

# THE DAILY NEWS

GRUNTY GRUNDY SAYS:

Except for riding around in autos the provincial government does not appear to be doing anything that requires the expenditure of real money.

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## AS LLOYD GEORGE PREPARING FOR AN ELECTION?

### PASSENGER CAR DITCHED EAST SMITHERS—SEVERAL INJURED — ENVOYS CHOOSE NIAGARA

#### PASSENGER CAR WAS DITCHED SEVERAL TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

TRAIN OUT OF SMITHERS SUNDAY MET WITH ACCIDENT — CAR WENT INTO WATER—CHIEF ENGINEER VAN ARSDOL INJURED

An accident of the G. T. P. east of Smithers occurred Sunday morning, when a passenger car loaded with passengers broke from the train and dived over the bank.

There are five people in the Hazelton hospital and two in the Prince Rupert hospital as a result.

The most seriously injured is Engineer C. C. Van Arsdol, who has an arm broken near the elbow, collar bone broken and several cuts on the head. His injuries are not dangerous but will keep him laid up for some time.

The other injured are a Mrs. G. G. G. who is in the Prince Rupert hospital, and a Mrs. G. G. G. of New Hazelton, who was taken home. Five men injured in the Hazelton hospital.

The accident occurred east of Smithers. The train left Smithers Sunday morning with a load of passengers and a lot of freight. The train is a mixed train. While running over a piece of track made rough by the frost it struck the coupling between

the caboose and passenger car broke and the car tipped and went over the bank into the ditch. There was a lot of water in the ditch and the passengers were soon waist deep in it. It is miraculous that none were drowned.

Mrs. Graham was picked up jammed under a seat and under water. The passengers were thrown in a heap and no one knows how they all scrambled out.

A special train took the injured people back to Hazelton. Mr. Van Arsdol and Mrs. Patterson came down in Supt. Todd's car by yesterday's train. Dr. McLean of New Hazelton accompanied them. They were taken to the hospital here on the arrival of the train.

The accident was one to which no blame can be attached. On the new section of the road which has not been permanently ballasted such accidents are liable to happen, particularly in the spring. It was unfortunate that it had to be a passenger car that was ditched.

#### POSITION MOVED CENSURE OVER I. C. R.

Conditions Appointed to High Positions While Canadians Could Do Equally Well

(Special to The Daily News)  
Hawa, May 6.—The house passed the motion of censure today when the question of having Prince Rupert made a station for the aviation race around the world was brought up. The council was in favor of the plan and appointed M. J. Hobin, C. W. Peck and O. H. Nelson a committee to get particulars of what is required.

#### Animals Impounded

A collie dog was impounded on Tuesday instant. If this animal is not redeemed within ten days the said date it will be sold or destroyed. Apply Thos. O'Brien, keeper. Blue 397.

#### do upholstery and re-work for spring cleanups.

D. Tite, the furniture dealer, 414 avenue. 741f

#### WANT STATION HERE FOR AVIATION RACE

Committee Appointed by Board of Trade to Get Information

A meeting of the council of the board of trade was held yesterday when the question of having Prince Rupert made a station for the aviation race around the world was brought up. The council was in favor of the plan and appointed M. J. Hobin, C. W. Peck and O. H. Nelson a committee to get particulars of what is required.

#### The committee has been enquiring for funds and has been encouraged by the business men who realize that the landing of the racing airships here will attract many visitors.

The committee is now getting information on the subject from the fair managers.  
Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4. 741f

#### LEST WE FORGET

The post office site was not "sold" to the government. It was "expropriated." The local Conservatives acted for the crown and the price allowed was \$35,000 above the market value. When property is expropriated nothing but a fair value need be paid. Does it seem reasonable that the local Conservatives loved V. W. Smith well enough to make him a present of \$35,000? If not who do you suppose got the money?

#### EXCITEMENT AND LAUGHTER Double Feature Bill at Westholme Tonight

The strongest feature bill ever shown at the Westholme will open there tonight, the first being a five-reel war feature, "The Battle of Gettysburg," and the second a two-reel Keystone comedy, "Zuzu the Band Leader." Both pictures are absolutely great and either one is worth the price of admission alone. Owing to the great length of the program, which runs fully two hours, the first performance starts promptly at 7:15 and the second at 9:15. The management guarantees you your money's worth at tonight's show.

#### Will Ship From Rupert

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doyle and family arrived on the Prince Rupert this morning en route to Mill Bay, Naas river, for the summer. Mr. Doyle is head of the Kincolith Packing company, who have the model cannery of the coast at Mill Bay, besides a cold storage plant for handling fresh and frozen fish. Mr. Doyle says he will use Prince Rupert for a shipping point as soon as the road is ready for through traffic. During this spring the Kincolith Packing company has been operating a branch at Simpson for handling fresh halibut.

#### Charged With Supplying

Indian Agent C. C. Perry is in Port Essington today trying a case against Alex. McPherson and Ed. Parsons for supplying liquor to Indians. This is a continuation of last week's troubles. Warrants were issued for these men, but they disappeared. Another man is also wanted and cannot be found.

#### Carpenters' Union

A special meeting of this union is called for Wednesday, May 6th, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of discussing proposed new bylaws.  
F. Salter, Secy. 102-4

#### DEATH AND INJURY IN RAILWAY ACCIDENT

Rear Cars Thrown From Rails While Passing Over Track Under Repair

(Special to The Daily News)  
Decatur, Ill., May 6.—Thirty passengers and trainmen were injured and three laborers killed by the overturning of the sleeping and dining cars of the Continental Limited on the Wabash railroad. The rear cars were thrown over while passing a piece of track under repair, falling on some trackmen.

#### YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

Northwestern  
Vancouver 7, Portland 4.  
Spokane 3, Tacoma 4.  
Seattle 6, Victoria 1.  
Coast  
Venice 3, Oakland 1.  
San Francisco 4, Sacramento 4.  
American  
Cleveland 4, Detroit 2.  
New York 0, Washington 6.  
Chicago 8, St. Louis 1.

#### Announcement

Messrs. Scott, Froud & Co. wish to announce that they have sold their boot and shoe business to Mr. Harvey E. Peck, and would thank their many patrons for the valued support which they have received during the past four years. Mr. Peck, who is a first-class shoe man and has had broad experience in the business in the United States as well as Canada, intends to carry an extensive range of the better grades of footwear, and will conduct a thoroughly up-to-date shoe store.

#### Majestic Theatre

The Majestic theatre has an excellent program tonight in the second series of "Lucille Love," which has created a great sensation everywhere. They will have on Friday night an excellent comedy by the famous original actor of the Keystone comedy company, who is now employed by the people who furnish the Majestic pictures. He has carried with him all his old time popularity.

#### A Handsome Bar

The new bar for the Savoy hotel has been installed and the Savoy now boasts of the finest bar in British Columbia. The fixtures are of solid mahogany. The counter has a marble base and the back piece has dainty inlaid decorations on the pillars. It is 40 feet in length and bevelled glass mirrors run almost the entire length. The under equipment is for four clerks. This part is all fitted with German silver. It was made by the J. D. Ross Showcase Co. of Vancouver.

#### A FAKE EXCUSE

Canada is this year spending nearly eleven million dollars for militia besides the many new armories that are being erected. Yet the people of Prince Rupert are told in official documents that Earl Grey's Rifles were disbanded because the department could not afford to keep up the expense of about \$700 a year. The excuse is so picaresque that its very meanness betrays the fact that dirty politics was the reason for the disbandment.

#### Will Not Take Over Bridge

It is reported that J. E. Griffiths, the provincial engineer, will report as opposed to the government taking over the Hazelton high level bridge. Mr. Griffiths admits it is a good bridge, but it is different to the standard of this class of bridge used by the government. The department will offer to build approaches if the owners give the bridge to the province.

#### Mexicans Mined Railway

Washington, May 5.—Information has come from Vera Cruz that the Mexican federal troops have mined the railroad tracks between Vera Cruz and Mexico City. This move is made in preparation for the utter destruction of the road in event of the American forces attempting to advance on the capital.

#### City Has Improved

Among the arrivals on the Prince Rupert this morning was L. Victor Druce, commercial agent of the G. T. P. at Vancouver. It is two years since Mr. Druce visited the city last, and he notices many changes and improvements.  
"Your streets and sidewalks have been much improved. Way-fares that looked dangerous to me on my last visit now appear as safe and solid as a bank. I like the looks of your city. Business seems to be good."  
On his last visit here Mr. Druce showed considerable interest in the herring fishing and regrets that the season is past for this year.

#### BURNING STEAMER KNOWN AS FREIGHTER COLUMBIA

THIRTEEN OF CREW DISCOVERED IN SMALL BOAT—ANOTHER BOAT WITH 19 STILL MISSING—FIRST AND SECOND OFFICERS ABOARD

(Special to The Daily News)  
Boston, May 6.—The mystery of the identity of the steamer afire near South Sable island is solved by a wireless message from the Franconia telling of the burning of the freighter Columbia and the rescue of thirteen of the crew in a small boat. The death of the chief steward and the disappearance of a second boat with nineteen men, including the first and second officers, is reported. The survivors were so exhausted by the experience that they could tell little of what happened. The Franconia continued the search until nightfall for the rest of the crew, without result. The search is not given up. The steamers Manhattan and Havreford are heading for the burning steamer.

#### LLOYD GEORGE ACCUSED OF PREPARING FOR ELECTIONS

WILL RAISE ONE HUNDRED MILLION MORE THAN LAST YEAR TO BE APPLIED ON SOCIAL REFORM MEASURES—OPPOSITION SAY BRIBERY

(Special to The Daily News)  
London, May 6.—The Times states that the Premier has taken the initiative in the conversations on the Irish question. At a private meeting at Downing St. Bonar Law, Carson and the Premier will discuss questions of procedure and the possibility of bringing the parties together.  
Later reflections on the budget confirm the view that the Chancellor has prepared for electioneering in his budget. The Telegraph declares that the Chancellor will probably raise \$100,000,000 more than last year which the next budget will apply to social reform measures calculated to secure votes.  
The budget is bribery says the Express.

#### ROOSEVELT'S HOT PACE MADE BRAZILIAN SWEAT

Father and Son Hunt Tiger Cats but Only Get Scratches

New York, May 5.—Anthony Fiala, the explorer, who was in charge of the Roosevelt expedition in Brazil, arrived in New York on the steamer Denis from Rio Janeiro. He vividly described the experiences of the expedition, both before and after he separated from Colonel Roosevelt and Kermit on February 4. Telling of his 400-mile journey across country with Roosevelt, Fiala said:  
"At times we were all forced to dismount from our horses and cut our way with knives through the dense undergrowth."  
"When we reached Matto Grosso we rested for a couple of days and then all went hunting. In one party, which went for tiger cats, were Colonel Roosevelt, Kermit, a Brazilian chief of police, a Brazilian colonel and several natives. Kermit, I believe, is made of coiled wire all bound up in bronze. He's tougher than his father, if such a thing is possible. The party started out early in the morning and pushed their way all day through swamps filled with crocodiles and snakes in pursuit of a tiger cat that had scared up. The Brazilians did the best they could, and, with the negro boys, kept up for several hours. But the pace set by the colonel, even in their own jungle, was too much for them. Late at night a boy returned to the camp and said that the colonel and Kermit were about two miles off in the jungle. When they finally came out their clothing was torn to shreds and their arms and legs were bleeding in many places. But they were carrying the Brazilians' guns and shoes. The Brazilians had quit and were lying on their backs in a dry place recuperating. The cat got away."

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#### CANADA IS CHOSEN FOR PEACE CONFERENCE

South American Envoys Choose Niagara Falls as Place of Meeting

Washington, April 6.—The three South American envoys have announced that the first formal conference of the representatives of the different parties interested in the mediation will be held at Niagara Falls, Ont., May 18th.

#### ODDFELLOWS ELECT REPRESENTATIVE

At the regular meeting of the local Oddfellows held last night Mr. A. Douglas was elected representative to the grand lodge, which is to meet in Victoria on June 10. Mr. Geo. Barrie was elected alternative.

#### TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!

Monster Double-feature Bill AT THE

#### Westholme Opera House

"The Battle of Gettysburg" IN FIVE PARTS

Greatest Battle Picture ever produced

"ZUZU, THE BANDLEADER" IN TWO PARTS

A Rip-Roaring, Side-Splitting Keystone Comedy

ADMISSION: 15c and 25c CHILDREN: 10c  
First performance at 7:15 Second at 9:15 p. m.

## EMPRESS THEATRE

...To-Night...

EUGENE WALTER'S GREAT PLAY

"PAID IN FULL"

5—PARTS—5  
With Tully Marshall and W. Riley Hatch in their original roles.  
Staged by Augustus Thomas

Admission 25 cents Children 15 cents  
Doors open at 7:15 p. m. Performance starts at 7:30

### THE Majestic THEATRE

TONIGHT! TONIGHT!  
No advance in price.

Second Series  
"LUCILLE LOVE"  
in connection with an extraordinary special program  
ANIMATED WEEKLY  
"LUCILLE LOVE"  
In two parts.  
"THE HEAD WAITER"  
A Corking Good Comedy.  
No advance in price.  
Good Music  
Admission: 10c and 15c.

#### EMPIRE DAY EXCURSION

Under auspices of ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY to  
PORT SIMPSON  
Per Steamship Prince John  
Adults, ticket \$2.50 Children, \$1.25

See the ladies' suits, Wallace's windows, on sale this week.