

The Liberal Victory is A Victory for Progress

Hon. Mr. Kings Remarkable Campaign Contributed Much to the Success of His Party—Government Expected to Map Out a Program That Will Be Worthy of the Support of the Progressives—The End of Autocratic Toryism.

(Toronto Globe.)

Conservatism of the Meighen brand has suffered an almost total eclipse. The expected happened in the overwhelming defeat of the Government in yesterday's election. It was generally expected also that the Liberals would elect the largest group of members of the new House but only the most sanguine hoped for an absolute majority of Liberals over all others.

It now seems certain at least that the Liberal representation will be so large that the Liberal Leader, Hon. Mackenzie King, whose very remarkable campaign in all parts of the country contributed more than anything else to the party's success, will be called upon at once to form an Administration. The future relations of Liberals and Progressives will then be watched with interest. We do not look for anything in the nature of a fusion. The Progressives will naturally prefer to maintain their distinct organization and be free to advocate their own policies. But it may be expected that they will support a Liberal government in all progressive measures, and our hope is that

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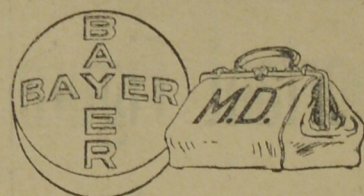
the Government will map out a programme that will be worthy of such support. The electors have not voted for a mere party change of the old kind. The election is the result of a desire for new conditions. The new Government and Parliament must endeavor to live up to the new conditions and the new public opinion.

The defeat of the Government might have been foreseen from the by-elections. It is more than a party defeat. It seems to spell the end of the old-fashioned autocratic Conservatism. Even before this election Conservatism had almost ceased to be a force in Provincial affairs, not a single Provincial Government being of that kind. Almost the same thing has now happened in the Federal field. Conservatism is virtually non-existent in many parts of Canada and nowhere does it retain anything like its old strength. The overwhelming verdict of the electors was for progress. There must be real revision of the tariff, following a careful review of the conditions of industry. It must be a revision which will ease the burdens of the taxpayer and the consumer and stimulate the great producing industries of the country. The railway question, equally important, must be dealt with courageously, and with no thought of surrender of the National Railways to private control. The problem of unemployment will be a serious one, and will require energetic and statesmanlike treatment.

The election is a rebuke to the action of Mr. Meighen and his followers in making an unfair use of the mandate given to Union Government in 1917. That Government was supported by many Liberals for a specific purpose, and upon the distinct under-

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standing that it was to be limited and temporary. It was a breach of faith and a violation of the spirit of the constitution to hand it over to an office-holding combination for the benefit of one party. The smashing defeat of that combination by the electors is a salutary lesson.

The Government attempted to save itself by professing that it was identified with the prosperity, and even the continued existence of our industrial system. It was recklessly predicted that the defeat of the Government would be followed by the ruin of industry. We imagine that those who raised this cry will be eager to have it forgotten. If they were serious, they must believe today that the wreck they predicted has now come to pass. But they will probably prefer to admit by silence that they were talking the wildest kind of partisan nonsense. We are all equally concerned for the prosperity, the welfare and the progress of Canada. The people have got rid of a usurping autocracy and have elected a free Parliament. The majority will be, we hope Liberal and Progressive, not only in name but in substance, responsive to the best thought of the country, looking forward and inspired by enthusiasm, not only for national progress and development of natural resources but for the maintenance of free institutions and the enlargement of the bounds of freedom.

This is no ordinary party victory. It is a popular uprising against autocracy. It is all the more significant because the popular forces were divided, so that the full force of public opinion against the Government is not indicated by the composition of the new House, and can only be measured by the popular vote. The combined Liberal, Progressive and Independent vote is enormously in excess of that cast for the Government candidates. It is a magnificent display of the free working of democratic institutions; it creates inspiring opportunities for public service, and our hope is that the service will be worthy of the inspiration and the opportunity.

When a married woman wears a fur coat one expects to find her husband clad in a fourth-term overcoat.

MACINQUAC.

Macinquac, Dec. 7—The weather for the last few days has been very cold making good ice on the river. We hope soon to have crossing.

The election is now over and every one is settled down to business again. Mr. and Mrs. Murray Murch, and son John spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Havelock Gordon of Keswick Ridge.

Miss Mable Sloat spent yesterday with Miss Thelma Grant.

On Tuesday evening, December 6th a number of the Church members gathered at the home of Dudley Currie and presented the pastor, Rev. David Jones with a purse of twenty five dollars. Elbridge Jewett in a very able and well worded speech made the presentation. Rev. Mr. Jones is much thought of we are pleased to know he has accepted a field near by.

Miss Anna Haines is confined to her home with sickness.

Mrs. Frank Barr is quite ill at her home.

The school is progressing favorably under the skilful management of Miss Nellie K. Hartney of Fredericton.

Some of the young men who are engaged in trapping are having very good luck.

Some of the young men have gone to the lumber woods.

Rev. Mr. Strothard preached here Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Arnold Clark spent last week with her sister Mrs. Ralph Graham of Scotch Settlement.

Miss Isabella Currie has been engaged in weaving at Ayard Currie's. Many who had never seen weaving done were present to watch her work. Crocheting and knitting are the order of the day.

PEACH FRITTERS.

Take a can of peaches and cut them in halves. Sprinkle them with granulated sugar and squeeze over them a little orange juice. Let them stand half an hour and then dip them into a fritter batter made from one cup of flour half a cup of milk a little sugar and two eggs. Beat the eggs separately adding the whites last.

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HOYT STATION.

Hoyt Station, Dec. 10—A lecture was given in the Agricultural Hall last night on "Dairying" by J. W. Bremner. Hon. D. W. Mersereau was in the chair and though suffering from a cold gave a characteristic speech in opening. The meeting was well attended a very fair proportion of ladies being present.

Rev. Mr. Hallstone who takes an interest in Agriculture proposed a vote of thanks, remarking that he had feared the lecture might be very technical but he had been able to enjoy every word.

This was seconded by H. H. Smith.

THE POOL.

Year after year it mirrors loveliness
The nodding roses and the willow trees

Ruffling their sliver at a taunting breeze;

Lovers, who pause beside it to confess,

Each sentence broken by a swift caress;

Children who laugh to see their faces peer

Back at themselves so merry and so clear;

Yet no realities its depths possess

It seems like aloof reflective mind
Whose surface only by all things is stirred;

But whom no living warmth may ever blind

With fetters forged of deed or glance or word:

Responding as the varied world goes by

With but the semblance of a smile or sigh.

Charlotte Becker.

PEACH SALAD.

Cut peaches in halves and place two halves on a small bed of lettuce heart leaves. Put a cheese ball in each half dress with French dressing or mayonnaise and serve.

MEIGHEN NOT NEEDED.

Canada is in grief today
The Meighen Government's dead,
The factory wheels are silent
And the children cry for bread.

The mourners go about the streets
With a sad dejected mien,
And wreck and ruin everywhere
About our Town is seen.

Some local factories are shut down
And no shoe-packs are made or sold,
To keep our feet from freezing
And the weather is dreadful cold.

The widow's coal is getting low
She doesn't know what to do,
She can't depend on Meighen now
To "see her safely through."

Cheer up old gal, fret not today
"Little Willie," he is true
With graft cut out he'll find a way
To carry you all safely through.

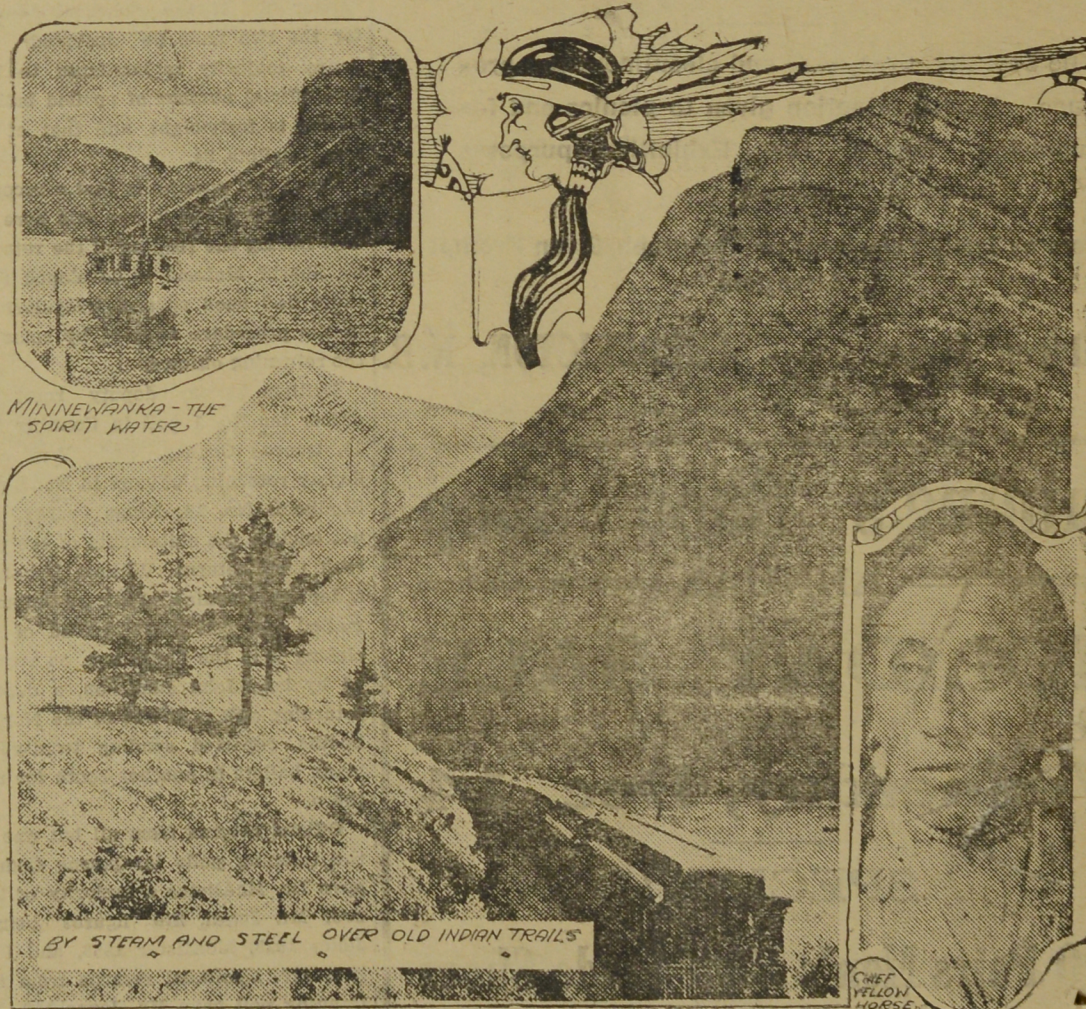
So now good people, go to work
Don't feel so mighty blue
And if Will and Dick don't get too thick
They will pull us safely through.
Fred Dec. 2nd, 1921.

DON'T MISS THE EXTRA GOOD SHOW AT THE GAIETY

The Monday-Tuesday play at the Gaiety is "The Nut" with Douglas Fairbanks the featured player.

The locale of the story is Greenwich Village, New York City, with Fairbanks cast as an inventor who invents everything from lies to a new kind of love-making. Marguerite De La Motte again is leading woman. William Lowery, Barbara La Marr, Sidney De Grey and Gerald Pring are in the cast.

Canadian Rockies Abound In Legendary Lore



The countless peaks that cover vast stretches of western Canada are wrapped in Indian legends as well as clouds of snow. Many of these are locally familiar, some are widely known, but a rich field awaits the delver into the Indian lore concerning this region. Perhaps another Canadian woman with a strain of Indian blood in her veins will do for the Canadian Rockies what Pauline Johnston did for Vancouver by collecting the Siwash legends.

Banff and its environs are particularly rich in legendary atmosphere. It is safe to say that ninety per cent. of the thousands who stop at Banff annually enjoy a boat ride across Lake Minnewanka, a beautiful sheet of water rimmed in by

forbidding mountains. The Indians had many legends concerning this lake, the most popular hinging on its name, which means Spirit Waters. The legend runs that an Indian chief was crossing the lake in a canoe when an evil spirit arose from the waters, wrecked the frail craft and carried the chief down into the depths of the lake, from which the body never rose again. Firm belief in this story caused the Indians to shun the lake, but white men laugh at the tale and find these waters attractive for boating, fishing and camping.

Lake Minnewanka is some 15 miles long and between two and three miles wide. A comfortable launch makes the 22-mile trip

regularly. At the southern end a stop is made to allow passengers to inspect the scenic marvels, one of which is a gigantic "Hoodoo" which rises like a monument from the back of a rushing torrent, and bears a balanced rock upon its apex. Nearby is an excellent camping site and another is on the north shore opposite the entrance to Aylmer's Canyon, from which it is comparatively easy to reach 10,365 foot Mt. Aylmer.

Lake trout of great size inhabit Minnewanka and prove a magnet sufficient to counter-balance the fears of any superstitious fishermen, as attested by the numbers who stop at the Chalet beside the lake.

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