

PRESBYTERIANS CANADA IN FAVOR CHURCH UNION

INDIAN FISHERMEN LAID OFF AS RESULT OF INDEPENDENT LICENSES--SENATE PASSED BILL

DOMINION DAY IN RUPERT WILL BE SOME CELEBRATION

IF PLANS NOW IN PREPARATION ARE CARRIED OUT -- AN ACTIVE ORGANIZATION HAVE THE AFFAIRS IN CHARGE

July first, Dominion day, will be a big day in Prince Rupert. There will be fun and patriotism galore and every citizen with every man, woman and child will enjoy the festivities that are planned.

The celebration has been put into hands that guarantee a good time and all the boys and girls are expected to get in and help.

Last night an organization meeting was held in the city hall when officers and committees to control the affair were appointed. There was a good attendance and everyone there was enthusiastic.

The officers and committees are:

President--Rev. Canon Rix.
Vice-President--M. M. Stephenson.
Secretary--Adair Cars.
Treasurer--T. D. Pattullo.
Finance Committee--T. D. Pattullo, Ald. Morrissey and J. R. Beatty.
Procession Committee--Dr. Clayton, L. Grippen, D. McD. Hunter, C. T. Heward, Fire Chief McDonald, Chief Vickers, and the President and Secretary of patriotic societies.

Platform Committee--Wm. Manson, M.P.P., Judge Young, Father Bunoz, Rev. J. F. Dimmick, the Mayor, Fred Stork and T. D. Pattullo.

Musical Committee--Messrs. Woodlund, Lee Baker, Geo. Werner, A. Prescott and Prof. Kaufmann.

Sports--The Mayor, Chief Vickers, O. H. Nelson, C. T. Heward, W. D. Vance, S. D. Macdonald, J. Edwards.

Decorations--D. McD. Hunter, T. Silversides, Chief McDonald, P. F. Godenrath, H. Douglas, J. F. Hutchinson and the secretary of the Daughters of the Empire.

Transportation--Mayor, Ald. Kerr and A. Davison.

Rev. Canon Rix remarked during the evening that it was about time Prince Rupert had a brass band and advocated the organization of six or eight white men to play national music for the day.

"Scotty" Dennis advocated an all water carnival as the land sports and water sports always conflicted.

A general meeting of all the committees will be held on Thursday evening.



SURVIVORS--MOST SALVATION ARMY FOLKS--FROM THE EMPRESS

Reading from left to right: Captain Spooner, Major McIntyre, Ensign Pugmair, Major Atwell, Mrs. Atwell, Little Grace Hanagan, whose parents, Bandmaster and Mrs. Hanagan both were drowned, Miss Eva Bales and Mrs. Cook of Vancouver, B.C.

PAUL RAINIE'S AFRICAN HUNT And the Linking Up of the G.T.P. at the Westholme Tonight

It is characteristic of the management of the Westholme Opera House to be always on the look out for the best motion picture features that are generally shown only in the largest cities and the largest theatres in these cities. Such a feature is Paul Rainie's African Hunt in 6 reels which will be shown at this theatre tonight and tomorrow night. This series of pictures have been shown and are still being shown the world over. Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and the Americas have seen these pictures and marvelled at the patience and ingenuity of man in exploring the ends of the earth for new and sensational camera subjects. The wild beasts of the African jungle--hundreds of them are shown in their natural state unaware of the fact that two patient picture men are perched high in a nearby tree, turning away at a moving picture machine by means of which the whole world shall become familiar with their mode of life and habits. Seeing these pictures is an education that can be had in no other way except at enormous expense of time and money.

Another important feature on tonight's programme at the Westholme is the linking up of the G. T. P. near Fort Fraser. Every resident of Prince Rupert is interested in this important event, vitally interested in fact, and there will no doubt be a great turn-out to see these pictures.

INDEPENDENT LICENCES

The Conservatives have been doing a lot of advertising over their political sagacity in creating independent white fishermen's licenses. It was intended for the purpose of making the salmon fishing a white man's industry. The effect is rather different. The new policy takes so many licenses for white men but it does not reduce the number of Japs. The canners cut off the Indians and keep on the Japs. They claim they have to for their own protection. Thus Prince Rupert gets a decided loss. The Indians who fish spend all their money here. The Japs spend it in Vancouver. If the Indians are cut off Rupert loses the trade and she gains very little from the white fishermen because many of them will only fish a couple of weeks during the big run. There is more politics than business in the independent licenses.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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The Colts and Terminals play a league game of ball tonight. Game called at 6.30.

A new hydrographic survey of the mouth of the Skeena is being made. The steamer Naden is engaged in this work.

Today the Prince Rupert has in her freight thirteen tons of steel rails for a Stewart mining company. Some further development work is to be done there.

Roy L. Hoire with a party of eight arrived today on the s.s. Prince Rupert. They will leave in a day or two for Banks Island where they will make a survey of some land for agriculture.

The steamer Grey unloaded coal here yesterday for Rogers & Albert. She left later for the Skeena with coal. The Grey is a tender for the whaling stations during the busy season.

The Dominion hydrographic survey steamer Lilloet, which has been tied up here for over a week undergoing repairs and getting supplies leaves today for her work in Hecate Straits, and on the West Coast of Graham Island.

Cannery Football Match

The Dominion Cannery and Inverness Cannery soccer teams played on Sunday last at Dominion cannery before a crowd of enthusiastic spectators and resulted in a somewhat one-sided victory for Dominion by 16 goals to 8. The Dominion scorers were: Paddy Binns (7), Barney Ruddock (4) and Al. Holland (4) while another was put through by a miss kick of an Inverness back. The Inverness goals were taken by Menzies (4), McLoughlin (2), and Anderson (2).

The Dominion forwards were much too fast for their opponents and this combined with a fine defence by Stan Kendall and Walter Lee, gave them the game. Harry Menzies played a splendid game for Inverness and it was no fault of his that his side was defeated as he undoubtedly was the best player on the ground.

Secured Splendid Collection

William Tomlinson, the representative of the mineral department on the Dominion Exhibition Commission, who is in the north collecting ore samples for the Panama-Pacific Exposition, has secured over fifty splendid specimens from the reserve ore supply at the Board of Trade quarters, and is now busily engaged in labelling and packing the samples. Some of the larger samples will go to the exposition at San Francisco and a number of the smaller cabinet samples will be installed in the Provincial Government's mineral museum at Victoria. The Board has on hand for just such purposes a large reserve supply of ore and is weekly adding to the excellent permanent collection that is kept under glass. It is not generally known that Prince Rupert has today, through the efforts of the Board of Trade, the largest number and greatest variety of ore specimens to be found in any similar collection maintained by a business organization in this province.

Football Meeting Tonight

A meeting of all those interested in the formation of a Merchants' Assistants football club is to be held tonight at 8 p.m. in the St. Andrew's Society rooms when the entering of a team to compete in the Kaien Island Football Association league will be discussed and if a favorable decision is arrived at two delegates will be appointed to attend the League meeting tomorrow night.

The funeral of the late John Beatty, who was drowned in Cameron Bay yesterday took place this afternoon from Hayner's parlors at Fairview. Rev. Canon Rix officiated.

SKEENA RIVER CANNERIES CUT OFF INDIAN FISHERMEN

INDEPENDENT LICENSES CREATES SHORT SEASON--FISHERMEN AND JAPS ARE EXPECTED TO MAKE UP THE HANDICAP

On June 20th the sockeye fishing season will open and all the canneries in the district are making preparations for it. They anticipate a good run of fish this year and as the price is high the canneries ought to have a good year.

Some weeks ago when the independent licenses were issued they were grabbed by white men in Prince Rupert, irrespective of whether they were fishermen or not. This caused a howl from the white fishermen on the Skeena who were left without licenses. In order to appease them the department issued some more independent licenses.

Now that the fishing season is drawing near the cannery men and others interested in the business are beginning to size up the situation. With a large number of independent licenses it means that a lot of the so-called white fishermen will only fish for a couple of weeks when the big run is on, leaving the canneries short of their usual number of boats in the early and late season when they are most anxious to get fish in order to make a profitable pack.

The Canners' Association has made an agreement whereby these independent boats are parceled out among them, but while that distributes the short season fishermen proportionately it does not overcome the shortage. Now the canners have a new plan. It is well known that the Japanese fishermen are the most zealous workmen in the game and in order to make up the shortage resulting from white fishermen only fishing a short season they are giving all the boats heretofore held by Indians to Japanese fishermen, hoping thereby to overcome the disadvantage of the independents.

Prior to the introduction of the iron chick and the sanitary cans certain numbers of Indian fishermen had to be taken on by the canneries in order to get the Indian women to labor inside, but this has now been greatly reduced by the improved machinery and the canneries are becoming independent of the Indians.

When sockeye fishing starts it will be found that there are many Indians without boats and just as many Jap fishermen as usual.

PATHETIC SCENES WITNESSED WHEN SURVIVORS GET HOME

WILD RUSH OF FRIENDS COULD NOT BE PREVENTED BY POLICE--FIREMAN ON TITANIC WAS ALSO FIREMAN ON EMPRESS

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, June 10.--Wild scenes were witnessed at the Exchange station, Liverpool, on the arrival of the survivors of the crew of the Empress of Ireland. The station had been packed by a dense crowd for several hours. When the train steamed in there was a rush for the carriage doors. The police officials attempted to hold back the crowd but they were powerless.

Screaming women and babies in arms were crushed against the train. Pitiful reunions were witnessed when women threw themselves hysterically into the arms of their husbands among the survivors.

William Clark, one of the passengers, had the terrible experience of passing through two most terrible sea tragedies, being first fireman on the Titanic, and filled the same duty on the Empress of Ireland.

ENTERTAIN MEMBERS MASONIC GRAND LODGE

Splendid Programme to Interest Delegates and Ladies Next Week

The delegates to the Masonic Grand Lodge meeting in Prince Rupert next week will arrive on the Princess Alice next Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. The Princess Alice has been specially chartered for the trip and the visitors will live aboard the boat during their stay here. There will be 200 aboard the boat.

The guests will be received by local Masons Wednesday morning and a formal address of welcome presented. During the afternoon they will see the city and in the evening there will be a ball in the auditorium.

On Thursday afternoon a reception and tea for the ladies will be given by the Masons' ladies of Prince Rupert at the home of Mrs. T. McClymont, Borden Street.

A. F. & A. M. General Meeting.

All Masons in the city are urged to attend a general meeting to be held in the Masonic Hall, 3rd Ave. and 5th Street on Tuesday, June 9th, at 9.30 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of arranging for the reception and entertainment of Grand Lodge members and visitors arriving on the s.s. Princess Alice at ten o'clock Wednesday morning, June 10th.

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YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

Northwestern
Portland 0, Victoria 5.
Vancouver 3, Tacoma 2.
Seattle 4, Spokane 0.

National
Chicago 1, Brooklyn 2.
Pittsburg 1, Philadelphia 3.
Cincinnati 2, Boston 3.
New York 3, St. Louis 5.

American
New York 4, Chicago 7.
Philadelphia 7, Detroit 3.
Washington 3, St. Louis 4.

Coast
Oakland 4, Portland 4.
Los Angeles 6, San Francisco 0.
Sacramento - Venice postponed.

R. J. McDonnell, proprietor of the Northern Hotel, New Hazelton, came in on the Prince Rupert today and went up the line. He has been south for the past two weeks. Mr. McDonnell says that while it may appear quiet in the north it is real lively compared with Vancouver and Victoria.

The Cradle

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Little, Terrace, B.C., June 9th, a son.

Capt. Musgrave of the steamer Lilloet, who has been in the hospital for several days was able to leave yesterday and resume his duties on the hydrographic steamer.

Arrangements are being made by several local sports to pull off a big boxing contest here on the 1st of July. It will be a match between Vaise, the present champion of Canada, and Roughhouse Charlie Burns, who recently put up such a good fight here.

Bud Corley, is in receipt of a letter from Ketchikan stating that the baseball boys will be down for July 1st. They will try to bring a band along with them. They are also arranging a big celebration in Ketchikan for the 4th of July when the Rupert ball team will be their guests.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY VOTES FOR CHURCH UNION

AFTER DISCUSSION EXTENDING OVER SIXTEEN YEARS THEY DECIDE TO AMALGAMATE WITH METHODISTS AND CONGREGATIONALISTS

(Special to The Daily News.)
Woodstock, Ont., June 10.--Presbyterian General Assembly after an animated debate voted on church union, passing the original motion favoring union

by 286 to 109. It is thought that the Rev. Dr. Grant, general superintendent of missions, whose influence was thrown against the union, will resign at an early date as a result of the vote.

C.N.R. AID BILL PASSES THIRD READING IN SENATE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, June 10.--The C.N.R. Aid bill has been given its third reading in the Senate. As soon as it is formally assented to by the Governor-General it becomes law. The vote was 35 to 20. An analysis of the vote shows that thirteen Liberals and twenty-two Conservatives voted for the government and nineteen Liberals and one Conservative voted against it.

CHINESE RESTRICTION SIMILAR TO JAPANESE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, June 10.--It is understood that negotiations are in progress between the Canadian government authorities and the new Chinese Republic looking towards signing an agreement in regard to the control of the Chinese immigration into Canada, similar to that existing with Japan. The Chinese government it is believed has intimated its willingness to the Canadian government to form such an agreement.

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