

## SHIPBUILDING INTERESTS ASK GOVERNMENT AID

### ATTACK ON G. T. P. TOWNSITE CO.—LOCAL BRICK AND TILE COMPANY INCORPORATED

#### MEMBER FOR VANCOUVER ATTACKS G. T. P. TOWNSITE CO.

IS OPPOSED TO PARLIAMENT VOTING MONEY FOR BUILDING OF RAILWAY TERMINALS—SAYS G. T. P. TOWNSITE CO. IS A WILDCAT CONCERN.

(Special to Daily News.)  
Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The time of the House of Commons was taken up today with a discussion of the proposed amendments to the Bank Act. In connection with the report of the Railway Committee, H. H. Stevens, M. P. for Vancouver, vigorously opposed Parliament voting money to build up railway terminals. Mr. Stevens also renewed the attack on the G. T. P. Townsite Co. He maintained that it is a wildcat concern and is receiving the commendation of western people generally. It was finally decided to insert a clause in connection with the grants to railways that the money be spent in Canada.

#### Cameron Cove Being Opened.

Archie McDougall, the well known railroad contractor, is busily engaged at present in superintending the work of the opening of Cameron Cove by the G. T. P. This morning the big steam shovel was in operation, a large force of men being employed upon the work. The opening up of this waterway by the railroad company has been a matter of contention for some time between the latter and the City of Prince Rupert. It will take some time to complete the work.

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#### BRICK MAKING CONCERN HAS BEEN INCORPORATED

LOCAL CAPITAL INTERESTED IN AN INDUSTRY THAT WILL PROVE A GREAT BENEFIT TO PRINCE RUPERT

The Northern Brick and Tile Co., Ltd., is the name of a company that has recently been incorporated for the manufacture of brick for the Prince Rupert market. The company is made up entirely of local men who have thoroughly investigated the possibilities and the conditions and are satisfied that the industry will prove not only a financial success for themselves but a great boon to the City of Prince Rupert as well.

The plant will be located at Mile 82, where clay beds of a suitable character for brick making have been secured. Some time ago a shipment of four hundred pounds of the clay was sent to Ohio to be tested and the report that has come back is most favorable. Samples of the bricks made may be seen at the office of Thomas McGlymont, on Third avenue. Those who are competent to judge claim that they are much superior to brick obtained from either Vancouver or Victoria and quite the equal of Seattle brick.

Work has already started toward getting the property in shape for the installation of the necessary machinery and buildings are being erected. A contract has been let for the cutting of 1,000 cords of wood for this season's burning, and men are now at work. There seems to be little doubt but that the company will be supplying brick to the Prince Rupert market by early summer.

Although the clay is well adapted to the manufacture of pressed brick and tile, it is the intention of the company to turn out only common brick at first, just as soon as there is a demand

in Prince Rupert for pressed brick and tile the necessary machinery will be installed.

The location of the property is ideal, being right on the main line of the G. T. P. Arrangements have been made to construct spur lines through the property for convenience and economy in the loading of the finished product. It is estimated that brick can be turned out from this plant and delivered in Prince Rupert at \$10 per thousand less than Seattle brick. In other words, the citizens of Prince Rupert will be able to buy a brick much superior to Vancouver or Victoria brick for the price that they have been paying for either of these. This should prove a great boon to Prince Rupert, particularly when the additional saving through lower insurance rates is considered.

It is expected that by early summer the plant will be turning out between forty and fifty thousand bricks per day.

#### Hospital Notes.

Mike Ferri, a young Italian, aged 22, employed by the Prince Rupert Sign Co., was taken to the hospital yesterday suffering from a severe attack of peritonitis. An operation was immediately performed and the patient is doing as well as could be expected.

The little lad, Harry Darling, who was so badly injured through being thrown off McBride street a distance of fifteen feet, a week or so ago, whilst coasting, is progressing favorably.

Dr. Inman, the eye specialist, who has been visiting the south lately, returned this morning.

#### GOVERNMENT AID FOR CANADIAN SHIPBUILDING

Large Deputation Waited Upon Premier Yesterday—Promised Every Consideration.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Ottawa, Jan. 21.—A large deputation representing the shipbuilding industries of the Dominion today waited upon Premier Borden and his colleagues soliciting government aid for the industry. They were promised every consideration.

#### DRESS ALLOWANCE NOT TO EXCEED RENTAL

New Standard for Married Woman's Dress Allowance Set Down in Paris Court.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Paris, Jan. 21.—A new standard which has been laid down in Paris law courts, that a married woman's dress allowance must not be more annually than the rental of her home, does not meet with general approval. Mme. Mirpolski, one of the best known women barristers in Paris, does not think the judgment can be taken seriously nor as applying to all cases.

**Purchased Hazelton Business.**  
Lynch Bros. of Prince Rupert have purchased the general store business of Cohen & Zackon at New Hazelton, where they will in future conduct both a wholesale and retail business.

#### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

W. J. Elmendorf, general manager of the Portland Canal Mining Co., Stewart, was amongst the arrivals this morning on the Prince Rupert. Mr. Elmendorf will continue on to Stewart on the first boat.

J. M. Clancy, manager of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, returned this morning from a few weeks' vacation spent in the lower coast cities.

Miss Lillian Kuster, who has been south for the last month, purchasing her spring stock of millinery for her store on 4th Street, arrived back in the city this morning on the Prince Rupert.

Mrs. A. S. B. Lucas returned this morning from a few weeks' spent in Victoria and Vancouver.

A. E. McMaster, who has been attending a conference of railway men in Vancouver, returned to the city this morning.

Dan Lindeberg, the well known Salmon River mining man, who is the owner of several very valuable properties in that district, returned this morning from Vancouver where he has been on a business visit in connection with a big mining deal.

H. F. G. Barnjum, a pioneer railway man in the service of the G.T.P., arrived back in the city today after a short vacation spent in the south. Mr. Barnjum proceeded on immediately to Hazelton on the morning train.

Miss Gleason returned this morning from a pleasant vacation spent in the south.

C. C. Perry, the popular Indian agent at Metlakatla, who has been in the south with his family for the last few weeks, returned on the Prince Rupert this morning. Mrs. Perry and children will remain for a while visiting friends in Nanaimo.

#### GRIP OF WINTER IS TIGHT ON THE WEST

Eastern British Columbia and Prairie Provinces Enduring Extremely Cold Weather.

(Special to Daily News.)  
Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 20.—Weather throughout the Canadian prairie west over the week end has been the coldest experienced so far this winter, with the promise of continued very cold weather today and slightly higher temperatures Tuesday.

In Manitoba the thermometer did not take such a low dip as in Saskatchewan and Alberta, the lowest being at Minnedosa, 36 below, while Winnipeg was a close second with 32 below recorded.

Saskatchewan experienced the real cold, the mercury dipping to 49 below at Regina, while at Moosejaw and Qu'Appelle it was 44 below. Other cold spots in Saskatchewan, where it was in the forties, were Battleford, 42, and Moosomin, 40.

Alberta weather was about on a par with that of Manitoba, Medicine Hat recording the coldest spell, 34 below; Lethbridge, 30 below; Calgary, 32, and Edmonton, 22 below and snowing.

The freak of Western Canada was the severe weather which attacked British Columbia, it being 6 below at Kamloops and 4 below at Penticton, while at Grand Forks it was zero and Nelson recorded 4 above.

#### SHAWATLANS VISITED BY BOARD OF WORKS

Difficulties in Getting Pipes Across Passage Receiving Serious Consideration.

The Mayor and the members of the Board of Works, who paid a visit to Shawatlans Passage yesterday in order to become conversant with the exact state of affairs existing in connection with the laying of the pipe from the mainland to the city, realize that they have a very important matter to grapple with. City Engineer Mason, who has been in charge of the work, has had a great many difficulties to contend with, but is satisfied that the plans evolved for the successful completion of the work are the best that could be employed under existing conditions. The rough weather and exceptionally severe wind storms that have occurred recently have greatly retarded operations, causing considerable loss as well. The Board of Works have in hand the task of deciding the best course to be followed to bring about the successful completion of the crossing of the passage. The advisability of bringing in an expert before proceeding with the undertaking is being considered.

The drawing for the three prizes at Hyde's cigar store took place last evening at 8 o'clock. The three winning numbers were 32, 80 and 75, the lucky holders being, first, Louis Sweder; second, Annie Byman; third, Bert Corkill. The prizes were exceedingly handsome dining sets.

#### LIBERAL ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Liberal Association, for the purpose of electing officers, will be held on the evening of Thursday, Jan. 23rd, 1913, in the K. of P. Hall, Helgerson Block. 307tf

P. W. ANDERSON,  
Sec.-Treas.

#### EUROPEAN POWERS NOT KEEPING FAITH

Turkey Hints That Europe is Breaking Faith with Her in Maintenance of Status Quo.

(Special to Daily News.)  
London, Jan. 21.—Turkey before replying to the note of the powers is asking for an explanation of some of the clauses. She hints that Europe has broken faith with her in connection with promises made months ago that the status quo was not to be altered.

#### LONDON TIMES FAVORS IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

Before Premier Borden Settles on Permanent Naval Policy—Regard of Overseas Dominions May be Impaired.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, Jan. 21.—The Times urges that before Premier Borden settles on a permanent naval policy there must be another Imperial Conference to ascertain the extent of Canada's desire to co-operate with the other Dominions having a Pacific interest. The Dominions now take a broader outlook on the Imperial policy in the face of which Winston Churchill has shown an intermittent perception and should be tempted to look only to the British convenience rather than Imperial developments, he would impair the regard entertained for the admiralty by every Dominion concluded the Times.

#### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

**Hospital Board Representatives.**  
Mayor Pattullo has selected Aldermen Naden and Kerr to represent the City Council on the Hospital Board for the coming year.

#### Banquet Tonight.

A large number of the friends of Captain Johnson will tender him a complimentary banquet at the Premier Hotel at 9 o'clock tonight. Tables will be laid for about a hundred.

The February sitting of the county court will be held on Thursday, the 6th of the coming month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fisher, who spent the holidays in Victoria, were amongst the returning passengers this morning on the Rupert.

Joe Greer, of the G.T.P. staff, who has been on a visit to his home in Lindsay, Ont., returned this morning on the Prince Rupert after an exceedingly pleasant trip. "Joe" looks as well as ever and his numerous friends are delighted to see him back.

As a special attraction a particularly good programme of music is advertised for tonight and tomorrow at the Westholme Opera House. Several well known classical selections will be played as well as some of the most popular music from the latest musical comedies. The famous two reel Thanhouser feature film portraying the great story of English home life, "Aurora Floyd," will head the bill.

#### Births.

Owen—On January 22, 1913, at the Prince Rupert General Hospital, to Mrs. Walter E. Owen, a son.

Perry—At Nanaimo, B. C., on January 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Perry of Metlakatla, a daughter.

#### GAVE LIQUOR TO INDIAN FIVE MONTHS HARD LABOR

ALEX. HARDAIRE SENT DOWN FOR SUPPLYING LIQUOR TO INDIAN—CHARGE OF THEFT WITHDRAWN.

Robert Wesley, the Indian who was fined \$10 and costs yesterday in the police court by Magistrate Carss for being drunk and who was later sent out in pursuit of the man who gave him the liquor, was successful in his quest. This morning his man pleaded guilty to the charge. His name is Alex. Hardaire and he was read a severe lecture by the magistrate. The maximum penalty is a fine of \$300 together with six months' imprisonment. For a moment it looked pretty blue for the prisoner. His Worship remarked that these cases were getting altogether too common and he was going to put a stop to it. He did not think it

was any good inflicting the fine, but the prisoner would have to serve five months hard labor.

Kwong Sun Chung, the Chinaman summoned for an infraction of the health bylaw, was fined \$1 and costs.

His Worship remarked in the case of the charge laid against Sieve Papos of stealing two rings from an Indian woman of the name of Martha Green that it was an absurd waste of time to bother with such cases where the evidence was practically nil. The Indians were far too fond of preferring a charge of theft against the first person in sight whenever they lost anything. The charge was withdrawn altogether.

#### MAN AND WIFE PERISH IN FLAMES NEAR NELSON

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Nelson, B. C., Jan. 20.—The crew of the northbound steamer Minto, on the Arrow Lakes, has brought to Nakusp news of a fatal fire at Edgewood, a farming community 50 miles south of Nakusp. The blaze was visible when the steamer approached Edgewood at 3 o'clock in the morning, and it was said a house near the landing, owned by Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh, had been destroyed, the man and wife perishing in the flames. McIntosh was a contractor, clearing land for a townsite company, and the couple had been married one year.

#### Extraordinary Accident.

Calgary, Alta., Jan. 20.—An accident, extraordinary in its results, occurred on the Crows' Nest line on the C. P. R. when the eastbound mail was wrecked, every car in the train leaving the rails with no injury to the hundred or more passengers on board. The wreck occurred a mile west of Burmis. Seven cars went into the ditch, one of the Pullmans turning completely over. A broken rail caused the accident.

#### Prince Albert Starts on Cruise.

London, Jan. 20.—Prince Albert, King George's second son, joined the cadet training ship Cumberland, which sails today for a six months' cruise, which will include the West Indies.

#### Will Form New Cabinet.

Paris, Jan. 20.—M. Briand, minister of justice under Premier Poincare, tonight definitely accepted the call of President Fallieres to form a new cabinet.

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#### RECORD PRICES PAID FOR AMERICAN FURS

Sealskins Offered in London Market Bring Highest Prices Ever Obtained.

London, Jan. 20.—The annual sale of Alaska sealskins, the property of the United States government, occurred a day or two ago, and higher prices than ever before were obtained. The 3,764 skins realized 29,985 pounds, about \$140,000, or 152 shillings and 9 pence, nearly \$40, as an average price per skin, being 11 shillings, or nearly \$3, per skin higher than any previous sale.

George M. Bowers, United States commissioner of fisheries, watched the sale in the interest of the United States government. In a talk with a reporter for the New York American, Mr. Bowers said:

"I am much pleased with the sale and prices realized. The increase in the price fetched is mainly due to the skins being a little larger than usual."

"Last year's catch was 28,000 skins. This year's is very much smaller, owing to the agreement between Great Britain, Russia, Japan and America to abolish pelagic sealing and also to the policy of the United States to take only pelts of 3-year-old males and not allow the females to be killed."

Dealers from all parts of the world were present. It is the consensus of opinion that the price of sealskins will not be enhanced.

The weather report at 5 o'clock this morning read: Barometer, 29.634; maximum temperature, 36; minimum temperature, 32; precipitation, .20 inch.

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