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GRAND TRUNK SELLS 764 ACRES ACROSS HARBOR

BRITISH POLITICS STILL IN TURMOIL OVER ARMY RESIGNATIONS--BUDGET SPEECH APRIL 6

HAS YOUR NOMINATION BEEN SENT TO THE CONTEST DEPT.

THE NOMINATION COUPON STARTS YOU OFF WITH 5,000 VOTES--SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS ARE THEN FURNISHED AND EACH NEW SUBSCRIPTION OR RE-NEWAL COUNTS 3,000

Now is the time to enter The Daily News' big voting contest. The candidates thus far entered are only begun their work and their chances are absolutely even with the rest. One day's effort will put you at the top of the list, then when your friends know you are out to win, you will be surprised how the votes will come up for you. The list of candidates will appear in an early issue, and if you have not as yet decided, clip the nomination coupon from this page and mail it tonight. This will give you 5,000 votes, and on Monday the necessary credentials, receipt books, etc., will be sent you. Do not hesitate any longer. Any of these beautiful prizes are yours if you make up your mind to enter the race. The work is hard, and right now we have a lot of names for you to work on. Can you think of an easier way to secure this glorious trip to San Francisco and see the most wonderful of world's fairs? No friend also can enjoy all with you. In a few weeks--before you realize it--you can be the happy recipient of an unusual award. So don't let opportunity slip away from you. It is doubtful if you could wait the next six weeks to better advantage, and if you simply wait a few hours each day there is surely a reward for your efforts.

Remember, the contest has begun; this is still nomination week, and a very few subscriptions have been taken. Next we shall furnish each contestant with names from our mailing list, and then you can start out and work systematically. Besides, we have another list of splendid prospects for you, and each candidate will get an equal share of this assistance. We have other information for you as soon as you see the contest manager, so the important thing now is to rush in your nomination and become eligible to compete.

LIST OF PRIZES

First Grand Capital Prize 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.

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TERRACE NOTES

(By Special Correspondent)

Terrace, March 24.—A progressive pedro party in honor of Miss Leila Brooks, who leaves on Thursday for Vancouver, was given on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. La Zelle. The hostess received in a gown of pink silk charmeuse, trimmed with shadow lace. The guest of honor looked charming in a draped costume of Balkan blue silk. The prizes were won by Miss Hargett and Mr. J. Lindsay Morrison, while the consolation, consisting of a box of yeast cakes, went to Mrs. T. La Zelle. Miss Stewart assisted in serving the refreshments. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Little, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Evelyn Large, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stewart, Mr. and Miss Hargett, Miss Leila Brooks, Miss Mamie Best, Messrs. J. Lindsay and E. T. Kenney.

Among the arrivals this week were Mrs. Boud and family of Pacific. Mr. Boud has been here for some time making preparations, and building on his land. They intend making their home here.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Matthew's Anglican church held a very successful work meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Giggley. "Dad" Weeks, a well known character of the old Kitsumkalum days, is renewing some of his former acquaintances in town, after a prolonged stay at Porcher island.

Presbyterian Services

Services will be conducted in the church hall, Fourth avenue, at 11 a. m. Evening worship at 7:30 in the Empress theatre, when the Rev. Mr. Fortune will speak on "The Power of Environment."

LADIES' AUXILIARY GIVES SPLENDID DANCE

First Effort of Ladies of St. Andrew's Proved Magnificent Success

The newly organized ladies' auxiliary of St. Andrew's society gave their first social evening last night, and it was something more than a success, for never has St. Andrew's ballroom held as large a crowd nor as happy a one. There were nearly 150 present--members of the auxiliary and their guests.

In the early part of the evening there was a whist drive, the honors being won by Mrs. J. Steen and Mr. J. H. Kelly. The consolation prizes went to Mrs. Phil Macdonald and Mr. Simpson.

Supper was served upstairs in the society's rooms, and the guests gasped at the magnificence of the spread. The tables were laden with appetizing dishes and decorated profusely with flowers and fancy china. It goes without saying that the supper was thoroughly enjoyed.

During the evening Miss Ethel Gray danced the Highland fling and was loudly applauded for her clever work.

A dance wound up the evening's pleasure, the music furnished by the society's own orchestra being exceptionally good.

Great credit for the evening's round of pleasure is due to the energetic work of the auxiliary president, Mrs. G. P. McGill, and the committee who had charge of the social.

FINE COMEDY PICTURES WESTHOLME OPERA HOUSE

Three extra funny comedies in one evening's entertainment is a record even at the Westholme opera house, and accounts for the large crowds which filled the house to overflowing last night. There were six reels on the program, every one of which is a gem. The Keystone comedy, "The Thief Catcher," produced continuous roars of laughter. It is one of the best Keystone ever shown at the Westholme. Another very funny comedy is entitled "Little Brother." This also is full of laugh-provoking situations from start to finish. There is also a very fine serial comedy "Two Men and a Mule," series No. 3, which is exceptionally funny. Besides this there are two reels of a more serious nature, one a Reliance feature entitled "A Man and a Woman," and the other from the Majestic studio, "The Lackey." Finally there is a very interesting Weekly Gazette, making altogether the strongest program ever shown at the Westholme at regular prices. This show will be repeated tonight.

Grand National Sweep

Fitz' cigar store received the following winners by wire this morning:

1. Sunloch, No. 896, C. R. Averill, Prince Rupert.
2. Trianon, No. 302, G. L. Hawkins, Smithers.
3. Lutteur, No. 507, H. Heywood, Prince Rupert.

New Train Service Monday

The new train service will start on the G. T. P. Monday. The new schedule provides an additional train into the interior, making three trains a week instead of two. The new train will go out Mondays, coming back Tuesday afternoon. The Wednesday and Saturday trains will remain the same as at present. The times of departure and arrival are the same.

Buy for 10c and get a \$1 tie at the grand opening of the new Acme Saturday.

Last Monday at the joint meeting of the board of trade and city council Ald. Morrissey stated he was heartily in favor of the grant for publicity purposes. If a plebiscite was taken he offered his services on the platform to endorse the scheme.

Cambridge Beat Oxford

(Special to The Daily News)

London, March 28.—At the Queen's club Cambridge won the annual athletic competition from Oxford by six events to four. Cambridge won the 100 yards high jump, half-mile, quarter-mile, long jump, putting weight, and Oxford won the 120 yards hurdles, three miles and throwing hammer.

New Lighthouse

The marine and fisheries department are planning a new lighthouse to be erected on Bonella island, which is on the eastern side of Hecate straits and due east from Cape St. James, which recently had a light installed. The new light will be of the first class. The contract will be let this summer.

Newsboys, Attention!

Here is a scheme to win the best boy's suit in the Acme Clothing House, your own choice of any suit in the store.
The boy who sells the most papers during our Ladies' Voting Contest will win this handsome prize. Only genuine sales of The News will count, so get busy at once and be the winner. You make the usual profit besides.



KEYSTONE

FEATURE COMEDY

"The Thief Catcher"

The Best Yet

TONIGHT

1. Weekly Gazette.
2. "Little Brother"—Thanhousey feature.
3. "Two Men and a Mule"—A dandy comedy.
4. "The Lackey."
5. "A Man and a Woman"—Along worth the price of admission.
6. "The Thief Catcher."

ADMISSION 10 AND 15c

WESTHOLME OPERA HOUSE

CONSTABLES SHOT BY DESPERADOES

One Everett Policeman Fatally Injured—One Holdup Man Caught

Everett, March 27.—Three men were shot last night in connection with a holdup in this city. One of them is, perhaps, fatally wounded. One of the assailants later surrendered himself, while the other is still at large.

Patrolman Williamson met two suspicious characters. As they were unable to give a satisfactory account of themselves he took them to a patrol box, where he was joined by Shallcross. While pulling for a patrol wagon, one of the men grabbed Williamson's revolver and drove the patrolman and shallcross down the street a block, where the party was joined by Frye Robinson.

Williamson tried to grab his revolver, when his assailant opened fire. Williamson was shot through the body, over the right hip.

Robinson was next fired on, but was not seriously injured. Shallcross was shot through the abdomen. He is believed to be fatally injured. The three men were conveyed to the hospital.

Later one of the assailants, Paul Putman, gave himself up. He said he did not know his companion's name. He knew that he had formerly been a convict in British Columbia.

WHITE PROMISES BUDGET ON APRIL 6

Debate on Transcontinental Report Continued but Nothing New Is Said

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, March 28.—The debate on the Transcontinental report was continued last night, but little was added to the subject, which was thoroughly dealt with from opposite sides by Hon. Geo. P. Graham and Hon. Arthur Meighen.

Mr. Armstrong of East Lambton led off for the Conservatives yesterday and was replied to by Mr. Kye of Richmond, N. S. Mr. A. L. Davidson was the last Conservative speaker and he was followed by Mr. Pius Michaud. It is expected that the debate will be continued until next Wednesday. The first speaker on Monday will be Hon. Robt. Rogers, who moved the adjournment of the debate.

Hon. Mr. White, minister of finance, announced that the budget speech will be made on April 6.

Wedding Bells

A quiet marriage was performed in the parlors of the Albert block last evening by Rev. Mr. Fortune. The bride was Miss Alice Hamilton Kerr, who just arrived yesterday on the Princess Beatrice from Glasgow, Scotland. The groom is Mr. Wm. B. Gillespie, engineer on fisheries cruiser Malaspina, which sailed into the harbor yesterday. Capt. Newcombe of the Malaspina and Mr. George Ford were present at the marriage, and Mrs. and Miss Dean were witnesses.

Mrs. C. Chapman announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Kate Elizabeth Chapman, to Mr. Cyrus W. Peck in Kansas City, Mo., on March 11. Mr. and Mrs. Peck will be at home in Prince Rupert after May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McLeod of New Hazelton, who have been visiting in the city, returned to their home by today's train. Mr. McLeod expects to remain in New Hazelton at least till fall, when it is possible that the headquarters may be removed to the Peace river country.

\$217,500 REAL ESTATE DEAL ON PROPERTY ACROSS HARBOR

TWO ENGLISHMEN BUY 764 ACRES FROM GRAND TRUNK — BLOCK INCLUDES SALT LAKES — WILL PROBABLY BE USED FOR AMUSEMENT PARK

The biggest real estate deal put through in this district for some time was registered in the Provincial land registry office this week. It involves some 764 acres at \$217,500.

The land is situated immediately across the harbor from the G. T. P. docks.

The purchasers were Moreton Frewen and Sir Edgar Vincent, two Englishmen. The vendors were the Grand Trunk Pacific Development Company.

Seven hundred and sixty-four acres is quite a good sized piece of property. The block includes the salt lakes, known officially as Douglas Arm and Russell Arm. The purchase includes the islands in front of the block and all foreshore and riparian rights. The terms are \$72,500 cash and

the balance in two annual payments. The agreement of sale was made out February 3rd.

It is not definitely known what the purchasers intend doing with the property, but it is surmised that they intend damming the lakes to keep them full at low tide and turn the grounds into an amusement park, with possibly some summer cottages. The grounds are particularly adapted for such a purpose.

Mr. Frewen has always had an investor's eye on Prince Rupert. Before the original sale of lots he endeavored to make a deal with the Grand Trunk for a large section of the townsite and a big lawsuit resulted which the G. T. P. won out on. Mr. Frewen has not been in the city since the townsite was first opened.

BRITISH CABINET HAVE ISSUED NEW ORDER FOR THE ARMY

GENERAL FRENCH AND GEN. EWART RESIGNATIONS STAND IN SPITE OF ALL INFLUENCE — ASQUITH MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT TO EXCITED COMMONS

(Special to The Daily News)

London, March 28.—Field Marshal French and Adjutant-General Ewart have stood firmly by their resignations in spite of the efforts of the King and cabinet ministers to induce them to retain their posts. After a long cabinet meeting Premier Asquith announced to an excited house that neither the chief of the general staff nor the Adjutant-General would give way. He announced the issue of a new army order intended to prescribe the duties of both the war office, and the officers on service in contingencies such as Ulster. The order forbids superiors asking the officers and soldiers what they will do in hypothetical contingencies. It is designed to prevent a repetition of Page's action. It also prohibits officers and soldiers asking assurances. Its sets forth the duties of the

army almost in the words of the statement which Col. Seeley amendments added, and became the crux of the whole controversy. The inclusion of soldiers with the officers in the terms of the order is a result of the attitude taken by the labor members in the debate. It is intended as a compromise.

The leader of the opposition declared the new order is the result of a blunder by the cabinet minister, Col. Seeley.

The political situation appears unchanged. Another cabinet meeting will be held this morning and no official declaration regarding the French-Ewart resignations is expected until after the meeting.

Carson has left Craigavon for London, but the report that Gen. Gough is coming to the capital is premature. He is still at Curragh.

Baptist Services

Morning worship at 11, when the pastor will speak on "The Triumphant Shout a Result of Faith." In the evening he will take as his subject "The Component Parts of the Whole." Bible school at 2:30. Young people's meeting at 7. You are welcome.

Liberal Leaders Coming

Tomorrow the Liberal leaders of the province will reach Bella Coola. They will hold a meeting there Monday night, and on Friday they will have a meeting in the Westholme theatre, Prince Rupert. Don't miss this opportunity of hearing H. C. Brewster, one of the biggest men in British Columbia today, and Honest John Oliver. This meeting will not only give you information which you ought to know as a citizen, but John Oliver will enthrall you as well. These men have had splendid receptions at every place they have visited throughout Southern British Columbia. A meeting will be held at Terrace next Saturday night.

WANDERERS CLUB ELECTED OFFICERS

E. D. Doyle Chosen as President — Annual Meeting Held Last Evening

The annual meeting of the members of the Wanderers club was held in the club rooms last evening. President G. B. Hull was chairman. The general business was disposed of, including the annual reports. The election of eight directors was then proceeded with and resulted in the following being chosen: E. D. Doyle, G. B. Hull, T. E. Chalmers, Adair Carss, J. G. Scott, J. H. Hilditch, and J. A. Kirkpatrick. At a meeting of the directors Mr. Doyle was chosen as president and J. H. Hilditch as vice-president.

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