald introduced his national policy which, roughly speaking, placed the average tariff at about thirty-five per cent. This tariff remained practically intact until 1896 when Sir Wilfrid Laurier reduced it to an average of between thirty and thirty-three per cent., giving a preference to English goods of ten per cent. After fifty years of protection of this kind what has been the result? Has the population increased in the ratio as predicted by the writer in these letters? The population at the time of Confederation in 1878 was approximately five and one-half

million people, to day it is approximately eight and one-half million.

Has protection produced the results predicted? The argument is so absurd it does not require refutation. The fact is that the Canadian Manufacturers' Association has become so imbued with the idea that protection, that is indirect taxation, is in itself a benefit to the country that they cannot see that the population of the country is not composed entirely of manufacturers, and they naturally assume that they themselves are the country, and this idea, by propaganda, has become instilled in the mind of the average tax payer in Canada. The fact is, and every manufacturer and every farmer and every consumer knows it to be a fact, that this indirect taxation makes the cost of production in mining, lumbering, fishing, farming, ship building and ordinary consumption much more expensive than if Canada had a lower tariff.

**ANTI-TARIFF. LIBERALISM.**

Editor, Daily News.

Liberalism is not a fierce ruthless code, rather liberalism yields to the humanities; its weaknesses are lovable; its strength admirable; its mistakes excusable and its achievements the foundation stones of the world's progress and liberties.

How often do we hear expressions such as? "Huh! there's no law in this country. In any other country they would be in jail (the evil doers)." Now, the speakers betray to all who hear them that they haven't got the

slightest conception of the meaning of the term, democracy.

Liberalism is not a political end. Liberalism is the oil of humanity; it deals with the humanities; it accepts the foibles, the weaknesses and the faults, along with the virtues. It is more than a philosophy; it is a state of mind.

**Liberty**

Liberty, of which the liberal party is the sole visible defence upon this earth today, as in the days that are past, may be said to be the breath of God upon human affairs. An excess of liberty will never enslave the world. The liberties of the world will never be lost through the presence and use of democratic institutions, however much they are abused or taken advantage of, by those who are altogether unworthy of the privileges which are theirs.

Sometimes our government is condemned for what nature herself is unable to rectify. Doth nature prohibit children to the vile? No. Yet such condemn the fallibility of the human institutions and in effect say: democracy is an evil thing, so must be destroyed. Oh vain and foolish man! Who knows but the evil which is present, may give occasion to develop the good which is within us all?

Did such never read what a certain person said? He said: "do not pull up the tares lest ye pull up the wheat also."

I think that is pretty good advice. If God Almighty recognizes the magnitude of the problem, and is unable to rectify it, I don't think we can blame the government if it also fails.

**FAIR PLAY.**

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