

Prairie Manifesto Project

Jared Wesley

PhD Candidate

Department of Political Science

705 Social Sciences Building

University of Calgary

2500 University Drive NW

Calgary, Alberta T2N 1N4

phone: 1.403.220.4184

fax: 1.403.282.4773

email: jw Wesley@ucalgary.ca

Province: Alberta Saskatchewan Manitoba

Party: CON Election Year: 1986

AA = Alberta Alliance
CON = Conservative Party
LP = Liberal-Progressive Party
PC = Progressive Conservative Party
SKP = Saskatchewan Party
UFM = United Farmers of Manitoba

CCF = Cooperative Commonwealth Federation
LIB = Liberal Party
NDP = New Democratic Party
SC = Social Credit
UFA = United Farmers of Alberta
WCC = Western Canadian Concept

Type of Document:

- Platform Constitution
- Speech Brochure / Leaflet **RP**
- Newspaper Advertisement
- Other: _____

Date Collected: 2007 / 01 / 08
 YYYY MM DD

Source: WFP - Jw 24 p 1

AB = Alberta
SK = Saskatchewan
MB = Manitoba

UofA = University of Alberta
UofC = University of Calgary
UofR = University of Regina
UoS = University of Saskatchewan
UofM = University of Manitoba
BU = Brandon University

PARC = Provincial Archives
LBG = Legislative Library
SPC = Special Collections
ULIB = University Library

TEMPERATURE READINGS

m. June 23	+88
m. June 23	+75
m. June 24	+75
m. June 24	+88
full report of Meteorological see Page One	+88

301—22 PAGES.

See Page 117 for the full report.

WINDSPRIG, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 1936

Minimizes Farm Deaths

HE POST WASS

WILLIS PROMISES TO END 2 P.C. WAGE TAX

Platform Highlights

Phalaris has been at the gate since in this city's race usually by his way. A must not be for a good second best own quantity well enough.

4—Share race. Slightly the lead and merits an ear accented better on the less to it ought to 4 Goldstream 4 Last team back to third.

5—Young ent-evidently this is put free use of fishing sites to producers operating fishing stations and etc. He has development of hatchery service and fish culture stations.

6—Fishing operations including transportation by water, and freighting for mink purchases where government roads are not provided, will be relieved from the gasoline tax; agricultural work done at sea with tractors or combine will also be exempt from the tax.

11—An equitable share of revenue collected from gasoline taxation will be paid over to the municipalities.

12—All present advisory boards and committees will be abolished and their statutory taken over by the government through appropriate departments.

13—Increased facilities to provide farmers with service at reasonable rates from the provincial hydro service is also promised.

14—The present and additional experimental stations will be utilized for the production of most remaining varieties of all grains on the 5 lbs. to be sold to producers at cost without duplicating or superseding the sure to federal policies. A sire policy for horses and cattle will be inaugurated to ensure farmers of an adequate supply of high class stock for him with any

Tem of 21 Conservative Platform Points Concern Agriculture

Monday, June 24, (Special)—Erick F. Willis, new head of the Manitoba Conservative party, fired the first shot in the provincial election campaign when the platform on which the party will appeal to the county was formally announced to a Brandon audience that nearly filled the city hall auditorium.

Ten of the 21 points are devoted entirely to measures affecting agriculture, the Conservative leader requesting the other-repeated story that when the farmers are prosperous, all other classes are prosperous too. One of the points promises to wipe out all drought advances to farmers in the form of a share of the gasoline tax revenue. Another promises a share of the gasoline tax revenue to all municipalities, with a view to reducing taxation on land.

Plague License—Cut Out in the license fee for all passenger automobiles to a flat rate of \$5 a car and a promise to wipe out the two per cent wage tax, were received with applause by the audience, as was also the proposal to save the province \$1,000,000 in interest charges on provincial borrowings.

Introduction of this latter plank was described by the speaker as an item of tremendous importance. "We shall be criticized I know," Mr. Willis declared, "but the Conservative party is fully prepared to defend this action for the general good of the people."

Reduction of the cost of government by not less than \$1,000,000, was another item that met with hearty approval.

The speech of the conservative leader was devoted almost entirely to brief comment on each of the party planks.

Only on one occasion did he

State

Two

DEATH

Fort Frances, Ont., June 23 (Special)—Two young men were fatally injured, a third hurt so badly that he is in a hospital, and three others were seriously injured in an automobile smash near Berwick this morning.

The accident occurred at the hospital, an ambulance driver reported that the wound appeared to be superficial, the ambulance said.

Miss Eleanor Harnock, Frances; Glen Wisely, student Murrayboro, Ill.

Billy Geddis, Toronto, Ill., day night was near death as a result of his injuries. The three are Miss Katie Houston, Frances; Adam Bowman, Toronto and George Harry, Berwick.

Of whom sustained shock and injuries but are not in critical condition.

The young men were all at the time in the district who were in the district automobile touring and trip.

The accident occurred a p.m. Monday when the young men were returning on the Berwick highway from a day's fishing. A truck was driven, turned to pass a truck and trailer, with pulpwood, in the district set up by the truck, he to see the trailer and exit quickly.

Clutching the car almost centre, the heavy trailer, through it, he fell. He was instantly killed. Miss Bowman was sitting in the back seat when he had one leg severed and the other broken. She died in a Tuesday afternoon.

Geddis suffered a fracture and serious internal injuries. Injured were all rushed to the hospital. The three are Frances and Edna, Ont. Log several men in the truck of an Ingot Vitec, Ont. An inquest will be held Wednesday at Emo before Dr. Young, trial coroner.

PARLIAMENT ENDS LENGTHY SESSION

Railway Deadlock Is Broken

Legislation Changing National Road Management is Enacted

Parliament adjourned today after a session of 100 days, the longest in the history of the Dominion. The session was marked by a number of important events, including the passage of legislation to change the management of the National Road and the enactment of the National Road Management Act.

On June 24, (Special)—With the enactment Tuesday of the legislation changing the National Road Management is Enacted.

Ottawa, June 24, (Special)—With the enactment Tuesday of the legislation changing the National Road Management is Enacted.

Unless something arises from the Supreme meeting of the League of Nations, there will be no fall session of Parliament.

The speech from the throne recounted the legislative programme of the session but disclosed no future policies except the government was continuing "efforts to expand trade with other countries." This probably referred to departing later to many European countries in search of trade agreements.

Unless something arises from the Supreme meeting of the League of Nations, there will be no fall session of Parliament.

Continued on Page 4, Column 3

TURKISH DEMAND FOR DARDANELLES CONTROL SCORED

Britain Leads Plea Supervision

Monday, June 24

WHOLESALES CALGARY PROSPERITY BOON

Support Motion of Commerce Chamber Opposed

Calgary, June 24, (CP)—At the provincial government meeting, will not be successful.

SHARP ATTACK ON OPPONENTS OF NEW DEAL

Keynote Address at Demo-cratic Conventions Brings Noisy Celebrations

Cooperation High, Publicists June 24, (AP)—A burning keynote attack upon the opponents of the New Deal Tuesday night sent the Democratic convention into a succession of noisy celebrations, lawless only a whirl of platform differences to rattle the surface of Rooseveltian harmony.

The temporary chairman, Sen. Albert W. Bradley, of Kentucky, set the milling throng of delegates hoarse when he had poured fire upon the heads of Harding, Coolidge, Hoover and Landon.

Governor Al Landon, the United States presidency, he charged had urged inflation through printing more money in the last three years.

As had those who took part in the speaker's pugil before him, the Republican raised high the names of President Roosevelt and Vice-President Garner, looking to their support re-nomination before the work is out.

As had the others, he inspired cheers with his denunciation of the American Liberty League. Behind each reference many read indirect references to Albert Numanal Smith, the former Democratic politician of New York who advised the intervention to get Roosevelt.

Fort Frances, Ont., June 23 (Special)—Erick F. Willis, new head of the Manitoba Conservative party, fired the first shot in the provincial election campaign when the platform on which the party will appeal to the county was formally announced to a Brandon audience that nearly filled the city hall auditorium.

Ten of the 21 points are devoted entirely to measures affecting agriculture, the Conservative leader requesting the other-repeated story that when the farmers are prosperous, all other classes are prosperous too. One of the points promises to wipe out all drought advances to farmers in the form of a share of the gasoline tax revenue. Another promises a share of the gasoline tax revenue to all municipalities, with a view to reducing taxation on land.

the Machine
Saver
5c 10c B.

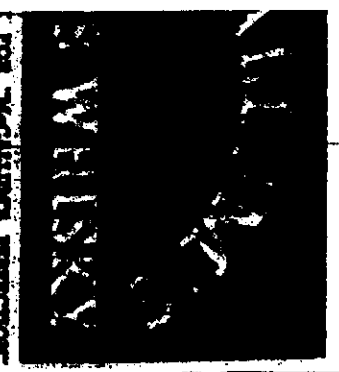
OFFER . A. 35c
B. 42c
10c
YF SALMON, 1/2, 15c
OYDERS, 3 pgs. 10c
EP. First grade, B. 22c
I SOAP 3 bars 10c

Kiel, 17-oz.
13 times 25c

GE lb. 10c
LOPS lb. 15.

W. Barrett
the Superior
Lard Supplier
Partly Wight (Osweston) Ltd

THAT CIRCLES THE GLOBE
FILED
coland



FOR W. & J. Whisky's REFINED

Best rates mean
INCOMES?

Making Up the Difference.
Income for yourself after you retire
from business life.

require into companies in the textile industry is continuing its investigation, and a royal commission has been appointed to conduct an investigation respecting the importation and distribution of anthracite coal.

The War Veterans' Allowance act has been amended to provide for special consideration to veterans having attained the age of 55. A Veterans' Assistance Commission not has been passed with a view to securing more general employment of returned soldiers. Amendments have been made to the Pensions act to simplify procedure and expedite the hearing of claims.

Amendments to the Criminal Code have been made, including the repeal of section 99, relating to unlawful associations.

Other important measures have been enacted.

Validity of Acts
The several opinions of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Canada touching the validity, in whole or in part, of a number of measures enacted at the sessions of parliament in 1984 and 1985, have been received within the past few days, and are being carefully studied by my ministers and by the law officers of the crown.

My ministers have given continuous thought to the serious international situation. They have sought to support by all appropriate and practicable means the establishment of a world order based on justice and equity. At the forthcoming meetings of the assembly of the League of Nations to be held at Geneva at the end of the present month, and in September, the representatives of Canada will seek in co-operation with other delegates to further in the most effective way the aims and ideals of the League.

His Majesty the King has graciously consented to unveil, on July the 26, the memorial on Vimy Ridge, erected in commemoration of the valor and sacrifice of the Canadian soldiers who fought during the Great War. The acceptance by the King of the laylation of His Majesty's Canadian ministers, and by the president of the French republic of the Canadian government's invitation to be present on this occasion has been deeply appreciated.

Members of the house of commons:
"I thank you for the provision which you have made for the public service.
"Honorable members of the senate:
"Members of the house of commons:

"The many important measures enacted at the present session, the first of the eighteenth parliament of Canada, constitute, I believe, a substantial contribution towards national recovery.
"In taking leave of you at this time, I pray that the blessing of Divine Providence may rest upon your labors."

MORE ANNUAL
PLATFORM

(Continued from page 10)
specifically attack the Dominion government, and that they are dealing with the suspension of the agricultural extension service, the agricultural extension service, the

is a remedy for the present situation is not found, the only result can be bankruptcy, default and repossession.

Banks to Observe Precautions
"We recognize the purchasers of bonds are entitled to consider that their money has been invested in the soundest form of securities known in this country. It must be pointed out, however, that many within the sound of my voice have invested monies in land, however, commercial undertakings, and even in that special form of investment known as mortgages.
"I would recommend, therefore, that the purchasers of mortgage-backed securities should be advised by their bankers that they would receive three per cent interest and complete security of principal, had left their monies in savings banks, and thereby lost opportunities for investment at enhanced rates of interest, only to be told by the federal government and the banks that their rates of interest benefited would be only 1 1/2 per cent, a reduction of no less than 50 per cent.

Wanted Older Applicants.
"I should be specially noted, however, in connection with the banks that each customer has the right to withdraw his money at any time. In the general realm of finance, it must be pointed out that practically all countries, save only the United States and Canada, have refused to pay their obligations in accordance with the terms of the contract.

"We, however, are of the opinion that the bondholders should be given the option of granting the province of Manitoba lower rates of interest, and halting their will- ingness to take such action that should have the opportunity even as is open to a depositor in any Canadian bank, of having their money bank.

"We believe first that the rate of interest can be lowered to a rate more in line with that of government borrowings through negotiations with the representatives of the bondholders. Secondly, that it should be not possible, the bondholders should be forced to accept the principal sum of their bonds with interest to date. The necessary action can, we believe, be made available through a refunding loan, based upon public confidence, provided upon the fact that to date we have always paid our bonds in accordance with the terms of the contract, and the natural resources of this province are entirely sufficient security to guarantee that the loan refunding loan or loans will also be paid in accordance with the terms of the contract.

First, No Deposits
"We believe that if we were dealt in a bold and energetic manner, ultimate repudiation should be avoided, there would be no dumping of Manitoba bonds on the market resulting in demoralized markets. We feel, as 90 per cent of the citizens of Manitoba feel, that the present situation is insupportable, that industry and agriculture are both being strangled through trying to pay 40 per cent of the borrower's dollar for interest alone, and that if this is to continue, depression will necessarily develop, money, intelligently and judiciously will be used to the advantage of the borrower, and without hope.

"The debt in our modern world, years ago, was only half of the present day. The situation has worsened since the war. They are the same, but the money has increased, and the government has increased the price of the goods, the cost of labor, and the cost of living. The only way to reduce the membership of the legislature to not more than 40, and even less if it could be done without unfairness. The number of cabinet ministers, he thought, should also be cut down.

"Mr. Duggan at times has said the separate parties, and especially the Liberal party, have been almost attacking others for good or evil, the entire government."
"Mr. W. was also, a member of government's advisory board, and he would be argued, should have

years ago, was only half of the present day. The situation has worsened since the war. They are the same, but the money has increased, and the government has increased the price of the goods, the cost of labor, and the cost of living. The only way to reduce the membership of the legislature to not more than 40, and even less if it could be done without unfairness. The number of cabinet ministers, he thought, should also be cut down.

"Mr. Duggan at times has said the separate parties, and especially the Liberal party, have been almost attacking others for good or evil, the entire government."
"Mr. W. was also, a member of government's advisory board, and he would be argued, should have

N 3 1/2 25

GE 100

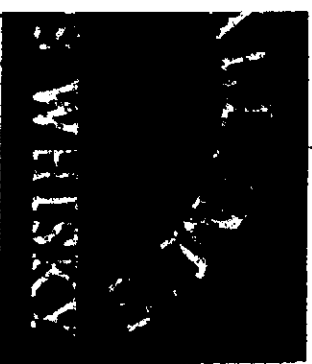
LOPS 15

We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities Per City Weight (Overseas) Ltd.

THAT CIRCLES THE GLOBE



TILED
Iceland



FOR MACDONALD'S REFINED

Having Liquid Control Commission. The total amount of products advertised

Best Rates mean INCOMES?

Working Up the Backstairs.

Income for yourself after you retire from business life.

Such a Policy will guarantee to you, for example, (a) \$50 or more a month for life, beginning when you are sixty; (b) \$500 or more in cash for your dependents if you die before age sixty; and (c) absolute safety for your investment regardless of the ups and downs of business.

There is no necessity for working about low interest rates. Get information about how an Imperial Life policy will endow your estate with ample income-earning power.

IN THIS POLICY—EARN IT TODAY

Imperial Life Insurance Co. of Canada, Toronto, Ont.

Call on your agent or write to the nearest office of the Imperial Life Insurance Co. of Canada, Toronto, Ont.

Validity of Act.

The several opinions of the judges of the Supreme Court of Canada touching the validity, in whole or in part, of a number of measures enacted at the sessions of parliament in 1904 and 1905, have been received within the past few days, and are being carefully studied by my ministers and by the law officers of the crown.

My ministers have given continuous thought to the serious international situation. They have sought to support by all appropriate and practicable means the establishment of a world order based on justice and equity. At the forthcoming meetings of the assembly of the League of Nations to be held at Geneva at the end of the present month, and in September, the representatives of Canada will seek in co-operation with other delegates, to further in the most effective way the aims and ideals of the League.

His Majesty the King has graciously consented to unveil on July the 26, the memorial on Vimy Ridge, erected in commemoration of the valor and sacrifice of the Canadian soldiers who fought during the Great War. The acceptance by the King of the invitation of His Majesty's Canadian minister, and by the president of the French republic of the Canadian government's invitation to be present on this occasion has been deeply appreciated.

Members of the house of commons: "I thank you for the provision which you have made for the public service.

"Honorable members of the senate: "Members of the house of commons: "The many important measures enacted at the present session, the first of the eighteenth parliament of Canada, constitute, I believe, a substantial contribution towards national recovery.

"In taking leave of you at this time, I pray that the blessing of Divine Providence may rest upon your labors."

MORE ANNOTATED PLATFORM

(Continued from page 20.)

specificially attack the direction of administration, and that we be dealing with the administration of the agricultural extension service of the University of Manitoba. This service now, he said, was being used for political purposes.

This condition was definitely placed on the shoulders of the deputy minister of agriculture, who, he said, was greatly concerned in "perpetrating" the sin of the Brandon government.

The Manitoba Agricultural college, he declared, was being struggled, and there was no contact with the farmers of the province, under the present day political set-up by the deputy minister.

In his opening remarks the Conservative leader said that the group he headed was composed of those of being of service.

school, had left their students in spring banks, and thereby had opportunities for investment in enhanced rates of interest, only to be told by the federal government and the banks that their rates of interest hereafter would be only 1 1/2 per cent, a reduction of no less than 50 per cent.

"It should be pointed out, however, in connection with the banks that each customer has the right to withdraw his money at any time. In the general range of rates, it must be pointed out that practically all countries, save only the United States and Canada, have refused to pay their obligations in accordance with the terms of the contract.

"We, however, any of the nations that the bondholders should be given the option of granting the province of Manitoba a fixed rate of interest, and failing that will, perhaps to take such action that they should have the opportunity even as is open to a depositor in any Canadian bank, of having their money back.

"We believe first that the rate of interest can be lowered so much more in line with that of general borrowings through negotiations with the representatives of the bondholders. Secondly, that it should be possible, the bondholders should be forced to accept the principal sum of their bonds with interest to date. The necessary action, we believe, be made available through a refunding loan based upon public confidence predicated upon the fact that to date we have always paid our bonds in accordance with the terms of the contract, and the natural resources of the province are entirely sufficient security to guarantee that the new refunding issue or issues will also be paid in accordance with the exact terms of the contract.

"Second, No Depository." "We believe that if we were done in a bold and extravagant manner, without regard to the fact that, if avoided, there would be no dumping of Manitoba bonds on the market resulting in demoralized markets. We feel, as 90 per cent of the citizens of Manitoba feel, that the present situation is impossible, that industry and agriculture are both being stifled through trying to pay 40 per cent of the interest on dollar for interest alone, and that it is to continue, depression will naturally increase, more heavily and business will be killed by the will and we shall see the future without hope.

"The plank in our platform reads: That the interest rate of provincial borrowings shall be reduced to par with that of a similar issue of any other province, per cent. We believe that the rate of interest on our present borrowings, varying from 2 1/2 to 4 per cent, is not only a burden on the people of this year to April, 1920, but a barrier of impediment to the future of this province.

"There is no doubt that the present rate of interest on provincial borrowings is a heavy burden on the people of this province, and that it is a barrier of impediment to the future of this province. We believe that the rate of interest on our present borrowings, varying from 2 1/2 to 4 per cent, is not only a burden on the people of this year to April, 1920, but a barrier of impediment to the future of this province.

