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PREMIER MEIGHEN IN THE WEST.

The West has accorded a great welcome to Premier Meighen, probably the most enthusiastic reception ever given any man in the public life of Canada. Such a reception was no doubt expected in Manitoba, in which province Mr. Meighen practiced his profession, entered Federal public life and earned the unbounded confidence of the people as a safe man of exceptional ability and of great courage. But his welcome in other Prairie Provinces and in British Columbia was quite as warm as in Manitoba. The public halls had not the capacity to accommodate the great numbers who desired to meet him and to hear him in his discussion of the big issues. In one city, for instance, fully two thousand people, unable to get seats or standing room within the great hall, were obliged to await another occasion. It is under such conditions as these that Premier Meighen began and continues his Western tour. His discussion of the issues, his review of the past, his presentation of the conditions of the present were pleasing to the people and enlightening. His frankness, his courage, his breadth of vision, his intimate knowledge of public affairs, his earnestness, were accepted as admirable in a leader whose great responsibilities in this trying period of reconstruction are now generally recognized. Premier Meighen has materially strengthened the position of his party in the West; he has restored confidence where confidence may have been wanting; he has won the confidence of independent and thoughtful men and women who may, in this distracting era, have been diverted in thought from the real issues which the people will soon be called upon to decide; he has removed the "camouflage" of critics who have been masquerading in various disguises; he has inspired his hearers to confidence in the future of Canada, to renewed effort in the upbuilding, and everywhere, at all places, the great principles of Constitutional Government were upheld with characteristic tenacity, to the delight of the great majority of those he addressed. Premier Meighen is doing a great national service in meeting the people.

## CAPITALISTIC SUSPICION.

The reported purchase of 6,000 locomotives in Germany by the Bolsheviks moves to have been rather the expression of a hope than an actuality. The president of the great Borsig works was approached by Russian agents, it is true; but that is as far as the matter has progressed. The hitch grew out of a mere matter of payment. The price was to be 600,000,000 gold marks, but apparently the Bolsheviks have no such sum on hand and no way of securing it. The "capitalistic" gold that was seized when the Soviets came into power has long ago been expended in propaganda, while the paper ruble is worthless. As for credit, the Germans refuse to grant it, thus showing a singular lack of trust in the good intentions of their neighbors. Just because the Bolsheviks have repudiated all of the old Russian debt, because they have proclaimed once or twice that they were faith with capitalistic peoples was a mere amiable weakness, they hesitate to manufacture and deliver the locomotives. But could anything better have been expected of unprincipled capitalists?

Perhaps it is a misfortune that the apostles of the new Utopia should have to deal with such sordid beings. But, in the meanwhile, the locomotives are sorely needed and none are to be had.

RON. J. A. CALDER.

If, as the Montreal Gazette says, the constituency of Moose Jaw and those western Liberals who still prefer the name to the substance of liberalism, expected something in the nature of an apology, a plea, or even an "explanation" from the Hon. J. A. Calder, they have been disappointed. It is possible that they looked for a certain hesitation on the part of the Minister of Colonization, a little vagueness in his declaration, or an attempt at fine and studied differentiation in his treatment of policies. Here again they have been disappointed. Mr. Calder told his constituents of Moose Jaw, and the western electorate generally, exactly where he stands, for what he stands, and why. There was in his address nothing which could leave

any possible ground for a misunderstanding of his position; there was no suggestion of equivocation. There was, on the contrary, a clear, straight-forward and definite statement by the Minister, a statement of the faith that is in him as a forceful and convincing justification of that faith. One confession he did make, namely, that he had found in the east a condition which materially altered his preconceived ideas as to where true liberalism was to be found. "I found that men in the Cabinet whom I had looked upon as Liberals were what we had called Tories, and I found men whom we had thought were old-fashioned Tories were as Liberal in their sentiment as I was." The same discovery might be made by any western Liberal having ears to hear, eyes to see and a mind not too hopelessly biased by long immersion in what is called Liberalism in western Canada.

Mr. Calder is a westerner by long residence and association and was for a number of years one of the principal spokesmen for the Liberals of the Prairie Provinces. He is known in the west as an able man, an astute politician and a keen student of public affairs. His prestige and influence have been great in the west, and the stand which he now takes before them cannot fail to provide food for thought to the voters of the grain-growing provinces. He tells these people that they have been badly led by men who have made themselves the leaders in a class movement which is bad for themselves and bad for Canada. He tells them that they do not believe in the free trade theory which they profess. He might go farther and tell them that their whole aim and purpose in seeking to bring about the restoration of wheat control is a contradiction of that theory.

The middle ground which lies between the extremes of high protection on the one hand and free trade on the other is represented in the tariff policy of the National Liberal and Conservative party, and Mr. Calder urges the people of the west to seek that middle ground for their own future welfare and that of the country as a whole. Liberals in the past have stood there, and if a change has taken place that change cannot be charged to Mr. Calder or to any of the old-time Liberals who stand with him in the National party. The change has been made by others, and these the Minister now warns of the danger of their course. Fanatical followers of the free trade movement may not hear, or hearing may not heed the warning, but among moderate, clear-sighted men in the western provinces there should be enough sane patriotism, if not a true enough appreciation of their own personal interest, to ensure a thoughtful reception of the Minister's message. The attitude which Mr. Calder has taken in Saskatchewan is the right one from every point of view, and is in sharp contrast to the ambiguous and confusing position of the Liberal leader.

SYLVIA PANKHURST.

"Which party are you going to join?" asked a friend. "Faith, I don't know," was the reply. "I'm with the Government." No matter what happens, what regime is in power, some people are always in the opposition. They are by nature kickers, and they are most unhappy when they are not kicking for which to suffer martyrdom.

As a leader in the fight for woman's suffrage, Sylvia Pankhurst may have had a real cause, won for herself a lasting place in British political history. Now, however, that she has turned into Bolshevism, has become an advocate of revolution and a lieutenant of Lenin, one wonders after all whether she fought for conscience sake, or for the love of fighting.

If the British Government thought to silence her by granting all her demands, she knows how to frustrate their nefarious purpose. Bolshevik offers too tempting an opening for the professional kicker, for all who seek a grievance to hold to their hearts, a grievance with a sentence of six months' imprisonment. Miss Pankhurst is happy once more, just as she was in the good old days before the Reform bill took the joy out of life.

## ST. JOHN VENDORS WON'T FILL "PERS"

(Canadian Press by Leased Wire.) St. John, Nov. 2.—The liquor license situation in this province is still very much in the air today and according to reports this morning both the whole-sale vendors whose licenses expired the end of last month and with one possible exception, all retail vendors have closed the lid on tight and are not taking any chances.

Premier Foster said there was very little he could say. The whole question was in the hands of Rev. W. D. Wilson, the chief inspector, who was expected home from Nova Scotia on the late train tonight. The Premier said that the licenses were issued by the Government on recommendation of the chief inspector, but so far no recommendations had been received.

A local citizen, whose wife is dangerously ill, obtained a prescription for stimulants from one of the St. John doctors yesterday and was unable to have it filled. On reference to the office of the chief inspector here he was informed that nothing could be done as Mr. Wilson was out of town.

Another man with a sick child in his family reported himself in the same situation. One of the men in question said that he would hold the chief inspector responsible.

## 2,000 Turned Away At Premier Meighen's Vancouver Meeting

The special correspondent of the Montreal Star, who is accompanying the Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Prime Minister of Canada, on his western tour, describes the meetings at Vancouver in part as follows:

Premier Meighen ably sustained himself as a brilliant debater in the (30) meetings he addressed here last night, for he turned what threatened to be noisy gatherings, through the presence of organized bodies of hecklers, into two of the best meetings yet held on his tour of the West, and at the conclusion of them, received an ovation which was a demonstration of admiration at the courageous manner in which he propounded his policy and the convincing logic of the arguments he put forward.

The Allen Theatre was packed with people, including a large section of the Grand Army of United Veterans, who occupied one side of the theatre with a big banner, while outside there were at least a couple of thousand people who could not get into the building.

At the Hotel Vancouver auditorium it was the same, the hall being packed an hour before the hour scheduled for the meeting, and not for years has there been such interest shown in political matters as was demonstrated last night. The two speakers were the Prime Minister and the Hon. J. A. Calder, and the latter certainly had the least enviable task, for he was continually being heckled by interruptions mostly irrelevant to the subject he was talking about.

He took it all good humoredly and had the majority of his audience with him, he had a trying time. The hecklers tried to drown his voice with the Prime Minister, but after half a dozen attempts had resulted in having their remarks turned back on them with telling effect, they subsided and except for the rounds of cheering that marked the driving home of some telling argument, the Premier delivered his addresses without interruption, and people left the meetings commenting in admiration on the fighting spirit of the Premier and the members of his government.

Premier's Frankness Applauded.

Perhaps the fact that the Hon. Mr. Meighen devoted the first part of his address to answering a series of questions that had been submitted to him by one of the backed organizations had something to do with his success, for he frankly declared that he was not any one else had any reason to worry. There was not a question he was afraid to discuss, even in the face of opposition, and there would not be any passing of the buck, as one interrupter had suggested. He was one of those who believed that the returned men had the first chance on the sympathetic and time and resources of public men and his experience was that the majority of them were just as reasonable towards what had been done by the Government for them, as any other class of the community.

The first question had to do with the cost of administering the Soldier Settlement Board per settler, and asked whether the Government was willing to have an impartial investigation into it, as it was claimed the settler was not getting the benefit of it.

Earlier in the day Mr. Meighen had been entertained to luncheon at the Hotel Vancouver by the party executive, and also received several delegations. Col. Cooper, H. H. Stevens, S. J. Crowe and W. G. MacQuarrie, the members of parliament for the district, attended the meetings, together with an exceptionally large number of Liberals and Conservative workers who had joined forces in 1917, and were still united under the flag of the National Liberal Conservative party.

En route to New Westminster the school children of local schools lined the roadside and cheered the Premier, while the Reeve and council of Burnaby presented the Premier with an address of welcome, urging the improvement of the waterway so that the establishment of industries may be facilitated. Keeping the Premier declared that those who had the idea that to Eastern Canada belonged the industrial future of this country, did not know British Columbia and the prairie provinces. The record of progress there in proportion to the extent of the Eastern record and their resources and climate were bound to be reflected later in tremendous industrial development and all their questions would receive the friendly and sympathetic consideration of the Government.

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## The Stock Market

(Canadian Press by Leased Wire.) Montreal, Nov. 2.—Absolutely nothing of any importance took place on the local stock exchange during the early trading this morning. Spanish River was the only issue to advance from its yesterday's close. It opened this morning at 98½, a gain of ¾ point. Atlantic Sugar lost a quarter to 75½. With the exception of these two changes there was nothing to mention, all other issues remaining steady.

The Quotations.  
(By private wire to J. M. Robinson & Sons.)

Montreal, Nov. 2.—The stock market quotations today:

Bromley	65½
Cement	68¾
Brazilian	60½
Dominion Iron & Steel	95½
Laurentide Pulp	95½
General Electric	97
Shawinigan	106
Spanish River	98½
Southern	22
Waynauk	33½
Victory Bond 1920	98
Victory Bond 1921	98
Victory Bond 1922	98
Victory Bond 1923	98
Victory Bond 1924	98
Victory Bond 1925	98

Spent Holiday in East.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jarvis, of 1555 Fifth Avenue West, have arrived home after a two months' holiday. They visited Mr. Jarvis' brothers and sister in Fredericton, N. B.; a sister at Scarborough Beach, Mr. From Boston they went to Hartford, N. H., where they visited another sister whom Mr. Jarvis had not seen for thirty-two years. They had the pleasure of seeing the old log house at Red Rock, Stanley, N. B., where Mr. Jarvis was born. It is still being occupied by farmers. It was built more than sixty years ago.—Vancouver World.

Drum bricks have been found among the ruins of Babylon.

Into it, as it was claimed the settler was not getting the benefit of it.

Liberal Units Present.

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