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"Separate or Surrender"

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Our cover this month depicts an old cartoon of Sir John A. & buddies splitting the Canadian pie. When we note the revelations of the Gomery hearings, it appears that nothing has changed since then. How many more years will the West continue to accept this kind of government?

From the Editor

Western Canadian separatists can once again point to recent events and say, "I could have told you so!" The Gomery Inquiry evidence, battering at the Canadian consciousness, the crisis in Parliament of the non-confidence vote, as the interests of Central Canada, as recognized by the politically ambitious line up against the Rest of Canada, the perpetual re-election of a Liberal in Labrador, and the spectacular coming home to her true interests of Belinda Stronach all demonstrate with almost boring reverberation the law of non-contradiction: a

thing cannot both "be" and "not be" at the same time.

Canada is not a truly united country, not a country in the real sense, but an amalgamation of unbalanced interests constantly asserting their power over the disenfranchised, and this is evident whenever it is put to the test. Whether it is within a political party that purports to be "national" or within the bodies that are supposed to reflect the entire national interest, like the Parliament, the Senate or even at times, the Supreme Court, the central establishment seeks to protect its own power, at the expense of the outer regions.

Many Western Canadians have said that recent events just prove once again the need for separation, however unless there is constructive political action to this end, it won't matter what the final outcome of the Gomery Commission is, or how many Belinda Stronachs climb on the backs of the outer regions to power.

A recent column by Licia Corbella was the only mention in the media we could find (apart from many on forums and feedback sites, frequented by ordinary people) that acknowledged Belinda Stronach's contribution to the movement:

The rest of the country might not be able to guess, but out here in Alberta there was some clear cheering going on.

Yes, some Albertans say the Belinda bombshell dropped on Tuesday is a bonanza for separatism in Alberta.

"This is very good news for us," Bruce Hutton, interim leader of the Separation Party of Alberta said yesterday.

"For a federalist like you," he said to me, "what Belinda did (Tuesday) is a tragedy, it's a true tragedy," acknowledged Hutton, 58, a former RCMP officer and current small business owner.

"But for an Alberta separatist it's the next best thing to Ontario electing another federal Liberal government next time," he said.

"We just got a bonus card delivered by Belinda Stronach," said Hutton, who added hits on the party's website (www.separationalberta.com) have spiked lately and the calls coming into the office have jumped as well, thanks to AdScam and now Stronach's deception.

(Source: *Calgary Sun*: May 19, 2005)

So be encouraged by recent events, rather than discouraged, and ask those who are disgusted by "what's happening in Ottawa," to do something constructive today and "Free the West!" Join one of the provincial parties that advocate and work toward a referendum on Independence, or join the Western Block Party, for the same end. (See page 8) Let's show the Stronachs of Canada, the true consequences of her actions!

Keltie Zubko

Letters to the Editor

\$9-Billion Reasons

To the Editor:

When I see how the Federal political parties are acting, I realize more than ever that the four western provinces must unite into the sovereign independent nation of Western Canada. The nine billion dollars now taken out of Alberta annually and given to Quebec must rather be given to the other three western provinces. English must be our one and only official language. The west must have its own police, its own western Canada pension plan and collect its own income tax.

Albert Opstad, Edmonton

Try putting this into practice.....

To the Editor:

What makes you think that any province is part of Canada? Do you never read statutes? Canada consists in its entirety, Yukon, NW Territories and Inavat. There is nothing else. That is from the federal government's own statutes. There is no need to separate; all the provinces are sovereign countries since 1931. It amazes me that people who have a vested interest in obtaining knowledge could be so ignorant.

Switch off the tv and read the interpretations act and the Land Survey Act. The answer to your problems lies there. Make sure you know what words mean before you assume you know what the article means. Christie is a lawyer

and should know all this; the deed is done: B.C. became sovereign in 1931. What you believe is the government is just another corporation. You are not a resident of Canada and are not bound by its laws unless you go up north and into the real Canada.

David, by email

[Editor's Note: Unfortunately the courts don't accept this theory, and the law enforcement agencies don't accept it, either. Despite the 1931 Statute of Westminster Act, the precedents of every government and every citizen acting as if Canada is "federated" for about 100 or more years, carries a lot more weight than some esoteric legal argument that few if any judges or courts would accept.....And we say this, after reading the relevant Acts!]

A Typical Letter, Thanks to Gomery

To the Editor:

I may be young but politically I am fired up! The Gomery Inquiry, Gun Registration, just to name a few. I have had it!

No party truly recognizes Alberta's true contribution to this Nation I call home. I love my nation but like I said before I am tired of the crap. Ever since high school I have heard about Western Separation. At first I thought it couldn't be done but now I realize that there is no viable solution to the problem. The problem I speak of is Ottawa and the corrupt Liberals that have been entrusted to do the bidding of this nation's people.

It's no longer being done; this province is being bled dry at the tune of \$11 billion last year for equalization payments. Mark my words, I used to be so patriotic, now I truly don't know who we are as a people and as a country! Will there ever be a chance that Alberta could unilaterally separate?

Please bring me some form of hope for a better tomorrow.

Seth Boyce, by email

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The Cost of Confederation

Gomery Commission Audit Reveals Higher Costs

The total amount of money lost in the sponsorship scandal now appears to be \$355 million -- **\$100 million more** than was originally thought. This was revealed on Tuesday, May 24th, by forensic accounting firm, Kroll Lindquist Avey, who have made a 300-page report on the matter. Previously, the total amount involved was thought to be \$100 million less.

That's \$355-million reasons for Western Independence!

Freedom's Voice

"A man is none the less a slave because he is allowed to choose a new master once in a term of years."

Lysander Spooner, (1808-1887) Political theorist

"Being defeated is often only a temporary condition. Giving up is what makes it permanent."

Marilyn vos Savant

"I have been impressed with the urgency of doing. Knowing is not enough; we must apply. Being willing is not enough; we must do."

Leonardo da Vinci, Italian painter, sculptor, draftsman, architect & engineer, 1452-1519

"Far away there in the sunshine are my highest aspirations. I may not reach them, but I can look up and see their beauty, believe in them and try to follow where they lead."

Louisa May Alcott, author

“The highest manifestation of life consists in this: that a being governs its own actions. A thing which is always subject to the direction of another is somewhat of a dead thing.”

Saint Thomas Aquinas, (1225-1274) Italian philosopher and theologian

Western Block News

Registration Pending

The Western Block party now has about 450 members and is awaiting official registration, since the papers have been submitted and are in the process of being verified. A recent letter from Elections Canada confirmed that they are working to get responses from the people who signed the petition for registration.

Meetings

Our weekly meeting at the **Waveside Café, Saanich Commonwealth Place is Thursday evening at 7 p.m.** Everyone welcome. Recent events have prompted new people to come, so it's very interesting.

Western Block on the Web

The website of the Western Block Party is located at: **www.westernblockparty.com**. Join the forum and participate!

Candidates Getting Ready

We are in the process of lining up candidates to run in a federal election. If you are interested, or know of someone who would make a good one, please contact us!

A Separatist Speaks

A Commentary on Current Events

By Doug Christie

1867 to 2005 nothing has changed.

The cover cartoon of the Western Separatist this month really tells it all. You can see what Confederation was all about when John A. MacDonald was handing out the patronage: “To the victor the spoils.” “Christmas comes but once a year, and when it does it brings good cheer.”

These two ideas symbolized how the Confederation picture worked. We know the same routine from the time of Pearson, Trudeau, Brian Mulroney, Jean Chretien, and now Paul Martin. Nothing has changed.

The Royal Commission of Inquiry into the Sponsorship Scandal has revealed the true picture of how politics works in Canada.

Public money, in exchange for artificial services, is channelled into government-friendly private sector firms, only to be donated back to the governing Liberals in a form of a giant Ponzi scheme.

The Ponzi scheme was invented by a man of the same name, to confuse investors into believing that giving them back their own money was really a return on an investment. It only succeeded because not all the investors demanded their returns at the same time. Consequently as long as there was a steady stream of new investors, the ones who demanded a return on their money could be paid from the contributions of the new investors.

Only a small number of the citizens of Canada ever demand return on their investments (i.e. tax dollars) at any one time. In fact the taxpayer has no *right* to demand anything in return for their tax contribution. They falsely believe they will be rewarded with pensions, health benefits, a strong military, and education system, roads, schools, and a stable economic environment.

The return on their investment is never demanded by all of them at the same time or the system could not provide anything. Rather, every citizen expects a little bit at some time in his or

her life. The sad part is that this little bit keeps getting smaller all the time.

Nobody notices that everybody else's piece of the pie is getting smaller at the same time. The Ponzi scheme keeps working. Here is how it works:

Canada as a giant Ponzi scheme

There are two sources of new investors. Immigrants come to Canada with great expectations. The other source is young people, born here, who also come with great expectations. They both put into the Canadian system their investment, tax dollars. There are also old investors. These are the people who have lived here, worked here for many years and paid their taxes.

All three varieties of investors are used as a source of valuable equity to pay off the management team. The management team in Canada for 75 of the last 100 years has been the Liberal governing class. These have been appointed to all positions of power in the country. They are the top class in Canada. They have appointed and established the second-class, the enforcement team. These are the tax collectors, civil service, political activists of all parties, police, military, and regulatory authorities such as Human Rights Commissions. The enforcement team has the specific task of keeping the few dissenters who see this scandal for what it is, in line and forced to pay.

The enforcement team is rewarded slightly differently than the management team. The management team consists of a different group of people than the enforcement team. They are a different type of people.

The management team consists of the political organizers, (largely the Liberal party ruling elite who award the favours) and secondly the administrators (the lesser lights and other political parties who spread the word that the system is fair, that you should join and obey.)

Together the organizers and administrators comprise the management team. Their task is to enlist, supervise, reward, punish, organize and administer the enforcement team. They do this with promotion, demotion, media celebration, decoration, distribution of positions, awards, and money.

A significant role is played by a third team in the scheme. The third team is the communications team. This team really constitutes a major control function. Unless this team operates effectively, control would be impossible. Their function is to spread propaganda that all is well, and good is flourishing. Like in the old Soviet Union, you can go to the radio, there's lots of milk there!

The part played by the management in the control of the communications team is a rather clever fundraiser. The management team controls the communications team by a system of licenses for which large sums of money are paid. The money is paid because the communications license, either in radio or television is a very lucrative money-maker. It is lucrative because advertising is expensive.

The communications team for very little effort makes large amounts of money. By issuing licenses, the management team controls access to the advertising market. For the privilege of gaining access to the advertising market the communications team pays large sums of money for radio or television licenses.

In order to recover the cost of these licenses, because they have a monopoly in the field, they can charge large sums of money for advertising. The advertisers pass this cost on to the consumers. The price paid for advertising then becomes the money people pay the licensed communications class to propagandize themselves. A clever and vicious circle is created.

The reward to the valued communications team, given by the management team, is a vast sum of money derived in the license issued by the management team. For this license to print money

they can be counted on for perpetual loyalty and obedience. They will always communicate the party line.

The party line, as opposed to the partisan line, is that Canada is the best country in the world. A vast majority of people have no experience by which they can make a real comparison, but this assertion, repeated over and over again, perhaps reinforced by the United Nations declaration, will be accepted if repeated often enough.

The whole interdependent Ponzi scheme relies on the three teams, management, enforcement, and communication. The interdependent Ponzi scheme rewards and fulfills itself from new investors, the young with new jobs and, new immigrants, as well as those who over a long period of time, have realized they have no choice, i.e. the long-term tax slave.

From the ranks of those new investors and sometimes also from the old investors can be selected the perfect servants of the scheme, who for reward, willingly serve on one of the three teams and assure perpetuation of the scheme.

To enlist a new member of the reward classes, a careful process of selection based on previous service is always in progress.

The management team watches out for prospective new members to regenerate the scheme. These new up-and-coming and willing servants of the system are cultivated carefully for reward on the management team.

Universities and institutions of higher learning are excellent sources of brainwashed and willing servants of the administrative and organizational aspects of the management team; lesser lights are relegated to the enforcement team. Those with even less reliability are slotted into the communications team.

The only drawback to this self-perpetuating fraud would be a general realization that the Ponzi scheme is unrewarding

of too many or indeed most and is productive of nothing. This realization is only achieved in most circumstances by a small minority who have the intelligence to perceive the scheme and who have the integrity or perhaps the naivety to refuse to be co-opted by it. In either case they can be safely ignored by the skillful cultivation of ignorance in the masses by the communications team.

In the event of a wider realization of the failure of the system, there can be a useful reminder created by the media and communications team in any of the adventurous individualists that dared to oppose the scheme, that opposition to the scheme is a drop chute to oblivion. As long as the communications team fulfills its task of monopolizing the attention of the masses, no one in the public will pay much attention to the warnings of the intelligent about the monopoly of this scheme.

They will all prefer to believe that the system is fair because they don't want to be perceived to be radical which is how they will be presented by the communications team. How else will masses ever learn as long as they are watching and listening to what we tell them?

In short, this Ponzi scheme is a perfect system based on three levels of reward or punishment. In Canada the management team (i.e. the Liberal elites and its friends) is controlled and rewarded by power and respect. Money is secondary and less important. For the enforcement team we offer the reward of security, a regular income, respect, and at the end of life, a small pension. The fact that the pension is probably inadequate to sustain life for long is something only a few will discover and that will be too late. For the communications teams we offer power, money, and celebrity.

The three teams comprise about 10 percent of society. The management team comprises three percent. The communications team comprises three percent. The enforcement team comprises four percent. Ninety percent are merely stupid investors. They are the taxpayers. They have no choice.

The only significant difference between Canada's operational scheme and a Ponzi scheme is that the price of investment, (i.e. membership) is constantly increasing through rising taxes. This breaks down when 90 percent of the people realized they were doing 100 percent of the real work and getting zero percent of the money, power, fame or respect. That's when the scheme collapses. The enforcement team suddenly realized they were unpopular to such an extent they could no longer view of their work as morally justified. The enforcement team gradually failed to carry their responsibilities to enforce obedience because they realized that 90 percent of the people were so inflamed via their realization of how the system worked that it constituted a hostile environment for the 4 percent of the population who were the enforcers.

It was too hot to be comfortable. They weren't paid enough to take the heat. There are some things even money can't buy. The security and respect they had previously enjoyed, evaporated. The money they were paid became impossible to provide security even for themselves.

Everything collapsed as the public, unsupervised, unregulated, unpaid, and disempowered, suddenly acquired the one thing that destroyed this huge Ponzi scheme, the knowledge of how it works.

As I see the function of the Western Block Party, it is to tell people how the system works. Once they realize that they will also realize that we could create a just, free, fair, prosperous and peaceful nation of our own. We

could have the power to maintain it. We would have the will to defend it. Once the average citizen of Western Canada realizes the cost of Confederation in this giant Ponzi scheme, and the hopelessness of ever changing it, separation becomes the only option.

A peaceful democratic referendum is a lawful right established by the parliament of Canada and recognized by the Supreme Court of Canada. It remains a very simple task of organizing politically to create a whole new nation founded on just principles. We need to renew the moral courage of every individual. We need to awaken the giant in everyone.

We need to tell people the Ponzi scheme is over! We can do it, and if you will help us, we will do it!

Note on the Labrador By-Election

The Labrador by-election has proven once again that Eastern voters act like persons on welfare selling their votes to whoever they think can deliver the goods. It proves, once again that a federal Western Canadian leader who is really in tune with Western values could never bridge the gap with eastern voters.

The East, Ontario, Quebec and the Maritimes will always vote according to their own interests, and this seems always to be a government handout for them, and more taxes or equalization for the West. It appears that no amount of corruption will ever stand in the way of their handout. What then, should the West do?

*Yours for independence,
Douglas Christie*

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