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Saturday, July 8, 1922.

Welcome To
Visiting Ministers.

Prince Rupert people are always ready to welcome public men of any shade of political opinion. Today they are welcoming some of the members of the Oliver cabinet and especially the minister of public works who has charge of the chief spending department of the Government. We especially welcome him, particularly at a time when we are so badly in need of a road.

We would like to draw the attention of the ministers to the fact that today we are unable to drive over any provincial roads because there is none leading out of Prince Rupert. For years we have paid the automobile tax and continue to do so, yet Victoria has given us nothing in return. The court house is built out of our own money which we paid into the treasury.

Want a road to the mouth of the Skeena River. Our people are buying cars, yet they have no road on which to drive except such roads as we build ourselves inside the city limits. We must have that road and have it soon. If we do not get action soon we shall have to run an excursion to Victoria during the session and take the legislature by storm. The building of that road or part of it during the coming winter would aid in keeping the working men of the north employed and would give us that outlet which we seek and must have.

Prince Rupert is a Liberal constituency and is well represented by the minister of lands. It has done its duty by the Oliver Government and it expects the Oliver Government to do its duty here and build that road. It is the one thing badly needed just now.

Victoria's Dream
Has Come True.

For half a century Victoria has dreamed of a fast ferry service between that city and the mainland that would make them really part of the American continent. Plans have been laid at various times for such a ferry. Port Angeles was often spoken of as a possible port with which to connect the island by train with the mainland. A ferry was at one time inaugurated between New Westminster and Sidney carrying passengers and railway cars for the Great Northern Railway. Later on the inception of the G.N.R. the ferry Canora was built and Premier McBride promised that it should be operated continuously between English Bluff and Patricia Bay. The railway was built and the ferry, but the trains were never carried although freight cars have been taken across when sufficient business offered.

Now the growth of the auto business has made a ferry possible, aided by the attraction of the Government liquor store. The Victoria Chamber of Commerce took advantage of the movement and by spending a little money has secured a good service with the mainland in addition to the regular ferry steamers to Vancouver, Seattle and Port Angeles.

The inauguration of the ferry was the work of one man, the secretary of the chamber of commerce. Without his efforts nothing would have been done. He is a live wire. The new business is worth a great deal to Victoria and is an example of what well directed energy may do for a city.

Confusion In China
Still Continues.

Confusion continues in China. Dr. Sun Yat Sen is apparently not down and out, as is sometimes alleged, and the Canton party may yet reassess itself and bring back better conditions in the country.

It is difficult to understand the Chinese situation. The Chinese, of the south swear by their leader, who undoubtedly seems to be actuated by the highest ideals, too high, perhaps, for the present condition of the country. Dr. Sun is a patriot and a democrat but he has tried to graft American democracy on the Chinese when they were not ready for it. He would give the people of China the right to rule, whereas many of the Chinese people do not know how to take part in public affairs and do not wish to do so.

The Pekin Governments have all been monarchical in their ideals. In the name of democracy they have been extremely autocratic and possibly their method may be more successful than the other at the present time.

It will be interesting to watch developments. Will China rise to the occasion and develop along republican lines or will she revert to a monarchy? Is China really awakening or is she simply enjoying a nightmare? Eventually we believe she will come out all right and will develop into one of the great nations of the world unless militaristic Japan interferes with the plans.

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WE may be stiff
And we may be lame
But we certainly played
A devil of a game.

IS it any wonder that knighthoods are scorned in Canada when a plain son of the soil can beat a knight in baseball.

SOME people are never enjoying themselves except when they are unhappy. It's like a novice playing poker for amusement.

SINCE it costs about as much to keep a baby as it does a motorboat, the popular opinion is that the baby must go.

ONE way to recover your health is to forget the cures.

VERY few people are so patriotic that they will voluntarily remedy a mistake in the tax account if they find they have been under charged.

ONE of the things that won't get you anywhere is trying to think what it would have been like if the sun had shined that rainy day.

WOMEN are coming on fast. They can now smoke and swear, but very few have yet learned to chew.

JINKS says they can chew the rag fast enough.

THE best cure for the efficiency expert is to set him up in business for himself.

THE solitary man when he goes motorboating sometimes takes a dry battery along for company. He says there is an underecurrent of sympathy between them.

A fairly good substitute for gasoline is the stuff some of us sometimes get in the tanks in our motorboats.

ELECTIONS IN
MANITOBA ON

Campaign There is in Full Swing
With Three Parties in Field

LIQUOR REFERENDUM

WINNIPEG, Man., July 8.—(By Canadian Press)—A referendum on the question of government control and sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes is almost certain to be held in Manitoba in the summer of 1923. Pledge to such action is contained in the official platforms of the Liberal and Conservative parties and of the Progressives in Winnipeg, who are allied with the United Farmers of Manitoba. The Farmers' policy calls for complete prohibition of traffic in liquors "excepting for sacramental, medicinal, scientific and mechanical purposes," but they are pledged to the principle of "direct legislation" as well and a Farmer government might be expected to grant a referendum on receipt of petitions bearing fifty or sixty thousand signatures such as were presented, unsuccessfully, to the last legislature.

Lengthy Program

From a hundred platforms every day throughout the provinces are the candidates and their credo; compulsory attendance at school to the age of sixteen or viewing with alarm. The completion of eighth grade work, encouragement of common standards and inter-provincial certificates for teachers; a provincial hospital system; opposition to all forms of "commercialized gambling"; a systematic survey of farming conditions; extension of rural credits and farm loans systems; transfers of the natural resources; public ownership of provincial utilities; insistence on early completion of the Hudson Bay railway; a general conference on taxation and a land settlement scheme.

Reviewing their record of seven years in control of the administration the Liberals call attention especially to enactment of rural credits and long term farm mortgage loans; of provincial savings office to many measures designed to develop the agricultural industry in particular and the general welfare of the province. The government platform declares that the Liberal administration should be charged with responsibility for completing the settlement of the natural resources question, and that crown lands should be disposed of only to those who will undertake to develop them productively. It is declared that there should be "a more equitable distribution of the burden of taxation" and "a drastic curtailment of provincial expenditures." The position is taken that the present is an opportune time for co-operation between the provincial and federal governments with a view to an aggressive immigration policy designed to place settlers on the land. The principle of the preferential ballot in single-member constituencies is endorsed, and the early completion of the Hudson Bay railway is advocated.

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