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G.T.P. BUYS INDIAN RESERVE AT FORT GEORGE

UNDIMINISHED MAJORITY FOR LAURIER PREDICTED

Resume of Conditions Throughout the Dominion Most
Encouraging—Popular Reciprocity Gains Confi-
dently Expected Everywhere—Liberals Will
Make Gains in Ontario

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—All reports received here since the campaign opened confirm the prediction of the return of the government by an undiminished majority as absolutely assured. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's reception in Quebec during the past week and reports from all sections of the province allay any fears of serious Nationalist advance in that province. Liberals will win at least two or three seats now held by the opposition.

In Nova Scotia not a single Liberal seat is in danger and Conservatives are sure to lose Bigby with chances of Gordon and Crosby being lost.

In New Brunswick, Pugsley, who was here, confidently asserts that the Liberals will win all but one seat.

In Prince Edward Island, on most reliable information reciprocity is so popular that every seat will go Liberal.

In Ontario, the best the Conservatives hope for is a net gain of ten seats. On the other hand, Hon. Geo. Graham, who has been in close touch with every constituency, declares the Liberals will divide the province equally.

In the prairie provinces, no reliable report indicates that a single Liberal seat is in danger, with the possible exception of White in Victoria. Liberals will gain at least one seat in Manitoba

and one in Alberta, namely, Dauphin and Macleod.

Even if British Columbia does no better than last time the Liberal majority of last session is therefore assured.

MADE A DRAW

Nanaimo and Ladysmith Team
Played the Corinthians

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Nanaimo, Sept. 1.—The Corinthian football team of England played a combined team from Nanaimo and Ladysmith. The match resulted in a draw of two goals each, the Corinthians equalizing a few minutes before the expiration of time.

Weather is Bad

The wireless reports this morning tell of rainy, foggy, or overcast weather all down the coast except at Point Grey and Cape Lazo. The Prince George passed the latter place at 9.30 a.m.

Business Dropping Off

The very day following Chief Vickers' return there were no cases of de-dee on the police court docket and this morning there were only two—very commonplace, no incidents. Eugene Postantano, and James Ferguson were awarded \$5 and costs each on ten days.



MR. BORDEN NAILS HIS COLORS

WHERE CONSERVATIVES GET CAMPAIGN FUND

Borden is Representing "The Interests," as Opposed
to the Worker, and Has Behind Him the Millions
of the Manufacturers, the Railroad Mag-
nates and the Bankers.

Winnipeg, Aug. 31.—The Grain Growers' Guide has an article under the caption "People or Privilege," in the course of which it says:

"Mr. Borden is a man for whom personally, the people of Canada have the highest respect, but his trade policy is absolutely bad and tends to place full power into the hands of the manufacturers and special interests."

Support of Manufacturers

"In his fight against reciprocity the Conservative leader has the powerful support of the Canadian Manufacturers' association, and that organization contributes very largely to campaign funds for the upholding of protection."

The National League

"Then there is the Canadian National league, which is also devoting all its energies to the defeat of reciprocity. This league is fathered by Z. A. Lash, former chief solicitor of the C. N. R., and now a millionaire director of various trusts and financial institutions."

Bankers Are In It

"Then there are the leading bankers of the east, who are also fighting reciprocity. These bankers, like Sir Edmund Walker, take in the money of the Canadian people on deposit at 3 per cent, and then carry it across to the United States and loan it out at a high rate of interest, while Can-

adian industries and needs may wait. There is free trade in money and it apparently has not hurt Sir Edmund's loyalty, but if the farmer sells anything across the line he is disloyal at once."

The "Interests" Press

"Coupled with these organizations are the journals influenced by them. The Monetary Times and the Financial Post, two of the leading financial journals in Canada, are opposed to reciprocity because their patrons are opposed to it."

"Articles against reciprocity have been published at enormous cost in four hundred country papers as paid matter."

The Railway Interests

"Then look at the railway interests. The tremendous influence of the Canadian Pacific is thrown against reciprocity, and there is every reason to believe that the Canadian Northern railway is giving very substantial support to the anti-reciprocity forces. Why this action on the part of the railways? Simply that in Western Canada they have the greatest melon patch, in the high freight rates they are charging, that can be found in the civilized world. They do not want any other railways to encroach upon their preserve. The fight upon the reciprocity agreement is in reality a fight between the common people and special privilege."

MR. DUNCAN ROSS TO ARRIVE TOMORROW

A wireless was received in town today to say that Duncan Ross is on board the Prince George, and will arrive in Prince Rupert tomorrow morning, fresh from his triumph over Mr. H. S. Clements at Cumberland.

At night a great public meeting will be held in the McIntyre Hall at which Mr. Ross will speak.

Mr. Ross will remain in the district for the official nomination on Thursday next, visiting Port Essington on Tuesday night.

RESERVE IS SOLD AT FORT GEORGE

Government Receives Advice
That Agreement is Signed by
Indians.

Victoria, Sept. 1.—Advices have been received by the government from Fort George to the effect that the final negotiations for acquiring by purchase the Indian reserve at the new northern capital of Cariboo were concluded yesterday by the signing of the deed of agreement by the Indians.

The purchase of the reserve by the G. T. P. means the immediate establishing of a railway divisional point of importance at Fort George.

New Strike Reported

Dan McLeod has received this afternoon a wire from Hazelton that a rich strike had been made in the main tunnel of the Silver Standard Mine, better known as the Stewart, McHugh property. The report says the lead is widening out into pure galena.

Mr. Clements Coming

Mr. H. S. Clements, the Conservative candidate for Comox-Atlin is to arrive here on Monday and a public meeting will probably be called for Tuesday evening to give him a chance to air his views against reciprocity.

BASEBALL SCORES

Wednesday's Game
Northwestern League
Vancouver 4, Seattle 3.
Spokane 5, Victoria 1.
Tacoma 4, Portland 3.
National League
Boston 0, 4; Pittsburgh 6, 0.
Pacific Coast League
Vernon 6, Sacramento 5.
Oakland 3, Portland 2.
Los Angeles 5, San Francisco 2.
American League
Cleveland 4, Washington 3.

Thursday's Game
Northwestern League
Vancouver 11, Seattle 4.
Spokane 10, Victoria 1.
Portland 7, Tacoma 6.
Pacific Coast League
Portland 4, Oakland 1.
Vernon 8, Sacramento 0.
Los Angeles 4, San Francisco 1.

No big League games.

Princess May Arrived

Early yesterday afternoon the C. P. R. S.S. Princess May arrived from the south with passengers and mail. Many of the passengers were tourists on the way farther north. They landed and strolled around the city until the boat pulled out again for Alaska.

KEENEST GAME OF THE LEAGUE

Leafs versus Ribbons at the
Indoor Diamond Last Night.
A Critical Match Resulted in
Score of 23-26 for Ribbons.

The most critical game of the Indoor Baseball League series was played last night, the contesting teams being the Empress Maple Leafs and the Royal Blue Ribbons. Very keen interest centred on this game as in the event of a win for the Leafs or a tie, the clinching of the Silverware became again a matter of touch and go. In spite of splendid play, however, on the part of the Leafs, Royals managed to carry off the honors last night their score being 26 to Leafs' 23.

The figures by innings show how keenly the game was contested, and how hotly ran the excitement: Empress 1. 4. 3. 2. 3. 0. 6. 4. 0; Royals 4. 1. 5. 0. 0. 4. 7. 5. 0. Umpires Sloan and Dunn, the ever popular pair, did excellent work, and with a large attendance of the live ones the match was a big success.

The first practice of the P. R. Choral Society for the coming season will be held in the English Church on Monday September 4th, 8 p.m. All members are requested to attend. Intending members will be welcomed. 3t

To Develop Coal

By the Prince John today Mr. F. C. Green of the Graham Island Coal and Timber, arrived on his way down below to arrange for the speedy development of the company's 200 square miles of coal lands. Twenty-five tons of machinery is expected by the Albert this trip for the saw mill now being erected, and other plant is being sent for.

Mr. Elliott of Graham Island Collieries, discovered and killed a ten foot tiger shark. The presence of one of this species of sharks in Masset Inlet is entirely unprecedented, as in the case of all Northern waters. The creature was killed after a smart tussle.

ENGINEERS DROWNED

Three Members of C. N. R.
Staff Perish in Lake Helen

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Port Arthur, Sept. 1.—Three engineers, members of the staff of the C. N. R. construction, were drowned in Lake Helen, Northern Ontario, yesterday while crossing the lake in a canoe. The bodies are not recovered. The names of the men are R. H. McCoy, C. H. Nelson and Drum.

A school of whales was sighted by the G. T. P. S.S. Prince John this morning not very far from the harbor entrance on the home trip from the Islands.

TWO RAILWAYS RACING TO YELLOWHEAD PASS

Sir Donald Mann Says the C.N.R. Will be at the Coast
in the Spring of 1914—G.T.P. Builders Must Look
to their Laurels

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Vancouver, Sept. 1.—"We plan to have the main line of the Canadian Northern Transcontinental Railway complete from the coast to the Yellowhead Pass in three years dating from last spring" remarked Sir Donald Mann in an interview granted to the press here yesterday. "In the meantime remember," continued Sir Donald "the branch lines throughout British Columbia will on no account be overlooked."

This indicates how close will be the railway construction race between the G. T. P. and C. N. R. from the coast to the Yellowhead. Even with the amount of work already done, the G. T. P. authorities do not count on the

completion of the last stretch until 1913. If the C. M. R. reaches the Yellowhead Pass in the spring of 1913, and anything should delay the G. T. P. until the Fall it will be a fall indeed for the G. T. P.!

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Prince Rupert Club to Hold
Live Event on Saturday

On Saturday, either morning or afternoon as may be arranged a Tennis Tournament will be opened by the Prince Rupert Tennis Club on the courts at the school playground. The Tournament will be open to all tennis players in the city or district. Lady players are especially welcome to take part.

HAD HEARD OF RUPERT AWAY IN FAR OFF ROME

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stork, After Their Trip Over Europe
Have Interesting Story to Tell of What They
Saw on Their Travels

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stork had the time of their lives in Europe, travelling from the most gorgeous pageant of which history has any record, the Coronation of King George, to the ancient city of Pompeii, which was destroyed by Vesuvius over nineteen hundred years ago.

They first saw the British Isles, visiting both Ireland and Scotland, and on the continent saw something of France, Germany, Belgium, Switzerland, and Italy, travelling as far south as the Isle of Capri.

"It is very difficult to describe and convey one's impressions of the Coronation," says Mr. Stork. The magnificence and splendor of it all, the gorgeousness of the

parade, the tremendous crowds of spectators and their hearty enthusiasm, the—but you must have read so much of it, so put it down as the greatest pageant in the world's history.

"Next to the Coronation the most wonderful sight on our trip was the ruins of Pompeii. You can see the ancient streets, their paintings of the wall, their temples, the interior of their homes and the utensils they used in those early days. It was all remarkably interesting."

"Wherever we went, even in Rome, they had heard of Prince Rupert, and many enquiries showed the general interest taken in the growth of this new world port."