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THE WEST AND LIBERALISM

"Manitoba next" is the cry of the Liberal party. The sweeping overthrow of Toryism in Saskatchewan on a straight federal issue has stimulated Liberalism everywhere. A resident in one of the Saskatchewan constituencies, and who took an active part in the recent election writing to a friend in Moncton speaks of his end of the constituency which was Conservative, going Liberal in the sweep to the surprise of everybody. This was but typical of scores of such instances. In the course of his letter he says:—

"Guess Bob Rogers will probably stay home and mind the affairs of the Department of the Interior now and not monkey into our affairs. We have organizers out here who can play the game with Rogers any time, and I guess he has found it out to his sorrow. It was a glorious fight and we fought it out to the last minute. The Liberal party of Canada can have no idea of the awful fight that the Saskatchewan Liberal organizers have been up against. The Tories poured in crooks here by the dozen, but failed. So now it is Saskatchewan for the people, and Saskatchewan for better roads, larger markets and for the Liberal party. NOW FOR MANITOBA THE NEXT ELECTION! Just remember what I say Manitoba will be Liberal in the next elections. I think they will likely use some of the Saskatchewan organizers in Manitoba and shove Rogers right into the hold where he should be."

CHURCHILL'S CAREER

The probabilities of Right Hon. Winston Churchill's visit to Canada must be a rather pleasant idea to that gentlemen, if he recalls, as Canadians must, certain circumstances of his last visit.

When the present head of the British navy, then plain Mr. Churchill, visited Canada last, he was on a lecture tour. It was one of the last tours managed by the famous Major Pond who for thirty years had been accompanying celebrities about the world. Major Pond, with that press agent instinct which made him a prince of advance agents, on his arrival in Canada introduced Mr. Churchill as a "coming British prime minister."

Now, considering Churchill was then a young man in his twenties, considering he was not even within sight of a seat in parliament, and remembering that his South African experiences and a little dip into controversial journalism was about his only public claim to notoriety, the assertion was a most daring one and the public seized upon it as a jest. The newspapers turned a thousand jokes upon "the future prime minister." The Toronto Telegram said that Churchill had about as much chance of becoming premier as Hon. Clifford Sifton had of becoming pope and things were generally made uncomfortable for the young lecturer—that is unless as his friends sometimes

claim for him, he has the thick skin of a rhinoceros.

Hardly a dozen years have passed, yet in that time history has been in the making. Despite the handicap of his father's career—for Churchill had to fight the general impression that he was seeking prominence on his father's reputation—he gained parliament, he surmounted crisis after crisis, he won his place to the cabinet, and finally to the most prominent post in the ministry. For today the head of the admiralty, if he so chooses, can always have the centre of the British political limelight.

Remembering this, Churchill, if he revisits Canada with the Canadian prime minister and on an imperial mission of wide significance, must rather laugh at the Canadian prophets. Today the succession to the Liberal premiership lies undoubtedly between himself and Lloyd-George, with Churchill as the probable choice. For Churchill would be more acceptable to the extreme radical wing of the Liberal party than Lloyd-George would be to the conservatively minded Liberals.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt of New York and Hiram W. Johnson of California were put in nomination by the Progressive party for president and vice president at the "bull moose" convention in Chicago on Wednesday. The serious split in the Republican party makes a Democratic victory almost a certainty.

The rural population of Canada is put by the revised census returns at 3,324,083 and the urban population at 3,280,441. The difference is on the right side, but it is not great enough. In a country like Canada there should be twice as many people on the farms as in the cities.

"Why the Old Home celebrations held in St. John and Moncton were side-shows in comparison with this one," was the opinion expressed by a well known commercial man to The Mail yesterday. "You have them all beaten to a frazzle," he added.

The people of Fredericton have demonstrated time and again that they can put on successful exhibitions. When it comes to a high class Old Home celebration they are also there with the goods.

"Fredericton has done nobly," remarked an old homer last evening. "I am proud to claim this old town as my birthplace."

The hundreds of old homers who are spending the week in Fredericton are certainly being made to feel at home.

REUNION OF CO. CONFEDERATE VETERANS

Winston-Salem, N. C., Aug. 7.—Remnants of the gray-clad host of the Confederate Army answered roll call here today at the opening of the annual reunion of the North Carolina division of the United Confederate Veterans. The reunion will last two days, during which time there will be numerous features of entertainment for the veterans and their friends.

COTTON CARNIVAL AT GALVESTON

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 8.—Galveston's fourth annual Cotton Carnival was opened today and will be continued until August 18. The management has provided a wider variety of attractions than in any previous year. Heading the list is the three days' program of automobile races on the beach course. The city is elaborately decorated and thronged with visitors.

Mr. S. N. Jones of Bangor is at the Queer.

THE STOCK MARKET IS ACTIVE AND STRONG

(By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co., 604 Queen Street, Fredericton, N.B.)

New York, N. Y., Aug. 8.—The market opening was active and considerably strong. There was no squeeze of shorts or bullish manipulation but stocks were wanted by those who were pleased with developments in politics and realized that business conditions are highly favorable.

That Mr. Wilson's treatment of the tariff would tend to an increase of confidence in business circles was the opinion expressed by those whose opinion on such subjects are best entitled to consideration.

(By direct private wires to J. M. Robinson & Sons, members of the Montreal Stock Exchange, St. John, N. B.)

	Open	Noon
Copper,	83½	83½
Brooklyn,	93	93
Smelters,	84½	84½
C. P. R.,	276½	276½
Great Northern,	143½	143½
Lehigh,	172½	172½
Soo,	152½	152½
Northern Pacific,	123½	123½
Pennsylvania,	112½	112½
Southern Pacific,	172½	172½
Union Pacific,	172½	172½
U. S. Steel,	71½	71½

MONTREAL MORNING SALES

Molson Bank, 13 @ 209.
Royal Bank, 1 @ 229.
Bank of N. S., 7 @ 273.
Power, 825 @ 234½, 100 @ 234, 75 @ 234½, 200 @ 235, 230 @ 235½.
Iron, com., 50 @ 64, 25 @ 63½.
Paint, 10 @ 52.
R. & O., 25 @ 117½, 50 @ 117½.
C. P. R., 100 @ 277, 70 @ 276½.

Shawinigan, 25 @ 151½, 25 @ 151½. Textile, 25 @ 68. Illinois, 25 @ 76. Crown Reserve, 100 @ 328. Soo Ralls, 25 @ 152, 25 @ 152½, 25 @ 152½. Paint, 5 @ 101. Detroit, 25 @ 72. Ogilvey's, 80 @ 120. Twin City, 150 @ 107½. Cement, 10 @ 91½. U. S. Steel, 10 @ 93.

TOMMY BURNS RETURNS TO RING

Saskatoon, Sask., Aug. 7.—Tommy Burns, who has not done any fighting since his defeat by Jack Johnson in Australia nearly four years ago, is to re-appear in the ring here tomorrow night in a fifteen-round bout with Bill Rickard, who hails from Vancouver. The contest will be in the nature of a try-out for Burns, who declares that if he can regain his old form he will claim the championship title upon the retirement of Jack Johnson.

FATHER OF HOUSE OF LORDS

London, Aug. 7.—Earl Nelson, grand nephew of the famous hero of Trafalgar, entered upon his nineteenth year today and was the recipient of many messages of congratulation. Lord Nelson is the oldest member of the House of Lords, and is still a fairly regular attendant at St. Stephen's. He succeeded to the earldom at the age of twelve but did not take his seat until 1845.

Mr. G. McGinley of St. John, is in the city today.

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Our Remnant Sale will be continued until Saturday Night, Aug. 3rd

FANCY GOODS

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THIS DATE IN HISTORY

1607—First settlers from England landed in Maine.
1778—A force of Canadians and Indians invested Fort Mifflin, Pa.
1812—United States army which had invaded Canada a month previously retired across the river to Detroit.
1827—George Canning, famous British statesman and orator died. Born April 11, 1779.
1829—Baltimore celebrated its centennial.
1846—David Wilmet introduced his propolis in Congress.
1861—Judah P. Benjamin selected as secretary of war of the Confederacy.
1880—Rev. John A. Watters con-

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THE OLD HOME BREW

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separated Roman Catholic bishop of Columbus, O.
1911—William P. Frye, United States senator from Maine, died at Lewiston, Me. Born there Sept. 2, 1831.
Mr. Alexander Chalmers and his sons, Edwin and Everett, of Boston, are the guests of Mrs. Thomas Stanger.

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