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DUNCAN ROSS TAKES UP CLEMENTS' CHALLENGE

"ROSS AND RECIPROCITY" RUPERT'S ROUSING RALLY

Enthusiastic Support Irrespective of Party Prejudice Given Mr. Duncan Ross at Open Gathering in McIntyre Hall on His Arrival

Citizens and electors irrespective of party were invited to hear Duncan Ross, Liberal and Reciprocity candidate for Comox-Atlin at the smoker under Liberal Association auspices on Saturday in the McIntyre Hall. The hall was crowded with an audience enthusiastic for "Ross and Reciprocity for Rupert."

Fred Stork who opened the meeting said: "I have been a Liberal all my life but never before have I been so proud of being a Liberal as now." (Cheers). In his recent travels all over Canada on his trip to the old land he had found everywhere the feeling in favor of reciprocity. Most particularly was this so in his own native town of Ferris where the mirrors to a man were voting for reciprocity. (Cheers).

Wanted at Ottawa
 Turning to Mr. Duncan Ross Mr. Stork quoted the words of a prominent member of the Ottawa House "Duncan Ross, we want you back in Ottawa again!"

"You bet we do!" came a shout from the audience followed by a burst of cheering.

Dr. Kergin in a short speech said: "If reciprocity were only good for Rupert and not Canada I would not support it. But it is good for all Canada as well as Rupert and therefore I am going to support it!" (Cheers).

"Sir Wilfrid Laurier ranks with the world's greatest Liberals. Premier Asquith and Mr. Lloyd-George, we are fortunate in being on the side which will return to power such a man." (Loud applause).

Good Man Ross
 "We are fortunate, too, in our candidate. Mr. Duncan Ross is a man who is straight—a good fighter and hard hitter who can take a blow fairly as well as give it squarely." (Cheers).

"Reciprocity is simply two neighbor nations with the same difficulties to meet the same problems, saying: 'Let us meet and make terms of trade.' That is the sum and substance of the pact—to carry it without respect of party

politics is surely the wisest policy to pursue." (Loud applause).

Dead Ones in Morgue

Cy Peck contributed a splendid speech which will be found on another page and in a very amusing and common sense speech Tom Durn emphasised the fact that this is not a contest of Liberal versus Conservative but one in which the issue was a policy affecting the prosperity of the people of the country.

"It is quite a coincidence that the Conservatives should have chosen Hart's old morgue to rally in," he remarked, "for mark my words they'll carry a corpse out of there on the night of the 21st!" (Loud laughter and applause).

The platform party consisted of Messrs. F. Stork, A. J. Morris, Cy Peck, A. M. Manson, Tom Durn, D. G. Stewart, L. W. Patmore and Dr. Kergin. Musical numbers by Gray's Orchestra were given during the intervals.

LABOR DAY SPREES

Half a Dozen Joymakers Now Sadder and Wiser

It was quite a busy session at the police court this morning, what with those picked up asleep in the glorious sunshine on the sidewalk, the Indians and their friends and witness. Five men were fined various sums and in one case sentence was suspended to give the Indian a chance to get the man who sold him the brain-fuddler. He said it was a man on the steamer Vadso, but he did not know if the man worked on the ship or was a passenger.

Those fined were Rountree, \$10 and costs; Pat Maloney \$5 and costs; Flennigan \$5 and costs; Tate, Indian, \$20 and costs or thirty days; Innis, Indian, \$5 and costs; Turney \$5 and costs.

Reciprocity doesn't conflict with the British preference, which Laurier nails masthigh.

ARE STILL CHAMPIONS

Vancouver Defeated at Lacrosse by New Westminster Team

(Canadian Press Despatch)
 New Westminster, Sept. 5.—Before a crowd that broke all records New Westminster's world champion lacrosse team defeated Vancouver in the final game of the league series by a score of eight goals to five. Joe Lally of Cornwall refereed.

This leaves the teams tied on the series with five wins apiece and necessitates an extra series of two matches to decide the world's championship and the possession of the Mirro Cup.

VOTE ON BYLAWS

Both Carried by the Necessary Three-fifths Majorities

Both of the bylaws put up for the vote of the rate payers on Saturday passed by good majorities. The vote on the Grand Trunk Pacific assessment was carried by 408 to 44 against; and the Hydro-Electric bylaw by 310 to 127 against. It was a large vote in both instances and more than sufficient to give the necessary three-fifths majority.

If you want money apply P. O. Box 953.

CORINTHIANS WIN

British Amateurs Beat Vancouver All-Star Team

(Canadian Press Despatch)
 Vancouver, Sept. 5.—In a stubbornly contested encounter here yesterday, before a record football crowd, the famous Corinthian amateur team decisively defeated a picked all-star Vancouver team, the final score being four goals to one.

Reciprocity would extend the markets for the farmers and develop Canadian trade.

TORIES HAD PLENTY OF WIND INSTRUMENTS

Two Brass Bands to Assist Candidate Clements in His First Address to Prince Rupert Voters—Pleased to See Two Old Friends at His Smoker

The Conservative party secured all the wind instruments possible for their smoker in McIntyre Hall last night, having both the Port Simpson and the Metlakatla brass bands. There was plenty of seating accommodation when Candidate H. F. Clements ascended the platform, followed by Mayor Manson. There was hearty applause as the candidate took his seat, followed by a slight hitch in the proceedings. This was broken by Mayor Manson requesting that Aldermen Kirkpatrick, Newton, Douglas and Hilditch and O. H. Nelson take seats on the platform. All complied with the exception of Alderman Newton, who was not present.

Mayor Manson's Welcome

The Mayor took it for granted that they were all glad to welcome the candidate who, since his nomination two weeks ago, had been campaigning in the southern part of the constituency. They were sorry he had not reached Prince Rupert sooner, but there was ample time between now and election day for him to obtain a rousing majority.

Not Much of Reciprocity

Mr. Clements was cheered as he rose to make the only other speech of the evening. He began it at 8.25 and finished at 10.30, all the time speaking as rapidly and hurriedly as if afraid of missing the last boat. But there was less of reciprocity in it than of straight-out party politics, in the course of which he revived the old-time government scandals in which the names of Clifford Sifton and Turiff were connected. He also devoted some attention to the naval affairs of Canada, holding them up for party derision.

Counts His Old Friends

Mr. Clements said it was two and a half years ago since he was in Prince Rupert, and he was pleased to see several faces among the audience that he remembered, particularly referring to two old friends, Mr. Darling and Mr. Stalker.

It was a pleasure to meet them as Canadians regardless of party.

He saw many Americans present and it was a pleasure to meet them regardless of nationality as they were making their bread and butter here and must therefore have the best interests of Canada at heart.

This reciprocity pact, he said, was not in the best interests of Canada but was one of the most retrograde steps Canada could possibly take. It was simply a red herring thrown across the trail by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to avoid the discussion of other important issues. If there was to be any reciprocity it should be within the British Empire. The United States was not a natural market for our products; the Mother Country was the only market for Canada and was all sufficient.

Challenge to Mr. Ross

His opponent, Mr. Ross, had claimed that he (Mr. Clements) had spoken in favor of reciprocity in the House of Commons. The quotation given was "While I am not a free trader—far from it—I would be ready to favor reciprocity as between the United States and Canada on some natural products."

In fairness Mr. Ross should have quoted more. He would again make the statement that if it were proven that he had spoken in favor of reciprocity, in Parliament or elsewhere, he would immediately resign his nomination and permit Mr. Ross to be elected by acclamation.

Is Against Cheap Food

In the course of his speech Mr. Clements read certain United States statistics, showing that in that country of high protection the average wage was \$1.53 per day. After he had concluded with a brilliant preroration a workman asked:

"You said the average wage was \$1.53 in the United States; is the average higher or lower in Canada?"

"I believe it is higher in Canada. Sir John A. Macdonald once said: 'A country that is cheap to live in is a good country to get out of.' You are better off in that respect than any other country."

RECIPROCITY WILL REDUCE THE GROCER AND THE BUTCHER BILL

In an Able Argument, Convincingly Presented, Duncan Ross Appeals to Common Sense of Every Householder, Especially the Wives and Mothers, Showing How Development of Province is Being Retarded by High Cost of Living and that Market of United States Is a Necessity of Progress

Without needless preliminaries Mr. Duncan Ross, the Liberal candidate, got right down to his subject at the smoker in McIntyre Hall Saturday evening. "This question of reciprocity," he said, "is one which affects the monthly grocery bill. For that reason I am glad to see that there are some ladies here. I wish there had been an opportunity for me to address the ladies in a special meeting for them, as, if I can convince the ladies of the effect of reciprocity in reducing their grocery bills, I have no fears at all about the votes of the men. I want to say right here and now that the issue in this contest is one that is beyond party or party interests.

Affects Cost of Living

"It is an issue where the one side believes that cheaper food stuffs are needed to make it easier for the people to live, while the other side represents the protected interests which are making it more difficult for the people to live.

"I want to make the cleaver go between myself and my opponent as wide as possible in this light. He stands for the protected interests. I stand for cheap-

er food stuffs and the measure which is to make the cost of living as cheap as possible for the people.

Start of Reciprocity

"How was reciprocity brought about first in Canada? Long ago the people of England woke up and said 'We will no longer pay taxes on our food stuffs.' They took action and repealed the corn laws. Before that Canada and the colonies had a preference, that is, their produce got in to Britain for less than that of other lands. With the repeal of the corn laws this preference was wiped out. Then a Tory Government in Canada passed a resolution to the effect that in view of the effect of the repeal of the corn laws the advantage to Canada of being a dependency of Great Britain was of no value. At Montreal the people rotten egged the Lieutenant Governor representative of British Sovereignty, and annexation manifestoes in favor of union with the United States were circulated and signed.

A Loyal Measure

"In order to restore to the Canadian people the loyalty to

the Crown which they had lost through the repeal of the corn laws, a British statesman negotiated a reciprocity treaty between Canada and the United States. Its effect was to remove the feeling of discontent that had arisen, and for twelve years this treaty was in force with the result that the prosperity of Canada increased by strides and there was no more word of discontent, no rotten egging of the Lieutenant Governor, no more annexation manifestoes. It was during that time that the late King Edward VII as Prince of Wales visited Canada finding everywhere unswerving loyalty and devotion to himself and Queen Victoria.

Effect of Protection

"Meanwhile, however, something happened in the United States. The subtle policy of protection came into force. Canadian exports were met by increasing tariffs. Then Sir John Macdonald produced his club in the shape of retaliatory tariffs. But he made it clearly to be understood in a special clause that 'These high

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WERE IN DEADLY PERIL AT DAVIS' FLOAT

Raft Capsized and Eight Men With Four Women and Two Babies Were Thrown Into Deep Icy Water in the Dark Last Night

Labor Day in Prince Rupert narrowly escaped being marred by a terrible drowning disaster. The float for transferring passengers to and from the railway grade and the Davis bathhouses turned turtle at about nine o'clock last night. Fourteen persons including two infants were thrown into ice cold water twenty feet deep, and but for the heroism of the men of the party four women and the babies might have been drowned with probably several of the men also. Providentially all escaped with their lives, but the result of the shock and immersion which threw the women into hysterics must yet be considered. The accident was a most serious one. One of the ladies was in delicate health, and is now under medical attention. One of the babies was unconscious when rescued.

The Party Imperilled

The names of the ladies who were flung into the water were as follows: Mrs. Roderick McLeod with her baby, Mrs. Peter Smith

with her baby, Miss McLeod and Mrs. A. Murray. The men with them who also had a hard struggle for life were Alex Mackay, Roderick McLeod, Dave Mackenzie, Alex Murray, J. McQueen, Alex Macdonald, Allen Fraser and R. McLelland. The last named was the piper to whose merry music the picnic party had just landed on the float.

The party was a part of a large one just returned from Metlakatla in the launch Roseball. They landed at nine p.m. at the Davis float and crowded to the pulley hauled raft. The first crowd got across safely but on the second trip, the raft carrying twelve adults four women and two infants in arms, upset. Wild shrieks for help rang out as the men and women struggled in deep water in the darkness. Those ashore did what they could to help the drowning. Mr. Davis was in his office at the moment. He rushed out to help.

Baby Almost Died

With the pitiful scream of "Oh, my baby, my baby!" a woman was kept by main strength from throwing herself back into the water. Another, Mrs. McLeod, rose below the float and would have drowned but for the heroism of Alex Mackay who dived for her groping under the heavy logs of the raft. Her husband saved the baby swimming with it in his arms. The other little one was rescued in an unconscious condition, and it took Dr. McNeill two hours of constant work to restore it to a safe state last night. Both mothers and both the other ladies suffered severely from shock and were in hysterics when rescued. Thanks to the prompt action of young Allen McRae who ran for Dr. McNeill after having plunged to the rescue of others, the infant's life was saved. The non-swimmers amongst the men were saved by clinging to the float and up-turned raft.

GOTCH BEATS HACKENSMIDT IN TWO STRAIGHT FALLS

Chief of Police Declared All Bets Off Because the Russian Claimed to Have Been Injured in the Back and Right Leg During Contest

(Canadian Press Despatch)
 Chicago, Sept. 5.—World's Champion Frank Gotch conclusively proved in the match between with Hackenschmidt last night his right to the title by defeating his former rival in two straight falls.

Hackenschmidt was out-generalized and out-classed in every phase of the match. Gotch secured first fall with a reverse of body and wrist lock holds in 14.18. After securing his famous toe hold in the second spasm the champion was forcing his opponent to the mat when, fearing a broken leg, Hack quit. Time 5.32.

Hack's manager declares that the Russian sustained an injured back and torn tendons in the right leg. All bets were declared off by the chief of police.

IMPORTANT G. T. P. SITES

Although not officially announced yet it is pretty well known in the city today that Mr. Hays along with Mr. Ryley the Land Commissioner, consulted together regarding the site for the Grand Trunk Pacific Company's hotel, and the decision was made to alter the location of the big building projected from the proposed site on the bluff overlooking the harbor to Pillsbury Hill. It was also decided according to inside information, that Second street is to be carried in a fine sweep round past the Railway Depot close by the present temporary one, to re-enter the city limits again at Seventh street.

DUNCAN ROSS TAKES UP THE GAUNTLET AGAIN

Though Mr. Clements Failed to Come Through With His Promise to Resign at Alberni He has the Opportunity of Doing so Next Tuesday

"Most certainly I will take up Mr. Clement's challenge, and am ready to meet him on the evening of Tuesday 12th inst. on the platform of the Empress Theatre, Prince Rupert."

In an interview with Mr. Duncan Ross this morning the above reply to Mr. Clements' challenge of Monday night was given by the reciprocity candidate.

"Once already in answer to his own challenge I have met Mr. Clements on the same question, that as recorded in Hansard he spoke in favor of reciprocity in the House at Ottawa in 1907-8. Though on that occasion at Alberni I made a point of reading Mr. Clements' own words in favor of reciprocity from Hansard, three times in his hearing and that of

the audience, and demanded the resignation he offered to make.

"This was the quotation I read from Hansard: 'While I am not a free trader—far from it—I would be ready to favor reciprocity between the United States and Canada on some natural products.'

"This any one can find for themselves in Hansard Vol. I. 1907-8, pages 204-5."

"Mr. Clements backed down from his challenge.

"Still, since he has seen fit to make another challenge after failing to play up to the terms of his last when confronted with his own words favoring reciprocity in the pages of Hansard, I am not resentful. I will meet him again at the time and place named.

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THE RESULT OF THE VOTE

The voting on the bylaws on Saturday made it very clear that the majority of those who were privileged to vote, were desirous of accepting the proposed settlement with the Grand Trunk Pacific and of having the civic corporation undertake the building of the hydro-electric project.

The passage of the assessment bylaw was a victory for those who traded on the fears of the merchants and the workmen that the G. T. P. would squeeze the life out of the town, unless the citizens consented to bear the burden of the company's taxation for the next ten years.

The people of Prince Rupert have a right to assume the company's burden of taxation in return for the promise to build a round house, a station, a dry dock and an hotel which they would have to build in any event. That is a self evident truth. The chief regret is that those who should have sought to instil courage into the people in the unequal fight, were those who handed away the people's cause and stampeded the citizens into assent.

With the hydro-electric bylaw the opposition was different. The opposition was not to the scheme so much as to the method in which it is proposed to construct it. Mayor Manson has given his private assurances that not a dollar will be spent on days labor that can be given out to station gangs. But this does not touch the real difficulty. The vital thing is to see that—whether the money is spent on days labor, station work or public contract—that the work is carried out with regard to public economy, efficiency and speed.

So far the council has not distinguished itself by public zeal. It has shown a disposition to use public appropriations and public office to further its private and party interests.

Now that the citizens have decided in favor of the hydro-electric scheme it becomes incumbent that capable, honorable and public spirited citizens prepare to offer themselves for public service next January, and that special efforts be made to elect a capable and efficient council to carry out the people's mandate to build the waterworks.

DUNCAN ROSS'S GREAT SPEECH

The speech of Duncan Ross at the McIntyre Hall on Saturday night was a masterpiece of reasoning and fair deduction. It stamps him as a man worthy to represent this constituency in the House of Commons. The great regret was that—although the crowd filled the hall and lined the corridors and staircases—it was not possible for all who desired to hear him.

Very calmly and very convincingly he showed how under the tariff the great pork packers and so called captains of industry exacted a toll on the food of the people, using the tariff merely as an instrument in the system. Very calmly and very convincingly he showed how the removal of the tariff on natural products under reciprocity would develop the fisheries, the lumber industry, the coke industry and the pulp and paper industry of Northern British Columbia.

His exposure of how Mr. H. S. Clements in the House of Commons has advocated reciprocity on one occasion, and on another has sought to inflict heavier taxes on the consumers of British Columbia, telling though it was, did not compare in the strength of its effect with that stream of concrete facts showing how reciprocity would bring prosperity to Prince Rupert and Northern British Columbia. It was that that lifted the meeting above the ordinary level of party politics, and showed the unique and admirable picture of speakers and voters of both political parties, sinking the party differences, and rallying to the platform of the standard bearer of reciprocity.

It was with a fine touch of sarcasm he told of how a millionaire pork packer in the East, a man who under the tariff exacts a toll of 2 cents a pound on nearly every pound of bacon eaten in Canada, through his subsidised newspaper was raising the cry that if Canadians were to eat United States bacon that came in without paying duty, then they would be disloyal to the flag.

Facts are only to be answered by facts. Mr. Duncan Ross's fine speech, crammed with telling facts, cannot be answered by the cry of the millionaire pork packers and robber captains of industry. It is an insult that the people of Canada may well resent, when these plutocrats attempt to impute disloyal motives to disinterested men a thousand times more loyal and patriotic than themselves.

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This road really starts from the end of the present Two Mile wagon road, and when completed will be 11 1-2 miles in length. It will not be a big wagon road such as one is accustomed to seeing in the Bulkley valley, but just wide enough for the time being to be serviceable for hauling out ore. A wider road if undertaken now, could not be completed in time to be of service this year. This one can be widened any time.

TO LIVE LONG

Twelve Commandments for Would-be Centenarians

An Austrian student of longevity, Dr. Arnold Lorard, in a new work, gives these "Twelve Commandments" which reveal the "secret" and show why so many die prematurely: (1) Be as much as possible in the open air and sunshine, and take plenty of exercise, with deep breathing. (2) Live on a diet of meat once a day, eggs, cereals, green vegetables, and raw milk of healthy cows; and masticate properly. (3) Have a daily action of the bowels. (4) Wear very porous underwear (preferably cotton), porous clothing, loose collars, light hat (if any), and low shoes. (5) Go to bed early, and rise early. (6) Take a bath daily, and a sweat bath once a week—if the heart can stand it. (7) Sleep in a very dark and very quiet room—not less than 6 to 6 1-2 hours, or more than 7 1-2 or, for women, 8 1-2 hours, and with the window open. (8) Have one complete day's rest in the week, without even reading or writing. (9) Avoid mental emotions and worries. (10) Get married, and if a widow or widower, marry again. (11) Be temperate in the use of liquor and tobacco, also of coffee and tea. (12) Avoid places overheated—especially by steam—and badly ventilated.

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To Locate Below

After a brief visit to the city to arrange his real estate office affairs Mr. H. N. Boss, who is probably the land agent doing the widest business in Central B. C., will return to Victoria where he has his permanent office at present. Mr. Boss is very well known in Prince Rupert and has put through some of the largest deals in interior Prince Rupert and has had to do with some of the largest deals in interior lands ever put through.

With the fight between Bombardier Wells, former corporal in the British army and big Jack Johnson only a few weeks away, interest is beginning to grow, despite the general feeling in British sporting circles that Johnson can put the British "white hope" away in a round or two if so minded. Friends of the ex-soldier insist, however, that he has at least an outside chance, and that the long course of training he has undertaken will put him in such shape that he may be able to stand off the smoke and ultimately wear him down.

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RECIPROCITY AND GROCERY BILL

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tariffs will not apply to the United States if their high duties are removed from Canadian imports. Mr. Duncan Ross here quoted the now historic attitude of Sir John MacDonald the Conservative Premier of Canada towards reciprocity with the United States ending with Sir John's famous sentence 'A fair measure of reciprocity is what we desire, and we have no doubt that it can be obtained.'

Conservative Measure

"Nine times," went on Mr. Ross, "the Conservatives tried to effect the policy of reciprocity with the United States. Nine times owing to the protected interests in power over the line it was turned down. In 1897 Sir Wilfrid Laurier tried to carry it. Again owing to protected interests being in power in the States, it was turned down. Then something happened in the United States. The people there got tired of the high tariff, and the protected interests began to lose power. Then President Taft came to Sir Wilfrid Laurier saying 'We are ready to enter into a reciprocity pact with Canada.'

"Emphasizing this outcry by our opponents of the supposed disloyalty of the measure and its supporters I ask: 'Was reciprocity disloyal when it was in effect in Canada, and is it any the more disloyal now?' The measure that restored content and prosperity to Canada aggrieved at the repeal of the corn laws is not likely to be a disloyal one.

Clements Himself!

With telling effect Mr. Ross again showed up his opponent Mr. Clements as a decided advocate of reciprocity, as proved by his speeches in the House at Ottawa recorded in Hansard. "When Mr. Clements said that," said Mr. Ross, "he was member for West Kent, Ontario. Now West Kent is so near the American side you can almost smell the Stars and Stripes there. Every farmer there is anxious for the best market he can get. What about the loyalty of these men? I want this loyalty cry to be settled. These men were either disloyal or they were not. If they were disloyal then so is Mr. Clements who has said unmistakably "While I am not a free trader I would be in favor of reciprocity with the United States."

"To Mr. Clements' credit be it said that he told the Government that if you cannot get reciprocity then the best thing to do is to put up the tariff so high that Canadian farmers can keep their home market.

Beans and B. C.

Then came the historic reference to the duty on beans. "Mr. Clements," said Mr. Ross, "declared that sooner than have the home bean market lost to the Canadian farmer he would raise the duty on American beans to 60 cents per bushel. Usually," added Mr. Ross, "Protectionists are careful to hide their real idea behind guarded statements but here we have an inexperienced protectionist saying what he really thinks.

"You surveyors, ranchers, prospectors, men who go with your packs on your shoulders into the undeveloped parts of these provinces living mainly upon bacon and beans, if you think Mr. Clements' is the best way to develop the great new country then you will have to pay 60 cents more per bushel for your beans.

Reciprocity Different

"Reciprocity has two objects in view. First, to reduce the cost of food stuffs to the people. When you are paying the taxes on your lot you grumble all the way to

the Assessor's office, and grumble all the way back. Did it ever occur to you that when you pay your grocery bill—at least one-third of that is going into the pockets of the Government or of the protected manufacturers of Canada? If your bill is \$30 ten dollars of it is tax just the same as a tax on a city lot.

"You are just as vitally interested in this as in the assessment and city taxes. Already the people of the United States have begun to get sore under the effects on their food bills of high protection. Just as soon as reciprocity comes into force Great Britain and all other countries all over the world will get the same advantage. Great Britain gets more: it gets the 33 1-3 per cent preference already in force." (Cheers).

Oh, You Tories!

"Oh, these Tories! They always preached loyalty, but we poor Liberals have had to practise it! (Cheers).

"By this little act of reciprocity we not only reduce taxes to the United States goods but also to Great Britain—to every British colony and to every friendly nation as well. (Cheers).

Concrete Facts

"Let me just bring this to a concrete basis, right down home to you. If we get reciprocity the goods you actually consume will come to you cheaper.

"Take vegetables. Last year we imported \$700,000 worth of vegetables which paid \$200,000 in duty to the Canadian Treasury. Under reciprocity vegetables come in absolutely free. We import quantities of Californian potatoes on which we pay duty. Under reciprocity they will come in free. I understand that my opponent, Mr. Clements, has said that if he could get American potatoes at 2 cents a pound and Canadian at 4 cents a pound he would take the Canadian. Well, I must make a confession to you. My loyalty is not so great as to triumph over my common sense. I would take the American potatoes at 2 cents just the same as you and any other sensible men would. (Loud Cheers).

Mr. Ross explained with details that: "Fruit, eggs, beef, mutton, poultry all come in at reduced tariff, and all are goods of which we use and pay taxes on large quantities." In reference to bacon he showed that last year we imported this to the value of \$1,900,000 and paid on it in taxes the sum of \$335,890. Under reciprocity we will save \$125,000 on this class of food alone.

Is Loyalty Paying Duty?

Continuing his illustrations of how much of the high cost of living is due to the tariff, Mr. Ross went on: "Now take the matter of breakfast bacon. If you buy Swift's at 28 cents per pound you are loyal; but if you buy this same American bacon for 24 cents per pound you cease to be loyal.

"This leads us to the consideration of where all this loyalty comes from. There was a man in Toronto J. W. Flavell, president of the Wm. Davis Packing Company, who made so much money in the pork packing business that he was able to buy a newspaper, the Toronto News, which is today doing more flag waving than any other newspaper. Mr. Davies had made so much money that he died (laughter) and there was a friendly suit in regard to his estate. In that suit it was shown that the business had for some years been paying 120 per cent profits.

Loyal to Save His Bacon

"Where did those big profits come from? Bacon is protected against American competition by 2 cents per pound. But because of this you do not get Canadian bacon any cheaper. Two cents per pound is a large profit in itself,

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BOYS!
 Two Five Dollar bills to be given away to bright boys. See Mr. Munroe at the News office.

What the Chinese Wall Did
 "Here is another of the specious arguments of our Conservative friends, enunciated as long ago as 1879: 'The tariff is the only way to build up Canada because Canada has the greatest amount of raw products and natural resources in the world.' There is a country in Asia that some two thousand years ago put up a big wall around its frontier. It has been dead ever since. (Laughter). China says: 'We are not going to trade with any country in the world, and we have built this stone wall to keep out the trade of the world. It was the British flag that pierced the Chinese wall and opened up that country to the trade of the world. (Cheers).

Markets a Necessity
 "The only way to benefit by our raw material and natural resources is to open up a market for them. Take our fish. We have protection for our fish today, and what has it done? We have here near Prince Rupert the greatest halibut banks in the world. Under a protective tariff not a single Canadian can find sufficient capital to go into it, and the great New England fishing trust controls the halibut trade. But when we have opened up a free market in the United States there will no longer be any difficulty in getting Canadian capital to develop our whole fishing industry.

Makes Votes for Reciprocity
 "No longer will it be possible for a lot of Japs to come in and take the cream of the fishing business. A great cold storage plant for fish is being built here today, all in anticipation of having an open market for its product. That in itself should be sufficient to capture every vote in Prince Rupert for reciprocity.

Lumber and Pulp Wood
 "Then we come to timber, on which we have a protective tariff today. We have the finest forests in the world, beautiful to look at, but an All-Wise Providence did

Insufficient protection to the fishing banks. Remove your tariff laws against the fishing industry; give Canadians an open market for their catch and they will not be asking for protection by cruisers. With an open market they will make fishing a large and prosperous occupation in no time. (Applause).

Restriction on Coal Output
 "The Conservatives tell you you must be taxed because we are so rich in our natural resources. Under the present regulations the duty on coal coming into Canada is 53 cents per ton; going into the United States 45 cents a ton. These duties are squandered under reciprocity, making it 45 cents per ton for either country.

"That does not seem much, but reciprocity also cuts off 20 per cent duty on coke going into the United States. In previous years all the Western States have gone to Pennsylvania for their coke because of its duty. We have the finest of coking coal at Crow's Nest Pass, and on the coast the finest of steaming coal. Yet the result of that duty is that the collieries of Crow's Nest, Cumberland and Wellington are often shut down. With reciprocity an enormous market for coal and coke will be opened up, and instead of these collieries working from ten to twelve days a month they will be running full time. (Cheers).

The Railway and Reciprocity
 "If there is one point in the Dominion of Canada that ought to be more deeply interested in this question than any other point it is this new and growing and ambitious city of Prince Rupert. The mere fact of your being the terminus of a transcontinental railway will not make you great; the mere fact of being able to transship other people's goods at this port will not make you great; the only possible way to be great and prosperous is by developing these natural resources. Get your food supply as cheaply as possible

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 Two lots, Section 7, Block 22, Sixth avenue. Price \$1050.
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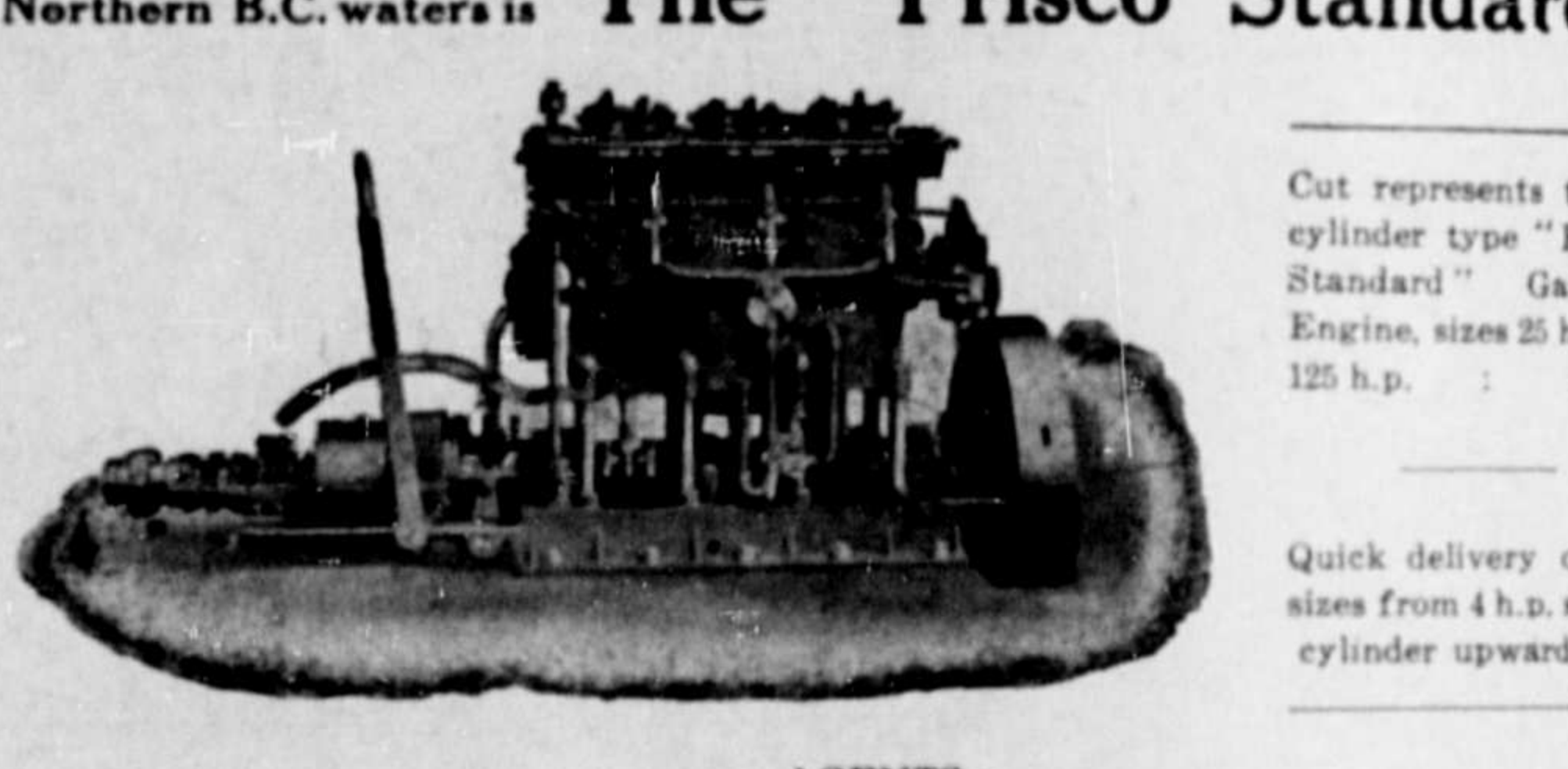
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