

Winnipeg to Prince Rupert by way of the Peace River is a new Western Canada railway line project which the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce is espousing, having authorized the Peace River railway outlet committee at Monday night's meeting to proceed with a campaign support thereof. Such a line would involve the construction of a 400-mile Peace River outlet section to connect Hines Creek and Hazelton and two links on the prairies to straighten the line westward from Winnipeg and Prince Albert to the Peace River north of Edmonton—on link between Lake la Biche and Meadow Lake Saskatchewan and another from a point west of Lac la Biche to Smith, Alberta.

In introducing this new projected line, Theo Collart, chairman of the local Chamber of Commerce, said that the Peace River outlet committee, felt that it was advisable, in the campaign, on behalf of Prince Rupert as the outlet, to get further support such as from Winnipeg and points west on the prairies. With a minimum of discussion, the Chamber authorized Mr. Collart's committee to proceed with the expanded campaign.