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GRAIN COMMISSIONERS TELL OF ELEVATOR

H. H. STEVENS OF VANCOUVER EXPOUNDS THEORY OF HIGH TARIFF VALUE

Elevator Operation is Discussed at Meeting Grain Commissioners

Superintendent will be appointed and every co-operation given in connection with grain shipments through port

That the elevator here is the finest of its size on the North American continent; that the grain commissioners and the department of trade and commerce will co-operate in every possible way in connection with the operation of the elevator; and that a number of grain dealers are already interested in the elevator here and intend to put through trial shipments, were among the statements made by the members of the grain commission, the deputy minister of trade and commerce, and G. D. Howe, architect for the elevator to the council of the Board of Trade at a meeting yesterday afternoon.

Speaking for the department of trade and commerce F. G. T. O'Hara, deputy minister, explained that the government was not in the grain business. They simply provided the facilities for the business to be carried on here. At the same time they were anxious that the equipment they had provided should be utilized. That was the purpose in building the elevator. He felt sure that a big business would be secured and that Prince Rupert would develop into a big port.

Trial Shipments

Leslie Boyd, chairman of the grain commission, explained that their manager of elevators, R. Heatherington of Ottawa would within the next few weeks appoint a superintendent for the building here and then they would be in a position to do business. Just how soon the elevator would be ready they could not quite say but they were informed by C. D. Howe, architect for the building, that it would be ready for business by November 15. He suggested that the Prince Rupert Board of Trade at once get in touch with those engaged in the grain trade and secure trial shipments this way.

Mr. Boyd said that they had charge of the elevator and naturally were anxious that it should be utilized to the greatest possible extent. They did not want to have an overhead charge against them without any returns. While they could not and would not discriminate between Canadian ports they were anxious that grain should go out through Canadian rather than American ports as they could then guarantee the shipments. Also they liked to see Canadian ports develop. He said that they were particularly interested in the ports that were open all the year such as Prince Rupert and Vancouver, as shipping through them insured that the business was kept in Canada.

Complaints Made

A number of complaints, Mr. Boyd said, had come to them of shipments made through American ports and they were powerless to do anything in regard to them. All they could do was to suggest that future shipments be made through Canadian ports. He saw no reason why Prince Rupert should not get a share of the business if the people here went out after it. They were anxious that all the government elevators should be doing business.

C. D. Howe spoke of one exporter who had said he could put two cargoes through Prince Rupert the end of November if they could guarantee that everything (continued on page six)



Policy of Protection is Expounded by Stevens at Big Theatre Meeting

Blue ruin pictured in order to show need of higher tariff; urges establishment of smelter and refinery

Hon. H. H. Stevens gave a masterly exposition of the protectionist point of view of Canadian fiscal policy as advocated by the Conservatives in Canada today at a meeting that crowded the Westholme Theatre to the doors last night. He is a very fluent speaker and did full justice to his subject. He urged that protection would cure the ills from which Canada suffers today and asked the audience to elect George Bushby who was supporting that policy. In urging protection he drew pictures of blue ruin in Canada.

Other speakers of the evening were George Bushby, the Conservative candidate, in whose interest the meeting was called and George Nickerson the Progressive candidate, both of whom spoke briefly.

Mr. Stevens said he had known Mr. Bushby many years. That gentleman had co-operated with him against some big interests when it was difficult making headway. He was a man who was four square and since he had shown a splendid public spirit. He asked of the audience to mark their ballots for him when the time came.

A Full Together

Mr. Stevens scouted the idea that there was a feeling in Vancouver against Prince Rupert. He told how, even in the early days they had helped to establish the city by buying Prince Rupert lots in Vancouver. The more Prince Rupert prospered, the more Vancouver would prosper. The national spirit was what was wanted. If all pulled together under a clean cut policy they would have an opportunity for expansion and growth.

Speaking of local affairs, Mr. Stevens said he was in favor of the building of a fisherman's wharf and landing stage. Prince Rupert ought to give all the possible aid to the mosquito fleet by giving them an opportunity for landing, housing their stores and carrying on their business. If Mr. Bushby were elected, Mr. Stevens said he would be behind him and give him every support in this direction.

Mr. Stevens also spoke of the value of the development of the mining industry. He believed that every effort should be made by Mr. Bushby and by every citizen individually and by the Board of Trade to support, back up and push on everything of a nature to help the mining industry.

Smelter and Refinery

A custom smelter and copper refinery on the coast was then advocated by Mr. Stevens. He said there were hundreds of small properties that would benefit by the establishment of a small smelter. Copper, he said, was being shipped out of the country in the form of ore or bluestone. There was no scoring in this inning nor in the seventh.

In the eighth, Washington made one hit but no runs. When Pittsburgh came to bat, Peck juggled the ball and Moore was safe on first. Stan Harris threw out Carey, Moore going to second. Moore scored when Guyler hit a homer into the right field stands. Barnhart singled, Peck juggled again on Traynor and both runners were safe. Wright and Grantham fouled out.

In the ninth, Harris got a base on balls and McNeely ran for him. Myer singled into left field and Peck walked. Veach, batting for Ruel, sent a long sacrifice fly scoring McNeely. Reuther batted for Covelskie and fanned, and Rice was thrown out.

W. Vanderlip of Terrace is sailing tonight on the steamer Prince Rupert for Vancouver. (continued on page 5)

PRESENTATION BY FRED STORK

Local M.P. Requested to Make Award for Bravery on Behalf of United States President

Fred Stork M.P. has been requested by the department of marine and fisheries to present to John Moran, keeper of a Green Island lighthouse, a handsome pair of binoculars awarded him by the president of the United States for bravery displayed last winter when he rescued Percy Duranteau, owner of the American gasboat "Violet," after his boat had been sunk and his partner had been drowned. The story of the rescue, which was fully published at the time, was one of daring courage on the part of Mr. Moran. Later it was brought to the attention of President Coolidge who decided that some recognition should be made of Mr. Moran's service. The pair of binoculars, which is the result, has engraved on it these words: "From the President of the United States to John Moran."

Mr. Stork is unable to make the presentation personally so he is making arrangements to have the binoculars sent out to Mr. Moran at Green Island.

SHOOTING CASE IN VANCOUVER

Andy Brown Given Two Years in Penitentiary Though Woman Says Not Intended

VANCOUVER, Oct. 8.—Andy Brown, charged with shooting with intent to do grievous bodily harm, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary by Magistrate H. C. Shaw today. He was arrested following the shooting of Nettie Armstrong here on September 25.

The woman, whose injuries necessitated removal to the hospital, said Brown did not intend to shoot her but the magistrate could not accept the explanation he said.

ACETYLENE TANK EXPLODED ON SHIP

BORDEAUX, Oct. 8.—The explosion of an acetylene tank on a vessel in the harbor gave rise to reports that a cargo of bombs detonated while awaiting shipment to Morocco. Four workmen were injured.

FIRE DESTROYS KETCHIKAN MILL

Box Factory and Planing Mill at Northern Town Consumed by Flames Last Night

KETCHIKAN, Oct. 8.—The box factory and planing mill of the Ketchikan Spruce Mills were destroyed by fire last night. No estimate of the damage has been made although it is expected it will run well into the five figures.

FRUIT AND PRODUCE DEALERS DEMANDING DETAILS OF CHARGES

VANCOUVER, Oct. 8.—Particulars of allegations contained in the indictment has been demanded by counsel for the 53 accused fruit and produce dealers who are awaiting arraignment in the assize court.

STOCK MARKET

	Bid.	Asked.
B.C. Silver	.11	.15
Dunwell	.148	.153
Hazleton	.01	.01%
Premier	.228	.232
Silvercrest	.07 1/2	.09 1/2
Surf Inlet	.07	.07 1/2
Terminus	.35	
Howe Sound	22.50	25.00
L. & L.	.16	.20
Gladstone	.25 1/2	.27
Daly Alaska	1.20	
Porter Idaho	.20	
Granby	16.00	
Silversmith	.24	.24 1/2
Lucky Jim	.14 1/2	.16
Glacier	.26 1/2	.28
Rufus	.18	
Indian	.04	.06
Selkirk	.04	.04 1/2
Bayview	.05	.09 1/2

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HUMAN SKELETON IS FOUND AT EXSTEW ANOTHER AT AMSBURY

Constable Eggleshaw Investigating Both Cases: Washed up on Log Jam

TERRACE, Oct. 8.—Constable J. P. Eggleshaw made a trip to matte. This copper was later Exstew on Monday to investigate brought back in manufactured the finding by some Indians of form and they were paying three a human skeleton which had times as much for it. As a result of the efforts of Sir Robert Borden following a speech Mr. he was also shown bones of Stevens had made in the House, another body washed up near the refinery had been established at Trail but there was none on the coast.

Mr. Stevens then went on to criticize Premier Mackenzie King. Vancouver, Oct. 8.—T. H. Johnson, Seattle jail breaker, arrived here this morning to stand trial in connection with the Nanaimo bank robbery.

TO STAND TRIAL

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