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Latest Move is to Claim Success.

The Conservatives are now claiming with loud voices, just as they did last year, that they are going to sweep the country and that the local candidate is bound to succeed. Last year we remember two candidates for whom that was claimed and local people remember the result. Do not be led away by the voice of the siren or the bombast of the politician, whether he wear the uniform of an army officer or the more appropriate costume of the civilian.

We suggest that all those who have Liberal sympathies, who believe in government by the masses instead of government by the few, shall roll up such a majority for Fred Stork at this election as shall show for all time just what they mean. Fishermen know that Stork is the man who has fought for them both in regard to traps and Oriental competition. The foreign born know that when a Conservative candidate like Wright gets up on the platform and urges the disfranchisement of the foreign born and is not disowned until it is found a mistake has been made, that they will have little chance for a fair deal. Prince Rupert people know that when the great Conservative Bury, of Edmonton, who is spoken of for a place in the Meighen cabinet, tells the people that they should concentrate on Vancouver and not worry about Prince Rupert, they have little to hope for in spite of the protestations of Mr. Brady.

It is better to be safe than sorry. We have tried Stork and found him sound. He has never turned a deaf ear to any deserving representations. He has secured the elevator and would have secured a fisherman's float this year if the vote had not been killed by the Meighen raid.

Tariff is Chief Conservative Policy.

Now that Premier Meighen is back in Ontario he is featuring the tariff in his election speeches. Out here he did not make it so prominent. Ontario is the place where manufacturers flourish and we are glad to have them flourish, but it must not be at our expense. We are not willing to pay the saxophone orchestra to which the other man is to jazz. We are a producing province. We are mostly miners or lumbermen or fishermen or farmers and we do not benefit from protection, but the same duty which enhances the profits of the Ontario manufacturer makes living dearer here and increases the cost of production of the product of our mines, lumber camps and fisheries.

Desperate Attempt To Influence Voters.

It is a great battery of political eloquence that is being opened on the voters of this constituency by the Conservative party during this campaign with the object of influencing the voters to elect a Conservative and defeat the only man who has ever done anything worth while for Prince Rupert. Money is being spent without stint and the scribes are working overtime trying to add two and two together and make the total five. In other words, efforts are being made to deceive the electors and we suggest to each and every one that they examine very carefully all campaign literature on both sides and especially that being sent into the constituency by the Conservatives or by their particular friends, the Prosperity League of Canada.

Prosperity for the rich and hard times for the poor is the usual result of Tory rule, whereas Liberalism stands for a fair deal to all, rich or poor.

Victory Ahead Seen By Everyone.

Victory ahead is seen by ex-Premier King, it is seen by everyone except those Tories who are shouting themselves so hoarse that they cannot hear the signs of victory. We do not believe in betting, but we know that Prince Rupert Liberals are offering to back their opinions by their money yet there are no takers. The wild talk is not real. It is simply the effervescence of a blind imagination, but they do not even themselves believe what they say.

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Fair at Smithers this Year Was Bigger and Better than Ever in History of the Town

SMITHERS, Sept. 7.—"Bigger and better than ever" is the verdict of the public with reference to the eighth annual Bulkley Valley Fall Fair held in Smithers on Sept. 1, 2 and 3. After nearly two weeks of dirty weather a change broke on Wednesday and the weather of the two main days, Thursday and Friday, was the most enjoyable of any of the fairs yet held.

Wednesday was preparation day and the officials were a busy gang from morning until night, but when they were through all of the entries of the big list were placed and ready for judging.

Thursday morning was taken up with the judging but promptly at 1 p.m. R. S. Sargent, of Hazelton, a popular resident of the district, opened the fair with a speech in harmony with the occasion, followed by a few remarks from Dr. C. H. Hankinson on behalf of the fair officials.

In the main building in which was exhibited all but the grains and grasses the display and the manner in which it had been arranged was the subject of comments of congratulation on all sides. The vegetables especially showing marked improvement, particularly with regard to potatoes of which the certified seed exhibits were considered equal to any that can be grown in B. C.

Flowers Improved

The flower section also showed a big advance over former years and while there were many beautiful specimens from the Hazelton gardens, the local grown flowers were able to hold their own with outside competition for the first time. This improvement has been gradual and shows that the heavy rich loam of the Smithers townsite gives great promises for future flower gardens.

In the grain and grasses building the exhibits gave evidence of the bountiful growth of the present season and although the recent wet weather was rather detrimental to the ripened grain exhibits, there were some samples of wheat that could already be classed as No. 1 hard. A. E. Richards, district representative and superintendent of Dominion Illustration stations had his display in this building and was on hand, usually in the centre of a group of farmers seeking his explanations and advice. The marked improvement in the quality and selection of farm products exhibits at the Smithers fairs in the past two or three years is to

showings of the motion picture "Love and Glory," and on Friday evening the Grand Ball, attended by one of the largest crowds ever at a dance in Smithers. The music for both dances was supplied by Sandy Hazey's five-piece Crescent Orchestra and was of the usual high order of these musicians' offerings.

During the supper interval at the ball the drawings took place for the various prizes and raffles and the lucky ones announced.

In the main event of thirteen prizes a chance for which was given with each membership ticket, the first prize of \$100 was won by Eric Martin of the Duthie Mines, second prize of \$50 by Harry Johnson, Smithers, and the third prize of \$25 by Carl Lester, Duthie Mines. Mrs. Bates won the dress length; Norman Kilpatrick the bean-guessing contest; Jennie Miller the attendance-guessing contest; Mrs. T. Brewer a suit length; Mrs. N. Kilpatrick the silver fox stole, and J. Fulestakke the Catholic Church prize.

Financial Success

In addition to being a big success in other ways, the fair was a financial success not only for the heavy current expenses, but also for permanent improvement expenditures, great credit for which is due the president, E. E. Orchard, for his untiring efforts to organize and carry out the big undertaking. Secretary L. B. Warner and the other officers were also unstinting in giving time and assistance for the success of the fair and in making it the biggest and best yet in the face of early disappointments.

In The Letter Box

MEIGHEN OR KING?

Editor, Daily News: The day is drawing nigh when the people of Canada will decide the fate or fortune of Hon. Mr. King and Hon. Mr. Meighen. We are to judge, then make a selection of a government to be headed by one of the two gentlemen. Of course neither of the above mentioned leaders are asking us to vote under the strain of love or affection for either of them personally.

To the best of my ability I will review the two generals in action, also the fiscal policy as advocated by each. And, as I see it, its effect upon the country they each aspire to govern.

Slight of Hand

To start with it will be well for us all to remember both Mr. King and Mr. Meighen are artful politicians and when they perform before an audience more or less slight of hand work is indulged in on the part of both. Of course all will agree that the party leading an attack can get the best effect from his performance as he has all the imagination of the future to draw upon for the satisfaction of his audience. While the party on the defensive has only the cold facts of the past to satisfy with. Therefore, the acid test must be applied in order to acquaint ourselves with facts.

Mr. Meighen tells us he can advance the prosperity of the people by, did he say, elevating the import duty? No, he did not say that. He said by maintaining a protective tariff. He took particular pains while speaking here to say not a high tariff but a protective tariff on all things produced in

the country.

Economic Advantage

Canada today and from the day of Sir John A. Macdonald has maintained a protective tariff at every point where a tariff was an economic advantage. But where a tariff is an economic loss surely no one would say a tariff at that point should be sustained. Mr. Meighen, as well as any other thinking person, knows that national policies must be formed in accordance with the physical and economic requirements of the nation. If that were not so one general policy should and could meet the requirements of all, and could, without change, endure the stress of all time.

But what do we find? The greatest national figures in all lands are tinkering and changing policies to meet changed conditions. Now what are the changed conditions in Canada, that are causing such unrest in political circles? Nothing more or less than the onward march of industrial forces marching to the goal of industrial emancipation. Just think of the age-long serf of the soil breaking his fetters, discarding terms on which his life-long experience can remain. This defiant slave of the soil must be crushed at any cost, and all who were wicked enough to identify themselves with them must go too. Hence the appeal to the wage slave to rise in his might and in the spirit of envy slay his brother, to the shame and defeat of our common enemy, he who wants something for nothing.

Which Leader?

Now the question of the hour is who will we trust our ease to for the next four or five years, Hon. Mr. King or Hon. Mr. Meighen? Hon. Arthur Meighen has taken his position in open defiance against all or any of the

progressive forces in action, has made his declaration with reservation for a period of action. Hon. Mackenzie King is still alive and in the performance of his historic mission since for a better, fuller and freer life for all who toil, instead of attempting to derail or retard inevitable. He has joined the and is now marching in the section of the rising sun, on the job for an early start the morning of the fifteenth.

When Tory reaction has repulsed and progress met upon the throne, another post will then be passed on long and laborious journey to day of our dream, of a freer, fuller life for all who toil.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, I remain,

A CANADIAN

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

September 8, 1916

News has been received from Washington that the American hall being in the port of Prince Rupert been killed.

The synod of the diocese of Caledonia has elected the following executive: Ven. Archdeacon Collinson, Rev. Canon R. W. F. Rushbrook, Rev. W. S. A. Collinson, Rev. W. S. A. Collinson, secretary, and L. M. D. W. Homer, W. E. Fisher, H. T. Cross.

There is considerable interest in the case of the Western Lumber Co. vs. the G.T.P. now going on in the Supreme Court here.



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