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THE NEW CHIEFTAIN.

The editor of the New Glasgow, N. S., Eastern Chronicle, who was a delegate to the National Liberal Convention, has this to say in his paper concerning Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, the new leader of the Liberal party: "Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King has much to commend him for the important position of leader of the great Liberal party in Canada. He has youth on his side, and the position is one that calls for the vigor of strong manhood. While a young man he is not by any means inexperienced in the political world. He was early selected by the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier, one of the most astute judges of men and ability, as a coming man in public life. He chose him as his Minister of Labor and he was the most capable administrator of that department that Canada ever had. Gifted and exceptionally well educated, Mackenzie King early began study of labor conditions and is today the best authority in America on industrial relations, with an international reputation. It is peculiarly fitting that at this time of so much industrial unrest that he should be selected to lead the great party, and he brings with him a greater knowledge of such conditions, their causes and remedies than any man in Canada could possibly have.

"It was he who drafted the introduced at the convention the labor resolutions unanimously carried and which are so applicable to the needs of the times.

"Politically, Hon. Mackenzie King has no sins to answer for. He was greatly beloved and admired by the late chieftain and his staunch friend to the last. Within the party his selection should entail no heart burnings. His personal life has been above reproach; on this score he will be acceptable to the most fastidious.

"Search the attainments and record of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and he peculiarly strikes one as the ideal man at this time to direct the energies of the Liberal party. It is safe to assume that the choice will win admiration all over Canada and put the Liberal party in its gait as the party in ascendancy, destined to bring Canada out of the mess and mire in which Union government has sunk her."

MAKING HAY.

These piping days of midsummer are hay days in America, says the Christian Science Monitor. Farmers everywhere in the typical temperate parts of the country are busy haying. From the wide farms of the west and the narrower ones of the east comes the clatter of the mowing machine, rising and falling as growing swaths spread steadily over near hillside and far hollows. And in the cities, thousands of men who have almost forgotten the use of horses, in whose daily round such a thing as a stable is extinct, whose urban and suburban circuit is a matter of gasoline, rubber tires, gears, carburetors, batteries and grease, catching a whiff from some new-mown lawn may be reminded that out in the open country this is haying time. To some of the urban thousands will come memories of earlier days "down on the old farm," when hayfield or "medder" called a whole family to outdoor service, or vacations when, in contrast with the work in the city, hay making counted as sheer fun.

Many a city man would be glad to take his place with the mowers today if he could go at the business as it used to be gone at in this country say a generation or two ago, when the farms were thrifty and when "father and the boys" made up a farm crew that was hard to beat in the hayfield or anywhere else. Those were the days of hand-mowing, partly because mowing machines cost more than scythes, and partly because rocks in the hayfields were often too common to allow machines to be used. Every part of the work of such a "crew" was a far contest. That mower must needs be sturdy and skillful indeed who should start the first swath in the fresh vigor of the morning sunshine. He would be sure to be hard pressed

by that wide-swinging scythe a few paces behind in the second swath; just as the doughty pursuer in turn would very likely have all he could do to keep ahead of the determined "swish, swish!" in swath No. 3.

What good-natured banter whenever one mower could fairly claim to stop lest he clip the heels of his rival in front. And what dry wit, back and forth, as, under a tacit truce, all paused to straighten up while the drawing repartee was punctuated with deft though languid clip, clip, clip or the "ricles" whipping the scythes once more to a cutting edge! And later in the day, when the forenoon's "cut," dry and fragrant, had been spread, raked and pushed or rolled into haystacks, there was all the fun of rivalry and contest in getting the aromatic loads safely into the great barn.

No sooner had horses drawn the hayrack alongside the farthest haystack than the struggle was on between John in the cart doing his best to build the load, and Josiah beside him on the ground pitching on. In the flurry of such a contest minor tasks like "raking after" the load, and cleaning the field of the last whips were hardly tasks at all; rather they were opportunities to watch the fray and join in the banter than served to spur the victor or vanquished.

There was energy in the carrying on of our farms in those days, and much work was done because youth and native wit were there to make game of it.

Governor Milliken of Maine has accepted an invitation to the reception to be held by Governor Pugsley at Rothesay on Friday in honor of the Prince of Wales. No visitor except His Royal Highness himself will be more welcome.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE
The expected often happens unexpectedly.

The average man doesn't waste any politeness on his wife.

A fellow may be a rolling stone, and still be on the level.

Anyway, the man who boasts of his ability as a liar isn't a hypocrite.

Some men are afraid to marry and some are fearless until after they marry.

Flattery catches silly people, but disagreeable candor never catches anybody.

The fact that the price of honey has advanced does not necessarily mean that the busy bees have struck for shorter hours.

No man's life is one grand sweet song if he is married to a woman who only thinks she can sing.

A young man seldom discovers he is in love until the girl in the case puts him next.

The chronic borrower divides his time between breaking old friends and making new ones.

No man ever comes half way up to the expectations his mother had of him when he was a boy.

The school of experience is just one post-graduate course after another.

The cynical bachelor defines a bigamist as a man who has more wives than brains.

Many a young husband flatters himself that his bride's interest in things domestic is her eagerness to make the little nest comfortable for him, when in reality her motive is to keep a show place to arouse envy in the hearts of her unmarried girl friends.

Going to the Yukon
St. John Globe: Lieut. Frank Berton, who has been visiting in the city en route to his home in Dawson City will leave on Wednesday for Fredericton, to show his wife the beauties of the river. Lieut. Berton enlisted as a private in the engineers, was in France for more than a year, and at the time of the armistice was in England for his commission. He spent a busy time in St. John renewing acquaintances of 21 years ago.

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LOCAL NEWS

Funeral This Afternoon
The funeral of the late Miss Stella Osborne took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the late home at Marysville. Rev. G. C. Pincombe conducted the service interment being made at the Methodist Cemetery.

Car Parties Here Today
A number of car parties are registered at the Queen Hotel today from various points. Included among them are Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Estabrooks of Perth and L. C. Chase of St. John, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Olmstead of Grand Falls, C. L. Olmstead and Miss Dorothy Olmstead of Perth.

Rush of Travellers Here
There is a big rush of travellers to this city today on the way to St. John for the reception of the Prince of Wales in that city Friday and Soldiers' Day tomorrow. Many tourists yesterday and today interviewed the Secretary of the Board of Trade concerning the roads of the Province. Accommodation for tourists and others is very scarce at present and in several of the hotels there is no available room.

Saved Lives of Two
St. John Times:—A well-known local boy, Fred E. Power, who made a good record for himself overseas with the Royal Air Force, further distinguished himself on last Sunday when he rescued two young ladies, Miss Morey Wisely and Miss Aileen Ritchie from the river at Brown's Flat. The three were in a canoe which was upset by a sudden squall and it was due to Mr. Power's coolness and presence of mind that the accident was not more serious. Mr. Power who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Power, Wentworth street, was congratulated upon the manner in which he handled the precarious situation.

Found Roads Good
St. John Telegraph: A motoring party consisting of A. J. Alexandor, a member of a well known fur firm in Montreal, Mrs. Alexandor, their three children and Miss Rosalie Morris and chauffeur, arrived in the city yesterday after a motor trip from Montreal, through Maine and Nova Scotia. Mr. Alexandor was loud in his praise of the beautiful country he had passed through in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. The party spent two weeks in Chester and then toured through the Annapolis valley. They found the roads in good condition all through the both provinces and today they are to have an opportunity to test another road for they are going to run down to St. Andrews, then on through Maine and back to Montreal.

Good-Moore
The wedding of Sergeant Herman Good, V. C., and Miss Martha Moore eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore of Big River, was performed in St. Georges' church Bathurst on Wednesday afternoon by Rev. J. A. Cooper. The church had been elaborately decorated for the occasion by admirers of Bathurst's most distinguished soldier, and the ceremony was witnessed by a large and representative gathering. The bride who looked extremely well in a blue tailored suit was attended by her sister, Miss Mabel Moore, who wore a costume of blue serge. The groom was ably supported by his brother, Edmund Good. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Good, the parents of the groom where a sumptuous supper and a most joyous evening awaited them. During the evening the house was visited by friends, who extended congratulations to the happy couple and showered them with numerous presents. Sergt. Good visited Fredericton after returning from overseas.

BAND CONCERT TONIGHT
The Fredericton Brass Band will play this evening at Parliament Square at 8 o'clock under the instruction of Bandmaster G. H. Offen. The following program will be played:
O Canada.
March, The Great Little Army, Alford.
Overture, Stoddella Flowtow
Waltz, Ensuedo Seducator, Rosas
Fox Trot, Furs and Frills Earl
Medley March, That Lovin' Traumerle, Allen
Selection, Bohemian Girl Balfe
Reverie, (By request), A Night in June King
March, Sons of the Brave, Bidgood
God Save The King.

MID-WEEK MARKET
Prices About the Same—Berries dropped in Price—Potatoes sold for \$4.25 a barrel.

A small market was collected this morning at Phoenix Square with prices about the same. Berries showed a drop in price as well as new potatoes but other articles of produce were about the same in price. The ruling prices were as follows:

Veal, 9 to 15 cents per lb.
Beef, 12 to 16 cents per lb.
Lamb, 23 to 26 cents per lb.
Chickens, 40 to 45 cents per lb.
Fowl, 35 to 40 cents per lb.
Cucumbers, three for ten cents.
Blueberries, 20 cents per box.
Raspberries and Currants, 25 cents per box.
Carrots, Onions, Beets 10 cents per bunch.
Potatoes, \$4.25 to \$4.50 per barrel.
Apples 50 cents per peck.
Eggs, 55 cents per dozen.
Butter, 50 cents per lb.

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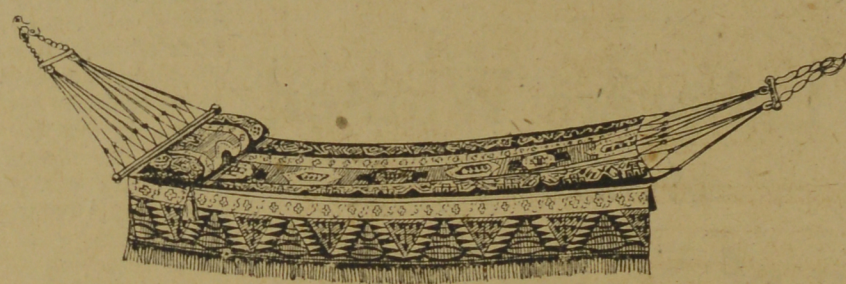
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