

Platform of Conservative Party

Adopted at Provincial Convention

Held at

Vancouver, Sept. 29th and 30th
1919

1. Recasting of the Conservative policy to further encourage the establishment of shipbuilding with particular reference to steel ships, in order to establish a British Columbia merchant marine fleet.
2. Every aid and encouragement which is reasonable to first prove the presence and extent of iron ore bodies by systematic exploration, in order to lead to the establishment of steel industries and to co-operate in every way with the Dominion and encourage assistance from that source.
3. Encouragement to be given to the revival of mineral prospecting in our hills.
4. The original Conservative policy to encourage mineral development by assistance in building roads and trails to prospects and mines to be further enlarged.
5. Government ownership and control of water for irrigation purposes, construction of storage reservoirs and