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THE CRITICS OF SIR WILFRID

The editorials of The Globe and the Manitoba Free Press on the question of Conscription are being widely quoted by the Borden-Rogers press, says the Vancouver Sun, as reflecting what are or should be, the views of all true Liberals. Government journals are always very confident, it continues, what the policy of the Liberal party should be, and invariably they are equally convinced that it should coincide with that of their own party for the time being. In this they impose a heavy task upon Liberalism. Only a few weeks ago both Sir Robert Borden and his director of national service, Mr. Bennett, were pronounced in their declarations against conscription of any kind. If Liberals must adjust their views to the ever-changing opinions of these gentlemen they will have to exhibit considerable agility.

It is quite true that both the Globe and Free Press have recently condemned Sir Wilfrid Laurier's contention that an expiring government, a defunct government, in fact, should not adopt so serious a policy as enforced enlistment without first referring the question to the people. For this Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been denounced by both those journals, though just what difference there can be in consulting the people by a general election rather than a referendum it is hard to see. There is a great political advantage, of course, because an election on a patriotic issue can be used by Sir Robert Borden for the advantages which his party might get out of it. The whole war situation has been used by the party in power for the same purposes since the war began.

Whatever the rest of us may have to say on the conscription issue, it does not lie with any member of the government to reproach Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Not long ago, as we have said, the Borden government and every member of it held and preached opinions identical with those of the Liberal leader. They had preached those views since the beginning of the war in the fall of 1914, and it was with their approbation and support that Sir Wilfrid Laurier adopted the attitude to which he has continued to adhere. He at any rate has shown firmness and decision where the

government has been changeable, shifting and fickle.

Nor is the position of the Globe and Free Press much more satisfactory than that of Sir Robert Borden and his unstable following. The Globe is the dean of Liberalism in Canada, and the Free Press has long been unrivalled as an exponent of Liberalism in the west. Great weight invariably attaches to the editorial utterances of these two Liberal journals, and for that reason, if for no other, if their judgment is to be accepted as sound and reliable, if their pronouncements are to have the effect of reading the venerable chief of Liberalism out of the leadership of his party, they must at any rate be consistent at the very least.

Has the Globe forgotten its weighty pronouncement on conscription on June 15, 1916? It then delivered what appeared to be its ultimatum on conscription in these words:

"No responsible Canadian statesman to whom the representative of the crown could turn as a possible premier would take office to enforce compulsory military service in the Dominion. Sir Robert Borden would not do it. Nor Sir Wilfrid Laurier. No man of eminence in either party would attempt what the recognized party leaders know and admit cannot be done. There are not less than three million people out of a total population of about eight millions in the Dominion who would resent fiercely the application to the men of military age among them of a law compelling enlistment for service in a European war."

On the same day the Free Press said editorially:

"Before there can be conscription in a democratic country there must be a social and military organization sufficiently perfected to direct and apply the forces thus brought into play and a public opinion all but unanimous as to the necessity for action so drastic. We have neither of these precedent conditions in Canada; nor is there the slightest likelihood that we shall secure them before the close of the war."

"Here in Canada conscription is out of the question. Where there is a sentiment in favor of some such action—as in Toronto—it is not required; while in those sections in Canada where recruiting is at a minimum conscription could only be enforced if all the men recruited from the rest of Canada were put on the job."

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No; for the purpose of this war, only volunteers will go from Canada. Those who should go but will not must settle the matter with their own consciences, later they will pay for their cowardice, selfishness or indifference. There is a law of compensation in these matters.

Tried by the same tests as Sir Robert Borden, the Globe and Free Press have exhibited the same lack of ripened judgment and stable conviction. And yet they claim the right to dismiss from the leadership of Liberalism the one man who has remained true to the principles which they themselves presented. An explanation of this change of attitude is due to the Canadian people, and especially to the Liberal party.

The Sun has never hesitated in its advocacy of every measure that is necessary to win the war. We have realized the difficulties of a policy of conscription which would include Quebec just as the statesmen of Great Britain have been sensible of the same difficulties with regard to Ireland, with the result that they have refrained from applying coercion to that portion of Great Britain. Is Sir Wilfrid Laurier to be reproached (continued on Page Four.)

Salvation Army.

Public meetings, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 8 p. m. Sundays at 7:30 p. m.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing over a small island in the harbor of Prince Rupert, known as Lot 5466, Range 5, Coast District, by reason of a notice appearing in the British Columbia Gazette of the 21st April, 1910, and dated 19th April, 1910, is cancelled for the purpose of making a sale of the said Lot to the Grand Trunk Pacific Development Company, Limited.
GEO. R. NADEN, Deputy Minister of Lands, Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C., 18th Aug. 1917. M. Aug. 20.

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From the East.
Sundays, Tuesdays and Fridays at 5:30 p. m.

For Vancouver.
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From Vancouver.
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Mondays 9 a. m.
Wednesdays 6:30 a. m.
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For Anyox.
Sundays 10 p. m.
Fridays 10 a. m. & 8 p. m.

From Anyox.
Sundays, a. m.; Tuesdays, p. m. and Saturdays, a. m.

For Port Simpson and Naas River.
Saturdays, a. m.

For Queen Charlotte Islands.
10 p. m. July 18th, August 1st, 5th and 29th.

From Queen Charlotte Islands
July 22nd, August 5th, 19th; September 2nd.

Stewart, Maple Bay and Swamp Point.

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Box 45—7th Ave. and Eberst.
Box 141—7th Ave. and Young St.

MINERAL ACT

(R. S. B. C. 1911).

Holly Fraction, Birch, Crocus Fraction, and Plum mineral claims situate in the Queen Charlotte District, located at or near Ikeda Bay, Queen Charlotte Islands, Province of British Columbia, lawfully held by Ikeda Mines Limited (Non Personal Liability).

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AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action under Section 85 of the Mineral Act must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvement.

Dated this 12th day of June, A.D. 1917.
J. A. MacINNES,
Solicitor for Ikeda Mines Limited (Non Personal Liability). S10.

IN THE ESTATE OF CHRISTIE GIBSON (DECEASED)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claim upon the Estate of the late Christie Gibson who died on or about the 8th day of November, A. D. 1916, while on active service overseas, are required to send to J. H. McMullin, Official Administrator for the county of Atlin, on or before the 30th day of September, 1917, a full statement of their claims, or any security held by them, duly verified, and after that date the undersigned will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with him.

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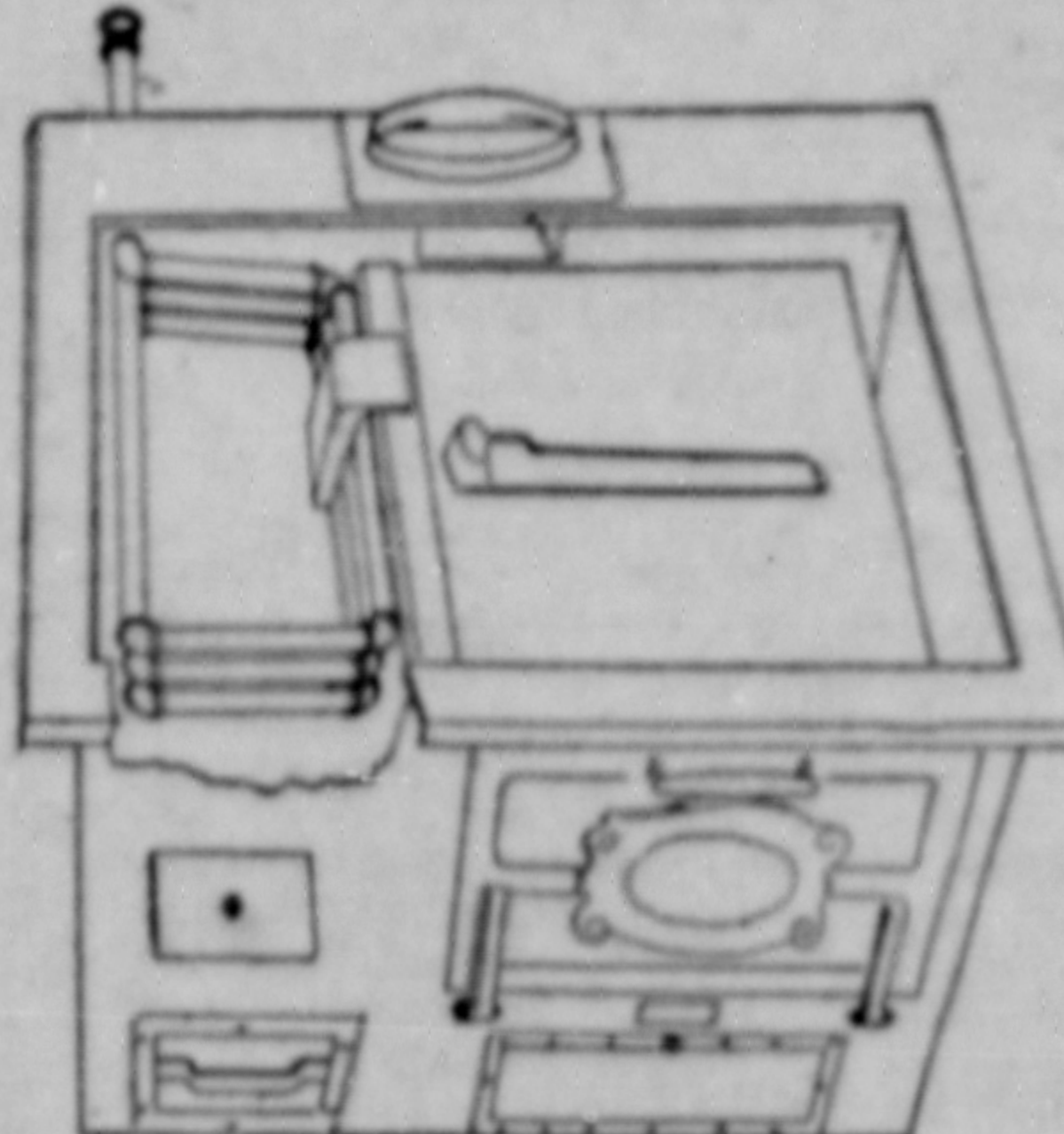


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