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## THE RECONSTRUCTION PARTY

Hon. H. H. Stevens has issued his policy as leader of the new Reconstruction Party. Some of the planks in the platform are along the lines already advocated by the Conservatives. Others are from the Liberal creed. Some are new and interesting. They will probably take especially in Western Canada. How the new party will go over in the Maritimes remains to be seen. The Maritimes, even while they may not always be satisfied, are slow to new propositions.

Several of Mr. Stevens' proposals will bear careful study by the electors. The assertion is made that hundreds of thousands in Canada have not had enough to eat. That is an amazing statement and one that will well bear analysis in view of the fact that Dominion, provincial and municipal governments have seen to it that no such condition should exist. Mr. Stevens and Mr. Woodsworth join hands in that they both demand work for everybody. In the Reconstruction Party platform provision is made to take care of those who are willing to work. Mr. Woodsworth goes a bit further and decrees that men will work or starve.

Reforestation is proposed and this is probably a plank from the Roosevelt reconstruction program. So far as the Maritime Provinces are concerned, this suggestion will be of little interest because experiment has already shown that our forests reproduce naturally faster than under schemes of replanting. Fair wages and uniform hours are called for, but already most of the provinces have such legislation. A system of controlling business, which has been tried in the United States and has died a natural death there, is another scheme of the Reconstruction Party. A proposal is made to encourage the transportation of coal from the natural Canadian sources of supply to the central part of Canada. This has already been done to the advantage of Canadian mines. In this connection, however, it is proposed to develop the peat bogs of Ontario and thus furnish even keener competition to the already distressed mining industry. A fair wage clause is proposed on public works. That legislation is already in effect in Canada.

An agricultural board which is to market the products of the farm and displace middle men is another proposal. The present tragedy of the Canadian grain situation dates back to just such an organization, the wheat pools of the west. In New Brunswick we had experience last year with a board of similar character operating in the potato market, with the result that potatoes sold as low as ten cents a barrel after the board was established.

Increased income taxes are a part of Mr. Stevens' scheme. In the collection of revenues he would join forces with the provinces and collect all revenues at Ottawa and then make an equitable distribution as between the federal and provincial authorities. It is pointed out that the cost of collecting would thus be reduced. It is well to remember, however, that any savings in this direction will be more than compensated for in the increase of the number of new officials proposed under the Reconstruction Party program. Mr. Stevens also promises to increase our foreign trade. Just how he expects to extend this, after adding greatly to the cost of production, may be left for sound economists and business men to determine.

There is one plank in the program which must appeal to everyone and must have attention no matter which party is returned to power in this country, i.e. relief for the unemployed youth of Canada. That is the tragedy of our situation, but it is a problem which confronts every country in the world, and is not our particular pet.

Canadians who are dissatisfied with present day conditions and are not "married" to either of the old parties will await further developments in regard to Mr. Stevens' plans. It is

yet too early to either praise or to condemn them.

Mr. Stevens when he cut loose from Mr. Bennett last year made many friends by the matter contained in his report. If he can continue to gain enough support he may make things interesting.

## TRAFFICKING IN KINGS

The king business is on the up-and-up in Europe. During the World War, nearly every European throne tottered, and a lot of them fell. The world having been made safe for democracy, numerous monarchies became republics. The experiment did not work very well, for the simple reason that government of the people by the people assumes that the people are fit to govern. Having proved themselves unfit, the people of several nations are thinking of recalling their kings.

In Greece, the Royalists want George back. He was no good in his first try-out, and will doubtless be just as inept if he returns, but a lot of Greeks prefer to be skinned by their politicians if a King leads them.

The Hapsburgs never did Austria a mite of good; the imperial house hasn't had a first-class brain since Joseph II, and he was never allowed to put such good ideas as he had into practice; but nevertheless Austria is restoring to the Hapsburgs a lot of property, at the taxpayers' expense, and is wondering how soon it can dare refurbish the throne and put Otto on it. The Hapsburgs plan to include an eventual restoration in Hungary.

Alfonso of Spain is waiting for the Spanish Republic to fail, and Manuel of Portugal, between horse races, thinks longingly of Lisbon, where the attempted revolutions average two a year.

Even the crazy Wittelsbachs, if able to think consecutively, consider coming back to Bavaria.

In France, the King's Newsboys pray for the failure of the republic and the return of the Bourbons.

But the path back to the throne is hard. Enough Greeks remain republican to threaten a revolution if George is restored. The Little Entente says war is certain if Austria revives the Hapsburg monarchy.

In a pessimistic mood, one sees Europe doomed. The pity of it is that there are millions of little people who want to eat their bread and drink their beer and raise their children in peace, who have not one word to say while the so-called statesmen lead them to disaster.

## \* \* \* SNAPSHOTS \* \* \*

Watch the moon on Monday night.

You can't blame anything on the provincial government today or tomorrow. There will be no provincial government until Monday. Maybe that accounts for the hot weather.

Residents of the lower end of the city are complaining that there is no police protection down there. The reason seems to be that there are not enough cops to "go round". Those on the job are required for the business section. The residential section has to go without protection.

There is a woman about forty miles away who does not want girls with bare legs to visit her place because she has two sons who admire bare legs. But she soaks the travelling public seventy five cents per meal for bread puddings and similar messes.

They started on the twelfth of July to point the telephone poles green. The fellow painting them has more paint on his hands and clothes than he has put on the poles.

If one meets a girl at the lower end of town he cannot tell whether she is about to play tennis or is just emerging from a bath.

In the gay nineties they did not call these white things shorts. They called them drawers.

## HERE ON VACATION

J. E. Ned Black, son of the late J. Douglas Black and Mrs. Black, arrived here at noon today from Montreal and will spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Black. Mr. Black is on the staff of the Montreal Herald and is at present on his vacation.

# SUNBURY COUNTY FIELD DAY, PICNIC HAD BIG CROWDS

HOYT, Sunbury County, July 13—The third annual livestock field day and picnic, under the joint auspices of the Hoyt Ayrshire Breeders' Club and the Hoyt Junior Farmers' Clubs, was held on the farm of Samuel Patterson, Hoyt. Members of the clubs exhibited a number of their finest club animals, including those recently purchased and a number of those bred and reared by the members themselves. There was a large attendance of interested persons.

The program opened with an address of welcome by the president of the Ayrshire Breeders' Club, Harry Patterson, followed by the formal opening and roll call of each of the young people's clubs. Roland Kirkpatrick, president of the Calf Club; Vivian Graham, president of the Swine Club; Elva Kirkpatrick, president of the Poultry Club, gave short talks on the aims and objects of their respective clubs.

A talk on "The Origin and Development of the Ayrshire Cow", including the names and milk and butter-fat records of some outstanding animals, was given by H. E. Durost, agricultural representative in this territory.

The livestock was paraded in groups, representing the get of the three high-bred bulls, owned by the Hoyt Agricultural Society and used in the community. A group of heifers, sired by well-bred bulls and out of R. O. P. cows, recently purchased by members of the Hoyt Calf Club, were also displayed. Dr. L. A. Donovan, of Saint John, gave a demonstration of the method of tattooing for purposes of identification, on two heifer calves purchased recently—one by Horace Smith and one by Garnet Arthurs—from Charles Reader, South Clones, Queens County.

A milking contest by calf club members was a feature of the program and created interest among the spectators. A program of sports was run off.

Supper was served by the women under the supervision of Mrs. H. L. Graham and Mrs. E. E. Smith.

Addresses were given by Dr. L. A. Donovan, C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station, Fredericton, and E. M. Taylor of the New Brunswick Department of Agriculture.

## Lobby Enquiry Perils 'Quoddy'

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 together because I am not certain that it is not a foolish experiment."  
 Asking the circumstances of his conversation with Brewster in Statuary Hall, where the congressman said, the administration attorney made his threat, Representative Mapes (Rep., Mich.) asked if there might not be some differences in the interpretation of the conversation.

"I do not say I would stop the project," Corcoran replied. "I said I couldn't trust his assurance of support in the Maine Legislature."

"Is there much difference between that kind of statement and the statement that the project would not go through?" Mapes continued.

"Of course there is. The project is started. I can't stop it."

"The very most I can do is to go to the works allotment board and say: 'I think that in view of the fact you cannot rely on your strongest supporter, you should think over very hard just what the situation is. It may be that without Brewster it may be better to defer action until the fall. But the situation has changed and I think I ought to advise you that the situation has changed.'"

Mapes asked if it were not reasonable to believe that such a recommendation on his part might effect suspension of work. Corcoran expressed doubt.

"But it is reasonable to believe that Gov. Brewster might think that?"

"All I meant," Corcoran replied, "was that I might, and would, recommend reconsideration."

## OUR MAIL BAG

Editor, Daily Mail,  
 City,

Dear Sir:

There has been reports of prowlers visiting different places on Shore St., and also of unruly conduct going on night after night along the lower part of Waterloo Row.

Our neighbors down here never see a police officer in our end of the city. Other people say the same thing. Why are not the people in the outskirts of the city entitled to police protection. We do not know what a policeman looks like. Why is this?

SHORE STREET.

(NOTE:—The police say that they cannot give any attention to the outskirts of the city because there is not enough police to go around. They say that they cannot leave the business districts and that they can only attend the residential districts when called upon. The men are working twelve hours per day as it is and they cannot do any more hours or cover any more ground. There is a fearful and wonderful organization called the police commission. It is supposed to meet and to consider but like that other wonderful body called the school board no person has yet been able to tell its secrets. Perhaps if the writer of the letter above became properly humble and approached that august body—the Police Commission he might be able to find out why such conditions as he mentions, exists. We have given it up. We have learned that our citizens are willing to put up with more rot than any other community in existence, and yet say nothing.

In justice to the police. They cannot be everywhere at once and are they properly supervised? What is wanted is an experienced head and a proper number of men working on eight-hour shifts. Twelve hours is too long for any man and most of our police men are doing this at the present time.

There are times when the police station cannot be got by phone because the men are out of duty and the chief is busy in the police court. No person to serve the public on a hurry call. The service in the chief's office could be rendered with more courtesy to the public. That's all we have to say. If the citizens want that kind of a service they have what they want.)

## WOMAN MISSING

A request has been received at the Town Office from Pasadena, California, for assistance in trying to locate Bessie Hyde, daughter of George P. and Frances Cooper Hyde, born in Saint John in 1894. She was living in that city in 1897, when she was adopted, at the death of her mother, by a family presumably relatives of her father, living at that time in or near Woodstock, or possibly some other town on the Saint John River. She was the eldest of three children. Any information of the above, kindly send to A. Gordon Bailey, Town Manager, Woodstock, N. B.

## ORANGE CELEBRATIONS

Central New Brunswick Orangemen celebrated the "Glorious Twelfth" yesterday, holding picnics in various parts of the county. The big celebrations were at Newcastle Bridge, Fredericton Junction and the Narrows. Parades preceded the picnics in most cases and large numbers attended, many motoring from this city. Games and amusements of all kinds featured with bands and orchestras also taking part. The Equal Rights Lodge, No. 32, of Nashwaaksis, celebrated on the previous day and about 400 people were served supper.

# Public Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with the regulations of the New Brunswick Dairy Products Commission the prices for milk sold in Fredericton area, which includes Fredericton and Devon, on and after JULY 15th, 1935, will be as follows:

	Retail	Wholesale
Quarts	10c	8c
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(Signed)

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