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GRUNTY GRUNDY SAYS:
This Sunday pool question promises to drop some of the aldermen into a corner pocket.

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CARVING B. C. CONSTITUENCIES --- ONE MEMBER SKEENA-ATLIN --- DISAGREE ON SUNDAY POOL

GLOBE SAYS CANADA NEEDS POLITICAL HOUSE CLEANING

LEADING LIBERAL PAPER OF CANADA DECLARES PUBLIC LIFE IN CANADA IS IN DANGER OF BECOMING ROTTEN—SINCERE DESIRE TO RAISE PUBLIC MORALS.

Toronto, March 11. — Under the heading "We Must Clean House," the Toronto Globe, the leading Liberal organ, has an editorial which recalls the famous "Pacific" article published at the time of the Gamey disclosures.

"The greatest need in Canada is a thorough political house cleaning," says the Globe. "We must do our best to improve the morals from top to bottom. The first step is the purification of the fountain head. Can a Spartan code be required of the executive officers of the government when the men elected by the people with the direct of the government are themselves, too, open to censure? The Mousseau scandal at Quebec, the Aventurel affair in the Ontario legislature, Mr. Hanna's happy methods of collecting political contributions as revealed last year, and Hon. Robert Rogers' cynical defence of the gift of a valuable piece of urban land to a Prince Albert friend, under the guise of a 'homestead,' all indicate the tendency of the times."

After mentioning the Trent Canal and New Brunswick scandals, the Globe says:

"Here are two concrete examples—one to the discredit of a Liberal administration, the other to the discredit of the present Conservative government—of the loose political morals that obtain in Canada. Unless public life is to become absolutely rotten, we must clean house, not in a spirit of partisan recrimination, of setting Tory sins against Liberal offences, but with a sincere desire to raise the moral tone of public life and to establish the right principle that public office must be a public trust alike to the parliamentarian and to the official who serve the people in executive capacity."

BENTON, THE MAN WHOSE DEATH STIRRED TWO GREAT ANGLO-SAXON NATIONS TO ACTION.

A rough sketch drawn by a friend, but said to be a good likeness of the wealthy Scotch rancher murdered by Villa, the rebel general, in Mexico.

According to a despatch from Ottawa, the carving up of the B. C. constituencies to work in six new members has commenced. On the present draft Vancouver gets two members at large, North Vancouver and district one and South Vancouver one, New Westminster one, the Delta one. Vancouver Island will get three members instead of two. Yale-Cariboo will be divzided in two and Kootenay will remain the same. The Skeena and Atlin district will have one member. This distribution merely cuts Comox off the present constituency. It will leave it as probably the biggest constituency territroially in the Dominion and one which will long before the next redistribution be the largest numerically. This constituency reaches from Rivers Inlet on the south to the northern boundary and from the coast half way across the province. It is growing in population faster than any other part of the province and probably before the next electoin will have sufficient population to warrant two members instead of one.

GEORGE FRIZZELL BOOSTING FOR GREAT BULKLEY VALLEY

TRAVELLERS CANNOT SEE THE VALLEY FROM THE RAILWAY—MANY FINE RANCHES AND PROMISING MINING PROPERTIES—COUNTRY WILL SUPPLY PRINCE RUPERT.

George Frizzell, one of the biggest men the north country has produced, is now boosting for the Bulkley Valley, and when George boosts there is always something honest and substantial behind it. George considers the Bulkley Valley has not had the amount of advertising it deserves. This reason is that the people of the district surrounding have never seen the valley. "I have gone through on the train several times, but I never saw Bulkley Valley until last week," said Mr. Frizzell. "Then I saw some of the finest ranches and the best looking mining prospects it has been my pleasure to see."

Mr. Frizzell visited the Carr Bros. ranch, six miles from the railway. It has 800 acres of cleared land and a lot of it will be in crops this year. There are all kinds of grain and vegetable and hay on the ranch.

At Jack Seeley's ranch he saw over 75 head of cattle, and fine looking animals. The Hudson Bay Company also has a big ranch with much cleared land and there are a number of smaller ranchers just getting their lands opened up.

"It is the prettiest country I have ever seen," said Mr. Frizzell, "and that country is in a position right now to start in supplying Prince Rupert with hay and farm produce. The ranchers are planning to supply the Rupert trade."

In the Aldermere mining country Mr. Frizzell claims there are scores of mining propositions that are practically ready for opening up and the mineral resources alone will mean a great future for the district.

There is one copper and galena property owned by Colonel Steele which has a 350 foot development tunnel driven in and work will be continued this spring. A big sum has already been offered for the property.

Messrs. Carr Brothers have a claim which has ten million tons of three per cent. copper ore blocked out. It also carries gold and silver values.

Other mining properties in the district are held by Harry Howson, Wm. Hunter, Martin Sanders, C. E. Thoman, Jack Holly, Dan Simpson, F. M. Dockerill, A. McLean, D. Carroll, D. Rogers, James Cronin and P. McPhee.

More or less work has been done on all these properties and several have interested representatives of development companies.

The government is now building a wagon road from the railway into this mining district, which will be completed this summer and will open a lot of these properties for development work.

With a period of mining and investment coming on this country should attract a lot of capital and industry within the next few years.

BISHOP DU VERNET VISITS GRAHAM ISLAND

Many Signs of Growth Since Last Visit—Services in Several Settlements.

On Sunday morning, March 1, Bishop Du Vernet preached in St. Luke's Church, Graham Centre, at the head of Massett Inlet, and at the close of the service administered the rite of baptism. There was a large attendance of settlers in the neighborhood. In the afternoon of the same day he preached in St. Mark's Church, Queenstown. As it was over a year since the biship had visited this part of Graham Island, he found many signs of growth. Rev. Mr. Greene, who is in charge of this mission, has recently moved into the new building erected on the church property. On Sunday afternoon, March 2, the bishop conducted the service in St. Paul's Church, New Masset, and baptized a child. In the evening he conducted the service in St. John's Church, Masset reserve, and administered the rite of confirmation to forty-two, nine young men and seven young fomen, all being Haidas, who had been prepared for confirmation by the late Rev. William Hogan, who had arranged for the bishop to come at this time. A touching link with the past was the fact that Mrs. Hogan had kept up the confirmation classes during the interval between her husband's death and the arrival of the bishop for the confirmation service.

City Orders Steel Pipe.

At a special meeting of the city council the contract for the steel pipe for the hydro-electric power plant was awarded to Lord Lomer of Montreal, agents for Antwerp pipe. This firm was lowest in price and promised quick delivery. They ask $6.55 per lineal foot for 45 inch pipe and $2.17 for 18 inch pipe. They guarantee delivery in 14 weeks and shipment will be by rail across the continent.

Saint Patrick's Concert.

An Irish concert with a splendid programme will be given by the Ladies' Aid in the Baptist church on Monday evening, March 16th, at 8 o'clock, in honor of Ireland's patron saint. Refreshments will be served. Admission 25c. 50-60

Mr. Mason Adams returned to Prince Rupert today.

BRIGHTEST PROSPECTS OF ANY CITY ON COAST

Bud Corley Returns From Five Months' Absence and Expresses Opinion on Rupret.

S. A. Corley, one of the proprietors of the Royal Hotel, returned yesterday from a five months' visit in the south. He is looking well and sunburned and apparently enjoyed himself while away, even though he seems to be very happy to return to Rupert. Bud left originally to go to South America, but finally located in El Centro, Imperial Valley, Cal. There he and a partner erected a garage and for several months carried on a profitable business, finally selling out at a good figure.

Mr. Corley says the winter weather there was like the summer here, although he never saw a refreshing rain. The country there is very prosperous, developing fruit lands by irrigation.

Bud took in the auto races at Santa Monica and saw the records broken. He talks very entertainingly of the country. He says San Diego and San Francisco are both making great preparations for the twin world fairs which they will hold next year.

"After all, though," added Bud, "there is no place like Prince Rupert. It has the best prospects and brightest future of any city on the coast."

One common drunk paid a five at the police court this morning.

William Manson says the new Municipal Act was favored by all versed in municipal matters. Why, then, did the Union of B. C. Municipalities protest against it? Why, too, was it that it passed the house by such a narrow margin? William Manson was chairman of the committee of the whole when the act was under fire. He was challenged by one of the members to express himself on it and the report is that "William Manson hedged." At that time it looked as if the bill would be defeated and had that happened he would now be proclaiming how he saved the situation by defeating the bill. William Manson has still some explaining to do.

THE THOMAS CROSBY ON CRUISE TO NORTH

Methodist Mission Boat on Long Trip Up the Coast.

The Thomas Crosby, the Methodist mission boat, left ing on a three months' cruise to the north. She will visit all the northern mission points and in addition will carry a large supply of magazines and other literature for all of the lighthouses along the northwest coast. Even the newest lighthouse of all, situated at the northernmost point of Queen Charlotte Islands, will not be omitted. This new feature of the work is undertaken at the solicitation of the government and will be carried out under its direction.

Captain William Oliver is in command. He has been identified with the mission boat service since 1884, and his Christian life as well as his capable seamanship have been valuable factors in the success of the waterways mission work. Mr. J. B. Lamb, missionary in charge, is exceptionally well qualified for his important post. His calling is not an irksome one for him as he enters into its labors with hearty enthusiasm. Mr. Lamb has been on a visit to his family in the east and when he returned last week brought Mrs. Lamb and their little daughter with him. They sailed with him on the Thomas Crosby and will remain with him throughout the long trip.

Port Edward's power plant machinery has arrived. 54tf

MANY SETTLERS GOING INTO GRAHAM ISLAND

Forty Went Over on Last Trip of the John and Twenty-five More Are Expected Next Week.

Many settlers are going into the Queen Charlotte Islands as a result of the boosting being done by the residents of the Islands. On the last trip of the John some 40 pre-emptors went into Graham Island for settlement in the vicinity of Masett, Graham Centre and Queenstown. They came from many parts of the world, and all looked like good settlers.

On the next trip of the John it is expected that 25 more pre-emptors will go in.

Recently considerable land covered by timber limits has been thrown open for pre-emption and some 25 were taken up. These are the settlers expected next week.

Quite a number of the settlers are from Oregon and Washington and the old settlers are getting many of their friends to join them in the development of the Gem of the Pacific.

Graham Island has particuticularly good land and an excellent climate and all the settlers are enthusiastic over their prospects.

Baptist Services.

Subject of pastor for morning worship, "Sunshine and Shadow.' In the evening "Debits and Credits" will be considered. Bible school at 2:30. Young People's Society at 7. You are welcome.

BIG LIBERAL SMOKER

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Thursday, March 19th

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Scots Will Entertain English.

On Monday, March 23, St. Andrew's Society will have as their guests in St. Andrew's Hall the Sons of England. It will be made a social evening and an excellent program is being prepared for it. One of the features of the evening will be an address by Rev. Canon Rix, who won great favor with the Soctchmen by his splendid speech at the Burns banquet.

Methodist Services.

A special children's service will be held in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Several special numbers will be contributed by the juvenile choir. An object sermon will be delivered to the children by the pastor. Parents are invited to come and bring their children and friends. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30. Subject, "How the Strength Failed," 15 minute song service following. Everybody welcome.

Messrs. F. C. Wright and F. C. Green of Graham Island are in the city. They return to the island tomorrow.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION

Westholme Theatre, Tuesday Evening, March 17th, 1914

PROGRAMME.

1. Irish Airs.....Westholme Orchestra
2. Solo.....Mr. J. Black
3. Recitation.....Mr. Brady
4. Character Dialogue—"Tit for Tat" .....Mary Gray and Florrie Gray
5. Solo—"Marie, My Girl".....Mrs. Wm. Millar
6. Quartette—"Eilleen Allanah".....Messrs. Shrubsall, Waddell, Davey, Clapperton.
7. Solo—"An Irish Folk Song".....Arthur Foote Mr. E. V. Ling.
8. Address.....Mr. J. C. Brady
9. Irish Melodies..Westholme Orchestra
10. Solo—"Come Back to Erin".....Mrs. H. H. D. Hemell
11. Solo—"Les Cloches"..Mr. G. Couture
12. Solo—"My Isle of Dreams".....Mr. H. G. Fletcher
13. Comedy Sketch—"Two Flats and and One Sharp" Major Keye.....Mr. Fitzmaurice Mrs. Keye.....Miss Curtin Mrs. Minor (Mrs. Keye's mother) .....Mrs. Chisholm
14. "God Save the King."

Admission 50 Cents and $1.00 Seats reserved at Orme's Third Avenue Store

UNITED STATES RETALIATES FOR B. C. EXCLUSION ORDER

LABORERS FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA CANNOT NOW ENTER U. S. OR ALASKA UNLESS THEY HAVE $100 IN POCKETS—ORDER TO STEEMSHIP AGENTS.

That hasty immigration order passed by the Dominion cabinet at the solicitation of B. C. politicians is being resented by the U. S. authorities and a retaliatory order has been passed. The Canadian order was made some time ago, when all laborers and citizens were excluded from entering British Columbia. This was to be in force for six months and since then an extension was asked for. Under the working of the act many men were turned back at the border and seaports. Even at this port mechanics coming from Alaska to Rupert were refused a landing.

Today J. H. Rogers is in receipt of a telegram from U. S. officials ordering him not to sell laborers tickets to the north or U. S. ports unless they have $100 in their pockets. It is a retaliation for the Canadian exclusion order.

NEWS OF BIG ROCK BLAST HAS CROSSED CONTINENT

A recent issue of the Toronto "Citizen" contains a copy of the Daily News report of Archie McDougall's big blast at the Knox Hotel. The following information was appended to the clipping: "The contractor offered the owner of the Knox Hotel (above referred to) $5,000 before the blast was set off to cover any damages that might occur but he declined, thinking the hotel would be badly damaged and he could get big damages, but he got left; for, as mentioned above, all the damage done was the breaking of two panes of glass."

Westinghouse Is Dead.

New York, March 12.—George Westinghouse, the inventor of the Westinghouse airbrake, died today. He had been suffering from heart complaint for the last three months. He grew worse on Monday last and had a relapse which left him weak. He was 68 years of age.

Mr. H. P. Wilson, manager of the Royal branch, made a trip up the line today.

SUNDAY POOL ROOM CAUSES DISAGREEMENT

License Committee Will Submit Question to Whole Council.

The license committee of the city council met to consider the question of allowing the pool rooms to open on Sundays, but could not agree. Ald. Maitland favors the granting of the application and Ald. Morrison is opposed to Sunday pool. Ald. Kerr, the chairman, did not commit himself, and thus the question is blocked in committee. It was decided to put the question up to the whole council and make all the members show where they stand. A few days ago a deputation from the Ministerial Association waited on the mayor protesting against Sunday pool, but the mayor sidestepped the issue.

Announcement

Spring Millinery opening, Mar. 16 and 17th, at Miss Barbeau's, Helgerson block. All are cordially invited. 60

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