

"The News" Classified Ads.

One Cent A Word For Each Insertion

THERE ARE NO "DEAD ONES" HERE

ORIGIN OF CUSTOM OF HALF MASTING A FLAG

In Former years Victor Run Flag up Above Captive's Ensign

Perhaps you have noticed that whenever a prominent person dies, especially if he is connected with the government, the flags on public buildings are hoisted only part of the way up. This is called "half mast." Did you ever stop to think what connection there could be between a flag that was not properly hoisted and the death of a great man?

Ever since flags were used in war it has been the custom to have the flag of the superior or conquering nation above that of the inferior or vanquished. When an army found itself hopelessly beaten it hauled its flag down far enough for the flag of the victors to be placed above it on the same pole. This was taken not only of submission but of respect.

TRY A NEWS WANT AD

SEWER BY-LAW

NOTICE is hereby given that a Public Meeting will be held in the Presbyterian Church Hall, Fourth Avenue on the 28th inst., commencing at 8 o'clock p.m. to discuss the provisions of the proposed sewer by-law to be voted on at the City Hall on the 30th inst.

All persons interested are cordially invited to attend and to take part in the discussion.

ERNEST A. WOODS, City Clerk.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished house, eight rooms with bath. Rent reasonable. Bainter & Sloan, Phone 387 277-17

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Lost and Found

FOUND—THE FRENCH WAY CLEANERS, 1007 Robson Street, Vancouver, B. C. Express paid one way on \$5.00 orders, both ways on \$10.00 orders. Write for price list. 258-17

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Companies Act and in the Matter of Sloan & Company, Limited.

TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice for leave to change the name of the above company from "Sloan & Company, Limited," to "Bryant Company, Limited."

Dated the 1st day of November, A. D. 1912.

WILLIAMS & MANSON,

Solicitors for Sloan & Company, Limited, 226 Sixth Street, Prince Rupert, B. C.

ANGRY DISCUSSION ON THE SEWER QUESTION

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here by the provincial government in Section One.

Alderman Douglas informed the smiling audience that he might state he was in favor of the passing of the bylaw as fostered by the majority of his worthy brethren.

Alderman Bullock - Webster thought that although he was convinced of the absolute infallibility of the scheme, it was a pity to take the chance of having the citizens vote it down through ignorance of the fact of its virtue through its not having the approving stamp of an expert.

City Engineer Mason, in answer to Mr. Westenhaver, said that on account of the physical features of Kaien Island this would in all probability be the most expensive engineering feat ever attempted in North America.

Mr. T. D. Pattullo in a few words stated his reasons for opposing the proposition. Supposing an expert was called in later and pronounced the whole business impossible, why go through the farce of passing such a bylaw at the present time. He strongly criticized the Mayor for advocating such an unbusiness-like scheme. He would surely sink the city in bankruptcy for all time. The money never could be raised. He called upon the citizens to quit playing at the business and get down to facts. He advised them to turn down the proposition, not out of any petty spite, but simply as an act of wisdom, that they would congratulate themselves upon in years to come.

George R. Naden spoke in emphatic terms as to the futility of the scheme. It was useless to talk about building a \$5,000 house when you had only \$200, enough to build a small shack. He said that a \$500,000 proposition would probably amply suffice for the next ten years.

Warm, clean rooms at Savoy.

HEARD ON THE CORNER

Who was the consulting expert when the engineering department planned the level crossings with the chicken-ladder slopes?

Had the council given as much time in open meeting to discussing the sewer by-law as they did the qualifications of the phone girls the ratepayers would know more about it and so would the council.

Ald. Morrissey was missed from the meeting last night.

Seville Martineau Newton would make a good Hamlet, judging by his Monday night speech. It is easy to imagine him reproaching the Queen for looking at another.

Being personally satisfied with the Engineer, caused Seville Martineau to refuse the advice of authorities on sewerage. The elector is not so sure as is the mayor.

How would the city float the bonds for the construction of the sewerage system?

Tonight, at the Presbyterian Hall, Seville Martineau Newton will feature in that delightful original skit, "How Deep is the Sewer?" Ald. Dybhavn will assist in the act. Admission free.

Ald. Dybhavn tells the people how in one town four or five practical men, known in the engineering world, consulted with the result that an excellent system of sewerage was put in, yet he by what he has read in the past three weeks would be the only advisor in the matter of the most expensive system in America.

Hamlet (S.M.N.), in the modern soliloquy, "To be or not to be, that is the question. Must the trench be ten, twelve, fourteen, or even sixteen feet. Methought 'twas sixteen, but you fellow Dyb saith it was to be twelve."

THE WEATHER.

Barometer 29.984
Max. 53.0
Min. 35.0
Precip.20

Past Presidents of U. S.

The past presidents of the United States are:

George Washington, Virginia, 1789.

John Adams, Massachusetts, 1797.

Thomas Jefferson, Virginia, 1801.

James Madison, Virginia, 1809.

James Monroe, Virginia, 1817.

John Q. Adams, Massachusetts, 1825.

Andrew Jackson, Tennessee, 1829.

Martin Van Buren, New York, 1837.

William H. Harrison, Ohio, 1841.

John Tyler, Virginia, 1841.

James K. Polk, Tennessee, 1845.

Zachary Taylor, Louisiana, 1849.

Millard Fillmore, New York, 1850.

Franklin Pierce, New Hampshire, 1853.

James Buchanan, Pennsylvania, 1857.

Abraham Lincoln, Illinois, 1861.

Andrew Johnson, Tennessee, 1865.

Ulysses Grant, District of Columbia, 1869.

Rutherford B. Hays, Ohio, 1877.

James A. Garfield, Ohio, 1881.

Chester A. Arthur, New York, 1881.

Grover Cleveland, New York, 1885.

Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, 1889.

Grover Cleveland, New York, 1893.

William McKinley, Ohio, 1897.

Theodore Roosevelt, New York, 1901.

William H. Taft, Ohio, 1909.

The President's Oath.

The President of the United States is required to take the oath prescribed by the American Constitution, Article 2, Section 7, which is administered by the chief justice of the supreme court, who is now Edward W. White, and reads as follows:

"I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States." Immediately after taking the oath he assumes office.

SARAH BERNHARDT IN MOVING PICTURES

The Empress Theatre management are again to the front with special attractions for their patrons and visitors. Wednesday, December 4 and 5, will be presented the very latest triumph of motion photo play. When first asked to play before the camera the divine Sarah regarded it as a condescension but after the revelation of the pictures in the studio cried out with enthusiasm I rely on these films for immortality; I live in hope of recording my entire repertoire for these marvellous productions. In Camille, one of Dumas' greatest productions, the public will have an excellent opportunity of seeing the Divine Sarah, supported by an all star cast, and when one recalls the furore created by this sovereign of the stage



SARAH BERNHARDT

In this powerful production, think what it meant to have Camille incarnated in motion pictures by Barnhardt. Next week if we cannot see the great Barnhardt in the flesh and listen to her golden voice, we can find great satisfaction in witnessing at the Empress this actress in a great drama as given to us through the magic of the moving picture. The production cost over \$250,000.

In addition to the Barnhardt pictures will be shown Mme. Rejane, the greatest comedienne of France in Mme. Sans-Gene, a play of mirth, laughter and excitement; altogether one mile of pictures probably the most interesting ever shown in Prince Rupert.

AT THE THEATRE

"Friends"

The strong play, "Friends," presented by the Griffith Stock Company last night was one that has a compelling heart interest for every one, and the difficult piece was given ample justice by the players in their several parts.

Undoubtedly the Griffith Company is one of the best stock companies that ever appeared in this part of the country. Miss Griffith, in the very humorous parts in which she has appeared is all that could be desired. Her mannerisms and affected peculiarities for each role stamp her as being one of the best. Taken altogether there is not a weak player in the whole company.

"Friends" will be repeated tonight. It is one of those plays which you return the second night to see again. Friendship is something above gold, and the picture produced is one that is pleasing in the extreme.

Strictly fresh eggs, 65 cents a dozen. Stalker and Wells, phones 187 and 430. 28017

W. C. Butler arrived on the Prince Rupert yesterday to join the local staff of the Bank of Montreal.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4.

"What kind of breakfast foods have you?" the dyspeptic inquired of the waitress at Cherryville Inn, who stood before him with arms akimbo.

"We got all the reg'lar," said the girl; "ham an' eggs, fried steak, brook trout, doughnuts an' apple pie. You can have 'em all if you like, an' a cup o' coffee an' fiddle cakes. We calculate to charge enough, so folks can eat all they want."—Youths' Companion.

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LYNCH BROS.

A young Brooklyn woman, who has the honor of being the strongest girl at her college, said the other day of an affected type of culture:

"Such culture is superficial. It reminds me of Cornelius Husk. 'Corn Husk, after his son's graduation from Harvard, gave the lad a trip to Europe. Afterward a friend asked the old man: 'Well, did the tour improve your Corny?'

"'It certainly did,' was the reply. 'He says 'I fancy' for 'I guess' now, and 'blouse' for 'shirtwaist,' 'boots' for 'shoes,' 'nut' for 'dude,' 'bowler' for 'Derby' and 'I say' for 'hey.'"

—St. Paul Dispatch.

FOR SALE

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