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English Is Most Important Study.

The study of the English language and the training which will give the ability to express clearly is one of the first essentials of education. Everyone should be able to write a good letter and to do that plenty of writing is necessary. While penmanship is perhaps important, composition is much more important.

Clear writing is a part of the process of clear thinking. Expression is the great aim of life. Some people express themselves with a pencil or brushes in art, others in music, others in business and again others in the mechanical trades. We must express ourselves, else we are clams. As a medium of expression, writing is the most important.

Ability to understand the writings of others and cultivation of ability to write oneself is the aim of a good deal of our education or should be.

Abolition Of Capital Punishment.

When a person commits a brutal crime in this country he is tried by a jury and hanged. In New South Wales a similar custom has prevailed, but today this is changed and the murderer's life is not summarily snuffed out but he is left to languish in prison for the rest of his days unless he can manage to escape.

It is claimed that hanging is vengeful and brutal. It is argued that the committal of a crime is no reason for the state committing another crime. Opinion is divided on the subject, but the tendency of the day is rather toward abolition.

Frost Comes On The Prairies.

Frost is reported in the prairie provinces. There was a former frost which was confined to a few districts and was so slight it had little effect on the grain. The wheat is now all safe and is rapidly being threshed and sent to market.

Visitors to the prairies and to interior B.C. have complained of the cold evenings, something that does not bother us here.

Six Week Session Is Proposed.

A six week session of the Legislature is proposed this year. It is thought that all the necessary business can be concluded in that time. As a matter of fact it could be done in half the time if everybody would get down to business at once instead of trying to make political capital. The legislature is the favorite factory for political ammunition. Members on both sides go there intent on public business of course but more particularly on getting into the limelight with a view to re-election when the time comes. This wastes much time and does not make for efficiency.

Anti-Smuggling Boosts Revenue.

The result of the anti-smuggling treaty with the United States has been that the customs revenue is boosted. There was an actual increase in the amount collected in August of something like three million dollars. Of course it is hard on the smuggler, but the nation benefits.

TOWER'S WATERPROOFS

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ply and roomy—
inner breast piece
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Candidates Speak

Fred Stork, who was the last speaker, said he keenly appreciated the honor done him. He had been a Liberal all his life. The tactics of his opponents were to tell around the district that "Stork is not able to carry even Prince Rupert." In the first election he had had 310 majority. In the second contest with Colonel Peck as his opponent—and a better man never lived, a man with a war record—yet still his majority in Prince Rupert was 240. The statement was now made that he had lost out in the town. "We shall see on election night, but I believe then my majority will be anywhere from three to five hundred."

The Conservatives claimed they would sweep the country, said Mr. Stork. He asked that they analyze the situation. In the new House there would be 245 members and it would take 125 to give a working majority. Today Mr. Meighen had 50 members, so he must add 75 to the number in order to command a majority. Where would he get them? Would it be in Quebec? No. Mr. King would still hold Quebec intact. The Liberals might lose one or two in Nova Scotia, but he did not think so. In New Brunswick they would make gains. Prince Edward Island could not lose more than one of the three members. The Liberals would improve their strength in Ontario because last election there were 26 Progressives and they would practically go out of existence. Liberals would get at least half of those 26 seats.

If the Conservatives could not get the majority in the East, then they must do so in the West. But it is conceded that no high tariff party can carry the prairies, and Liberals only had three seats in British Columbia in the last house. Dr. King is sure of his seat with a larger majority than before, so where is Mr. Meighen to make his necessary 75 members to make up his majority?

Mr. Stork said that the condition at Ottawa of late had been unbearable. The Conservatives voted against the budget because the tariff was too low and the Progressives because it was too high. Now they were attacked because of their inability to do things. He spoke of the huge debt they had inherited and of the savings that had been made. The country had lost \$18,000,000 a year through the Conservative government issuing tax-free bonds.

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Pete Corrigan promised to make his speech to Mr. Stork personally when he came to his district later.

Stock or Bushby

L. W. Patmore said he had been listening with pleasure to promises of majorities up the line. The issue was clearly defined. It was Stork or Bushby and the Conservative party and Sir Henry Drayton. It was no good for Mr. Bushby to say he would go to Ottawa and chastise Mr. Drayton. Drayton said: "Why build the elevator at Prince Rupert? Send the wheat to Vancouver." Drayton will be a cabinet minister if the Conservatives are elected. What would be the use of sending a man like Bushby to support that policy?" All knew the elevator which was opposed by the Conservatives was the best thing the district ever had. It would give

them an opportunity to ship grain, but when Conservative cabinet ministers said they could not grow grain in the interior of B.C. and that the country was no good, they were bound to vote the other way in self-preservation. The only thing to do was to vote for Stork.

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NIGHT PLANT EQUIPMENT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.

In the Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated at the mouth of Big Falls Creek which flows into the Estacal River about 18 miles from its mouth.

TAKE NOTICE THAT John A. Smith of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Land at the mouth of Big Falls Creek, at the southwest corner of Lot 65; Range four, thence 30 chains northerly, thence 30

chains westerly, more or less, to the Estacal River; thence 30 chains southerly, thence 30 chains easterly and containing 90 acres, more or less.

JOHN A. SMITH,
Applicant.
Per C. P. Riel, Agent.

Dated August 14th, 1925.

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