

## CANADIAN NORTHERN RLY. WANTS MORE MILLIONS

## ANGLICAN CHURCH SETTLED SOUTH AFRICAN TROUBLES -- REDISTRIBUTION BILL TOMORROW

### CERTIFICATES SOLD TO BANK AT 96

Correspondence Presented to the City Council at Last Night's Meeting

The correspondence between the city and the bank of Montreal concerning the sale of treasury certificates was presented to the city council last evening.

The bank agreed to take the balance of the treasury certificates amounting to \$81,000 at a price of 96, less one-fourth per cent of stamp duty and a quarter per cent for commission.

The certificates, together with those sold two years ago, are all payable on June 1, 1915. They pay 5 per cent.

The provincial government will get their \$125,000 out of the amount and the balance will be applied on the hydro-electric scheme.

### LEONARD PORTER ELECTED INSPECTOR

City Council Took a Ballot on Seven Applications Recommended

The health committee presented a report to the city council last evening with a list of seven names which they had recommended to them by the medical health officer as applicants for health inspector who presented qualifications.

The committee asked the council to make a choice from the seven.

Ald. Dybbavn thought the committee ought to have made a recommendation from among them as a guide to the council.

Chairman Kerr said some 17 applications had been received, and after the advertisements had appeared in the local papers asking for qualifications to be presented with the application, they had about 25 altogether.

The seven whose names were presented all had credentials.

In reply to Ald. Basso-Bert, he said all credentials were about equal.

Ald. Morrissey wanted to know why the present incumbent of the office should not hold the job.

Ald. Kerr—He did not send in any credentials. We give you the names of those who did. We have done the best we could under the circumstances.

Ald. Morrissey—The explanation is satisfactory.

Ballots with the names of T. T. Richards, L. E. Porter, W. Tattersall, J. S. Pearce, T. W. Seville, L. Porter and H. Smith were presented to the council.

L. E. Porter got eight votes and H. Smith got one.

Leonard Porter was declared elected to the job. He is an old-timer in the city and has seen duty in the health department in India.

### Notice

Public meeting of the Civic League will be held at the Presbyterian Church Hall on Tuesday at 8 p. m. At least one important question will be discussed. Your attendance will give support to the efforts to be made in your benefit.

H. E. GAMPP, Pres.

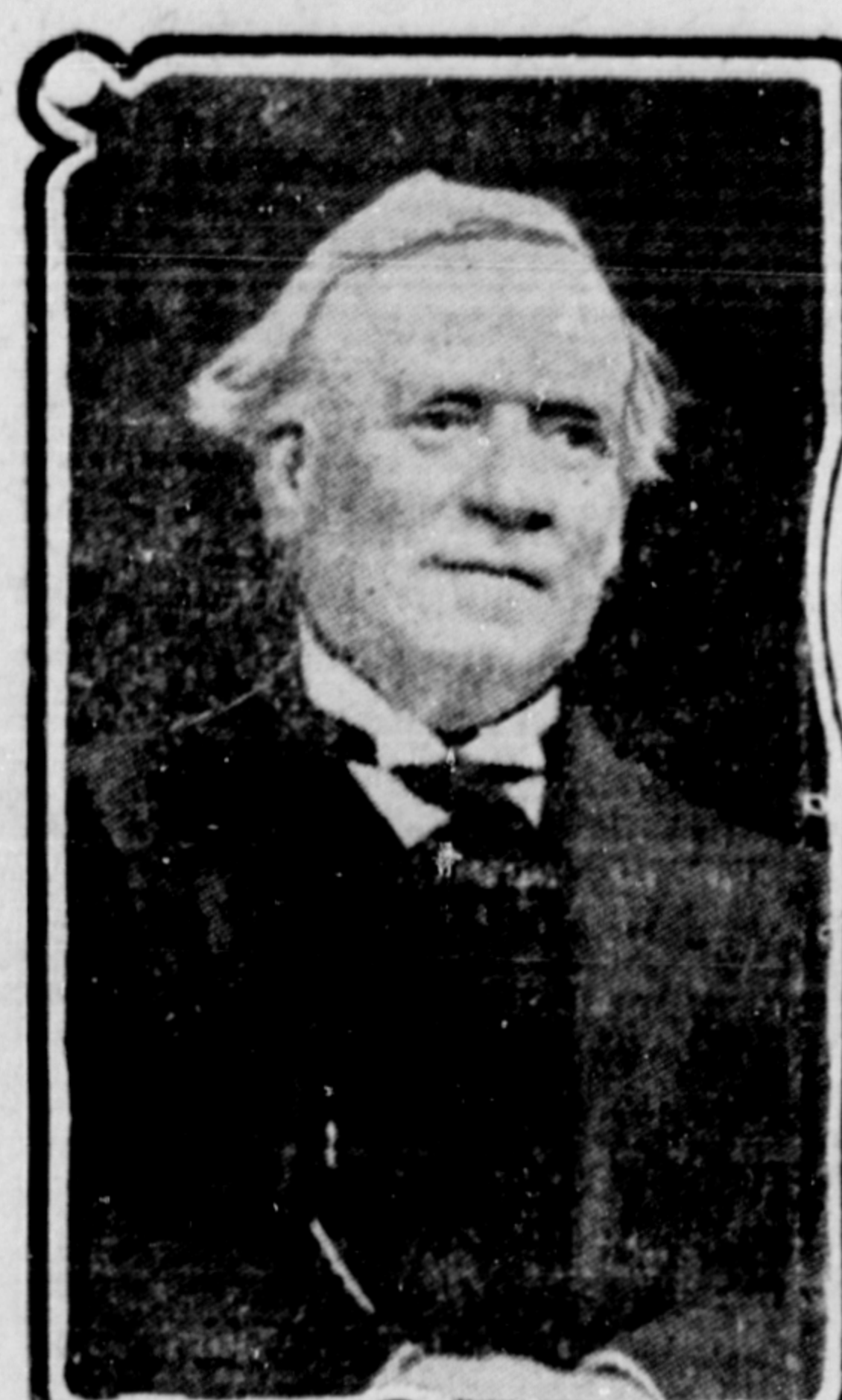
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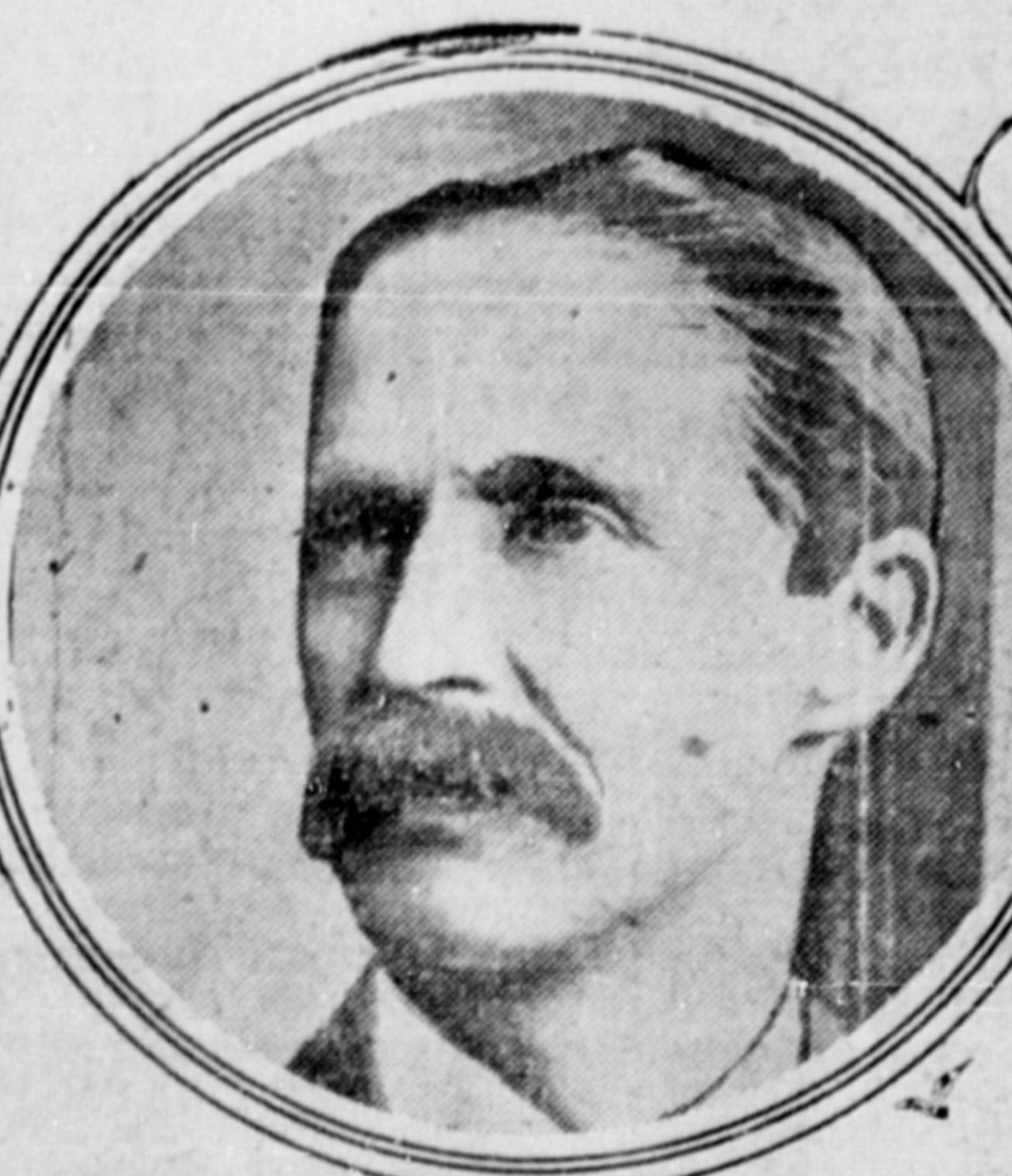
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LEADER OF NATIONALISTS

### THE OPENING OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Leaders of the great divisions in the British House of Commons which will open under the shadow of Big Ben this afternoon. It is expected that this session of the Mother Parliament will be one of the most momentous in the history of the Empire.

### TWO BIG HALIBUT CATCHES BROUGHT IN BY LOCAL BOATS

FISHING BUSINESS MEANS BIG THING FOR PRINCE RUPERT -- CARLOADS COMING IN EVERY DAY BEFORE THE CLOSE OF THE YEAR

An indication of what the fishing business means to Prince Rupert was given last night when two of the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage company's boats came in with 200,000 pounds of halibut.

The Geo. E. Foster, out 18 days, brought in 90,000 pounds, and the James Garruthers, out 10 days, brought in 110,000 pounds. They were caught some distance north, at a point west of Yakutat bay.

The company intends sending the boats out now that fishing is improving and the weather moderating. It is estimated by a practical man that less than one-third of such a catch will pay the expenses and the balance is profit.

With twenty or thirty such boats operating out of Prince Rupert, which will probably be a reality during the present year, the returns to the city will be large. These boats carry crews of about twenty men and they all make good wages. When

several of the other large fishing companies locate in the city there will be several hundred men engaged in the business and several carloads of halibut will be coming in daily.

An effort is now being made to extend continuous bonding privileges to United States fishing boats wanting to build cold storage plants here. Under the present arrangements a United States company only has a 24-hour bonding privilege, which means that the fish would have to be shipped immediately whether the market was right or not.

When the railroad is completed American companies will prefer to ship from the nearest port, but if they have to ship inside of 24 hours after landing they probably would find it more profitable to make Seattle their shipping point. This question, along with the privilege of free bait, will be taken up at Ottawa this session.

### BISHOP OF LONDON AGAIN VISITS SUFFRAGETTE CELL

INTERVIEWS IMPRISONED LADIES AND GIVES WHOLESOME ADVICE--AGAIN CHARGED THAT BISHOP IS ALLY OF THE GOVERNMENT

(Special to The Daily News) London, Feb. 9.—Another surprise visit was paid to Holloway jail by the Bishop of London to investigate the condition of the two suffragettes, Kittie Marion and Phyllis Brady. The bishop reports that Miss Marion feels aggrieved that there is no outlet to the cat and mouse act and does not look ill as a result of being forcibly fed. Miss Brady

told the bishop she hated the forcible feeding and thought it gave indigestion. The bishop concludes with the opinion that they are pursuing the wrong policy if they wish the educated and thinking men and women to support their cause. Mrs. Dacre Fox, the leader of the Women's Political and Social union, said the bishop was an ally of the government and had written another whitewashing letter.

### CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY WANTS MORE GOVT. MONEY

STATED ON GOOD AUTHORITY THAT THEY WANT ANOTHER TWENTY-FIVE MILLION--POSSIBLE THAT GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE OVER ROAD

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, Feb. 9.—It is reported on good authority that that application of the C. N. R. for further financial aid is in the hands of the government. At least some of the ministers said that

the road was pressing for a cash subsidy of \$25,000,000 or a loan of \$35,000,000. The government has not agreed to the demand.

It is not unlikely that a solution of the difficulty will be the passing of the railway into the hands of the government.

### TROUBLE IN CHURCH AMICABLY SETTLED

South African Charges Threatened to Rend the Church of England

(Special to The Daily News) London, Feb. 9.—The controversy over the communion service at Kikuyu, which threatened to rend the Church of England in twain, now seems to be settled peaceably with honor to the Archbishop of Canterbury, who announced that the Bishop of Zanzibar had agreed to forego the charges of heresy against the bishops of Mombasa and Uganda. The whole question will now be referred to a consultative board of bishops and likely very little more will be heard of the subject.

### DUKE GOT FIRST PARCEL UNDER NEW RATES

Minister Sends Handsome Mail Bag to the Governor-general

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, Feb. 9.—Shortly before midnight Hon. Mr. Pelletier placed in the new parcels wicket at the Ottawa post office a package addressed to the Duke of Connaught at Government house and thus inaugurated the new parcels post system for Canada. The package contained a handsome leather bag, suitably inscribed, which can be used to contain mail deliveries between the post office and Rideau hall. Mr. Pelletier stated that from the reports received he believed the working of the system would begin without a jar or mishap of any kind.

### NEW ULSTER PROPOSALS TO SETTLE DIFFICULTY

Suggests Unionists Accept the Bill With Addition of Three Clauses

(Special to The Daily News) London, Feb. 9.—Mr. Horace Plunkett outlines a novel plan for settling the Ulster problem. He suggests that the Unionists accept the bill subject to the addition of three clauses, the first calling for a plebiscite after a certain number of years whether any section wishes to remain subject to the Irish parliament. In the second both sections of Irishmen are asked to give suggestions for amendments to be incorporated in the bill by con-

### ACCIDENT AT DRY DOCK BY PREMATURE BLAST

An accident occurred at the dry dock today when a man by the name of Erickson got injured by a premature blast. He received some severe injuries about the head and back. He is being cared for at the local hospital, where his injuries are not considered fatal.

The new parcels post service came into effect today. The local post office were not embarrassed with a glut of parcel contributions.

### JAMES BRYCE GIVES TALK ON DANGERS TO THE EMPIRE

SAYS THE HINDU QUESTION WILL LEAD TO DISRUPTION--TROUBLES IN SOUTH AFRICA AND PROSPECTIVE TROUBLE IN CANADA

If there was one man in the United Kingdom who, it was always believed, would firmly refuse to allow a coronet to deck his brow, that man was James Bryce. He has always seemed the type of the sturdy convinced democrat, one with whom the root principles of democracy are ingrained. It was something of a surprise to a good many people when Lord Morley accepted a seat among those lords whose chamber he had once implored the people to "end or mend." But he, at least, had this reason to assign—that there was really no alternative for him but to become a peer if he wished to continue a member of the government, since his physical strength had, in his old age, become unequal to the protracted labors of the house of commons. But no such reason is applicable to the case of the author of the great

work on the American commonwealth. Be that as it may, the new viscount is a man of whom his fellow countrymen of all political parties are rightly proud. He is one of those whose career and attainments accord—as do those of Lord Morley, Mr. Balfour and Mr. Birrell among present-day politicians—with the highest traditions of British statesmanship. The British people love to see men such as those—a distinguished scholar and theologian, like Gladstone, an eminent man of letters, like Disraeli—bringing distinction and dignity to politics by their achievements in other walks of life, and showing themselves in the conduct of affairs more than the equal of the practical men with whom their political lot in life is cast.

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### REDISTRIBUTION BILL TODAY BEFORE HOUSE OF COMMONS

THIRTEEN MEMBERS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA INSTEAD OF SEVEN--COMOX-ATLIN TO BE DIVIDED--SEAT FOR NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, Feb. 9.—It is expected that the redistribution bill will be introduced tomorrow. Mr. Borden will provide a committee to rearrange the constituencies to reach province as made necessary by the last census. British Columbia will get an increase of six members, likely provided by

two seats at large in Vancouver city and North Vancouver, one seat for South Vancouver and Point Grey. Comox-Atlin, now represented by one member, will probably get two. New Westminster, Yale-Cariboo and Kootenay will likely be divided, giving one additional member, making in all thirteen instead of seven as now.

### LAUNDRY WATER RATES ARE RAISED

Will Now Get Their Supply Through Meters--Flat Rate Is Cancelled

As report of the city engineer and board of works recommended to the city council that the laundry water rates be fixed on the following schedule: 3,000 cubic feet per month, 25c per 100 cubic feet; 3,000 to 5,000, at 20c per 100 cubic feet; 5,000 to 10,000, at 15c per 100 cubic feet; over 10,000, at 12c per 100 cubic feet. The engineer stated that he now has meters on the laundries and one of them had used over 8,000 cubic feet in one month for which they paid \$10. The city could not pump it at that figure.

### Scottish Cup Ties

Glasgow, Feb. 9.—The following are the results of the Scottish Cup ties, second round, played on Saturday afternoon:  
Celtic 0, Clyde 0.  
Queen's Park 1, Arthurrie 0.  
St. Mirren 2, Dundee 1.  
Nithsdale Wanderers 0, Partick Thistle 1.  
Broxburn 5, Dumfries 1.  
Alloa Athletic 0, Rangers 5.  
Leith 1, Motherwell 1.  
Raith Rovers 2, Hearts 0.  
Forres Mechanics 0, Peebles Rovers 4.  
East Stirling 1, Forfar 1.  
Third Lanark 2, Dumbarton 0.  
Aberdeen 4, Albion Rovers 1.  
Airdrieonians 5, Dundee Hibs 0.  
Morton 1, Hibernians 1.  
Kilmarnock 3, Hamilton 1.

### B. C. MINERAL ACT WAS OVER-ruLED

Lyons Gets Share of Purchase Money Out of Hudson Bay Mountain Group

(Omineca Herald) The case of Lyons vs. Woods and Schuler has been settled out of court and Lyons gets his share of the money paid by the Hudson Mining company for the group of mineral claims on Hudson Bay mountain. Woods, Schuler and Lyons registered a partnership agreement and staked the group of claims in question. Lyons failed to renew his mining license and according to the Mineral Act he forfeited his rights in the claims. In the first action brought by Lyons the court over-ruled the Mineral Act and restrained R. G. Steele, acting for the purchasing company, from paying over the balance of the money to Woods and Schuler. The purchase price was \$100,000. Lyons gets his share. This winds up the trouble the company has had in securing title to the property.

### Government Auditors

Messrs. Swartz and Logan, who have been auditing the books of Foley, Welch and Stewart for the Dominion government, completed their work last week and left Thursday morning for Prince Rupert and thence to their homes in the east. Both gentlemen were very much impressed with the outlook for development in this town and district. They were enthusiastic about the natural beauty of the place and about the good time they had here.

### The Cradle

At Prince Rupert general hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stuart, a daughter.

The heel of progress always wears the spur of the moment.