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GRUNTY GRUNDY SAYS:
A citizen phones The Daily News in answer to its enquiry that the last seen of the mayor he was heading toward Joe's.

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C.N.R. HIGH FINANCE MEANS HEAVY FREIGHT RATES

HINDUS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO LAND IN VICTORIA—PRES. WILSON SAYS HUERTA MUST GO

HOW MACKENZIE AND MANN HAVE WORKED BORDEN GOVT.

CANADA GETS JUNIOR PARTNERSHIP IN A COMPANY THAT CANNOT PAY ITS DEBTS—THE CANADIAN PEOPLE WILL BE CALLED ON TO MEET ITS OBLIGATIONS

The following editorial from the Toronto Globe gives some interesting facts and figures on the C. N. R. deal:
In William's "Laurier and the Liberal Party," Vol. I, page 398, it is stated that "sixty-five millions of stock were issued during the progress of construction of the C. P. R. This realized only \$10,000,000, and of this amount \$5,000,000 were used to pay and were dividends. The ordinary stock was issued in three series. The first issue was for \$5,000,000 at par to the original shareholders. The next was for \$20,000,000. This was issued at 25 cents on the dollar, and this realized only \$5,000,000 of general capital. The third, of \$40,000,000, issued at 52 1/2 cents, realized \$21,000,000."
Against this method of financing, and especially against the payment of guaranteed dividends on stock that had been issued at low prices, Mr. Blake thundered in parliament, declar-

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EXHIBITION HALL MIGHT SPOIL VIEW

General Manager Donaldson Objects to Building on Acropolis Hill

According to a communication received by the city solicitor, the G. T. P. Development company is a little doubtful about the recreation grounds and exhibition hall being put on Acropolis hill. The communication was read at the council meeting last evening. It was from Vice-president and General Manager Donaldson, who drew attention to the fact that in a year or two Prince Rupert will be visited by many tourists and Acropolis hill affords a magnificent view which must not be impaired or obstructed. He also drew attention to the fact that the reservoir needed a railing to protect youngsters from drowning.
Ald. Morrissey said the agricultural hall would be an improvement to the view and wanted a reply sent to Mr. Donaldson disabusing his mind on that point.
A copy of the plans will be sent to him. The city engineer said arrangements are being made for a railing around the reservoir.
The communication was referred to the board of works.

Only 750 Horse Power

"A certain alderman," as he is popularly known at election time, is credited with making the statement that recent engineering observations have proved that it will be impossible to develop more than 750 h. p. for twelve months of the year at Woodworth lake. This means that the city is spending a quarter of a million dollars on a plant that the city will outgrow in two or three years at the most. The plant will then go to the junk heap and the city will have to get down on its knees to the Prince Rupert Hydro-Electric Co. or to the provincial government and beg for the Wark channel power. If the Wark channel power is secured it means the expenditure of another colossal sum. In the meantime the Woodworth lake expenditure goes merrily on, and the property owners will pay.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

Northwestern
Spokane 7, Victoria 3.
Vancouver 4, Seattle 0.
Tacoma 5, Portland 3.
American
Chicago 2, Philadelphia 3.
St. Louis 4, New York 2.
Detroit 0, Boston 2.
Cleveland 2, Washington 3.
National
Philadelphia 2, Chicago 3.
Boston 4, Pittsburg 1.
New York 5, Cincinnati 10.
Brooklyn 0, St. Louis 3.

This is the Best Buy Today

Owner will sell lot 50, block 3, section 7, with two-room house, location in Sixth avenue. Price \$1,200, \$300 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months, or \$1,400, \$300 cash, balance 6 and 12 months. No interest. Owner, P. O. Box 936, city. 115-21

WILL BUILD SEWER ON FIRST AVENUE

The board of works recommended the city council to build the temporary sewer applied for on First avenue by making a 6-inch wooden pipe extension to Third avenue. It will cost \$2,600 and is to be paid for by one-year debentures which Messrs. Lynch and Besner are to buy at par.
Don't forget that you can get a ladies' house dress at Jabour Bros. for \$1.00.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4.

PRESIDENT WILSON ON PEACE PROPOSALS

Believes That Lasting Peace Depends on Elimination of Huerta and Fair Election

(Special to The Daily News)
Washington, May 19.—President Wilson told the American representatives to the mediation conference to place themselves in a receptive mood and await the proposals of the three South American mediators. At the same time he outlined the peace policy, which seemed to him to be conditioned on the elimination of Huerta and the establishment of a strong provisional government which would conduct an election by giving fair treatment to all factions.

LUMBER AND NAIL TENDERS HELD OVER

The city clerk reported to the council last evening several tenders for nails and lumber had been received in reply to an advertisement.
Ald. Dybhavn suggested that as the finance committee were not sure of getting the money that the tenders be sealed up and laid on the table.
Ald. Montgomery thought this was not fair to the tenderers, who had enclosed certified cheques. It might keep them tied up for a month. He suggested the tenders with the cheques be returned.
It was finally decided to hold the tenders for a week before opening.

THE FORTUNE HUNTER MAKES A BIG HIT AT THE EMPRESS THEATRE

The Royal players will repeat the greatest success that has ever been presented in Prince Rupert, though the Empress has in the past always maintained a standard, wherein only the best there is in the theatrical line is handled, the record has been broken, and the Royal players have established themselves as none other has before. The Fortune Hunter last night appealed to everyone, and the most fastidious and critical acknowledged the fact that we have truly a metropolitan company with us.
Miss Elliott charmed her audience again last night, and in the discontented, uneducated girl of the country town, dissatisfied with her lot, excelled anything that has been witnessed in Rupert, and the house went mad when she sang the song written by Mr. Royal, "Prince Rupert You are a Grand Old Town."
Mr. Royal, as the luckless fortune hunter, who would murder a Chinaman for a nickel, caught his audience and proved what has been said of him, that he is the best natural comedian on the coast.
The specialties that Mr. Royal delivered kept the house in roars of laughter, and he is sure some vaudeville artist.
Mr. Leonard, as the town sheriff, is no mean comedian and the scenes between himself and Mr. Royal brought tears of laughter to the eyes.
Mr. Ted Howland had a chance to show his sterling capabilities as an actor, in the portrayal of the old druggist, giving a finished performance, as did Mr. Wakfield, as Blinky Kilbride, who has made the just plain soda water, a by-word around town today.
The stage settings for the drug store was the best we have seen in Rupert and received hearty applause, showing that the people take notice of details and appreciate the efforts to please that the Royal Players are famous for.

Surplus \$145,000

The treasurer's statement for the year 1913 was handed to the city council last evening. It showed a surplus of \$145,394.34 for the year.

Boys

Don't miss your opportunity in getting a bargain suit at Jabour Bros. Prices from \$2.50 to \$5.

WANTS SIXTY ROOM HOTELS BEFORE NEW LICENSE GIVEN

ALDERMAN PROPOSES REVISION OF LIQUOR LICENSE BYLAW REGULATING HOTEL ACCOMMODATION—QUESTION LAID OVER FOR A WEEK

How many rooms must a hotel have? This was the most important question before the city council last evening, and it is not settled yet. There seems to be a lot of hesitation on the question and it is hard guessing which way the cat will jump so as to be on the right side.
A week ago Ald. McClymont gave notice of motion to revise the bylaw increasing the number of rooms an hotel must have in order to get a license. The city is big enough for another license now and one or two people have a new hotel in sight.
The motion was put up at the meeting last night. Ald. Morrissey seconded it. The change suggested was an increase from the present requirement of 35 rooms to 60 rooms.
Ald. Dybhavn said the question needed consideration and asked that it remain over for a week.
Ald. Montgomery was opposed. He wanted to throw the clause out altogether. It was a tendency towards monopoly. If we

C. N. R. DEBATE AT WHITE HEAT HIGH COST MEANS HIGH RATES

ESTIMATED ROAD WILL COST \$400,000,000—THIS WILL PREVENT LOWERING OF RATES—WHITE CLAIMS AGREEMENT IS BEST EVER INVENTED

(Special to The Daily News)
Ottawa, May 19.—The chief speakers in the Canadian Northern debate yesterday were White and F. B. Carvell.
Mr. Carvell declared that by the time the C. N. R. system was completed the securities against the line would total \$400,000,000, which makes it impossible that any reduction in the rates could be brought about. Nothing should be done until a thorough

CALGARY OIL BOOM IS HELPING BUSINESS

(Special to The Daily News)
Calgary, May 19.—There is no abatement in the oil excitement here. The Denman well gushes at least once daily with oily substance that burns. When the drill cut into the bottom of the McDougall-Segur Mammoth well it opened a pocket of wet gas. Practically all the other wells are showing up well, although none have been drilled deep enough to show anything material.
The city is full of strongers and business is feeling the effects of loosening money and the restoration of confidence.

Shawatlans Lake

Sunday, May 24th and Monday, May 25th, launch Wolverine will leave Rupert Marine Iron-works for Shawatlans Lake at 8 a.m., 11 a.m., and 2 p.m., connecting with launch on Lake and returning at 3 p.m., 5 p.m., and 7 p.m. Fare including trip to the head of lake \$1.00 return. 119

Price Fish Dropped

Yesterday quite a number of independent fishing boats brought in halibut and unloaded at the Atlin Fish company's docks. The independents have been taking advantage of the favorable weather and getting good catches. Yesterday the price was dropped to 2 1/2 cents per pound, which is the same price as paid in Seattle. Even at the reduced price the fishermen are getting good returns.

Judge Young has announced that there will be no regular sittings of the county court during the months of July and August, the vacant months.

Have you seen our men's suits for \$5. If not call and see them. Jabour Bros. 114-115

IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES WILL NOT LET HINDUS LAND

WITH FIVE HUNDRED TO ARRIVE IN VICTORIA FRIDAY—MAKING TEST OF NEW LAW—AUTHORITIES INSISTENT

(Special to The Daily News)
Ottawa, May 19.—Word has been received that the steamer Yamato Maru, which sailed recently from Shanghai with five hundred Hindus, is expected to arrive at Victoria on Friday next. Orders have been sent to the immigration authorities at Victoria not to allow the Hindus to land, or to deport them from British Columbia. The immigration officials believe they can

WANT WATER SERVICE BUT WILL NOT PAY

Council Decides to Put in Service Anyway and Trust to Luck

A report from the board of works to the city council last evening was to the effect that petitions for temporary water services had been received from residents of Summit avenue and Eleventh avenue. The council agreed to put in the service if the petitioners would make application and pay in \$10, as the city did not have the money. Only one responded with the ten.
Ald. Montgomery wanted the committee to bring in a report recommending a different system.

WEST HOLME OPERA HOUSE

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