

LIBERAL LEADERS TO VISIT RUPERT NEXT WEEK

HON. PUGSLEY BACK IN COMMONS--MAYOR VETOES PUBLICITY GRANT--SUNDAY POOL DEAD

CONTEST INTEREST GROWING THIS IS NOMINATION PERIOD

THAT YOURSELF OR A FRIEND IS ENTERED FOR THE GRAND PRIZES--ALL CANDIDATES HAVE EQUAL CHANCE TO WIN

The list of prizes was published yesterday, and the whole town is amazed at the number and value of the contest awards. It is sure these prizes are gifts of great merit. They are not things, but are prizes that will be appreciated by the most discerning, and are worth more than the effort that the candidates may exert. They are yours for a few weeks' easy and dignified work, and when your friends know that you are in the race, your own efforts will automatically lessen because your friends will help you throughout the campaign.

a little work which so resembles play.

LIST OF PRIZES

- First Grand Capital Prize as heretofore announced, is a first-class round trip ticket to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco, with all expenses paid, together with an extra first-class ticket for some relative or friend.
- The other beautiful prizes will be awarded in the following order:
 - Second: Diamond Ring (perfect stone, value \$150).
 - Third: Ladies' Tailored Suit, value \$75.
 - Fourth: Ladies' Gold Watch, value \$25.
 - Fifth: Ladies' Gold Watch, value \$20.
 - Sixth: Gold Locket and Chain, value \$15.
 - Seventh: Pair Ladies' Boots or Shoes, value \$6.
 - Eighth: Gold Bracelet, value \$5.

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VETOED PUBLICITY GRANT COUNCIL PASSED IT 5 TO 3

MAYOR INDIGNANT BECAUSE ALDERMEN VOTED \$10,000 FOR PUBLICITY--MADE THREAT WOULD KILL MOTION IF PASSED--ALDERMEN THINK CITIZENS WANT IT

The mayor took advantage of his prerogative last night to veto the motion of the city council. It was a motion to grant the sum of \$10,000 for publicity purposes, to be divided into five to three. The mayor announced the motion and then gave it the veto. The spectators applauded, and the mayor looked ill at the question first came up in the report of the finance committee recommending a plebiscite on the question of granting the sum of \$10,000 for publicity purposes. Ald. Morrison said he did not see the necessity of a plebiscite on the question. He was satisfied it would carry by a large majority. Accordingly he vetoed that a grant of \$10,000 be made for publicity purposes, and three members of the city council to be associated with the

board of trade committee on finances. Ald. McClymont said a plebiscite was a waste of time and money. Seventy-five per cent of the property owners are non-residents and they will have to pay the most of it. Ald. Basso-Bert said this is the time to advertise. Ald. Kerr--Advertising pays when you have the goods, and we have them. Ald. Montgomery opposed the handing over of \$10,000 to an organization which had never made a success of anything they touched. It was composed of our best business men but it was practically bankrupt. Ald. Maitland expressed the same idea. Ald. Morrison--If the fishing and mining is to be advertised those special interests ought to contribute. Ald. Dybhavn was satisfied the people wanted the grant made. The mayor said he was positively surprised to think there are enough men around the board prepared to sling \$10,000 at these men when they don't know what is to become of it. The question had been up for weeks, but there was no new light on it. "Because certain gentlemen chose to meet the representatives of the board of trade here today we have got to stomach this \$10,000 whether we like it or not. If it passes I will veto the motion." Ald. Montgomery presented an amendment that a plebiscite be taken, which was defeated 3-5. The original motion was put and those voting for were Ald. Kerr, Dybhavn, McClymont, Basso-Bert, and Dybhavn. Those against were Ald. Montgomery, Morrison, and Maitland. The mayor then declared the motion vetoed.

ANOTHER CARNIVAL OF FUN AT THE

WEST HOLME OPERA HOUSE

TONIGHT

"At Twelve O'Clock"--Keystone Comedy.

"The Children's Hour"--A beautiful story for the kiddies.

"Mrs. Van Warden's Jewels"--A detective story.

British Gazette.

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\$7000 FOR HOSPITAL WITH A STRING TO IT

City Council Expressed Some Candid Opinions on Management of Hospital

The requested grant for the Prince Rupert hospital was cut in two by the city council last evening. The finance committee, to whom the requested was turned over, referred it back to the whole council. Ald. Morrissey and McClymont moved that the request be granted and \$10,000 supplied out of this year's revenue. Ald. Montgomery objected, claiming the hospital rates were too high and out of proportion, and citizens are not getting the benefit they should. He was not prepared to grant \$10,000 for the board to spend. They had had \$40,000 in the last two years and had only spent \$23,000 on the building. He did not insinuate any dishonesty but implied mismanagement. He was willing to guarantee money for the proposed surgeon's salary, \$1000 for kalsomning the old wing, \$2,000 for kitchen repairs, and \$2,000 for an x-ray machine if recommended by the house surgeon. He also wanted the ticket system of \$1 a month inaugurated. He moved an amendment to that effect and Ald. Dybhavn seconded it. Ald. Morrison wanted an auditing of the hospital accounts. He claimed that according to the balance sheet he could figure out \$15,000 profits, \$5,000 deficits, or an even break. Ald. Dybhavn thought that the questions which the city auditor had asked concerning this hospital statement should be answered. The city had been a large contributor. Ald. Maitland thought \$5,000 enough. Ald. Kerr said the hospital board was doing its best to meet the wishes of the people. They were trying to instal the ticket system, but some of the aldermen are trying to block it. Last year there had been a deficit of \$3,000. Ald. Morrison thought the rates were not high in proportion to other things in the city. Twenty-five dollars a week for a private ward is the same as every hospital charges. He claimed that nurses working 12 to 15 hours a day ought to have a separate building to get their rest and sleep. Ald. Montgomery--At the present time there are 16 patients and 21 on the staff. When a hospital shows a deficit of \$11,000 in three years it is not efficiently managed. Ald. Kerr didn't know whether the hospital directors had brains or not. They had never been assayed. The mayor said it was not a

M'BRIDE IN OTTAWA CONFERS WITH BORDEN

Supposed to Be Dealing With Immigration Policy--More Restrictions

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, March 24.--Premier McBride arrived here today and had a long interview with Mr. Borden on questions affecting British Columbia. He will continue the conference tomorrow. Sir Richard also conferred with Dr. Roche on the immigration question and it is understood that it is the intention of the government to extend the restrictions on laborers for another six months.

HON. W. PATERSON DEAD

Was Minister of Customs in the Laurier Cabinet

Brantford, Ont., March 23.--Word has been received of the death, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Branscombe, Picton, Ont., March 18, of Hon. William Paterson, minister of customs in the Laurier government. While his death comes as a great shock, it was not entirely unexpected, as Mr. Paterson had been in very poor health for some time. He is survived by his wife, along with two sons and one daughter; one son, Charles Gordon, holding a chair in the Theological college, San Francisco, while the other, W. F., is president of William Paterson & Son, Limited, of this city.

Second Allan Cup Game

(Special to The Daily News) Winnipeg, Mar. 24.--The second game for the Allan cup, emblematic of the amateur hockey championship of the world, resulted as follows: Regina 6, Monarchs 5.

SEND SUPERINTENDENT SOUTH FOR ADVICE

City Council Shipping Local Electrician to Ross of Seattle

Two tenders have been received by the city council for the hydro-electric system. One is from the Canadian General Electric and the other from Escher, Wyes of Montreal. The former asks \$17,565 for the outfit and the latter \$17,425. Delivery is to be within four months. The aldermen intimated that it is intended to send Superintendent Duncan to Seattle to get information from Engineer Ross as to the best plant to buy. He leaves tonight. In the meantime the council will meet again this afternoon to look over the tenders a little closer.

Scottish League Football

(Special to The Daily News) Glasgow, March 24.--League results are as follows: Aberdeen 4, Hibernians 2. Airdrie 3, St. Mirren 0. Ayr United 0, Raith Rovers 0. Clyde 3, Queen's 1. Morton 3, Dundee 0. Hearts 1, Falkirk 0. Rangers 1, Kilmarnock 0. Motherwell 1, Partick 1.

ENGLISHMEN GUESTS ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

Brother Britishers Listened to Patriotic Speeches and Then Played Basketball

The most popular and gayest social function ever held in the city was the gathering in St. Andrew's hall last evening when the Sons of England were guests of the members of St. Andrew's society. Mr. S. D. Macdonald, president of St. Andrew's, occupied the chair and on the platform with him was Mr. T. W. Silversides, president of the Sons of England. The feature of the evening's program was a stirring and eloquent address by Rev. Canon Rix, who praised the loyalty of the societies for their old home land and aroused an enthusiasm of patriotism in the new Canadian home. Rev. Mr. Fortune of the Presbyterian church spoke in a similar vein. A splendid musical program followed, which included several numbers of real merit. The mayor spoke briefly at the close. Following the program refreshments were served and then the boys indulged in a game of basketball until the small hours of the morning.

H. C. BREWSTER COMING NORTH IN PRINCE RUPERT NEXT WEEK

LEADER OF PROVINCIAL LIBERALS WILL TOUR THE WHOLE DISTRICT IN INTERESTS OF PARTY

Mr. H. C. Brewster, the leader of the Liberal party in the province of British Columbia, will visit Prince Rupert next week. He will be accompanied by "Honest John" Oliver, one of the best known and most highly respected personages in the public life of the province. Word has just been received that they will leave Victoria on Thursday of this week. They will stop off for a few days at Bella Coola and reach here in time to hold a meeting on Friday evening, April 3. They will then proceed to Hazelton, where a meeting will be held on the 4th. It is possible that they will then return to the coast and take in Queen Charlotte islands and

Granby Bay, after which they would again return to the Bulkley valley and go out through the Caribou country. The latter part has not been definitely arranged, but such a tour would best suit the convenience of present transportation. If possible a stay over will be arranged at Terrace, but with the present transportation it is a rather difficult point to serve. Mr. Brewster has had a most triumphant tour through the southern portion of the province and there is no doubt that the north will give him an equal welcome. Mr. John Oliver, being a practical farmer, will no doubt receive a splendid hearing throughout the country.

BRITISH ARMY OFFICERS WITHDRAW RESIGNATIONS

TROUBLE WAS MATTER OF MISUNDERSTANDING GOVERNMENT EXPLAINS--OPINION EXPRESSED THAT THESE MEN WILL NOT FIGHT ULSTER

(Special to The Daily News) London, March 24.--The defection of the army officers who refused to fight Ulster is now a closed incident, but its consequences are likely to produce far-reaching effects. Premier Asquith and Colonel Seeley made explanations to an excited and turbulent house and said that the affair was the result of a misunderstanding. It was inferred, although not directly said to be due to a misconception of the government's plan, whereby General Paget informed the officers that they were to move to Ulster for a repressive campaign. General Paget and three senior officers were summoned to London to a conference, and according to the official statement the misunderstanding was cleared away. The officers returned to Ireland and before their departure said that they were entirely satisfied with the results of the visit. The terms on which the officers remain at their posts has not been disclosed. The general belief is that they will not fight the Ulstermen. This is considered a distinct surrender by the government. The part played by the King in the crisis is not disclosed. The army officers addressed their resignations to the King. The report is that the King insisted that the resignations in the present instance be not accepted and used his influence to make a compromise with the army.

PUGSLEY RETURNS TO HOUSE GREETED BY BOTH PARTIES

MINISTER OF JUSTICE MAY BE EMPOWERED TO PREVENT APPEALS TO PRIVY COUNCIL

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, March 24.--There is a big day ahead tomorrow when the railway estimates will come up for discussion in connection with the National Transcontinental report.

Mr. McCraney of Saskatoon called attention to a controversy in progress in Saskatchewan at present with regard to the taxation of unpatented homesteads. Mr. McCraney drew from the

minister of the interior a statement that the matter had not received the attention of the department. The question was of such consequence that it had been referred to the department of justice in order to get a decision as to the legality of such taxation.

Hon. Wm. Pugsley, who has not been seen in the Liberal ranks since his famous fight on the naval bill, returned to the house today. He had been ill, and his appearance was greeted by loud cheers and considerable applause from both sides of the house.

The estimates of the minister of justice were under consideration and caused considerable discussion on the salaries of county court judges. The announcement was made by the minister that a change was contemplated in the present procedure of allowing an appeal to the judicial committee of the British privy council.

International Rugby

(Special to The Daily News) Glasgow, March 24.--In one of the most stubbornly contested games of the Season England proved victors over Scotland in the international Rugby game played Saturday by one point, the score being: England, 16 points; Scotland, 15.

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