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GRUNTY GRUNDY SAYS:
If Clements does half the fighting the Tory organ advertises for him he ought to have a cauliflower ear by this time.

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1914

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THE DOMINION WILL ESTABLISH A NAVAL RESERVE

PEACE DIPLOMATS AT WORK IN NIAGARA -- NEW HAZELTON SENDS A SPECIAL INVITATION

BORDEN GOVT. PREPARING FOR THE LAURIER NAVAL SCHEME

THREE NAVAL RESERVES WILL BE CREATED--FOLLOWS OUT LAURIER POLICY OF HOME DEFENCE BY CANADIANS

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, May 21.—The house spent most of the day in committee over the C. N. R. resolutions. No apparent headway was made on the first clause, which is still under discussion. Arrangement was taken and it was agreed that its consideration would not be resumed until next Monday. Other business will be done on Friday and Saturday, today being Ascension day the house did not meet.
An order-in-council has been passed authorizing the establishment of a volunteer naval reserve force, which is already in force in Victoria, B. C., but which is financed privately by Admiral

Kingsmill, who is on his way to the coast. The headquarters of the force will be at Ottawa. It is proposed to organize three divisions, on the Atlantic, the great lakes, and the Pacific. Headquarters for the Atlantic will be at Halifax and it will extend along the Atlantic coast and up the St. Lawrence as far as Montreal. The great lakes will likely have Toronto as headquarters and will include the upper St. Lawrence and the great lakes and the territory as far as the Rocky mountains. The Pacific division will include the British Columbia Pacific coast with headquarters at Esquimalt.



TO CELEBRATE CENTENARY OF SIR ETIENNE CARTIER

This is the official flag which has been adopted for the Cartier Centenary celebration in Montreal on September 6th to 12th. The flag is a combination of the Union Jack and the tri-color of France, and is symbolical of the Confederation in which Sir George Etienne Cartier played a prominent part. The portrait of Sir George forms the centre of the flag.

CATCH STRING IS OUT FOR RUPERT PEOPLE

New Hazelton Extends Special Invitation to Rupert for the Week-end Holiday

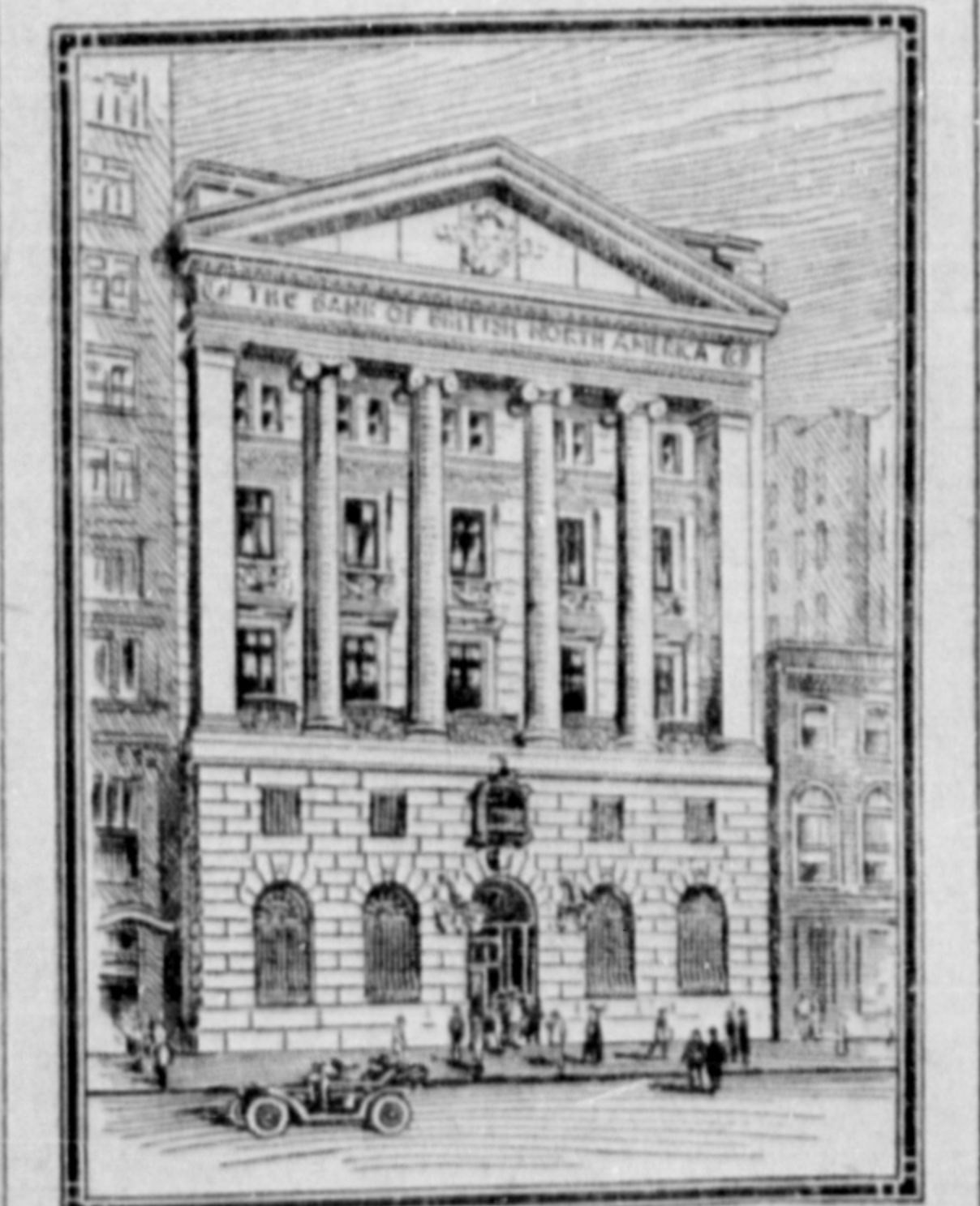
New Hazelton citizens have issued a special invitation to the residents of Prince Rupert to come and visit them over the week-end. They appear to be sincere, too, in their desire to be guests and have made special preparations for the entertainment of Prince Rupert guests. Several trips that are expected to appeal particularly to the residents of the metropolis have been arranged. These include trips to the rich silver mines, drives over good mountain and valley roads and a visit to the famous bridges over the big Bulkley canyon.
If you contemplate visiting Hazelton and getting a glimpse of the interior country, this is your opportunity. New Hazelton has a fine hotel and the latching string hangs out on everybody's door.
The train leaves Saturday morning and returns Tuesday evening. It is one of the most interesting scenic trips in the world. If you haven't been up the line you ought to go.

NEW STAMPING DEVICE SAVES TIME AND MONEY

Mr. O. T. Crosby has been turning his attention of late to developing his inventive genius. His latest device is a postage stamping machine for which he has applied for patents in seven countries. The principle is very simple. In appearance it looks like the ordinary rubber stamp but there is a small plunger supported by a steel spring which creates a vacuum that catches up the stamps which are supposed to be all cut apart and right side up on the table. There are three movements necessary, viz.: press the stamp, place it on the melting pad and then to its place on the envelope. The machine was used in the city hall to turn out the recent assessment notices and an inexperienced hand stamped 3000 letters in one hour and a half.
Mr. Crosby recently showed it to the post office inspector and he highly approved it. There are other stamping machines in the market but they handle only one kind of stamps at a time and are very costly. This machine handles all varieties in rotation and will only cost a dollar.

BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA

Canadian Head Office Building
The new premises of the Bank of British North America on St. James street adds another to Montreal's list of fine buildings. It is built on the site that the bank has occupied for upwards of sixty years. The old building was a landmark, and its demolition marked the removal of one of the oldest buildings in Montreal.
The new building, designed by Barrett, Blackader & Webster of Montreal and built by Norcross Bros., is in every way a handsome structure.
The walls, columns and corners of the spacious banking room are of Italian Hautville marble. Security vault, book vault and safety deposit vaults have been constructed in the basements.
The whole building is splendidly equipped and will be occupied in its entirety by the Bank of British North America.



PASSED EXAMINATION AS STATIONERY ENGINEER

At the recent examination for steam engineers Mr. Fred Belanger made a very creditable showing, having passed for the position of stationery engineer. Mr. Belanger is an old timer in Prince Rupert, but previous to this has not followed his chosen calling on account of the government regulations requiring a certificate. Before coming west he has had considerable experience as an engineer. Among the others who were successful in passing this examination was Frank Annis.

May Have Aeroplane

Dorothy De Vonda is an aerobat who does stunts on the top trapeze, using only the blue dome of the sky for her tent. She is pretty, too, if the photo which she sent to L. B. Bullock-Webster, the manager of the fair, is her own. She wants to make a balloon ascension and parachute drop at the big fair here in October. However, the fair managers think that is not up to date. They are arranging with a New York firm to have an aeroplane make daily ascents and drop passengers on the top of Mount Hays to pick the water lilies.

Figured It Close

On the second of January last a trial balance sheet for the year 1913 was made by the city treasurer and the surplus was shown at \$145,000. The final report proved it to be within a few dollars of that amount. The estimated expenditure for the year was within \$34 of the amount as it now appears in the auditor's report. At that time many thousands of dollars of the expenditure had not been made but had been provided for.

THE NATIONALITY OF PRINCE ALEXANDER

(Canadian Courier.)
Prince Alexander of Teck, designated as Canada's next governor-general, is more than half English. His mother was Princess Mary of Cambridge, a grand-daughter of George III. In 1886, the then Duke of Teck, as an Austrian officer, visited England and was present at a great volunteer review at Brighton. There he met the Princess Mary. After their marriage, they lived at Kensington palace, where their four children, including Queen Mary and Prince Alexander, were born. In 1882 the duke went to Egypt on the staff of General Lord Wolseley, and was present at the battle of Tel-el-Kebir. Subsequently he was gazetted a colonel and a major-general in the British army. His death took place at White Lodge, Richmond, on February 4, 1900. The Duchess of Teck had died two years earlier.

Thus through his father's marriage and adoption of England as his residence, Prince Alexander is English by birth and training. He was educated at Eton and Sandhurst. His marriage with H. R. H. Duchess Alice of Albany was in line with his complete severance with the Duchy of Wurtemberg.

District Fair Dates

The following are the dates of the district fair fairs as approved of by the provincial government: Bulkley Valley, Telkwa, September 10. Fort George, September 24-25. Prince Rupert, September 30 and October 1 and 2. Bella Coola, October 9. Graham Island, Lawn Hill, not yet fixed.

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YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

American
Chicago, 5; Philadelphia 2.
Boston 1, Pittsburg 4.
Detroit 3, Boston 0.
Cleveland 0, Washington 5.

National
Philadelphia 5, Chicago 10.
Boston 1, Pittsburg 4.
New York 5, Cincinnati 0.
Brooklyn 0, St. Louis 4.

Coast
Venice 10, Sacramento 6.
Portland 7, Oakland 2.
San Francisco 1, Los Angeles 0.

Northwestern
Portland 5, Tacoma 4.
Spokane 1, Victoria 2.
Vancouver 6, Seattle 3.

PRINCE RUPERT CLUB WON SECOND MATCH

The second auction bridge match between the Prince Rupert and Wanderers clubs was played last evening, when the Prince Rupert club players turned the score on their opponents. They won by 2,048 points. The teams were:

Prince Rupert
Pillsbury and Brandt, plus..... 704
Sawle and McCaffery, plus..... 604
Sweet and Palmer, plus..... 1042
Pattullo and McMorde, minus..... 161
Wallace and Clancy, minus..... 138
Net plus..... 2048

Wanderers
Hiditch and Howe, plus..... 109
Pettigrew and Tobey, plus..... 1019
Tite and Marshall, minus..... 1776
Vickers and Chalmers, minus..... 997
Melville and Allan, minus..... 403

THE GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST AT THE EMPRESS

The Royal Players convinced even more of their worth by last night's performance, as a better western drama has never been presented. Miss Elliott excelled in the part of the "Girl," and charmed her audience again with the naturalness of her interpretation as the untutored mountain wail. She possesses all the attributes that make the charming actress, for we have seen her now in three widely different parts and all played artistically. Mr. Royal as the human bloodhound Luke Short gave an exceedingly good performance of more or less a very thankless part, as no one is in sympathy with the heavy in a play, but the convincing interpretation given by him of this part was excellent. Mr. Howland as the stage robber pleased more last night than in any of his former parts, and had an opportunity to display his ability as an actor of great versatility. All the members of the cast fitted well into their parts and the performance was the smoothest and most finished Prince Rupert has had. The specialties last night were a great addition to the attractiveness of the performance, and the contrast of Miss Helen Reynard's classic vocalism and finish with Miss Lottie Fletcher's comedy stunts greatly helped out a most enjoyable evening's performance.
Following "The Girl of the Golden West" and commencing on Friday night, the celebrated "In the Bishop's Carriage" will be presented.

Old Timers' Leaving

Mr. Donald Morrison and family, some of the real old timers of this city are leaving on Monday next for Scotland on a visit to their old home. Mr. Morrison has been here for six years in the employ of Foley, Welch and Stewart, and as the work is largely finished at this place he will seek newer fields on his return to Canada.

This of course does not mean that he will not be again in Prince Rupert, for he has extensive property holdings here which will net him a nice little fortune whenever he wishes to dispose of it.

SPLENDID PLAYETTE PUT ON BY YOUNG LADIES' AUXILIARY

IN ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH LAST EVENING--A LARGE CROWD WITNESSED THE GIRLS IN CHARACTER COSTUMES

"The Open Window" is the title of a very interesting and pretty missionary playette put on by the Girls' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's church in the church auditorium last evening.
The theme of the play was a picture of the heathen children who deserve the interest and attention of the Christian world. The children of the dark nations were shown in an open window to the young ladies who had been discussing missionary topics.
The characters were:

Ottosa.....Miss Grace Tovey
Individiosa.....Mabel Viereck
Lacrymiosa.....Katie Collison
Beata.....Miss Grace Shockley
Indian Girls.....
Dorothy Tremayne, Gladys Viereck
An Indian Widow.....Barbara Allen
Chinese Girls.....Gladys Kemp, Mabel Adams
Chinese Boy.....Masie German
Japanese Girls.....
Miss Katherine Pillsbury, Rosie Adams
African Girls.....Miss Isabel Newton,

Constance McMullin, Pete Tremayne, and.....Doris Dowling
Canadian Mother.....Miss McCoskie
Canadian Children.....Nellie Hill, Ruth Rix
Australian Mother.....Miss Nolloth
Australian Children.....
Dorothy Tovey, Earlemonde La Trace
Vocal solo, "Come, Open the Window, Children Dear".....
Mrs. Hemmel.
Quartette, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing".....
Mrs. Hemmel, Miss Elliott, Mr. Normanton, Mr. Melliar.

Accompanist, Miss L. M. Elliott, L. R. A. M.
The play was managed by Miss Du Vernet and Miss Enoch, and they deserve credit for the good work of the various characters. At the close of the play Rev. Canon Rix made a brief address on the play and its moral.
Later refreshments were served. There was a good attendance and the proceeds were \$52.50.

TANGO IS "SOME" DANCE

Crowded House Sees the Initial Performance at Westholme

No better show has ever been given in Prince Rupert than that witnessed by two capacity houses at the Westholme last night. The event of the evening was the dancing of the tango by Mrs. M. Lester and Mr. Chas. Ransford of Vancouver. Too much cannot be said in praise of their performance. The daintiness and grace of this new dance as performed last night is in a class by itself and it is easy to understand after witnessing it why the tango has become such a craze the world over. The flirtation waltz is also a pretty number and both dances received hearty encores and were very much admired.

The pictures, too, were splendid. A notable film was the first instalment of "Our Mutual Girl," depicting the experience of a poor country girl visiting her rich aunt in New York City. Among other notable scenes was a visit to New York's ultra-fashionable dressmaking parlors and the gorgeous display of latest Parisian gowns displayed there. This is of special interest to the ladies, and by the way, the men were not seen looking the other way either. Another great picture was the Keystone double-reel, "Her Father's Choice" and "The Poker Game." This is the best Keystone yet shown here and produced roars of laughter. This program will be repeated tonight.

Saw It Before

A. S. B. Lucas was surprised on going into the Westholme theatre the other evening to see a picture play on the curtain which a few weeks ago he saw played before the camera. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas while visiting at Santa Barbara one day went to a livery stable to hire a horse and found the stable temporarily in the hands of picture play robbers. They watched the scene put through before the camera by the Kay Bee company. A few days ago Mr. Lucas saw the films of the same scene on the theatre canvas.

Assize Court June 15

Official announcement has been made of the holding of an assize court and civil supreme court sittings in Prince Rupert on Monday, June 15. It is not yet known what judge will preside. There are three or four criminal cases on the docket and several civil cases. The criminal charges are not serious or sensational.

MEDIATORS AT WORK NEW SPHERE OF ACTION

South American Republics Take First Hand at International Affairs

(Special to The Daily News.)
Niagara Falls, May 21.—Marking a new era in the relations of the nations of the western hemisphere, the delegates of the United States, Mexico and the three great South American republics have formally opened a conference for mediation in the hope of bringing peace to Mexico by an amicable settlement not only of the differences between the United States and the Huerta government but the ultimate pacification of all Mexico through avenues of diplomacy. This is what is reflected by the mediators.

Unionists Won Byelection

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, May 21.—In the North East Derby byelection the Unionists won by a majority of 241, though the combined vote of the Labor and Liberal candidates exceeded the Unionist by 3,355. The vote was as follows: Major Bowden, Unionist, 6,460; J. P. Houston, Liberal, 6,155; J. Martin, Labor, 3,669.

PRINCE RUPERT EXHIBITION

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No other form of collection is authorized by the Association.

Auction Sale

OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
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