Well, I know they talked about putting a car factory out here instead of always having them back east.

It also depends on the next provincial election. I would think that depending on who gets in, it may scare off a lot of people if there are any changes in the way the province is run. It's very business-oriented right now and if there was a change in government I think that maybe we wouldn't see foreign investment.

You mean if the NDP got in.

Well, that's right, we only have two choices.

If they got in, I think they would tip-toe a little bit compared to last time.

I think they'd be a lot more mellow.

They'd have to be.

I disagree. I don't think it will make a bit of difference.

I think that's true because the NDP wouldn't conduct themselves the way they did in the 70's.

I don't think it would make a tiny bit of difference, it doesn't matter who comes into power.

I think it would because in Quebec it did...

A change is always as good as a rest.

Whenever there's a change in policies with the government, investments fluctuate.

That's true but you're not going to notice a big difference like you did seven years ago. There's not going to be a drastic change. They're not that far apart anymore.

Well, with the wonderful privatization of the Social Credit government, believe me I'm not necessarily an NDP person, but you know they've sold off all the assets of this and we're supposed to congratulate them on that. We almost need to have somebody build some assets for us again so we'll make a come-back.

Q. JUST TO REDIRECT HERE A LITTLE BIT, WHAT IF I LEFT THE COUNTRY FOR THREE YEARS AND THEN I CAME BACK TO CANADA IN 1993, WHAT WILL HAVE HAPPENED ECONOMICALLY IN THE INTERVENING THREE YEARS?

If Meech Lake doesn't succeed, I somehow think it will, there'll be a settlement. If it doesn't and if Quebec separates then I think English-speaking Canada will eventually become part of the United States.

French Canadians will not succeed from Canada, they will not.

I don't think so either but it could happen.

I have two grandsons that are French Canadian, they're bilingual. I have one that was raised in Vancouver, he's not bilingual but he's becoming bilingual. There's nothing wrong with it.

Just to finish what I was saying, a professor at one of the eastern universities thinks that Canada will split up. The Maritimes will become an American state, Quebec will be a separate