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PACIFIC NORTHWEST HISTORY CONFERENCE

VICTORIA, B.C.

April 11 and 12, 1958

WELCOME TO BRITISH COLUMBIA IN ITS CENTENNIAL YEAR

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Conference Headquarters: Provincial Library and Archives,
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B.C.

Registration Desk will be open in the Provincial Library and Archives, Friday from 10:00 a.m. onwards. Registration Fee \$1.00.

April 11th, Friday morning and afternoon are left free for you to visit points of interest in Victoria. For your guidance the following are suggested.

- (1) Provincial Museum: Parliament Buildings. Displays relating to the flora and fauna of this province and an excellent anthropological display of materials relative to the Indian peoples.
- (2) Provincial Archives: Parliament Buildings. A treasure house of manuscripts, books, newspapers and photographs relating to the Pacific Northwest. Feel welcome to come in and browse.
- (3) Helmcken House Historic Museum: 1 block from Parliament Buildings. The restoration of the oldest home standing in British Columbia, 1852, residence of Dr. J.S. Helmcken, pioneer physician, officer of Hudson's Bay Company and Colonial legislator. Admission 15 cents.
- (4) Maritime Museum of British Columbia: At Signal Hill on Esquimalt Road; about 2 miles out of city centre. Open 11:30 - 4:30 p.m. Exhibits relate to both naval and merchant marine history on this coast.
- (5) Thunderbird Park: 1 block from Parliament Buildings. An outdoor museum of Indian buildings and totem poles. See Indians at work carving reproductions of the old poles.

Information regarding transportation to Victoria and accommodation in the city is attached.

PROGRAMME

Friday, April 11th.

8:00 P.M. First General Session
Place: Provincial Library and Archives
Theme: British Columbia's Centennial Celebrations.
A symposium on the aims, plans and accomplishments, with specific reference to its historic aspects at the school and community level.

Saturday, April 12th.

Morning and afternoon sessions at Holyrood House, 5 minutes from city centre, one block off Douglas Street at Field. Parking space available.

8:00-9:30 A.M. Breakfast business meeting.
Council on Regional Historical Research.
Chairman: George Freckman, State College of Washington
Place: Crathie Room, Holyrood House. Tickets \$1.00

9:45-12:15 2nd General Session, arranged by Council on Regional Historical Research
Place: Sir William Wallace Room, Holyrood House
Studies in Pacific Northwest History
Chairman: Dorothy Bevis, Acting Director, School of Librarianship, University of Washington, Seattle

"Reindeer for the Yukon"
Keith Murray, Western Washington College of Education, Bellingham, Washington

"Timber Frauds on Crooked River, 1902-1912; How the Timber and Stone Act of 1878 was Circumvented in Order to establish the Idaho Lumber Industry".
Merle Wells, Alliance College, Cambridge Springs, Pennsylvania, and Consultant for the Idaho Historical Society.

"Influencing a Region's Culture: Charles Erskine Scott Wood in Oregon".
Edwin R. Bingham, University of Oregon, Eugene

Commentators:
Herman Deutsch, State College of Washington, Pullman
Norman F. Thomas, College of Puget Sound, Tacoma
Nelson A. Ault, State College of Washington, Pullman

12:30 Luncheon - Scotia Room, Holyrood House. Tickets \$2.00

2:15 P.M. Third General Session

Place: Sir William Wallace Room, Holyrood House

Theme: A Pot-pourri of Problems

(each participant will present informally his problem, which will be open i for general discussion

- (1) Military History - Problems in writing a regimental history

Mr. Reginald Roy, Provincial Archives, Victoria, B.C.

- (2) Historic Sites - Problems in Historical Restoration

Dr. Douglas Leechman, formerly of National Museum of Canada, now special consultant on the Fort Langley Restoration

- (3) Pacific Northwest History - Problems relating to research on the Russian approach to the Pacific Northwest

Dr. Stewart R. Tompkins, Department of History, University of Oklahoma (retired)

7:00 P.M. Banquet.

Lougheed's Banquet Club,
1406 Douglas Street (upstairs)
Tickets \$2.00

Speaker: Dr. W.N. Sage,
Retired Head, Department of History, University
of British Columbia.

"Some Early Historians of British Columbia".

HOW TO GET THERE

By Boat -

- (1) Via Anacortes - Sidney Ferry (Washington State Ferries)

Lv. Anacortes	8:45 a.m.	Lv. Sidney	1:20 p.m.
Ar. Sidney	12:45 p.m.	Ar. Anacortes	5:20 p.m.

Car only, \$6.00 one way: \$12.00 return
Driver and passengers: 2.00 one way: \$3.60 return

- (2) Via Seattle - Victoria (Canadian Pacific Steamships)

Lv. Seattle	4:00 p.m.	Lv. Victoria	9:30 a.m.
Ar. Victoria	9:15 p.m.	Ar. Seattle	2:45 p.m.

Car only, \$7.50 each way: Passengers \$7.85 return

- (3) Via Vancouver - Victoria (Canadian Pacific Steamships)

Lv. Vancouver	9:15 a.m.	11:59 p.m.	
Lv. Victoria	3:30 p.m.	11:59 p.m.	
Ar. Victoria	2:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m.	
Ar. Vancouver	9:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m.	

Car only \$6.00 each way: Passengers \$6.75 return

- (4) Via Vancouver - Nanaimo (Canadian Pacific Steamships)
2-hour drive to Victoria

Lv. Vancouver	5:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	12:30 p.m.
	3:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.	
Ar. Nanaimo	7:45 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	1:30 p.m.	3:15 p.m.
	5:30 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	10:45 p.m.	
Lv. Nanaimo	7:00 a.m.	8:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
	4:15 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.	
Ar. Vancouver	9:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	1:30 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
	7:00 p.m.	8:15 p.m.	11:30 p.m.	

Car only \$5.00 each way: Passengers \$2.00 one way,
3.60 return

- (5) Via Horseshoe Bay - Nanaimo (Black Ball)

1 hour from Vancouver: 2 hours from Nanaimo

Leaves Horseshoe Bay every two hours beginning 6:00 a.m.
to midnight

Leaves Nanaimo every two hours beginning 6:00 a.m.
to midnight

Car only \$5.00 each way: Passengers \$2.00 one way,
3.60 return

By Air

Trans-Canada Airlines - from Sea Island Airport

Lv. Seattle	9:20 a.m.	3:20 p.m.	6:50 p.m.	9:50 p.m.
Ar. Victoria	10:10 a.m.	4:10 p.m.	7:40 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Victoria	7:45 a.m.	1:00 p.m.	4:45 p.m.	8:15 p.m.
Ar. Seattle	8:35 a.m.	1:50 p.m.	5:35 p.m.	9:05 p.m.

Single fare \$6.00: Return fare \$12.00

WHERE TO STAY

Hotels -

Empress Hotel: (the downtown main hotel)

Dominion Hotel: (central) Rates: rooms with bath from \$4.50
" without " " 3.00

Douglas Hotel: (central) Rates: single from \$2.50 - \$5.00

Strathcona " (central) Rates: single with bath \$5.00
double " " 6.00 & up
single without " 3.00
double " " 4.00

James Bay Hotel: (near Beacon Hill Park)

Royal Olympic Hotel (central) Without bath single \$2.50 & up
double 4.00 " "
With bath single 5.00 " "
double 6.50 " "

Sussex Apartment Hotel (central)

Motels - There are numerous motels. Those closest in to the city centre only are listed here.

Crystal Court: Belleville St. 2 blocks from C.P.R. wharf

Embassy Court: Menzies St. opposite Parliament Buildings

Hillside Auto Court: 765 Hillside Ave., 5-10 minutes from centre

Holiday Court: 740 Hillside Ave., " " " "

Colony Motor Hotel: 2852 Douglas St. " " " "

Macmillan's Motel: 617 Gorge Rd. E., " " " "

Windsor Motor Court: 260 Gorge Rd: \$4.00 & up " " "

Washington Motor Court: 241 Gorge Rd. 5-10 " " "

Prince Charles Auto Court: 225 Gorge Rd. " " " "

Redwood Park Motel: 141 Gorge Rd. E. " " " "

San Sebastian Court: 51 Gorge Rd. W. " " " "

Rates are pretty well standard to those in the United States.