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STEWART MAN ROBBED OF ALL HIS SKINS AND DRIVEN OUT OF THE COUNTRY BY INDIANS-ARE BOLD BECAUSE OF FAILURE OF GOVERNMENT TO CATCH GUN-A-NOOT.

first of the week, having been grounds at the headwaters of the of overawing the white trapper a large and appreciative audience. Blackwater river by a party of and prospector and commit in- The hall, which under the able five armed Kispiox Indians. numerable petty depredations to superintendence of Captain Tutte, While away from his camp inspecting his line of traps the In- Portland Canal Miner. dians ransacked his belongings. taking from between his blank-ets seven marten skins and also JOE BAYLEY TO BOX a moose. When he returned to his camp they told him he could not trap in that section, and ormake haste for the outside.

Similar outrages have been re corded time and again in the press, but no action has been cease trapping and leave the quitlam. Morris Condon of Vic- of Love; recitation, "The Young Naas country.

to arrest Gun-a-Noot, the notor- boxing promoter, were both in the Band of Love; recitation,

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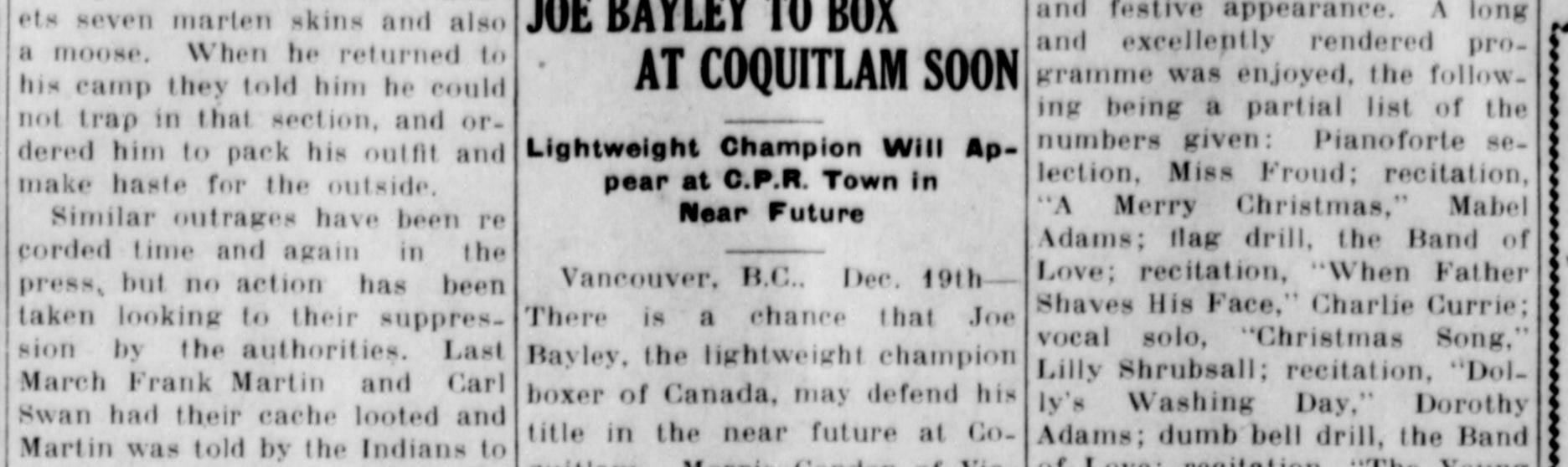
Gus Anderson, a well known large in the wilds of the interior. Salvation Army started the comtrapper, returned to Stewart the lends color to the belief that the ing festive season in the fine and Indians feel immune from inter- spacious hall on Fraser street ference by the police and theredriven out of his hunting foretake high-handed methods last evening. It was attended by drive him out of the country .- the local officer in charge, had

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 19thtoria, manager for Bayley, and Reciter," Rosie Davidson; "Break The failure of the authorities Percy Hartney, the Coquitlam Forth Into Songs of Gladness," ious murderer, who is still at the city today and they talked "Dolly Learning to Walk," Lizzie over the prospects for pulling off Curry; tableau vivants, "Christ Condon expressed his willingness cock; No. 1, "A Home of Care, to let Bayley box on a percentage old lady by Rosie Adams; No. 2. and Hartney thought pretty well "The Dying Saint," by Jonathan of the proposition, so much in Dovidson; No. 3, "The Martyr," fact that he is going back to Coquitlam to figure out how much expense will be entailed in enlarging the boxing pavilion there Christmas," Misses Adams; reciin order to accommodate the big tation, "Back to Grandpa's," crowd of fans who would go up Jonathan Davidson. The second from Victoria. Good is ready and part of the entertainment conwilling to go on with Bayley or any sort of fair terms just to get vivants, the principal one reprea crack at the championship senting the story of "The Prodtitle, and if the Coquitlam pro- igal Son," besides several more moter goes through the bout songs and recitations.

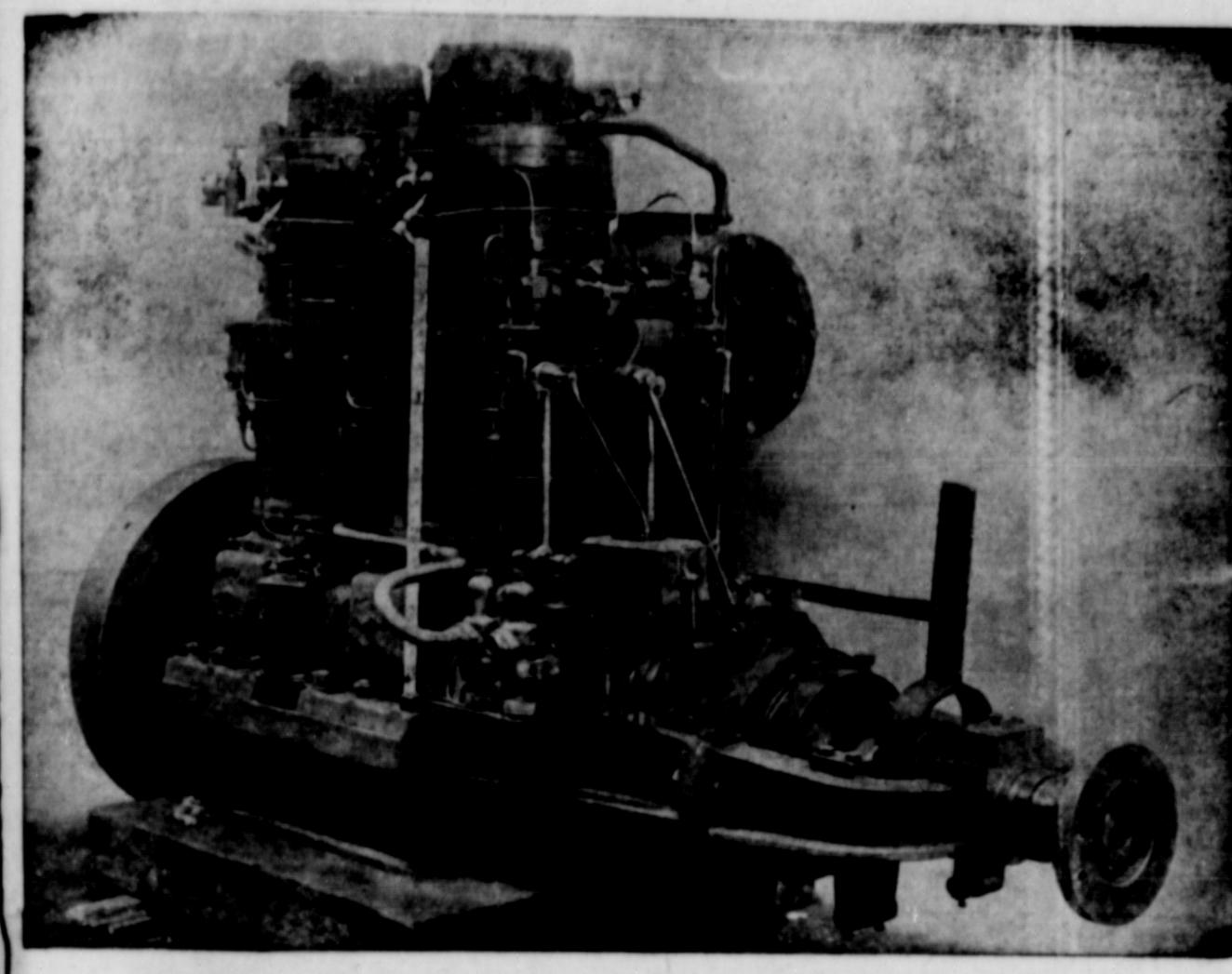
> Good will go to Nanaimo tonight to box a miner named Tom Moore for fifteen rounds to a decision. Moore claims the lightweight championship of the North of England and boasts a record of half a hundred scraps. He is to beat Good, but the latter has a strong following who will b on hand at the ringside ready take up all the Moore coin. Jim my Hewitt of Vancouver wi referee the bout.

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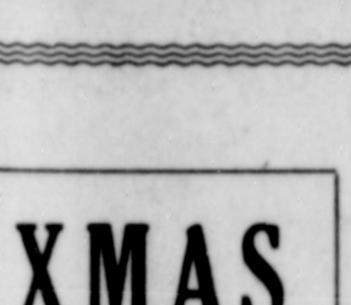


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> "A Maiden's Choice," Rosie Adams; song, "Tell the Tale of sisted of some splendid tableau

TAFT GOES TO CANAL

President of United States to Spend the Festive Season at the Big Ditch

Washington, Dec. 19-President Taft left at - 10.30 tonight for Florida, en route to the Panama Canal, where he will recuperate and spend the Christmas holidays. He will return to Wash ington on December 31.

Development Work.

H. G. Newton, a well known citizen of Victoria and who is heavily interested in mining in the Portland Canal district, arrived from Stewart this morning on the Prince John and proceeded south on the Prince Rupert. Mr. Newton, who is the sole owner of the Red Reef group of mineral claims adjacent to Stewart, has been busily engaged on the property for the last several weeks. Before leaving recently he let a contract for the work of continuing the tunnels that are being put in on the property. C. T. Baker has the contract and will. remain in the northern camp all winter.

Thirty-five Killed.

Dortmound, Germany, Dec. 19. -Thirty-five men lost their lives in a terrible gas explosion here in one of the collieries last night. Rescue parties entered the mine as soon as possible after the explosion and already six bodies have been recovered.

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