

# Opportunities for ALL

YOUR Liberal Government under Mackenzie King has taken practical steps to see that every Canadian after the war shall have a wide-open chance to make a real success of his life. It can be done by giving everybody the opportunity to get ahead faster and go further.

*Isn't that what you want — a chance to make your own way IN your own way?*

Here are definite, practical steps which the Liberal Government has taken (not just talked about, but *taken*) to make this Canada a better place to work in and bring up your children.

You will have to decide whether you want the men who devised these measures to carry them through, or whether you wish to entrust your own and your family's future to others.



Mr. W.L. MACKENZIE KING, Prime Minister

## 1 Reconstruction

Plans for jobs for 900,000 more workers than in 1939; and 60,000 more each year as the population grows. Every kind of enterprise will be encouraged. The Liberal Government has already set up the machinery: the Department of Reconstruction.

## 2 Foreign Trade

Liberal objective: Sixty percent increase in value over Canada's pre-war export trade. This means thousands of jobs, and is based on the number of jobs created by Canada's normal export trade.

## 3 Credit for Enterprise

The Liberal Government set up the Industrial Development Bank to provide money at low interest for long terms to help enterprising Canadians to develop new business. Another step towards creating full employment.

## 4 Exports Encouraged

War-torn countries will want to buy tremendous quantities of Canadian goods. To facilitate this, the Liberal Government has set up the Export Credit Insurance Act to do two things: (1) to insure Canadian exporters against loss, and (2) to make loans to foreign governments under contract to Canadian exporters.

## 5 Farm Improvement Loans

Your Liberal Government has made low interest loans available to farmers to finance their work and make improvements.

## 6 Guaranteed Markets

To provide farmers with a better wartime income, the Liberal Government made contracts for definite quantities of important products at agreed prices—notably bacon, eggs, cheese and beef. These contracts have worked out so well the Liberal Government extended many for longer periods.



## 7 Family Allowances

From July next, Family Allowances are to be paid monthly to assist parents in raising their children—\$250,000,000 a year direct spending power in the hands of people who need it most.

## 8 New Homes for Canadians

The Liberal Government's new \$400,000,000 National Housing Act enables hundreds of thousands of Canadians to own their own homes. In the first year after Germany's defeat, at least 50,000 dwellings will be built.

## 9 Returning Veterans

Gratuities, benefits and grants of \$750,000,000 will enable men and women of the Armed Services to apply their energies in building the prosperous Canada for which your Liberal Government has been planning.



## 10 Floor Prices under Fish and Farm Products

To protect farmers and fishermen and to maintain prices, the Liberal Government has provided floor prices under their products. Prosperous farmers and fishermen make a prosperous Canada.

## 11 Better Labour Conditions

In co-operation with organized Labour, the Liberal Government has confirmed collective bargaining, provided unemployment insurance, appointed labour representatives on government boards. (More than 600,000 workers, because of the Liberal Government's attitude towards Labour and the labour movement, now get annual vacations with pay.)

## 12 Reduction in Taxation

The Liberal Government will gradually reduce taxation when the European war is over to free spending power and to give Canadians every opportunity for prosperity, employment and freedom.

What you have done in war—you can do in peace. You can do your part by supporting the Liberal Candidate in your constituency.

# BUILD A NEW SOCIAL ORDER VOTE LIBERAL

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## Legion Notes

Well Comrades, now that the elections are over for another year and according to the words of our newly elected President that "this will be a momentous year in the history of our Legion", let us all put our efforts behind the newly elected officers. They need your support and it is the hope of the writer that all animosities will be forgotten, and that we will all get behind the present officers and give them the support they deserve for the advancement of the Legion and for the motto for which we all stand "One for all and all for one".

Chairman Jimmy Roberts of the canteen committee announces that his committee is composed of Comrades W. Carney, Tom Allan and Pres. S. P. Chapman. This committee has full authority of the canteen and will meet when and where the chairman deems necessary. Congratulations to the newly appointed members.

Talking about the canteen committee, we are glad to once again see our good friend Thos. Allan, better known to comrades as "Pappy" Allan on this committee, and we sincerely hope that all comrades will pay due respect to the members of this committee. "Pappy" is a member of the canteen board and his word goes, so comrades accept his decisions and please abide by his orders.

Comrade Sam Tennant as chairman of Entertainment has not yet chosen his committee, but all comrades were well pleased to see comrades Muir, Hadley and Henney helping Sam out on Saturday night. Keep up the good work boys, as we need your help to maintain the high standard set by comrade Muir during the last five years.

Congratulations to Comrade Tom Mitchell on his recent appointment at Malton. We are glad to report that Tom has been promoted to the Personnel Division of Victory Aircraft.

Comrade Basil Hadley, a member of our executive, whose name appeared in our Legion Notes last week as the dean of "I'll be seeing you" which is nothing more than the title of a song received quite a surprise last week when he uttered the words "I'll Be Seeing You" and another popular comrade added the words "In Apple Blossom Time". Now what comrade comes next to keep up the rhythm and add his line to the song?

Comrade President Chapman called an Executive meeting of the Legion last Tuesday, and although nothing was reported as definite and for publication, we understand that quite an amount of business was transacted, and we will report on this at a later date.

Once again we would like to remind all comrades that an open invitation is extended to all members of the Legion and the Imperial Section to the "get together" to be held Friday May 11. Good entertainment will be offered and we hope that all Legion members and their wives will be present as guests of the Imperial Section on Friday.

So, comrades, until Friday night when your correspondent can report more news for the Legion Notes next week.

J. B.

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ALLAN NICHOLSON, Federal candidate for Halton  
STAN HALL, M.P.P., Provincial candidate for Halton

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### Bad Fire at Brampton

Eighteen firemen from Georgetown helped fight a fire in Brampton at 7 p. m. Sunday night, April 22, which completely gutted the premises of the Gazette Printing office and the Masonic Hall and caused damage estimated at \$25,000. After a six-hour battle, the Brampton Fire Brigade, assisted by firemen from No. 2 Conditioning Centre, Georgetown and Weston, finally brought the blaze under control. The blaze started at the rear of the premises of the Canadian Tire Corporation, owned by Leslie Black and spread to the Gazette Office and plant, sweeping up to the Masonic Hall. The firemen managed to save the Masonic Lodge Charters and other valuable documents. Nothing was saved from the Gazette Office and the printing press, linotype machine and other equipment will, it is believed, be a total loss, unless salvage operations reveal the possibility of recovery at great expense.

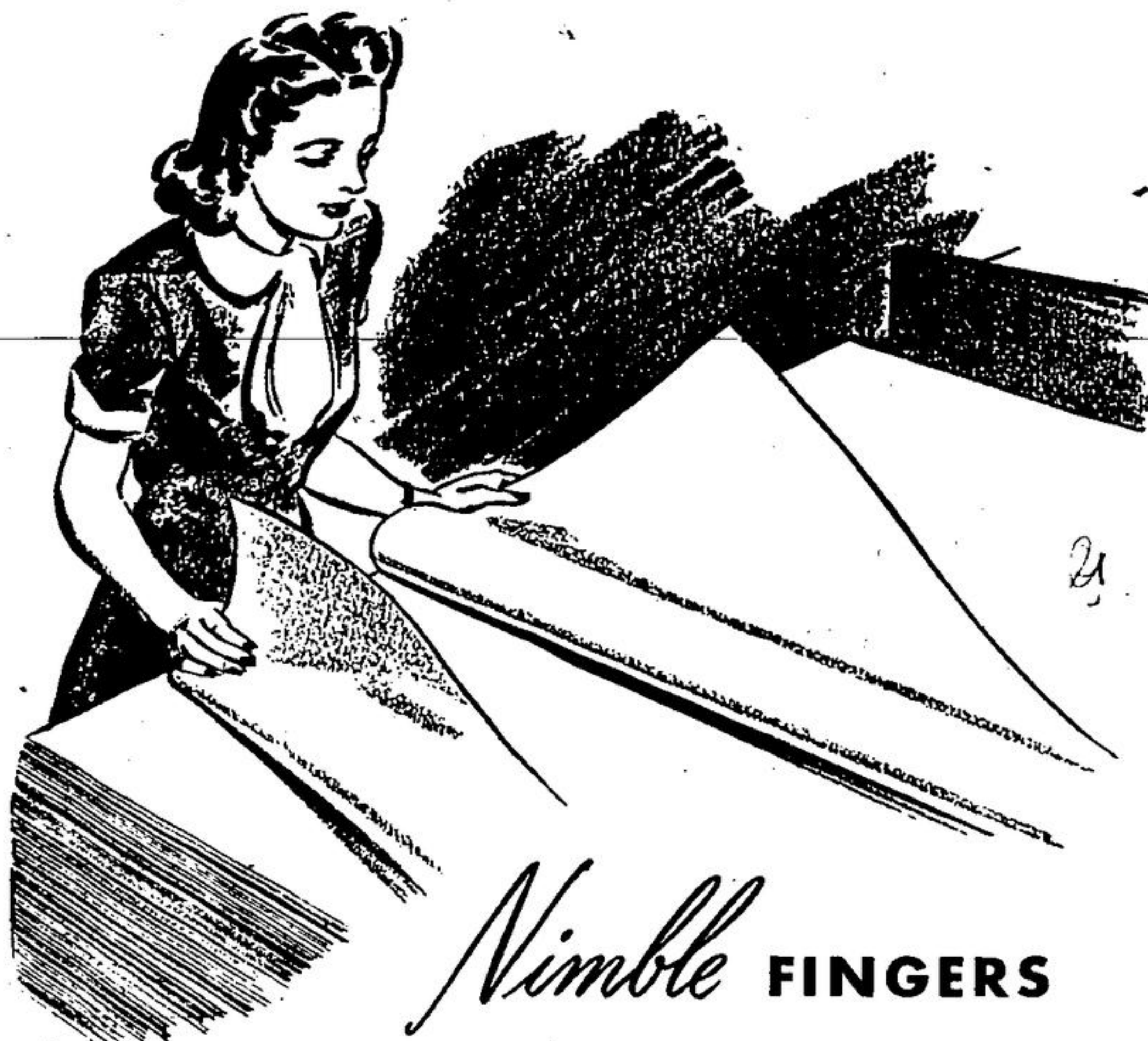
Police have under investigation at the present time the possibility that the fire was of incendiary origin.

### STANLEY PARK UNDER NEW OWNERSHIP

Mr. G. W. Henderson has sold Stanley Park, Erin's picnic and beauty spot, to Upwell's Limited. The firm has also purchased 175 acres of adjacent land and plan extensive improvements this summer to make it one of the finest picnic and camping grounds in the district. Mr. Frank Bellway, formerly Commanding Officer of the ROAF stations at Halifax, Lac-Haine, Que., and Aylmer, Ont., has been hired as manager. Dancing in the pavilion will commence this Friday, with Georgetown's Modern Aires to play for the dancers.

Mrs. Sidney MacKenzie received word last week that her son, Sgt. Larry MacKenzie had arrived safely overseas.

Bdr. Bud James has returned to Petawawa after a three-week leave at home.



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