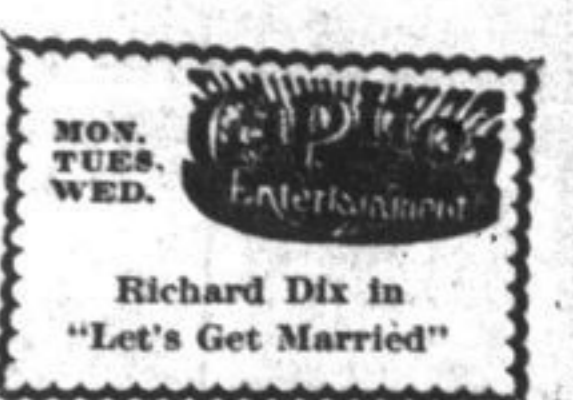




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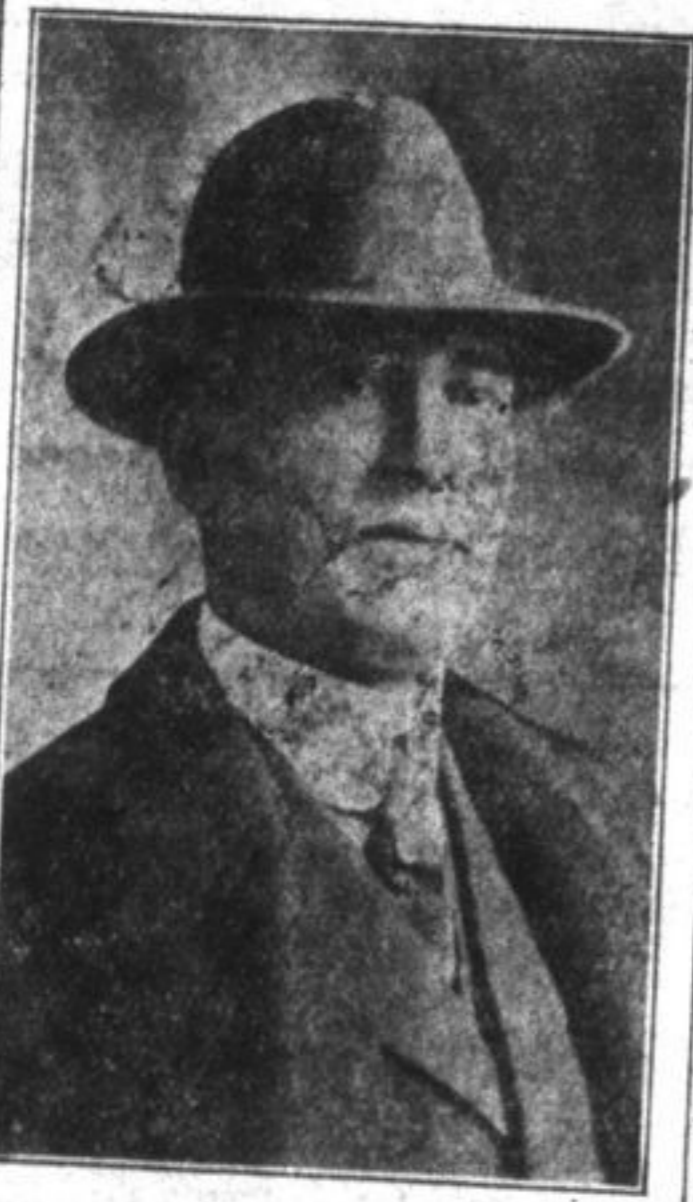
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## JAMES HALLIDAY MAY BE LIBERAL CANDIDATE IN KINGSTON

### JAS. HALLIDAY WILL LIKELY BE LIBERAL CANDIDATE IN CITY

Mr. Halliday Has Been Approached and Has Consented to Give the Matter Favorable Consideration—Convention Will Be Called Shortly When His Name Will Be Submitted.

At a meeting of prominent Liberals held recently, a committee was appointed to consider the matter of a candidate to contest the riding with Dr. Ross, in the coming Federal election. Mr. J. M. Campbell having definitely announced that he was out of the running this time, Mr. James Halliday was approached and has agreed to consider the matter favorably.



MR. JAMES HALLIDAY

Mr. Halliday is one of the most popular business men in the city. For many years he has been Reeve of Portsmouth, has been Warden of the County, is a Kiwanian and the name of his friends in Kingston and Portsmouth is legion. Last January, yielding to the importunities of his friends he consented to contest a position in the Public Utilities Commission, and was successfully elected, being only 43 behind the high man.

Mr. Halliday is a well-known Liberal and a man whom the Liberals are convinced will make an excellent candidate. The normal majority in Kingston is under 500 either way, and with his personal popularity and a strong organization the Liberals feel that Mr. Halliday has a very good chance of redeeming the seat. Mr. Halliday has promised a

### Ex-Aid. W. J. B. White Hit By Car And Died of Injuries in Hospital

Was Struck by an auto Driven by Mr. Edward McAllister, of Vine Street, on Thursday Night—Charge Preferred Against the Driver in Police Court—Inquest to Be Held To-night.

W. J. B. White, 323 University avenue, well-known insurance agent of this city and for several years a city alderman, died in the General Hospital, Thursday evening, as a result of injuries received when he was struck by a motor car, driven by Mr. Edward McAllister of Vine street, and thrown to the ground.

The accident happened on Raglan Road just between Mr. Joseph Eves' grocery store and the paint shop of Mr. E. Jenkins, shortly after 5 p.m. Mr. White rode up to Mr. Eves' store on his bicycle and went in to purchase some meat. He leaned his bicycle up against the store. At almost the same time Mr. McAllister drove up in front of the store in his automobile; stopped and went in to make some purchases.

The two men came out of the store at about the same time, but apparently without taking any particular notice of each other. While Mr. McAllister had been in Eves' store Mr. E. Jenkins had sent his helper, George Smith, to tell Mr. McAllister that he would like to see him. When he came out of the store therefore Mr. McAllister got in his automobile, which was parked on the side of the road next to the store and facing north and put the car into reverse intending to back up to Mr. Jenkins' shop. Apparently Mr. White was just behind the car getting behind it and many people believe that he had his back to the automobile. The right rear fender of the car struck the bicycle and threw Mr. White off into the road.

He was rushed to the hospital but it was found that he was suffering from a severe fracture of the skull and he died shortly afterwards. Coroner Dr. M. J. Morrison was at the scene of the accident, and has ordered an inquest for Friday night.

Mr. McAllister jumped out of his car as soon as he knew that he had struck anyone, and he, with the aid of Mr. E. Jenkins, lifted Mr. White to the grass. Mr. Jenkins got some water and bathed the head of the injured man. Mr. White was re-admitted to the General Hospital, in an ambulance, and there he was given careful medical attention but his injuries were of such a nature that from the first no hope of recovery was held out.

Driver Tells Story. "I was backing up to Ed. Jenkins' shop, and I didn't know that I had hit anyone until a man on York Road shouted at me," said Mr. Edward McAllister, the driver of the automobile. "I had no idea there was anyone behind the car. As soon as he shouted, I stopped the car and jumped out and saw Mr. White lying on the road, about four feet from the side of the car. When I got to him, his nose was bleeding and one eye was blackened, but I helped carry him to the grass, and we sent for an ambulance." The right rear fender of Mr. McAllister's automobile has a strip

### DAMAGE IN THE WEST BY HAIL STORM

Moosejaw, Regina and Brandon Districts Suffer. LASTED A SHORT TIME Loss to Crops Estimated From Five to a Hundred Per Cent. in Different Sections.

Moose Jaw, Aug. 6.—Damage ranging from five per cent. to one hundred per cent. was done to crops by the hailstorm which struck the district south, north and east of the east end there was heavy hail for about five minutes.

A storm of hail and a deluge of rain which broke over the immediate Brandon district about noon damaged uncut ripening grain on a number of farms northwest of the city and in the Kemnay district. The extent of the damage is difficult to ascertain, as investigation is somewhat curtailed owing to the wetness of the fields which were flooded, so quickly did the rain descend.

One farmer, north of Brandon, estimates the damage to the ripening wheat by crop in his district as one bushel to the acre. He says the hail was heavy. The hailstorm was at its worst in the northern part of the city and district and west of here. The south and eastern portions did not get sufficient hail to do damage, although all parts got a heavy shower. Gardens in the city escaped hail damage, and the rain was welcome. The storm, which lasted but a short time, was the worst of the summer. The rainfall in this one storm totaled .62 inches. Harvest operations will be delayed until the end of the week owing to the storm.

A report from Regina says: "Breaking upon the city from the west, early yesterday morning, the heaviest hail storm experienced in the Regina district in years did damage that will amount to thousands of dollars." "Hail stones of exceptional size crashed through thousands of windows in city homes, especially those with western exposures. Crops in the district sustained damage, although the extent is not yet known. Sewers, streets and cellars were flooded. The fire department pumps were brought out and kept at work for some time." "Information gathered over available telephone lines indicates that the Regina district was well covered by hail and rain."

JUST SAY GOOD-BYE TO LITTLE FELT HAT The Fall Styles Show That Hats Are to Be More Elegant. New York, Aug. 6.—The little felt hat has had its day. There is no doubt about it now.

The fall fashion show of the Retail Millinery Association of America held at the Hotel Astor, has proved it beyond a doubt. The convenient little hat, so trim and so plain, at last has had to make way for the pompous creations of other and new lines.

### Workers Hung to Sill Fifty Feet From the Ground

Ottawa, Aug. 6.—Clinging by their fingers fifty feet inside the floor of the main rotunda of the Victoria Memorial Museum, William R. Williamson, plasterer in the employ of the Public Works Department, and his helper, Peter Lavisky, had a narrow escape from being dashed to death when a plank of a scaffold on which they were standing collapsed yesterday afternoon.

When the plank gave way, both men had only time to grasp a window sill under which they were working, and when rescued from the precarious position by fellow-workmen were in a state of exhaustion.

Their shouts were heard through the open window by a workman on a scaffold on the outside. He looked in the window and, seeing the men's plight, immediately grasped a hand of each and held on until his cries attracted the attention of other men. Then both men were pulled through the window onto the outside scaffold.

Will Stick to Goats. New York, Aug. 6.—George C. Harding, owner of a concession at a local amusement park, learned he has inherited \$200,000 and celebrated by purchasing two dozen raincoats for friends "so they will have something for a rainy day." For himself, Harding said he would stick to the goats which he hires out to the youngsters for riding.

### MACKENZIE KING SPEAKING IN WEST

Outlined Steps Taken by His Government on Hudson Bay Railway. Prince Albert, Sask., Aug. 6.—Steps taken by the government to proceed with construction of the Hudson Bay Railway, were outlined by Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, in an address in his own constituency here last night.

He promised that when the Liberal administration was returned, work would be pushed to completion as fast as possible. Conservatives were trying to run a great election on "Little issue," concerning administration of one department, he said.

"When a great political party must choose an issue of that kind and fails to offer you great policies, it shows to what small things the party can be reduced to," said Mr. King.

Mr. King also said that the appointment of Sir Henry Thornton, as railway chief, was recommended by Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, one of foremost English railwaymen and the dominion's secretary in labor government.

Senator's Widow Is Dead. Sarnia, Ont., Aug. 6.—Mary Eleanor Pardee, wife of Senator F. F. Pardee, is dead here at the age of sixty-one years. Surviving are her husband, one daughter, Mrs. John Cowan, Sarnia, and two brothers, Harry Johnston, Toronto, and George Johnston, Vancouver, B.C. Mrs. Pardee was born in Goderich.

Car of New Manitoba Wheat. Winnipeg, Aug. 6.—The first car of 1926 wheat from the Rosebud district was shipped from that point yesterday.

### TRADE REPORT FOR CANADA LOOKS GOOD

Exported Three Times as Much As Imported In June. FIGURES ARE COMPARED The Chief Item of Canada's Export to the United Kingdom Was Agriculture.

Ottawa, Aug. 6.—Canada exported to the United Kingdom three times as much as she imported in June last. Canadian-made goods to the value of \$40,066,025 went out; imports totalled \$13,806,344, of which three million dollars worth were non-durable goods.

From the United States Canada brought in June nearly twice as many goods as she exported to that country. Imports totalled \$62,089,522 of which \$25,400,000 were free goods. Exports to the United States were \$37,329,312.

A comparison of figures for the twelve months ended June 30 last shows that exports to the United Kingdom in that period totalled \$514,877,691 as compared with \$339,740,609 in the previous corresponding twelve months.

In the current twelve-months exports to the United States from Canada totalled \$469,836,509, compared with \$429,238,117 in the 12 months ended June, 1925. Imports from that country was unusually high. Iron and iron products accounted for \$21,263,396 of the imported goods and non-metallic minerals for \$11,907,745. The total of the two being more than half the sum of imports. In exports during that month to the United States the chief item was wood and paper, which totalled \$21,201,795.

The chief item in Canada's exports to the United Kingdom was agricultural and vegetable products, which accounted for \$311,181,823 or more than two-thirds of the total exports.

### VOTES OF SAILORS AWAY FROM HOME

Col. Biggar Explains the Law Regarding the Request Made. Ottawa, Aug. 6.—"I am sympathetic to any suggestion that will extend the privilege of voting to those who are anxious to exercise their franchise, but I can only carry out the Dominion Elections Act as it stands," said Col. O. M. Biggar, chief electoral officer, today. He was interviewed regarding the request from the Dominion Marine Association that special provision be made for taking the votes of sailors away from home at polling day.

Col. Biggar has written A. A. Wright, president of that association, that the act provides for advance polls at which those voters who may be absent from their home constituency on polling day may mark their ballots in the two or three days previous.

### Badly Crushed Between Cars

Charles Tebworth Seriously Injured in Accident in C.N.R. Yards.

Charles Tebworth, brakeman on the suburban train of the Canadian National Railways, was very seriously injured on Thursday night, at the C.N.R. city yards, while engaged in shunting operations with the train crew.

Tebworth, whose work consisted of coupling and uncoupling certain freight cars as the shunting operations required, was hanging on a ladder of one of the freight cars while the train was moving down the track, after having previously placed a car on the next track. This car had been placed close to the division of tracks and it was clear enough for cars to pass, but not far enough up to clear a man hanging on the side.

As the train moved along Tebworth was caught between the two cars at the junction of the tracks and the result was that he was severely crushed. He was picked up and rushed to the Hotel Dieu Hospital, where his condition was reported as very serious. His stomach was severely crushed.

Tebworth is a native of Belleville and had been on the local train for some time past. He was injured a short time ago and had just returned to work. Tebworth was formerly a member of the Kingston Police Force.

Injuries Were Terrible. The injuries to the unfortunate man were indeed terrible. His chest was crushed in and his abdominal wall was broken down the injury extending from the centre of the abdomen up to a line with the ribs and around to the back. His intestines were out altogether and were in his clothes. The ribs too were crushed.

### The Political Field

Supported by Liberals. Port Hope, Aug. 6.—Melville H. Staples, Orono, who recently was nominated as independent candidate for Durham, Ont., was endorsed by the riding Liberal convention yesterday, and the contest will be between Staples and F. W. Cowan, Conservative, who defeated Hon. Vincent Massey, Liberal, last October, by a majority of 946.

The independent candidate is prominent in United Farmer circles and was a strong supporter of Mr. Massey in the last campaign.

Mr. King in Prince Albert. Prince Albert, Sask., Aug. 6.—Mr. Mackenzie King arrived in Prince Albert constituency yesterday and spent the day motoring and meeting the people of the district. The Liberal leader will be here until Saturday morning.

Mackenzie King's Tour. Ottawa, Aug. 6.—Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King's campaign tour will carry him into three western provinces next week. Meetings at which he will speak have been arranged for Battleford, Sask., on Monday, Aug. 9th; Wetaskiwin and Edmonton, Alta., on the 10th; Victoria, B.C., on the evening of the 12th; New Westminster and Vancouver, Aug. 13th; and Kamloops, Saturday, Aug. 14.

Peace River Liberals. Edmonton, Aug. 6.—Joseph Andrew Clarke, ex-Mayor of Edmonton, will contest Peace River federal riding at the forthcoming general election as a Liberal candidate.

Liberals Endorse Burnett. Guelph, Ont., Aug. 6.—Liberals of South Wellington in convention here decided not to nominate a candidate for the forthcoming federal election, and passed a resolution endorsing the candidacy of W. A. Burnett, Progressive nominee.

A Woman Candidate. Alliston, Ont., Aug. 6.—At the Dufferin-Simcoe Progressive convention, Mrs. Sidney Banks, Shelburne, was nominated as candidate in the federal elections. Miss Agnes Macphail criticized the present form of government in Canada, stating that the big interests selected the cabinet. She hoped the next house would be like the last. Then a new form of government would be inaugurated.

Dr. Embury Selected. Belleville, Ont., Aug. 6.—Conservatives of Hastings and Peterborough riding assembled at Marmora for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the approaching federal election. The party is united in support of Dr. A. T. Embury, Bancroft, who was unanimously selected as the standard bearer.

Three Nations Agreed. Roma, Aug. 6.—Abyssinia's appeal to the League of Nations against the Anglo-Italian agreement regarding that country is certain to fail, a government spokesman declared, because Rome and London are in complete agreement with Paris in the matter.

### Three Men Killed in Pitched Battle

Homestead, Fla., Aug. 6.—Three men were shot and killed yesterday afternoon in a pitched battle with seven federal prohibition agents on Cape Sable Road. None of the Federal men were injured. The dead are N. Merritt, former constable, Clide Parrish and J. A. Brinson. Reports are that three men opened fire on Federal agents, who killed them in exchange shots.

Ice Cream Treat Endowed. Punta Gorda, Fla., Aug. 6.—An annual ice cream treat for the children of this city is assured under the terms of the will of Albert W. Gilchrist, former Governor. The will provided here, gave the Masonic Lodge \$5,000, the principal to be kept intact and the interest used for charity. Regarding the children's ice cream treat tendered by the lodge, it says, "The cost is not large and it makes the children very happy."

Cost of Elevator. Regina, Sask., Aug. 6.—The total amount to be paid for the elevator system of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited, by the Saskatchewan Pool Elevators, Limited, is \$11,059,310.47 under the terms of the award handed down by a majority of the board of arbitrators.

Hudson's Bay Railway would be early completed by the Liberal administration, says Mackenzie King.

### GOVERNMENT WILL CHECK UP THE CAMPS

Inspector Will Make Rounds of Various Boys' and Girls' Camps. Toronto, Aug. 6.—Hon. W. H. Price, acting attorney-general of Ontario, announced today that preparations were under way that preparations in the department to check up the various boys' and girls' camps in the province with the view to seeing what precautions are being taken to safeguard the lives of the children when on the water. The department, in the course of a few days, will send out questionnaires, probably in telegraphic form, to the various camps which will be later supplemented by a personal visit from the government inspectors.

Heavy damage is done by forest fires throughout the west.

OPEN SCHOOL ON SEPT. 9TH His Honor the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, Hon. Harry Cockshutt, will come to Kingston on Sept. 9th to open the new Rideau school building. It is also expected Premier G. Howard Ferguson, the Minister of Education, will be present. A committee of the Board of Education will arrange details to include, it is hoped, a dinner at night to the visitors.

On Same Platform. Redford, Aug. 6.—The South Renfrew Liberal and Conservative candidates for the September federal elections addressed the electors of this district last night from the same platform at a large political rally held in the Calabogie picnic grounds.