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ORGANIZED LABOR IS READY TO FIGHT IT OUT TO A FINISH WITH BOLSHEVIK SYMPATHIZERS

COMMUNIST STRAWMEN MUST TAKE BACK SEAT

The Leaders of Unionist Have Accepted the Soviet Declaration of War and are Strengthening Their Lines — Will Heartily Back Up Samuel Gompers and Other Leaders.

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London, Sept. 24—Organized labor stands ready to battle with the Bolsheviks to hold control of the Labor movement of the world. Constructive leaders will not allow themselves to be replaced by communist strawmen, who are bound to obey the orders of the central committees of the Soviets. Without a fight they expect to win. Warned by the recent resolutions of the Third International at Moscow, pledging itself to absorb the Labor movement and make it the tail of the communist kite, the leaders of unionism are already strengthening their lines. "We have accepted Soviet Russia's declaration of war against Samuel Gompers and myself and other Labor leaders of the world," declared W. A. Appleton, the British Union leader.

We are prepared to carry the fight to a knock-out. I have a copy of the resolution of the Third International demanding that all trade unions of the world expel their labor leader of anti-Bolshevik sympathy and we are issuing a reply on Thursday. It is to be signed by the International Trades Union Committee including Jonhauz of France, Martens of Belgium, Oudegast of Holland, and myself. It will meet the feeling of Samuel Gompers, the American Labor leader, absolutely. Our reply will point out that leaders of the trades union movement are the ones who accomplished real work for the industrial classes while the Soviets have only theories and soapbox oratory."

A BIG SUM OFFERED FOR A LEFT EAR

New York, Sept. 24—Frank S. Cusada, 29 years old, son of a sugar planter at Manzanillo, Cuba, is willing to pay \$2,000 of whatever the owner thinks is a fair price for a medium sized, healthy left ear. The ear is to be attached to Mr. Cusada's head to replace one that a horse stepped on down in Cuba and wrenched off almost entirely.

As Mr. Cusada is perfectly able to hear with his right ear—the one that is left, so to speak—he wants the additional auricle solely for purposes of art and symmetry. Since he took the fateful ride that ended in the horse attempting a somersault and his being trampled under foot by the ear, Mr. Cusada has been searching among the medical profession for relief. He tried tin ears and other devices of shrewd manufacturers who supply humans with missing parts, but the appearance always was unsatisfactory, and when he brushed his hair the contraption was likely to fall off. He also was referred to old Dr. Dempsey for a caudiflower ear, but Dr. Dempsey had already contracted for his entire supply.

Boy Had Remarkable Escape

A small boy had a remarkable escape from injury yesterday. With another boy he was riding on the running-board at the rear of a grocery wagon. A hole in the street caused him to be jolted off the wagon. A car following close behind could not be stopped by its driver in time to avoid going over the boy so the driver did the next best thing—"straddling" the youngster with the wheels. The car passed over the boy and the latter arose and ran off apparently not hurt.

Will Return to California

G. Fred Baird formerly of this city, is spending some time here having arrived from Andover last week. Mr. Baird spent last winter in Southern California and intends to return there this autumn. His health has greatly improved and physicians hold out assurances of complete recovery. A severe attack of influenza in Mr. Baird's case developed into tuberculosis from which he has now recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Wandless have returned from their honeymoon and have taken up their residence here.

SMITH AND MERSEREAU WILL CARRY STANDARD

Popular Representatives Nominated at a Large and Enthusiastic Convention at Burton.

Robert B. Smith of Oromocto and David W. Mersereau of Fredericton Junction who have ably represented the County of Sunbury in the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick since the general election of 1917 were again nominated Thursday as supporters of the policies of the Foster government. The nomination was made unanimously by a convention gathered at Burton Court House and representative of every parish of New Brunswick's oldest county. The excellent representation which Sunbury has been given during the last four legislative sessions and the marked improvement in the highways of all sections of the county were recognized by all and there is no doubt that Sunbury will return the men who have been its members since February 1917.

Mr. Mersereau was present and personally accepted nomination. Business had called Mr. Smith to Fredericton but his acceptance was before the convention. If possible he was to attend the convention before its close but found it impossible to do so.

Feature of Convention.

A feature of the convention was the presence of a number of the prominent members of the United Farmers organization in Sunbury and their endorsement of both Government candidates.

On motion William Patterson of Lincoln was elected chairman.

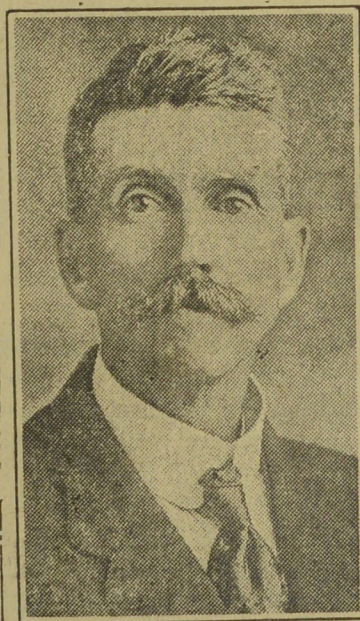
David W. Mersereau was called upon as one of the county members, and explained the object for which the convention had been called.

It then was decided that the nomination of candidates take place in open convention, on the motion of Jeremiah Phillips of Tracy seconded by Gabriel Smith of Blissville.

Robert B. Smith and David W. Mersereau were then placed in nomination on the motion of R. Gallagher of Tracy seconded by Robert McSheffrey of Lincoln. The motion called for their nomination as supporters of the policies of the Foster government.

D. W. Mersereau.

The nomination was made unanimously and Mr. Mersereau was called



DAVID W. MERSEREAU.

upon to address the convention. He spoke in his usual forceful manner dealing particularly with the highway policy of the administration and the benefits which Sunbury County had received from it in the matter of improved roads which were in a condition never before even approached. He mentioned also the United Farmer movement and the desire expressed by some connected with it that the organization should enter the provincial political field. He had been approached by several members of the organization but he felt that being a farmer himself he had represented the

MORE STRONG CANDIDATES LINE-UP IN SUPPORT OF THE FOSTER GOVERNMENT

Housing Conventions Held Yesterday in Albert, Westmorland, Madawaska and Sunbury—Dr. J. B. M. Baxter Chosen as Leader of the Forlorn Hope Opposition—Farmers in a Deal in Charlotte County.

The campaign on behalf of the progressive government led by Hon. W. E. Foster is going with a swing, and reports from all parts of the province indicate a sweeping victory for the administration.

Conventions have been held in Albert, Westmorland, Sunbury and Madawaska, and in each case strong and capable men were chosen who will carry the government standard to victory on October 9th. A feature of each convention was the presence of a goodly number of electors who not in sympathy with the party at the last election, but have been attracted by its progressive policies and splendid administrative record.

Other conventions will be held in the course of a few days and by the middle of next week there will be a solid line-up of splendid candidates running in support of the government.

A Gloomy Gathering.

The opposition convention at St. John yesterday was fairly well attended, and camp followers of the old discredited administration were very conspicuous. Hon. J. A. Murray resigned the leadership for the second time within a year, and this time it was accepted. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, who was Attorney General in the old government and one of the four men condemned by a vote of the Legislature as being guilty of conduct "highly reprehensible and derogatory to the dignity of the Legislature," was chosen as the new leader, and accepted the doubtful honor. He will prepare a platform and issue a manifesto to the electors in due course.

A Deal in Charlotte.

The United Farmers and Conservatives of Charlotte have arranged a deal by which each will put up two candidates. The farmers at a gathering yesterday selected Scott D. Guptill, a member of the last House and a humble follower of the old government, and Mr. W. S. Poole, president of the Farmers' Union, as their members of the ticket.

In King's County.

The friends of the Government in King's County gathered in large numbers at Hampton yesterday and nominated Col. O. W. Wetmore of Clifton, Sterling I. Keith of Havelock and Erley Harmer of Norton as their candidates for the approaching election. Speeches were delivered by G. Hazen Adair, E. S. Carter, Warden Gilliland and the candidates. The county is being thoroughly organized and there is good prospects of success for the ticket.

In Madawaska.

The government party of Madawaska held their convention at Edmundston yesterday and chose Messrs. J. E. Michaud, M. P. P., and D. L. Daigle as candidates. Hon. L. A. Dugal's name was proposed but at his request was withdrawn. Mr. Dugal said that pressure of business made it necessary for him to withdraw from politics. He, however, guaranteed his whole-hearted support to the candidates and to the Foster government party.

J. E. Michaud, a prominent young barrister, has represented the county with Mr. Dugal since the Foster government came into power, and during the last session was heard from in many important debates.

D. L. Daigle, the new nominee, is a prosperous farmer of St. Hilaire, and has been warden for twenty years. The general feeling in Edmundston is that the selection of the convention will meet with approval or an overwhelming majority of the electors of Madawaska, and it is general belief that the government ticket will be unopposed.

In Westmorland

The government's convention for

Westmorland at Moncton, yesterday, selected as candidates Messrs. Fred Magee, Ferdinand Bourgeois, Fred L. Estabrooks and Reid McManus. Every parish in the county was well represented at the convention and great enthusiasm prevailed. Speeches were delivered by Senator McSweeney, Hon. Dr. Smith, A. B. Copp, M. P., Hon. F. J. Sweeney, and C. M. Legere.

A Deal in Charlotte

The opposition and United Farmers have arranged a deal in Charlotte, under which each will put up two candidates. The United Farmers at a picnic yesterday selected Scott D. Guptill, a steamboat agent of Grand Manan, and an opposition member of the last House, and W. S. Poole, president of the Farmers' Union, as their candidates. This deal was pulled off in spite of the repeated declarations of the Farmers that they would have nothing to do with either of the old parties. Mr. Guptill has been in the House for ten years and always posed as the friend of the fishermen. To blossom forth now as a farmers' candidate is certainly a novel position for him to take.

An Opposition Ticket

At the opposition convention in St. John last evening, Messrs. J. Roy Campbell, F. L. Potts, L. P. D. Tilley, and John Lewis were placed in nomination. All efforts to sidetrack Mr. Potts proved futile. He insisted upon running and the party had to accept him. Mr. Tilley, who was an aspirant for the leadership, said he had made up his mind to retire from politics, but claimed that he was pressed into service. It is a well known fact that he has no love for Leader Baxter, and the latter has even less for him.

A SPLIT IN SINN FEIN RANKS IS SAID TO BE GROWING WIDER

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DUBLIN, Sept. 24.—The split in the ranks of the Sinn Fein is widening. The republican leader Griffiths is opposing the leaders of the Irish Volunteers who are the chief advocates of a campaign of violence. The more conservative Sinn Feiners are supporting Griffiths in the view that the military arrangements of England are producing results which will make the efforts of the extremists less effective.

farming interest as well as could any U. F. candidate.

Mr. Mersereau said that his colleague and himself believed that they had served the electors of the county faithfully and deserved to be continued as its representatives. He paid a high tribute to Hon. Walter E. Foster premier of the province. No claim was made for that gentleman that he was a

politician but no one could deny that he was a business man with a straight and honorable record who had given to New Brunswick, a progressive and business-like administration.

The speaker urged the electors to vote the straight Government ticket, but if any elector thought he should split his ballot he asked that one of

MYSTERY OF THE TERRIBLE WALL STREET EXPLOSION IS STILL VERY FAR FROM BEING CLEARED UP

FAKE PRINCES UNDER ARREST IN GERMANY

Berlin Criminal Police Found It Necessary to Put a Stop to Their Operations.

By Cross-Atlantic Newspaper Service.

Berlin, Sept. 22—No less important personages than two "princes" and one "king" have just fallen into the hands of the Berlin criminal police. The exact title of the third, to which his colleagues and the authorities have given full recognition for several years, is "King of the Safe-crackers", and he will now have to exercise his skill on prison clocks if he wishes to resume his sovereignty.

The amazing exploits of the two other Royalties, however, deserve greater attention, if only because of the romance and supreme impudence with which they were carried out. Some time ago there arrived in Berlin, Count von Berinski-Bogdanoff, further distinguishes as paper avowed with the title "Prince of the Tartars". To make ends meet he found it desirable to make a good matrimonial match. Even in the Socialistic Republic of Germany there are apparently many ladies ambitious to become princesses, so the Russian "aristocrat" quickly found a bride who, after contributing 20,000 marks (nominally about \$5,000) to the household and the brief honeymoon, went off to Switzerland as "Countess Berinski-Bogdanoff".

Princess of the Tartars. The deserted husband soon fell in need of both companionship and funds, and, following the same procedure, told his second bride of his great possessions in Russia, how he was selling his estates to an American, and how, in the meantime, life in Berlin rather expensive and the transaction incomplete he would like something to go on with. The lady promptly contributed but soon after grew suspicious of the bridegroom's story and consulted the police, with the result that Count von Berinski-Bogdanoff, Prince of the Tartars, was identified as a mason who had found that handing out "gold bricks" to innocent frauleins was an easier way of getting rich than laying real bricks.

The second adventurer was not quite so ambitious as his prototype, contenting himself with the designation, "Stanislaus Leo, Prince of Sapi-cha Wojwede". Going into business he opened the "Berlin Office Syndicate for Europe and Ruthenia", which he announced to a wealthy lady, also anxious to become a princess, had branches all over the world. The lady agreed to marry him, and brought a dowry of over \$60,000. Shortly afterwards, a quarrel occurred, and the lady took possession of the office as "security" for her money, only to find that the "syndicate" was a blind and that the office and fittings had been obtained on credit on the strength of Leo's acquaintance with the aforementioned "Prince of the Tartars."

Both princes are now dwelling in the imposing castle used by the Berlin police for housing their guests.

Late Mrs. Mary L. Cameron

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Louise Cameron widow of John Cameron took place Thursday afternoon. Service was conducted at the Parish Church by Rev. A. F. Bate. The pallbearers were Hon. Wm. Wilson, R. W. McLellan, E. H. Clarkson and Prof. Cadwallader. The mourners were Donald F. Cameron, Ross Cameron, R. K. Cameron of St. John, George W. Ross, Hugh M. Miller and C. E. McLean.

the candidates upon it be his colleague Mr. Smith.

E. C. Atkinson followed Mr. Mersereau emphasizing the necessity for immediate organization and hard and painstaking committee work as the means of winning the election.

The Opposition in Sunbury still is groping in the dark. Parker Glasier and George A. Perley, defeated in 1917 are mentioned as possibilities as candidates. Harvey Welton a well known coal-mine operator at Minto and A. B. White of Oromocto have been approached and have refused to consider candidature.

DYNAMITE FOUND IN ELEVATED STATION

Policemen Found a Package and Took it to a Laboratory for Analysis — Tag Found Near the Horse Attached to the "Death Wagon". Has Been Identified.

New York, Sept. 23—After a week had passed without investigators being able to solve the mystery of the Wall Street explosion, they were presented today with another mystery, who placed a package of dynamite in the Reid Avenue elevated station in Brooklyn, this morning.

The package was found by a policeman doing strike duty on the Fulton street line, which is operated by the Brooklyn Rapid Trust Company. He soaked it in a bucket of water and then carried it to fire headquarters in Brooklyn. Later it was taken to a laboratory in Manhattan for analysis.

Accounts differ as to whether a spluttering fuse was attached. Some officials reported that patrolman Santelli, who found it, stamped out a fuse. At the laboratory where the package was taken it was said there had been found two pipe cleaners impregnated with nitrate. These pipe cleaners, it was said, could have served as fuses but it had not been established whether either had been lighted. Authorities seem to agree that no percussion caps had been found.

Meanwhile detectives investigating the Wall street explosion reported that through the health department they had been able to identify the tag found near the horse attached to the death cart which is believed to have been the center of the blast.

Issued in 1918. The tag it was learned, had been issued in 1918 to the Reid Ice Cream Company, Brooklyn, to certify that one of its horses was not afflicted with glanders, but since then the horse had been sold three times. The name of the latest owner, if known, was not made public.

Chief William J. Flynn, of the Bureau of Investigation of the department of Justice, had this to say of the latest clue:

"It looks good, but like any clue it may blow up at anytime."

The police too, repressed any exultation they may have left in running down the identity of the tag. While satisfied as to the identity of the bit of metal they were not so certain, that, after all, they had established that the animal itself was still alive and was now hauling a wagon at the Fulton fish market. Detectives explained that the tag might easily have been transferred from one horse to another, but that they hoped to establish through the shoes round on the dead animal whether it was that for which the tag had been issued.

OPPOSITION TO INCREASED FREIGHT RATES

Ottawa, Sept. 23—A thorough discussion of the railway situation may be expected when the appeal is heard before the cabinet on Wednesday, September 29, against the ruling of the railway commission increasing freight and passenger rates. The provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan have both filed formal petition of appeal and from various authorities and organizations, throughout the country have come intimations that they wish to be heard.

The grounds of appeal filed by the Government of Manitoba are typical. Manitoba claims that the application for an increase in rates was made to the railway board by the railway association on behalf of the railway companies, and that the order was wrongly issued and ineffective in that the railway act provides for applications by incorporated railway companies and not by any association.

In the Police Court

A resident of the city was arrested last night charged with driving a motor-car while he was under the influence of liquor. He was arrested and later was allowed his liberty upon making a deposit of fifty-eight dollars.

Visiting New Glasgow.

New Glasgow Chronicle: Mr. R. B. Rossborough, who several years ago was manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia here, returned a few days ago on a short visit. He is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fitzmaurice. Mr. Rossborough is now manager of the bank in Campbellton, N. B. His many friends in New Glasgow are indeed glad to see and welcome him on his return to the old town.