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THE WEST AND RECIPROCITY

The Legislature of Saskatchewan last week, by a vote of 27 to 12, adopted a strong resolution reaffirming its stand of last year on the question of reciprocity with the United States. The debate was somewhat partizan in view of the fact that some Tory members, including Mr. Haultain, (who is slated for the position of chief justice of the province) during the recent Dominion election repudiated the stand they took in the House in March of last year, when a resolution on reciprocity was unanimously adopted. The resolution as first introduced last week, contained words of censure for members of the opposition, who had shifted their ground, but these were afterwards eliminated in order to secure a straight declaration on the great question. The House put itself on record by adopting the following:

"Whereas, on the eighth day of March, 1911, the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, moved by a consideration of the undoubted benefits to be derived by the people of this province from the adoption of the reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States, then before the Dominion parliament, unanimously passed a resolution approving of the said trade arrangement;

"And whereas, the conditions surrounding the marketing, warehousing and transporting of the grain crop of Saskatchewan harvested during the year 1911 have demonstrated more clearly than ever the disadvantages under which the producers of Saskatchewan are laboring, and it is expedient for that reason that this Assembly reaffirm its endorsement of the policy embodied in the aforesaid reciprocal trade arrangement;

"Therefore be it resolved, that this House reaffirms its adherence to the policy embodied in the aforesaid proposed reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States, and is of the opinion that every effort should continue to be made to secure to the people of Saskatchewan the benefits contained in the said trade arrangement."

The attorney general of Saskatchewan is Hon. Alphonse Turgeon, a former New Brunswick and son of Mr. O. Turgeon, M.P. for Gloucester. He supported the resolution in a brilliant speech, in which he referred to the fact that the people of the western provinces were face to face with three great problems, which must be solved.

In the first place, there was the transportation problem. The same conditions exist everywhere throughout Western Canada. The railways are glutted with produce which cannot be got to the seaboard. The second question was that of freight rates. He said that all recognize now that in the western country railways are charging rates much in excess of those that obtain elsewhere in Canada.

"They can talk until doomsday," said Mr. Turgeon, "but will never be able to convince the farmers of this western country that they are not suffering because they are kept out of the American market. I say more than that. I say that of the three great questions which must be solved if this province is going to grow as it should the biggest question is this one of a market for our produce."

Answering the parrot cry of the spokesmen of the Big Interests, that the question of reciprocity is dead, the attorney general said:

"Let them put their ears to the ground and hear the ominous murmurs of our people. The whole of Western Canada is simply supersaturated with resentment against Eastern Canada on the question of a market for her produce. And this resentment will remain there until the victory is won. Dead! Well, I should not! It will never die. This nation is not dead and will not die."

It has right as its foundation, and our people will maintain the struggle, and fight for what is right until they finally win out."

The action of the Saskatchewan Legislature in putting itself on record in favor of reciprocity shows that the Liberal trade policy is still very much to the forefront in the west, and that the government is preparing to make it an issue in the provincial elections which are to be held in the course of a few months.

At a government convention which seems to have been composed largely of office holders and other hand-picked delegates, Hon. John Morrissey, D. P. MacLachlin, and A. W. Allain, M. P.'s and John Betts were chosen as candidates for the legislature. Three other names were proposed but the Chief Commissioner and his friends had little difficulty in winning out over the malcontents. The absence from the convention as such Tory stalwarts as Donald Morrison and Commodore Stewart was significant to say the least and has given rise to the report that an independent ticket will be placed in the field.

It is now said that the highway bridge will be opened for traffic just as soon as the St. Marys doctor gets his auto and not before. In the meantime the Fredericton doctor who owns an auto must either use the ice bridge or confine himself to his own side of the river.

A VISIT TO THE CAMP OF MR. GEORGE W. UPHAM

On being invited by George W. Upham, M. P. of Woodstock, N. B., Carleton Co., popular and faithful representative in the Local Legislature to visit his lumber camp and hold service with his men, an invitation I gladly accepted and on the 14th inst. I started for the memorial waters of the Nackawick taking train at St. Mary's at 8.15 a. m. arrived at the mill house Nackawick at 11.35 the same day. On reaching the boarding house I was met and made welcome by Mr. Jerry Gallagher the general cook. Say, Mr. Editor, Mr. Gallagher is one of the best cooks east of the Rockies, I hope only one good girl will read this and as it is leap year I would not think she would be long in proposing to him. Say, girls, if there is more than one of you act on my advice and the cook should be captured before you arrive take the next best, his assistant Mr. Murray Gallagher as he is an expert at washing dishes and water carrying.

Now about the work Mr. Upham is cutting about two million feet. Mr. George Newell of Mapleton is looking after that part of the work and he understands his work perfectly. Next comes the teamsters six in all, their names are Robert Johnston of Millville, Vennis Johnston of Newburg, Guy Gallagher, W. McLaughlin of the same place M. McIntosh and Robert Clark of Clark Settlement. Say, they all know how to lay on the logs and P. F. McLean of Woodstock the scaler, is always around to see who brings the most feet. Then Mr. Sparrow is the mill foreman. They are shipping all their lumber to Boston. Mr. Upham has in all about 45 men and judging from appearances they are a jolly lot. Well after supper we had service, all the men congregating in the large dining room. I addressed them about a half hour on subject "Labor and Rest"—Text 4th Psalm 8th verse and better attention could not have been given. May the Great Shepherd continue his care over such a noble body of men is my prayer.

J. Harry Puddington

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POWER STOCKS VERY STRONG ON THE MONTREAL MARKET

(By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co., 604 Queen St. Fredericton, N. B.)

New York, N.Y., Feb. 16—The market opening was dull and quiet, with few changes.

Bull tips on Copper stocks were in circulation and traders pointed to a further rise in metal prices in London as a matter of bullish importance. They said the technical position of Amalgamated Copper was strong, although there has been quite a little buying of this stock by small speculators of late. Commission houses had little business and some close observers said the large proportion of transactions originated with two or three big speculators.

Quotations from direct private wires of J. M. Robinson & Sons, Bankers, St. John, N. B. Members of Montreal Stock Exchange

	Open	Noon
Amalgamated,	65½	65
Atchison,	104	104½
Smelters,	72	72½
Brooklyn,	78	78
Canadian Pacific,	231	230½
Great Northern, pfd.,	130	138½

WILLARD KITCHEN MAY LOCATE IN SASKATOON

Mr. Willard Kitchen of this city, who is now in the west, has thoughts of locating in Saskatoon, Sask., according to The Saskatoon Capital, which has the following:

"Saskatoon as an industrial centre has caught the eye of another large contractor from the eastern provinces. This time it is Mr. Willard Kitchen, who hails from Fredericton, N.B., and is in the west on a visit, being registered at the King George Hotel. The present visit is the first Mr. Kitchen has ever made in this city, but already he is greatly impressed with its wonderful values and opportunities, and is thinking seriously of locating here and following his business as a contractor.

"Mr. Kitchen's plans were to go on to Edmonton and Vancouver, but they may be altered so as to allow of a longer stay in this city on his return trip to New Brunswick. He is accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Kitchen, who is just as favorably impressed with the advantages as her husband. Mr. Kitchen has just com-

Pennsylvania,	122½	122½
Reading,	157½	156½
Southern Pacific,	106½	106½
Union Pacific,	165	164½
U.S. Steel, com.,	60½	69½
Virginia,	54½	55

MONTREAL MORNING SALES.

Bank of Commerce, 2 @ 216, 8 @ 216½.	
Molson's Bank, 39 @ 210.	
Cement, com., 125 @ 28½.	
Cement, pfd., 10 @ 89.	
Paper, 100 @ 160.	
Shawinigan, 35 @ 127, 30 @ 127½, 130 @ 128, 5 @ 128½, 250 @ 128½, 250 @ 128½.	
Montreal Power, 125 @ 190, 126 @ 191, 50 @ 191½, 265 @ 191½, 50 @ 192, 25 @ 191½.	
R. & O., 445 @ 121½, 5 @ 122, 25 @ 121½, 75 @ 122½.	
Iron Corporation, 158 @ 58½, 10 @ 58½, 25 @ 58½.	
Toronto Street, 25 @ 134½.	
Quebec Rails, 25 @ 51.	
Crown Reserve, 25 @ 300, 30 @ 302.	
Illinois, pfd., 20 @ 89½.	
Ottawa Power, 50 @ 151.	
Iron, pfd., 50 @ 104.	
C.P.R., 50 @ 230½, 25 @ 231.	
Steel of Canada, 25 @ 32, 50 @ 32½.	

SIXTY-THREE PERISHED IN WESTERN SIBERIA

Omsk, Asiatic Russia, Feb. 15—The bodies of sixty-three persons who perished in a storm in the Ishima district of Western Siberia, have been found.

The name of our old friend Commodore Stewart was proposed as a candidate at the local government convention at Newcastle yesterday and he received just thirteen votes. It looks like a deliberate attempt to put the worthy Commodore in the hoodoo class.

pleted his latest contract on the National Transcontinental Railway, consisting of about thirty-three miles of the most costly road in that part of the Dominion, this section of the road having three large steel bridges on it, but without counting them in the cost, the figure was in the neighborhood of \$100,000 per mile. He has also contracted for railway construction work between Winnipeg and Port Arthur and in the Rockies."

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