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MORNING SESSIONS AT OTTAWA—END OF THE SESSION IN SIGHT

OTTAWA EXPECTS A FEDERAL ELECTION IN EITHER JUNE OR SEPTEMBER PROVIDING CONDITIONS AT FRONT ARE SATISFACTORY.

(BY H. F. GADSBY.)

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Ottawa, March 26.—As Tom Moore's Canadian boat song puts it, the rapids are near and the daylight's past. That is to say, the end of the session is in sight and a general election lowers on the horizon.

Liberal members of Parliament who have consulted the fortune tellers have been told that a dark man, with thick, iron-grey hair parted in the middle, will cause them a lot of trouble either in June or September. This must mean Premier Borden and a general election. But when the stargazers are asked to foretell the length of the session they remain silent. It all depends, as they say, on how Parliament feels about it.

I miss my guess if Parliament doesn't feel that it might as well be talking on the side lines as in Ottawa. Both sides are preparing for the worst and, to do that, they must get their case before the public. As Hansard is not a widely read volume and, even if it were, is not in shape for distribution until early in the fall, it looks like better policy to utilize the living voice to influence public opinion and to plant what you have to say where it will do most good. In other words, each man will water his own garden and let it go at that. Swinging the whole of Canada by means of speeches in Parliament is a blamed hard job, especially when the newspapers, owing to the war pressure on their columns, refuse to print the speeches. This is a session in which every member just naturally has a big speech in his system, a tremendous, patriotic thing sizzling with latent power like a carboy of soda, but if Parliament won't let him get it off his chest what's the use of hanging around, particularly when that speech might be doing yeoman service somewhere else?

Besides, Parliament is generally a get-home-or-you-won't-get-rich-quick club, and though the sessions are often prolonged for the party purposes of the leaders the rank and file are usually disposed to cut it short and save as much as they can out of their sessional indemnity. Paid by the day, so to speak, and not by the week, they have the frame of mind which goes by that kind of labor. The less they hand out for board and lodging the more they have left for themselves. Besides, the farmer members want to get back to look after their seeding, and many other members have occupations which bring them in almost as much as their work at Ottawa if they only have a chance to stay at home and mind their own business.

Such is the spirit of thrift in the Canadian House of Commons, and when you add to it the prospect of a general election and the immediate necessity of mending one's political fences you can easily see that Premier Borden doesn't have to use the closure to chase the members away from Parliament Hill. Barkiss is just a little more than willin'. By the way, it's surprising how seldom the closure has been used since it first graced these shores. Premier Borden tried it on once and it didn't seem to be popular, so he put it away on the shelf where he can reach it if need be. Apparently its main purpose is to give the government confidence, to reinforce their moral courage, to flash it in the eye of danger, but not to shoot. If it was unpopular three years ago it would be more unpopular now when the average member of Parliament likes to feel that he has a right to talk for his country even if he can't bleed for it. Besides, Speaker Sproule wants no more closure on his hands at this stage of the game.

All of which is to say that the closure is like certain other forms of prohibition—the less it is insisted on the better it is obeyed. Of which perverse tendency in human nature this session, drawing quietly to its close with nothing but the truce to fight about, is a pertinent example. Yes, that's the solemn truth—any war there was in Parliament was about peace and that was over so soon that nobody thought of pulling the closure. However, the closure will come in handy, perhaps next session, by which time the Germans will be beaten and everybody will be keen to take his foot off the soft pedal. Party bickerings are not good form just now but they will be when the sun shines again. We mustn't get too far away from our old habits—it wouldn't be healthy.

An early prorogation has its charms for both sides. For the opposition because it will give them time to play politics in their own constituencies. For the government, because it will put a stop to the bilingual debate in the Senate which is inflaming Quebec, because it will help to hide the breaches in the Cabinet, because it will hang up all the unanswered questions on the order paper about army supplies, and because it will ditch the investigations now going on in the Shoe Committee and the Public Accounts Committee. The longer this shoe inquiry drags on the more it brings out, and the Public Accounts Committee is opening up a new line of research which threatens danger owing to the fearless testimony of the Auditor General. A suspicious odor arises from the motor cars now before the Public Accounts Committee and the case of the Carleton Drug Company, with which Garland, M. P., has some oblique connection, is considerably more than an odor. It is strong enough now to make the committee hold their noses. From all this lingering penance the government is cut off if the session closes promptly.

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Meanwhile, Parliament is speeding up. Morning and Saturday sessions have been called, which is a sure sign that the end is not far off. The morning sessions are intended, as some say, to impress the farmer with the industry of Parliament. The average farmer who gets up at 4 o'clock in the morning to milk his cows and do the chores sees nothing very impressive in a Parliament that goes to work at 11 a. m. Besides, he believes that Parliament has been

doing it all along and if he knew that Parliament's day begins ordinarily at three in the afternoon and winds up at midnight, with two hours' intermission for dinner, he would be liable to say that the members weren't earning their money. Morning sessions, I repeat, are not to be regarded as object lessons for the farmer. They are the outward and visible sign that Parliament is going to bolt the business whole even at the risk of losing its sleep.

The danger of morning sessions is that it breaks in on the rest of the members and causes them to be fretful and peevish. Ordinarily, the member of Parliament rises at ten, tubs and breakfasts, and is ready for committees at eleven. This is his habit of long standing and he doesn't like to be rushed, because he does a lot of hard thinking and must have time to recuperate. Get him up two hours earlier and you throw his program out of gear with disastrous results to the neighbors. If an explosion occurs between now and prorogation, it will be due to some red-

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MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE.

Starlight, Homestake No. 1, and Sunrise Mineral Claims, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located: On the North Shore of Granby Bay between Bonanza and Falls Creeks.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George R. Naden, Free Miner's Certificate No. 50353B, acting as Agent for Thomas McRostie, Free Miner's Certificate No. 80348B, and James L. Hatch, Free Miner's Certificate No. 79396 B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 15th day of March, A. D. 1915.

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NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER.

HENRY JOHNSON, or to any person to whom you may have referred your interests, Take Notice that the Co-Owner with me in the "Gold King No. 1" and the "Mining Claims, situated at the Hastings Arm about three-quarters of a mile from the beach, in the Skeena Mining District of Province of British Columbia, have done the required amount of work on the above mentioned claims for the year 1914, amounting to \$2500.00 in order to hold the same under section 24 of the Mineral Act, and if you fail or refuse to contribute your share of such expenditure, together with the costs of this advertisement, your interest in the said mineral claims will become the property of the undersigned under section 4 of the Mineral Act Amendment Act of 1910.

T. H. GOVERT, Co-Owner.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., January 1915.

Certificate of Improvements. Starlight, Homestake No. 1, and Sunrise Mineral Claims, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located:—About three-quarters of a mile, more or less, from the west point of the head of Alice Arm adjoining the Black Bear Mineral claim on the southwest.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Pedro Salinas, as Agent for William J. Vaughan, Free Miner's Certificate No. 81245B, and for Myself, Free Miner's Certificate No. 80312B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 21st day of September, A. D. 1914.

PEDRO SALINAS.

PRINCE RUPERT RIVER AND ATHABASCA RAILWAY COMPANY. NOTICE.

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