For He-Man Appetites!

- HEINZ KETCHUP
- HEINZ CHILI SAUCE
- HEINZ 57 SAUCE
- HEINZ MUSTARD
- HEINZ WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE

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The toast list followed the usual pattern. Bill Hancock was down to propose the toast to the Force; having so recently retired it was felt that he should know something of the subject. However, he had two strikes on him before he finally made it. His flow of reminiscence, slightly libelous in spots, invariably brought on a recounting of one of his "specials", at the conclusion of each of which Bill beamingly sat down amidst applause, only to be called back on his feet by the stern insistence of his audience that he should do the job assigned him.

Assistant Commissioner Darling responded to the toast to the Force. Alderman Clare Manning expressed the thanks of the guests, and Superintendent Curleigh proposed the toast to the veterans, which was responded to by Julien Nash, the Dominion President.

The proceedings were wound up by the showing of the R.C.M.P. film "North-west. Passage", and two other films dealing with the training of R.C.M.P. recruits and the training of the dogs which have done such good work in late years.

Alberta's First Bike

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Who brought the first bicycle into what is now Alberta?

I believe I can claim that distinction. In 1884 I imported a 52-inch, second-hand Rudge at a net cost of \$57. Did I have a helluva time (not) mastering it!

To begin with I always had an unholy fear of the blamed thing; and in addition my many attempts at mounting it proved unsuccessful and noisily profane, much to poor Mr. Parker's disgust. Then one day I got foxy and climbed aboard with the assistance of the hitching post. Away I went, past Dan Horn's shoe shop, and victory was mine.

A small rise in the road between the shoe shop and the police barracks was a challenge, but this too I conquered. I remember that feat well. Following a wobbly cruise on level ground south of the barracks I set out determined to go up that hill or die in the attempt. I eventually made it at the cost of temporary loss of both pedals, which