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No. 1 Canso Herring	40c. doz.	Salmon, 1 lb. Cans,	20c.
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Bulk Cocoa, 37c. lb.		1/4 lb. pkg.	10c.
		1/2 lb. pkg.	20c.

CONVENTION TO DEAL WITH SOME MOMENTOUS ISSUES

Liberals in All Parts of the Dominion Recognize the Need for Broad-Gauged Statesmanship at This Time — The Tariff Holds the Major Place—Fortunes Made During the War Likely to Engage Some Attention.

Ottawa, July 31—Momentous are the issues with which the national Liberal convention has to deal next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The resolutions, recommendations and suggestions for the platform and programme submitted for consideration by the convention through the regularly constituted committees show that Liberals in every part of the Dominion have been fully realizing the great need for wise and broad gauged statesmanship at this crisis, and have been studying and thinking out plans to help in the making of a national programme for establishing justice, conserving liberty increasing prosperity and promoting happiness throughout the nation.

The tariff, evidently still holds the major place in the minds of those who have been thinking out national problems and the national Liberal committee has now before it resolutions on tariff reform passed by the national Liberal convention of 1893 every tariff resolution passed since then by provincial or district Liberal associations, and in the place of honor for consideration the farmers' platform drawn up at a meeting of the Canadian Council of Agriculture held in Winnipeg, November 20, 1918, the unanimous resolution of the Saskatchewan Legislature and the resolutions of the Alberta United Farmers, the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association the platform of the United Farmers of Ontario, passed on December 16, 1918, as well as memoranda by some individuals whose grasp of the subject made their ideas of almost as much importance as those expressed by groups.

Political Suggestions

In most of these there is a surprising unanimity of opinion that, instead of unfair taxes, necessary taxation should be raised mainly by the imposition of a graduated tax on capital, the exemption of moderate fortunes, and providing for a steeply graduated tax in the case of large fortunes, especially those immense fortunes made out of the misfortunes of the country during the war. The idea in each case seems to be that the war debt should in this way be lightened for the great body of Canadians whose industry made these fortunes possible, and that the principal amount of our debt should be dealt with just as quickly as the interests of the country will allow.

Naturally many of the suggestions are local in their nature and therefore not suitable for inclusion in a national platform. Most are of wider scope, however, and run from radical proposals for a national bank state insurance and public ownership or control of all public utilities to a demand for absolute prohibition of the liquor traffic and the transfer of their natural resources to the three western provinces. Fixing of the price of wheat is condemned in a number of resolutions. The granting of the franchise to women has been unanimously approved from all sources.

All are keen for the abolition of patronage.

Very illuminating is the attention and thought evidently given by many Canadians to the question of Canada's constitutional status. The tendency in nearly every suggestion is to ask for a greater control by Canada in looking after her own foreign affairs, a continual restriction in the appeals to the Privy Council until Canada stands at last without doubt as an independent nation linked only with the other nations of the Empire by ties of sentiment, a common sovereignty and such further substantial evidences of friendship as have already been afforded by the Liberal preference policy. Daylight saving, education, transportation, agriculture, industry, the franchise, Senate reform, proportion-

al representation, settlement by sold-iers and others, taxation of unimproved values, public health, the eight-hour day, equal wages for men and women for the same work, total abolition of child labor, a minimum wage abolition of titles, the nationalizing of telephones, rigid supervision of corporations to prevent watering of stock, food profiteering, pensions and soldiers' needs, are also the subject of resolutions and recommendations.

New Plan of Organization

It is intended to put the organization of the Liberal party on a different footing during the convention. The plan most favored is to elect national president, who would also be the leader of the party, a vice-president for each province, a national council made up of six councillors from each province, and a national organizer.

Provincial rights would be respected carefully, but this would be a clearing house at Ottawa by which all the provincial organizations could be brought into a working agreement by a closer co-operation and understanding.

If this system is adopted interest will centre on the man chosen for the leadership. As one national figure in liberalism says, "This position should not be filled by a good fellow 'down on his luck,' nor a member of Parliament nor by a defeated candidate, simply because he is a member or a defeated candidate. It is no place for a mere party pensioner. Misdirected party sympathy has in the past filled too many round holes with square pegs. We want a man of education of wide judgment of men, a fair man who will look upon liberalism as a creed and advance its interests above those of any individual or locality. We should go after that man where ever we find him, and pay him whatever is necessary to get him."

This man would need competent assistants, a finance committee would be necessary, and some plan of securing funds will have to be worked out.

Four Committees

Later this evening the personal committees so far named were given out as follows:

Resolution on death of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and monument—Hon. Sydney Fisher, chairman, Sir Alan Aylesworth, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Hon. W. S. Fielding, D. D. McKenzie.

Trade and Commerce—A. R. McMaster, M. P., chairman; Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. G. P. Graham, Hon. Frank Oliver, Hon. S. Fisher, Ernest Lapointe, Hon. John Oliver, W. H. White, O. Turgeon, Sir Alan Aylesworth, Hon. MacKenzie King, J. L. Gauthier, Arthur Trahan, I. E. Pedlow. Soldiers' problems—Hon. Dr. H. H. Beland, chairman; Lieutenant-Colonel Rolston, Lieutenant-Colonel Bywater, Major Eric Reid, Lieutenant-Colonel Plante, E. B. Devlin, F. E. Pardee, D. C. Ross.

Organization—Hon. J. R. Boyle, chairman; D. D. McKenzie, Hon. G. H. Murray, H. H. Dewar, Hon. Charles Murphy, Hon. Jacques Bureau, Hon. P. McSweeney, Joseph Archambault, Hon. H. J. Cloran, P. F. Casgrain, F. S. Cassell, W. D. Ealer, Auguste Ledger, S. W. Jacobs, J. J. Dennis, H. H. Horsey, Hon. John Oliver.

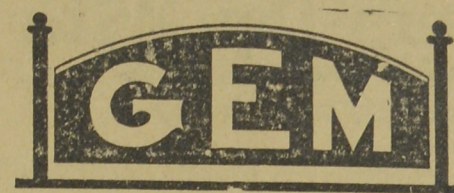
New arrivals this evening to attend the meetings of the committee and the convention included Premier Martin of Saskatchewan; H. H. Dewar, liberal leader in Ontario; E. M. MacDonald, ex-member for Pictou, N. S.; Mr. Fred Pardee and Duncan Ross.

PERSONAL

Mr. J. L. DeGrace of Campbellton is a guest at the Queen.

Mr. T. T. Trenholm of Amherst is at the Queen.

Mr. E. T. Langille is leaving this evening for Montreal where he will spend a few days.



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