

SATURDAY NIGHT'S STRONG STAND

One of the most significant features of the present campaign is the manner in which the independent press is lining up behind Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen. When publications like MacLean's Magazine and Toronto Saturday Night, which ordinarily take no sides in political fights, are strongly opposed to the return to power of the Liberal party, there must be reasons which should make the citizens of Canada pause and think before they cast their ballots.

Both these vigorous publications feel that the so-called constitutional issue is a lot of nonsense. They are of the opinion that stable government and clean administration are the real issues today and are concerned for the future of Canada if the Meighen Government is not returned at the polls.

"Saturday Night, in a powerful indictment of the King administration, sums up its reasons why as an independent journal interested only in the welfare of Canada, it is constrained to support, this election, the Conservative cause. Saturday Night says:

"At this particular juncture in the nation's affairs, nothing better could happen to Canada than the return to power next September of the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King with a dependable majority of Conservative members. That is an unescapable conclusion to Canadians, of independent mind and clear judgment, who put the interests of the country before those of party and who feel that four years of muddle, trafficking for power and inefficient and malodorous administration in the most important collecting department of Government, have forfeited any claim which the King Government had once to the confidence of the people of Canada. If the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King comes to power in September, succeeding administrations will be justified in believing that Canadians can be bamboozled to let them get away with anything short of murder. The customs scandal smells to high heaven, and no Canadian can remain unaware of it unless he breathes through his mouth or has an abnormally insensitive nose.

"Saturday Night is not a party organ. It is tied neither by tradition nor interest to the Liberal-Conservative party or to the Liberal party. It is an independent journal which is making a fight for stable government in Canada at the present time. It cannot be stated too emphatically that Saturday Night is now and always will be an independent journal which will express its views honestly and fearlessly on great public issues. It will not just avoid a charge of partisanship from offended partisans, make itself the medium of a wishy-washy, 'neutral' journalism without opinions, backbone or conscience. Saturday Night has a platform of its own, and we have only to state here its three most important planks to make it evident why our attitude is so definite and uncompromising just now. The planks are:

"The maintenance of the policy of protection and tariff stability as essential to Canada's prosperity.

"The maintenance of imperial connection as essential to Canada's future in world affairs; and

"The maintenance of honesty in the public services as essential to the moral and economic well-being of the community.

"It is the misfortune of the King Government and of the Liberal party that its recent actions seem to have put all three interests in jeopardy. The address of Premier Meighen at Ottawa on July 20, viewed in the light of his known record as an administrator, promises the furtherance of all three planks. That is why we advocate in this election the return of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen to power, why we believe Canada will consult its best interests if it turns a deaf ear to the blandishment of the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King. This journal believes in the personal honesty of ex-Premier King and most of his ministers, it knows that administrative capacity of a high order has been shown, but the cabinet can escape collective responsibility for the acts of any minister only by getting rid of that minister. The progressive deterioration of the customs and excise department under Hon. Jacques Bureau was known to them, and especially to the then premier, Mr. King. The latter stands condemned, not for actual connivance in his minister's dereliction from duty or for indifference to the state of affairs, but because he allowed political expediency to rule instead of principle, because he tried to get rid of the culprit by rewarding him with a seat in the Senate and because he did not sack Hon. Jacques Bureau and have another minister do years ago what Hon. H. H. Stevens started to do the very day he took office in the new Meighen Government. The spirit of the ex-premier was willing, but his flesh was very weak."

Not a Total Loss
"What's all the rumpus about?"
"Why, the doc just examined us, and one of the deficient boys is knocking the stuffings out of a perfect one."

UNION SERVICES IN UNITED CHURCHES

In Charge of Rev. J. E. Peters During Absence of Rev. W. H. Smith on Holiday.

Rev. Mr. Peters, of Queen Street United church, with Mrs. Peters, returned from holidays to Montreal and Eastern Ontario points this week, and Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Smith and family of Knox United church leave this week on holiday with relatives and friends in and around Beachville, Thorold and other Ontario points.

During Mr. Smith's absence the services at Durham, Zion and Hampden will be in charge of Rev. Mr. Peters. Next Sunday the morning service will be held in the Queen Street church. The preacher will be the Rev. James Simpson of Toronto, and will be in the interests of the Ontario Prohibition Union. Mr. Simpson will also preach at Hampden at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The evening service in Durham will be held in Knox United church. Rev. Mr. Peters preaching, and he will also be in charge of the service at Zion at 1:30 in the afternoon.

On succeeding Sundays the services at Queen Street and Knox churches will alternate, morning and evening, as during the past few weeks, the hours of service being 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The hours for service at Zion and Hampden will be 1:30 and 3:30 respectively.

HOW TO PREVENT ROBBING

Though noted for their industry, bees are apt, at times, to seize an opportunity to get rich quickly. Should they get the chance of securing sweets without working for them, they are not slow to take advantage of it, with the result that in a few minutes, there is an uproar which may mean not only robbing but death of bees and stings to passers-by, says A. H. W. Birch, Apiarist.

It is the beekeeper's business, therefore, to realize that prevention is better than cure and to take care that robbing does not start.

As sweets are the root of the trouble, they should never be exposed in the apiary even though during a heavy flow they might remain there untouched.

With this in mind, the beekeeper, early in the season, should see that hives containing dead colonies have the entrances closed and that they are removed from the apiary as soon as possible, also that the entrances of weak colonies are reduced in size, as this gives these colonies a better chance to defend their homes. Where there are queenless colonies, he ought to replace them soon, for a colony without a queen does not make a start at resistance. When little or no nectar is coming in and the bees are searching everywhere for it, colony examinations should cease entirely. If, however, they must be made, make them brief and cover all supers temporarily removed with robber-cloths or sacks. In removing honey with bee-escapes, let him see that all cracks between the supers above the escapes are closed, otherwise the unguarded supers will be quickly robbed out; also that when the supers are removed for extraction, they are covered immediately. It is necessary that his honey-house be made bee-tight and its windows screened. Later in the season, when feeding for winter, let him give the syrup late in the afternoon or in the evening and make sure that the feeders do not leak.

By observance of these suggestions, the beekeeper will be saved much trouble, for robbing once started is sometimes very difficult to stop.

How It Is Done
I know a man in this life,
Who loves to spoon with a doctor's wife;
He eats an apple every day
Just to keep the Doc away.

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EDGE HILL SCHOOL HELD GARDEN PARTY

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of Kamsack, Sask., who is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. H. Banks of Glenora, was given charge of the program. Mr. Banks made a splendid chairman. In his reminiscences he spoke of the excellent work of former teachers in this school and he mentioned two, Messrs. John A. Graham and R. T. Edwards. He considered that probably a large measure of the success of the garden party might be attributed to the efficient work of these men and to the spirit which they imbued into the boys and girls of those bygone days. Mary Anderson gave a good recitation. George Ritchie and Company and the Noble Orchestra furnished some excellent instrumental music. An Indian drill by twelve young ladies in Indian costume with bows and arrows and a dance by the same twelve were both good numbers. The girls were trained by Mrs. E. Greenwood and their performance reflected credit on their teacher. Messrs. William Benson and Earl McDonald, with song and instrument, were well received, and they were forced to respond to an encore. The well-known Bell Quartette were present and satisfied their reputation as singers of more than average ability. The program closed with the National Anthem. The proceeds amounted to \$120.00.

The Misses Edge visited friends in Flesherton on Wednesday. Mrs. Thomas Greenwood visited a few days with her sister, Mrs. Henry Moffat.

Miss Jean Ledingham of Dornoch was the guest of her friend, Miss Margaret Anderson, over the weekend.

Mr. J. W. Firth was in Gargill on Thursday and took part in a bowling tournament.

Mr. Ernest Greenwood was in Orchard on Monday.

The trustees are to be congratulated on the improvement they have made on the entrance to the school grounds.

Miss Lavina Mortley is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Greenwood and Mrs. Williams.

Rev. Charles Ryan and Miss Ryan of Owen Sound visited the Misses Edge.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry of Mount Forest and Mrs. George Firth of Grand Valley visited the latter's brother, Mr. George Ritchie, on Sunday.

Miss Black of Chesley is the guest of her cousins, the Misses McKayden.

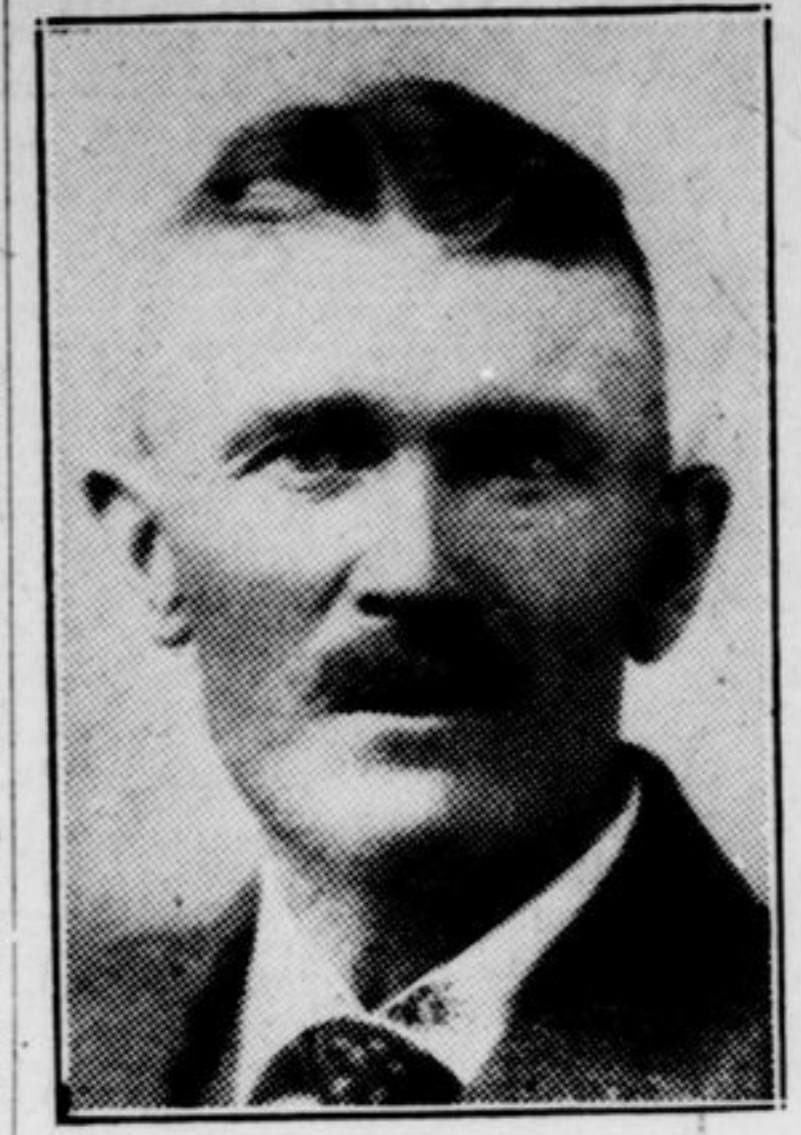
Mr. Melville Anderson leaves this Friday on the annual harvester's excursion. It is his intention to take his ticket to Dauphin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scarf of Toronto visited friends in this neighborhood on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Holland, Flesherton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ellison, Miss Ellison and Mr. Ellison of Toronto, visited the Misses Edge last week.

No Wonder
The ship captain and the chief engineer had a dispute as to which was the most important man aboard ship and agreed to change places. Soon the captain came up all covered with oil and grease. "Chief," he called, "I can't make her go." "Of course you can't," replied the chief. "She's ashore."

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Gratefully yours,
R. T. EDWARDS,
The People's Candidate.

Something Wrong!

The celebrated soprano was doing a high note solo when young Bobby said to his mother referring to the conductor of the orchestra:

"Why does that man hit at that woman with his stick?"

"He's not hitting at her," replied his mother. "Keep quiet!"

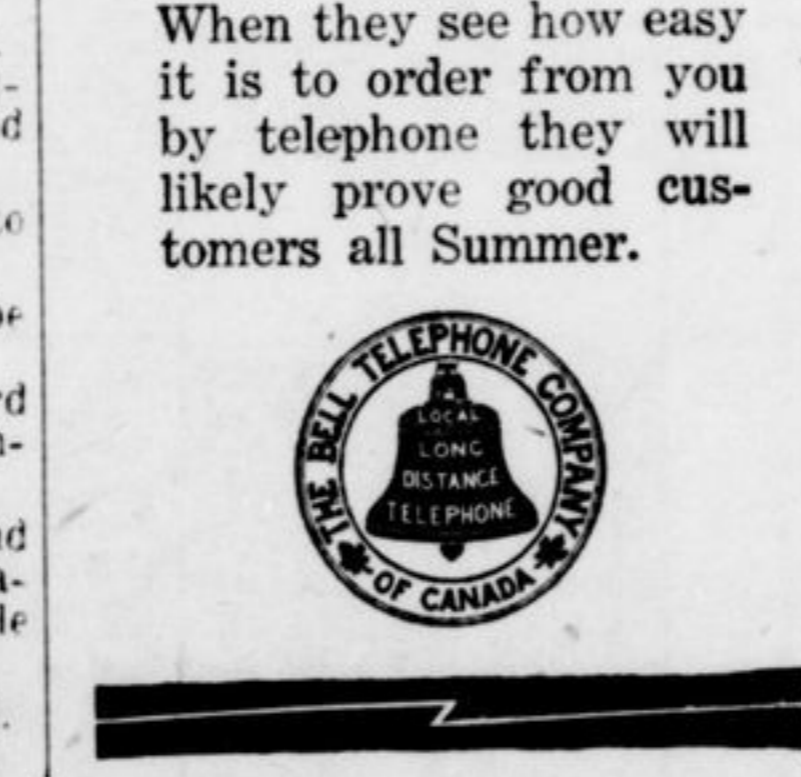
"Well, then, what's she hollerin' for?"



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BIG FEATURE CAST IN 'THE SPANIARD'

Ricardo Cortez, Jetta Goudal, Noah Beery in New Film.

Ricardo Cortez, Jetta Goudal, Noah Beery are featured in the leading roles of the new Raoul Walsh production for Paramount, "The Spaniard," due at the Veterans' Star Theatre Friday and Saturday, August 20 and 21. The picture, based on the novel of the same name by Juanita Savage, brings Cortez to the screen in the role of a bull-fighter, who turns out to be a grandee of Spain.

The story has to do with the taming of a beautiful English society girl, a born flirt, by The Spaniard. Cortez has not only the appearance and dramatic ability, but he is endowed with that appealing personality so necessary to put across this role. He is said to have put everything he has into the role of Don Pedro—and, judging from his characterizations in "The Swan," and others, he has plenty.

As the English girl, Dolores, Miss Goudal has the finest role of her screen career. She is a real French beauty and has every opportunity to make use of her charms in this production.

Beery plays the bandit chief, Gomez. At the beginning of the picture, he is a servant in Cortez's employ, but is thrown out of the castle

when he attempts to assist Miss Goudal to escape.
Others in the cast of the production include Emily Fitzroy, Renzo De Gardi, Mathilda Brundage, Bernard Seigel and Florence Renart.
J. T. O'Donohoe made the adaptation.

WET AND DRY MOONS

Toronto weather authorities agree with a recent statement of the United States weather bureau that the "wet" and "dry" moon theory is nothing but a groundless superstition.

They said that the moon had nothing to do with the rain, and the old saying that it is "wet" because it hangs as if pouring out something, or that it is "dry" because the points of the crescent are pointed up is absurd.

Long ago we learned that there are two methods of predicting weather by the moon, and they contradict each other, so you can take your pick and can never go wrong. The farmers believe when the crescent points up, dry weather is coming, while the Indians claim that when this is the case, wet weather is at hand, the moon signifying them to hang up their powder horns, as there will be no hunting.

Some authorities say that bobbed hair is going out. Parents interviewed on the subject contend that it's not only going out but refusing to come home at a reasonable hour.

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