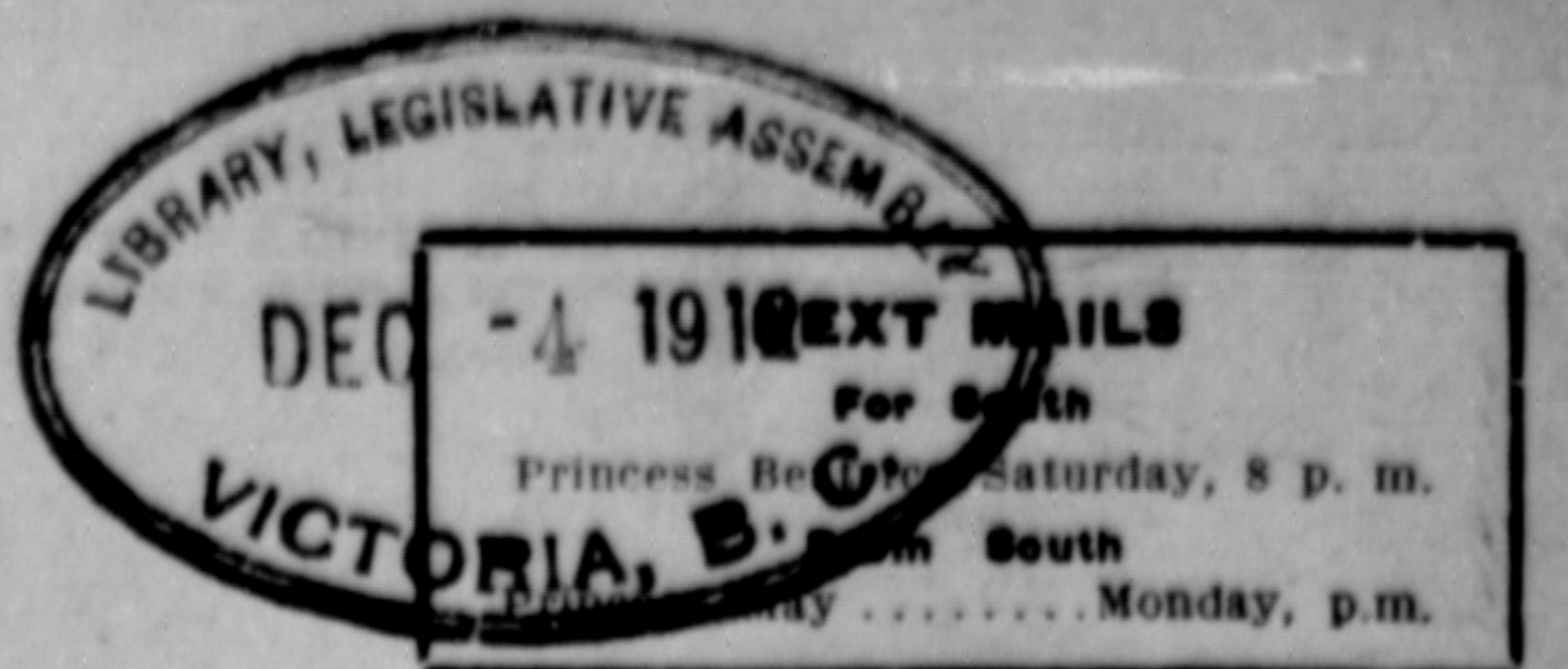


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SERVIA TAKES DURAZZO AND EUROPE FEARS WAR

LOCAL MAN'S CLAIM IS SUBJECT OF A TEST CASE BEFORE THE PRIVY COUNCIL

THE CITY HAS NO GUARANTEE OF OUTLET FOR THE SEWERAGE

INCOMPLETENESS OF SCHEME SHOWN IN FACT NEITHER GOVERNMENT NOR RAILWAY HAVE GIVEN PERMISSION FOR OUTLETS OF SEWERAGE SYSTEM

Several important questions arose at the public meeting held in the Presbyterian Hall last night in regard to the sewer by-law, which will be voted upon tomorrow.

One of the most important was the access to the waterfront and the city's position in regard to the outlets for the sewers. It was admitted that no guarantee had been given by either the government or the Grand Trunk Pacific that they would allow the sewers to be carried across their property.

Engineer Mason replied in answer to a question that the sewerage of Sections Seven, Eight and Nine had not been considered in the present scheme, on which the whole of the incorporated city would be assessed.

Mayor Newton further expounded his views as to the wisdom of the citizens of Prince Rupert passing favorably on the sewerage bylaw to be voted on tomorrow.

He believed he was taking a right step in the matter and was utterly indifferent as to the outcome and believed whether the bylaw passed or not it would be the means of bringing such an important issue to a live point in the eyes of the public.

The citizens should sink all personal feelings in the matter and decide only in an unbiased fashion as to which would be the wisest course to be followed. It was up to them, and he hoped they would fully realize the importance of the subject upon which they were called to pass judgment.

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FATAL FIRE AT DAWSON

Little Boy Burned When Dawson Store Burns

(Special to Daily News.) Dawson, Nov. 29—The four year old son of Peter McDiarmid was burned to death here yesterday in a fire which destroyed C. S. Philp's clothing store on Second avenue. The loss was heavy as the stock was of exceptional size.

The structure, which was a wooden one, burned rapidly and gave the McDiarmid family who lived above the shop, little time to escape.

Admission Free

Everybody is invited to Scott, Froud & Co.'s great shoe sale. You won't be held up, no matter what you buy. Sale ends Saturday. 281

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners, Phone 4.

PRINCE RUPERT TOOK LARGE NUMBER SOUTH

Captain Barney Johnston Took Large List With Him This Morning

The following left for the south on the Prince Rupert this morning: J. Edwards, Mrs. Mary Olsen, Mr. Olsen, E. Lescher, W. Rutherford, E. B. Parkinson, C. Titus, Geo. A. Parks, L. Duncan, John Albi, J. Newbury, K. Warrigan, J. W. Tailford, W. B. Camfield, J. E. Hood, B. Ingoldsby, J. L. Martin, R. E. Johnston, Chief Justice Hunter, M. B. Cohen, Mrs. M. B. Cohen, G. A. Griffiths, Mr. Greene, Mrs. Heale, M. M. White, J. Martindale, C. H. Thurbury, Mr. Sloan, M. J. Hogan, L. G. Lackraft, Mrs. Colbourne, Mr. Colbourne, Gus Rennie, Mrs. F. G. Heale, F. G. Heale, E. T. Harlon, Godfrey Warner.

SWEPT BY TYPHOON

Heavy Loss of Life and Property from Storm that Visited Islands

(Special to Daily News.) Manila, Nov. 28—Many lives have been lost during a severe typhoon which swept over here. The property damage is estimated at millions of pesos. The number of persons killed by falling houses, flying debris and drowning is unknown, but it is admitted to be very great.

Basket Ball.

Royals vs. Crescents at Auditorium, Nov. 29th. Game called at 8 o'clock sharp. Skating after the game. Admission 25c. 280-1

Elite Dancing Academy

Dancing lessons in McIntyre Hall every Monday and Thursday evening from 8.30 to 11.30. Mr. M. M. Cooper, instructor. 281

SAWLE'S APPLICATION TO BE MADE TEST CASE BY COUNTRY

DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS TO MAKE TEST CASE AS TO WHO OWNS THE WATERFRONT — LOCAL MAN'S APPLICATION TO BE TEST

According to information received by Mr. G. R. T. Sawle, of this city, the application for foreshore rights at Granby Bay is to be made the subject of a test case between the Dominion and Provincial governments.

Both governments claim the jurisdiction over the waterfront and shore line in the recently developed harbors of this coast.

According to the Provincial Government its jurisdiction over lands extends to and covers all that land left bare at low tide, while the Federal authorities claim that under the British North America Act of 1867, and its ratification when this province entered the federation, they have complete control of all waterfront in the harbors of the coast.

While admitting that the older cities, such as Vancouver and Victoria come under the meaning of the British North America Act, the province claims that harbors such as Prince Rupert and others opened within the past few years do not do so.

As things exist at present applications and plans for improvement of the foreshore, which under the Protection of Navigation Act must receive the sanction of the Federal authorities must be accompanied with a Dominion foreshore lease, while it is reported that the Provincial land registry office will not register Dominion foreshore leases.

If the Dominion case is sustained by the government the major portions of the waterfront

in most of the northern harbors will have to be re-applied for, and considerable litigation will result.

Mr. Sawle's application, which to make sure of his ground, he made to both governments, was chosen as the test case by Attorney-General Bowser of British Columbia and Minister of Marine and Fisheries Hazen, at their recent conference at Ottawa.

NOTICE
In the Assigned Estate of W. M. Ward

To be sold by public auction on Saturday next, Nov. 30th, at 2.30 p.m., in the Empress Hotel block, Third Avenue, showcases, roller top desk, candy cooking utensils, chairs, tables, etc., to the highest bidder. Frank A. Ellis, Auctioneer. Phone 44. 281

Installed Dynamo.
Lately the Rupert Marine Iron Works have installed their own electric light plant. Finding it impossible to obtain a service from the city, owing to difficulties arising as to the carrying of wire across the railroad track, they have set up a powerful little dynamo that is capable of generating 250 candle power. It is operated by the work engine used in the shop without any special engine being required.

Strictly fresh eggs, 65 cents a dozen. Stalker and Wells, phones 187 and 430. 2801f

REASONS WHY BYLAW SHOULD BE VOTED AGAINST BY RATEPAYERS TOMORROW

1. The scheme has not been supervised by an expert.
2. No arrangement has been made with the Grand Trunk Pacific or the Government for foreshore rights for the outlet.
3. It has been argued that only a portion of the scheme will be begun next year. If say only \$200,000 is raised next year and it is then found impossible to raise any more money only a small section will have sewerage and that at the expense of all the rest of the city.
4. No provision is made in the by-law for sewerage in Section Seven, which is quite thickly populated, nor in a portion of Section One, nor the whole of Sections 8, 9, 2, 3, 4.
5. To spend so large a sum in permanent sewers in Sections 5 and 6, allowing for a depth of only six feet when these sections will undoubtedly be business sections, is the height of folly.
6. It will be impossible to raise the money in the financial world.
7. It will prevent immediate relief being given to congested sections which require sewers with as little delay as possible.
8. Because a scheme can be evolved at much less cost to meet the requirements for the next few years which the city will be able to finance.
9. Because the by-law has been rushed to a vote without the people having proper opportunity to satisfy themselves as to the merits of the scheme.
10. Because we have no guarantee that the cost will not be much greater than the engineer's figures.
11. Because it is not the part of prudence to spend so large a sum of money without first knowing our ground thoroughly.
12. Because the law will not allow material change in the by-law if passed, and if subsequent consideration shows an entirely new project to be desirable, the vote will now be a farce.
13. The vote now is a farce anyway because the scheme cannot be financed and not five per cent. of the ratepayers know whether the scheme is the best one or not.
14. Because the method of taxation has never been considered, that is whether it might not be better for the city at large to pay for trunk lines only and the property benefitted to pay for the balance.
15. Because the whole scheme has been ill considered and handled in a most unbusinesslike way from start to finish.

WAR CLOUD IS HOVERING OVER EUROPE BECAUSE OF SERVIA

SERVIA IN DEFIANCE TO AUSTRIA AND ALBANIA OCCUPIES ADRIATIC PORT — DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES AFRAID — EFFORT TO ESTABLISH ARBITRATION

(Special to Daily News.) Durazzo, Nov. 29 — Servian troops yesterday occupied this town. They were offered no resistance by the Turks. The Austrian Lloyd steamer Fra Warmbrand left immediately the Servians entered the town taking on board previously a large number of refugees.

Durazzo is the port which Austria has forbidden Serbia to occupy. Serbia declares she will retain it and thus have a coast line, and Austria is as determined that her interests will be at stake if Serbia is allowed on the Adriatic and consequently is determined she will relinquish it.

London, Nov. 29—Ignoring the proclamation of Albanian independence Serbia yesterday occupied the Adriatic port of Durazzo. As a result of this action on the part of the Balkan state the situation of a general war in Europe is again assuming a lowering appearance, and diplomatic circles are watching the action of Austria with great alarm.

The past few days gave rise to the supposition that the danger of a general conflagration was averted, but the action of Serbia gives reason to anticipate the most dire results.

Diplomatic pressure will be brought to bear on Austria to induce her to leave the question for consideration at the close of the Balkan war, when it can be settled no doubt without the resort to bloodshed.

London, Nov. 29—Germany, Russia and France have accepted the British plan for a conference at one of the capitals of Europe of Ambassadors of all the great powers to discuss the establishment of an authoritative board to deal with petty questions which may arise to cause friction between the great powers of Europe. Austria and Italy have not as yet responded to the invitation.

Attempt on Czar's Life
London, Nov. 26—A despatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg says that an unsuccessful attempt was made last Monday to wreck the train on which Emperor Nicholas and the members of the Russian Imperial family were returning from Spala to Tsarko-Selo by tearing up the rails and sleepers near Colsowa Ruda. The correspondent adds that owing to misinformation as to when the Imperial train was due the work of the would-be wreckers was done after the train had passed the spot picked out for its dethroning.

Hello, Bill! Meet me at the Westholme Opera House tonight. Funniest show you ever saw. Popular price, 25c, 35c, 50c. 282

E. M. Sandilands, gold commissioner for the Queen Charlotte Islands, is a visitor to the city, a guest at the G. T. P. Inn.

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MEN'S OWN CLUB HAVE NICE OPENING NIGHT

Many Enthusiasts Attend the Official Opening of the New Club

Last evening under the most auspicious circumstances, the Men's Own Club celebrated the event of opening of their gymnasium, which adjoins the Methodist Church. It is a matter of much congratulation to know that such a fine and well equipped hall, where the youth of the city can go in for every kind of indoor athletics, especially during the long winter evenings, has been established in our midst.

Last evening a social evening was spent, when friends were invited to be present, and see what had been done to prepare the building for the excellent purposes for which it had been built.

E. L. Fisher, the president of the guild, presided. There were representatives from the Baptist Brotherhood present, and also from the Tiger Basket Ball Club, and other athletic bodies in the city.

A careful inspection was made of the equipment of the new gymnasium, the hosts of the evening receiving many congratulations upon their enterprise and wisdom in putting in such a first class and up-to-date apparatus.

During the evening refreshments were served by the Ladies Aid of the church. Speeches were delivered by Rev. W. H. McLeod.

J. R. Beatty, Wm. Manson, M.P., P., and the Rev. Charles R. Sing. There was a song by Mr. Bain, Jr., and a recitation by Mr. Bain, Sr.

Want Extension

Ottawa, Nov. 29—The officials of the G.T.P. stated last night that they would ask for another extension of twelve months in which to complete the prairie section of the transcontinental. The extension of twelve months granted last year expires on Sunday next and there is yet some work to be completed.

Victoria Beats Visitors

Victoria, Nov. 29—The local rugby football club defeated the Australian touring team yesterday by a score of 13 points to 11.

Xmas Stock Complete

Bronze and Brass Goods came yesterday. You cannot afford to miss seeing this splendid line. We are demonstrating value this year as never before.

WARK'S
3rd Ave. Jewellers Box 76
PHONE 122

GOOD EXHIBITIONS OF THE MANLY ART GIVEN

Several Bouts Brought off Last Night in Wright's Gym.—Most Interesting

Last night several excellent amateur boxing exhibitions were given in Billy Wright's gymnasium in the Windsor Hotel basement. The boys, while showing remarkable cleverness and agility, with one or two exceptions, were a little amateurish, but nevertheless give promise of developing some very good talent.

Trainer Ulmann, who has charge of the gym and classes, is a very clean cut lad with the science and finish of a clever ring expert. Last night he gave an excellent exhibition of bag punching, which was much appreciated. After he has developed his classes it is the intention to put on a good strong card.

Rogers Denies Charges

Ottawa, Nov. 29—The debate on the address was continued yesterday by the Hon. Robert Rogers, who took occasion to deny that illegal methods were used during the Macdonald election. Amongst the other speakers was Carwell, M.P., for Carleton, N.B. It was the liveliest sitting of the session so far.

Mrs. G. R. T. Sawle left this morning on the Prince Rupert to spend the winter in Welland, Ontario.

FULL TEXT OF ADDRESS FROM THRONE AT OPENING OF HOUSE

LENGTHY ADDRESS GIVEN THIS YEAR BY GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN OUTLINING THE WORK OF THE SESSION NAVAL POLICY

The speech from the Throne is as follows:
Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate, Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

I have during the past summer spent several months in visiting the principal cities and towns of Canada from coast to coast, and have endeavored to make myself as far as possible acquainted with the conditions prevailing. It has been a source of the deepest satisfaction to me to see the almost universal prosperity which reigns throughout the Dominion, and to witness the energy and enterprise which are shown in developing the rich resources of the land.

Canada's Trade.

It is most gratifying to observe that the trade of the Dominion is increasing rapidly and steadily, the aggregate trade for the last fiscal year being the largest on record. During the present year the same steady increase has been noted, and it is anticipated that the total volume of our trade for the present fiscal year will greatly surpass that of any previous year in our history.

The revenues of the Dominion continue to expand, and in every branch of business and industry there is a remarkable activity which gives assurance of continued progress and prosperity.

Immigration.

A copious and welcome stream of immigration has poured into our country during the past summer. The volume of immi-

gration during the present year is greater than during any corresponding period in our history and in larger measure than usual it has been drawn from the British Islands.

Agriculture.

The labors of the husbandman have been blessed with an ample return, and, although in some districts the weather has been unpropitious for the harvest, it is expected that the total value of our field crops will be greater than in any previous year.

West Indies' Trade Agreement.

Papers will be laid before you which embody trade arrangements that have been consummated between the Dominion and certain of His Majesty's possessions in the West Indies. It is hoped that these arrangements will prove of great advantage not only to those possessions, but to Canada as well. A bill will be introduced for the purpose of carrying this agreement into effect.

Naval Conference.

During the past summer four members of my government conferred in London with His Majesty's government on the question of naval defence. Important discussions took place and conditions have been disclosed which in the opinion of my advisers render it imperative that the effective naval forces of the Empire should be strengthened without delay.

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