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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership between B. Knott and M. Gebhardt, trading under the name of Knott & Gebhardt, as Confectioners and Bakers, was dissolved on the 10th day of March, 1915, the business will be carried on, under the control of B. Knott, and the said M. Gebhardt is retiring from the business. All accounts will be paid and received by B. Knott.

Dated at Prince Rupert, March 19, 1915. (Signed) MARTHA GEBHARDT. Witness:—A. OHNESORO.

LAND NOTICES.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range Five.

TAKE NOTICE that William Watson, of Reno, B. C., occupation Contractor, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the northerly limit of the Right-of-Way of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, and about 35 chains southwesterly from Mile 84, east from Prince Rupert, B. C.; thence north 20 chains; thence west 30 chains; thence south 46 chains, more or less, to the northerly limit of the Right-of-Way of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company; thence northeasterly along the northerly limit of the said Right-of-Way to point of commencement; and containing about 80 acres, more or less.

WILLIAM WATSON. Dated December 26, 1914. 25-85

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DRUG CLERK MADE VERY NEAT PROFIT

Cleared Nearly \$9,000 on Field Dressings Sold to the Government.

Ottawa, March 25.—F. Powell, the Ottawa drug clerk in the employ of the Carlton Drug Company, of which W. F. Garland, M. P., is president, was on the grill before the Public Accounts Committee yesterday in regard to \$40,000 worth of field dressings sold to the Militia Department by Bauer & Black, of Chicago, in connection with which Powell acted as the Ottawa agent.

Powell told the committee that including over \$6,000 now in the bank and \$2,600 still owed to him by the government, his profit on the transaction would amount to about \$9,000. Witness said that his salary as a drug clerk was a little bit more than \$15 per week. This had continued. He admitted that the matter of prices to be charged the Militia Department for field dressings had been discussed with Mr. Garland, but denied that the member for Carleton had any interest in the \$6,000 of profits at present lying in the Union Bank or the \$2,600 still owed by the government. A. E. Fripp, M. P., asked specifically if Mr. Garland had any interest in these profits.

"No," replied the witness. "Then this was simply a side line to enable you to make some money?" queried Mr. Fripp.

"Yes," replied the witness. Examined by W. M. Martin, of Regina, Powell said that he did not get all the supplies he had sold to the Militia Department from Bauer & Black, of Chicago. He got some from local firms in Ottawa and in some cases he charged the department as high as 50 per cent profit.

NOT LIKE CANADA.

We have now been at war for over six months, and yet there has been no grave charge in respect to army contracts, remarks the London correspondent of the Liverpool Post. Those who have been privileged to see representatives of the contracts branch of the War Office at work have been impressed by the severity of the tests and the ruthless way in which goods not exactly according to standards have been thrown back on the hands of the contractors. There is a new and businesslike spirit abroad, and it is satisfactory to record that our allies are equally on the alert against the fraudulent contractor. Russia had a whole series of scandals after the Japanese war, but there has been no repetition, and the Germans were painfully disappointed to find that Russian shells, instead of being filled with sand, have exploded with deadly effect.

For a comfortable room, come to the St. Elmo Hotel, 836 Second Avenue, near Eighth Street. Newly opened. Steam heat and hot and cold water in every room. Free baths. Rates reasonable.

68th REGIMENT, EARL GREY'S OWN RIFLES. Orders by Major J. H. McMullin, Commanding, March 20, 1915:

Parades.

"A" Company will parade at the Exhibition Building on Wednesday and Friday, March 24 and 26, at 7:45 p. m.

"B" Company will parade at the Exhibition Building on Monday and Thursday, March 22 and 25, at 7:45 p. m.

W. S. MARSHALL, Lieut., Acting Adjutant.

SHIPPING MEN FIRM TO CONCEDE NOTHING

No Immediate Ending of Longshoremen's Strike Is in View in Vancouver.

Vancouver, March 25.—No new developments are apparent in the longshoremen's strike. The employers are determined to continue the stand they have taken—that demands of the union were uncalculated for and that they have the right to employ whom they choose. On Puget Sound, to which district the strike first spread out of sympathy with the strikers here, the situation is said to be unchanged.

While the sympathetic strikers first only refused to handle cargoes of ships that had been handled by non-union men in Vancouver, the strike soon spread to all lines on the complaint that men should not be hired except from the hall of the union.

Even should the local strike be broken on the original complaint, the men are still under the regulations of the international association, and they would be in the position of still having to strike in keeping with the general orders. However, there seems to be no immediate end of the strike in view as the employers have been able to get along without the union thus far and have asserted their determination to continue to do so.

PREMIER MCBRIDE IS NOT CONSISTENT

Editor, The Daily News:

Sir:—When Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in power at Ottawa, Premier McBride was always crying out for a white British Columbia. From 1908 to 1911 he used this with good effect against the Liberals. But in 1911 the Conservatives went into power at Ottawa and the stream of Chinese increased without interruption. In 1910 the head tax on Chinamen amounted to \$350,000, covering 1,425 Chinamen. In 1911 the sum was \$1,064,000, and in 1912, 5,730 Chinamen were admitted; 5,117 entered in 1913 and in 1914, 6,896.

During these years of Conservative rule at Ottawa nothing was done to check the influx of Chinese in spite of the fact that during these years employment was scarce in Canada.

Why didn't Sir Richard insist on some protection for this province as he did during the rule of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Under the Laurier rule all government tugs and dredges burned coal, the digging of which gave labor to Canadian miners. Now we have them all burning oil which is a foreign product. If this is the way the Conservatives act there is no reason why the working men of this province should support them.

The only time that the Tory government has anything for the working men is around election time and they are at last beginning to see this.

Although I am a Socialist I am going to support the Liberal candidate this time and perhaps next election we can elect one of our own.

Yours truly,

ALFRED DALSTROM.

Mrs. McMordie leaves on the Prince George tomorrow to join Captain McMordie in Victoria.

Safety First—Use New Wellington Coal. Phone 116. 6711.

The average man's idea of revenge is to take the alarm clock out into the back yard and hit it with an axe.

BELIEVES FISH LAWS SHOULD BE CHANGED

Editor, The Daily News:

Sir:—May I call the attention of all who have the interests of Prince Rupert at heart to the manner in which the prosperity of this city is being threatened by the illegal use of the seine net? Everyone knows that fishing is the most important industry of this part of British Columbia. If the fish are needlessly destroyed or driven away the whole district and in particular the city of Prince Rupert will suffer.

And the fish are actually at this moment being needlessly destroyed and driven away. A few years ago the herring came regularly into Prince Rupert harbor every year. Now they come no longer. Why? Because the seine net has been used there in spawning season and herring will not return to spawning grounds where they have once been seriously disturbed. This year the seine nets are being used on other spawning grounds. Tons of herring are being caught and there is every prospect of the herring deserting the district altogether, if the seine continues to be used.

It may be asked: "If herring are needed for food or bait, why not catch them in the easiest possible way?" Why go to the trouble of taking them by hundreds in a gill net when they can be caught by thousands in a seine?" The answer is that men working with a gill net allow 90 per cent of the fish to escape, while a seine may take every fish. Moreover, the gill net does not involve the destruction of small herring and of other kinds of fish. The seine takes up all kinds and all sizes, and they are generally suffocated before they are thrown back into the water. And, again, men using a seine net take more than they need. They take tons when they only require a few hundred-weight. Tons of fish are allowed to rot. Good food is thus wasted and the supply of fish in the sea is seriously diminished.

The herring fisheries of the old country are as rich today as they were a thousand years ago, because strict laws have been made to protect them and the laws have been strictly enforced. The same thing is needed here, or there will be no fisheries left in ten years' time. Shall the greed of a few men be allowed to ruin the whole community?

I remain, etc.,

R. F. WORTHINGTON.

Refuge Bay, B. C., March 20, 1915.

WAR ON BRITISH TRADE.

Mr. White is going to borrow from Great Britain all the money required for war expenses, which, for this year, amount to a hundred million. He called Mr. Michael Clarke to witness that money borrowed from England had to come into Canada in the form of manufactures. At the same time Mr. White is, in this budget, placing an additional tax of 5 per cent on all goods brought into this country from England. That is to say, Mr. White has managed his scheme of financing so cleverly for this year that he is going to borrow a hundred million dollars and put a double barrier on the channel by which this money is to reach the country. As British imports are already taxed to the tune of about 5 per cent, taking the total value of manufactured and raw material, this addition of 5 per cent to the duty on British goods will practically double that duty.—Montreal Witness.

"A ROMANY SPY" HIT AT THE WESTHOLME THEATRE LAST NIGHT

Patrons of The Westholme enjoyed a rare treat last night, the entire program being unusually excellent and meritorious. Especially interesting was the three-reel Pathe feature, "A Romany Spy." This story deals with military affairs in Europe just before the outbreak of the war and shows the inner workings of the spy system so prevalent at that time. There is a thrill in every situation and the final developments are entirely unexpected and highly sensational. It is certainly a splendid picture and well worth seeing. Two very fine comedies are also shown which keep the audience in a continuous roar of laughter. The musical numbers by the Westholme Orchestra are up to the high standard of excellence maintained by this deservedly popular organization and includes a number of new selections played for the first time in Prince Rupert. This program will be repeated tonight.

"THE BLACK BOX" STILL SHROUDED IN MYSTERY

The Majestic continues to draw packed houses. The second episode of "The Black Box" only deepens the mystery of the story. The "Animated Weekly" is particularly good in a series of views of France taken from a dirigible.

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Anybody who is a registered voter in British Columbia can be transferred to the local list providing he does it forty days before election. As the election date has not been announced there may still be time for this.

Anyone who is not registered and who is six months in the province should apply before April 4, when the new Court of Revision will be held. This will enable him to vote in June if the Federal election is held then.

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