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## Ten Thousand Homeless; 500 Dead

### CRITICISM OF THE NEW RAILWAY FREIGHT RATES ALREADY COMMENCES

#### Tremendous Earthquake Shock Devastates Italian Cities

One Town Alone Ten Thousand People said to be Homeless; Buildings Overthrown and People Buried in Debris

ROME, Sept. 9.—Another violent earthquake took place this morning, causing the loss of many lives and considerable damage to property.  
PRINCE RUPERT, Sept. 9.—Over 10,000 people are homeless and 500 dead in one town alone as the result of an earthquake which occurred here and which seems to have been felt throughout the country. Many large buildings have been destroyed and the people buried in the debris. Everywhere there is damage. The ground and houses trembled and many were overthrown.  
NAPLES, Sept. 9.—The Italian earthquake shock was reported as the instrument at the observatory here.

the money from the till was the direct act of a proprietor. In regard to the returning of the keys by Carlson to Miller there was the evidence of the detectives and Miller contradicted each other. The same applied between Woods and Miller in evidence. There was much conflicting evidence in which more than one witness contradicted Miller. He felt that there was sufficient evidence to convince the magistrate that Miller and Carlson were joint owners of the cabaret.

#### PRINCE GEORGE HAS NO PITY

to Liberate Alleged Murderers who are Starving Themselves

PRINCE GEORGE, Sept. 9.—Premier George firmly refuses to allow alleged Irish murderers incarcerated in Gork jail, hunger strikers are "kill-themselves."  
The mayor of Gork, residing in jail, is said to be in his vitality.  
PRINCE GEORGE, Sept. 9.—(Noon)—Lloyd George is supposed to have inspired a statement indicating that the hunger strike is to be held as hostilities pledge is given that the strike will stop murdering.

#### COW ADMITS SOLES VICTORY

Wrangell Within Twelve Days of Thirteenth Soviet Army.

PRINCE GEORGE, Sept. 9.—Moscow admits withdrawal of the Bolshevik troops before the Polk River Bug.  
STANTINOPLE, Sept. 9.—Wrangell and his army guard are within twelve days of the thirteenth Soviet Army.

#### PLANE DELAYED BY BAD WEATHER

to Leave Whitehorse Tomorrow for Telegraph Creek.

PRINCE GEORGE, Sept. 9.—The States planes are still here by bad weather. They will leave for Telegraph Creek and Hazelton tomorrow.

#### JOHN LEAVING

PRINCE GEORGE, Sept. 9.—The John is here from Prince Rupert by way of the Queen Charlotte Islands. She starts tomorrow fall schedule from Prince Rupert.

#### TOO MUCH COKE

PRINCE GEORGE, Sept. 9.—G. Barthelette died suddenly from an overdose of cocaine.

#### POLICE COURT LIQUOR CASES

Evidence in Miller Case Concluded While Prosecution Heard Against Zarelli.

#### MONDAY PROMISES TO BE VERY INTERESTING

Evidence for the defence in the Miller-Carlson liquor case and for the prosecution in the D. Zarelli second offence selling charge was heard in the police court this morning. The former case has been adjourned until September 16 and the latter until tomorrow morning when defence testimony may be taken. September 13 promises to be a big day, for several of the more prominent accused came up for sentence on that day and this morning Magistrate McMordie signified his intention of disposing of some of them.

In the cases this morning Sergeant Adams and Jack Miller were called by the defence in the Miller case, the former testifying as to Carlson coming to him inquiring as to the means of getting a license for the New Windsor Cabaret.

Miller testified again that he had no interest in the premises in question other than as the landlord. He was to be paid \$425 a month in rent, but Carlson's business affairs had been in none too good shape lately and he had been in the habit of going around about closing hours and taking such money as he could from each day's receipts towards the payment of rent.

He contradicted the evidence of City Clerk Woods that he had come to him regarding the obtaining of a license for the New Windsor. He had not known until these liquor cases commenced that the license for the premises had been made out to Carlson and himself.

#### Counsel Argue.

W. E. Williams, in his address, drew attention to the fact that Miller had explained various incidents, such as the license and keys satisfactorily. There had been other mistakes in this particular license and the inserting of Miller's name on it was still a further one. At any rate the cabaret had no interest in the liquor, for Carlson had put the \$10 in his own pocket and not in the till. He asked that Miller be given the benefit of the doubts and be dismissed on the grounds that he was not the occupant of the premises.  
Mr. Hooper argued that taking

#### Zarelli Case.

Detectives Smith and Money were the only witnesses called in the Zarelli case this morning. Their evidence which is corroborative is to the effect that the purchase had been made direct from the accused in room 1 of the Royal Hotel. Seven dollars is the sum that was paid for the bottle of King George that was identified in court. August 14 is the date of the alleged sale. Smith had seen Zarelli deliver a bottle previously to a colored lady in a chili parlor and that was how he found out that Zarelli was selling liquor.

L. W. Patmore, on the defence, questioned the witness rather severely as to dates. The witness said that he could tell every bottle he had bought and the date upon which it had been bought.

A long dialogue then took place between Mr. Patmore and the witness regarding the manner in which the latter secured a bottle of whiskey he was alleged to have been found drinking.

#### NO ROOM FOR SOME SCHOOL CHILDREN

Class Sent Home From Borden St. This Morning Pending Finding of Another Room.

The School Board has been unable to get accommodation for a class of pupils at the Borden St. school so this morning eighteen senior third pupils were sent home for the week. A committee was appointed at last night's board meeting to find quarters for another room and an effort is being made to get the Presbyterian Church hall. Dr. Grant will be back tonight and a decision will be made after he has been consulted. The class will probably resume their studies on Monday.

#### RAILWAY APPOINTMENT

VANCOUVER, Sept. 9.—D. R. Campbell, general superintendent of the C. N. R. Pacific division, has gone to Winnipeg to have charge of construction work on the merged lines in the west.

#### CAPT. PARRY DIES

VANCOUVER, Sept. 9.—Captain Melville S. Parry, M.C., 32 years of age, died here yesterday. He leaves a son, Robert Stratheona, now in the Yukon.

"The Miracle Man" Westholme Friday and Saturday. Saturday matinee.



DRINKS LIKE A TOPER  
The mascot of the R. N. M. P. of Winnipeg, an intelligent cub black bear, has a failing for beer. Photo shows the bear about to finish a bottle with a second to come near at hand.

#### R. T. Elliott has to Pay \$1,388.20 Costs of Court in the Oliver Libel Case

VICTORIA, Sept. 9.—While the damages granted Premier Oliver by the court in his libel suit against R. T. Elliott were only nominal, the judgment was in reality much more than seemed on the surface. The amount of costs awarded Oliver, as the winner of the suit and now finally approved, is \$1,388.20. This has to be paid by Elliott in addition to his own costs, which of course would be as high as those of the opposing side. The libel was therefore very costly in money as well as in prestige for the Victoria lawyer.  
The case was brought by Premier Oliver as an aftermath of an attempt on the part of Elliott and Robert J. Cromie of the Sun newspaper to get the Dolly Varden mine and railway away from the present owners. The matter came before the Legislature and Elliott made a savage attack on the premier as a result of which the action was brought. The verdict cleared John Oliver and the bills are being paid by Elliott.

#### ELSIE GORDON SIMPLY GREAT

Impersonator and Entertainer at Chautauqua Made Hit With Local Audience.

Elsie May Gordon, impersonator and entertainer, is a study in psychology. From the moment she tripped to the platform last night at the auditorium she held the Chautauqua audience and played on their feelings, making them laugh when she would, and be solemn when she wished. She gave sketches of the negroes of Georgia and sang a couple of their songs, giving a wholly new impression of the people of the slave days. She showed why it was impossible to write the folk songs of the old south.

In her other sketches she was interesting all the time and, judging by the effect on the audience, it is safe to say that everyone enjoyed the entertainment and thought it well worth the money.

The Royal Willow Four gave the first half of the program. Their singing was excellent and their jokes bright. Their part of the entertainment was somewhat similar to that given in the afternoon.

This afternoon is devoted largely to piano and vocal music, while tonight Julia Morse, soprano, sings, Alice Genevieve Smith plays the harp and there is a lecture on "Ireland" by Louisa Peat. This should be first rate, judging by the advance notices.

"The Miracle Man" arrived on today's boat and will be shown on Friday and Saturday with a matinee Saturday also. The greatest picture produced so far.

#### New Rates Immense Burden on Country

Increased Levy by Railroads will mean anything from Two to Three Hundred Millions a year to be Paid by People

CALGARY, Sept. 9.—Traffic experts here say the railway rate increases mean an added burden of \$300,000,000 a year or \$100 for every family. The loss to the western farmers will amount to \$20,000,000 this season.  
WINNIPEG, Sept. 9.—The Free Press, editorially, says that the people will have to pay an additional burden of \$200,000,000 a year as a result of the judgment. The judgment is remarkable for the amazing speed with which everything asked of it was granted.

#### CANDIDATES FOR ATLIN

Several Names Mentioned as Possible Nominees of Conventions to be Held.

STEWART, Sept. 9.—Kate Ryan one of the heroines of the trail of '98 to Dawson, is spoken of here as a candidate for the legislature to fill the position formerly held by the late Frank Mobley. She is well known, especially among the old timers, prospectors and miners, and if she runs her chances of election are said to be good. Miss Ryan is at present living at Stewart.  
Other candidates mentioned are Pat Daly of Stewart and Harry Andrews of Anyox. Both are well known and popular and it is said would make good representatives.

#### PRINCE GEORGE SELLS BONDS

Securities Valued at \$35,000 Disposed of to National Bond Corporation.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 9.—The National Bond Corporation here has bought \$35,000 worth of Prince George city bonds. These were issued to cover expenditures on waterworks and street improvements.  
The purchase was made by the corporation for United States clients.

#### PRINCE GEORGE MAN WEDS AT SAPPERTON

Takes for Bride Miss Ellen Elizabeth Patchell of New Westminster

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 9.—Miss Ellen Elizabeth Patchell, the noted musician, was married yesterday at St. Mary's Church, Sapperton, to Parker Bonley, district forester at Prince George. They have gone to Victoria for their honeymoon.  
The bridesmaid was Miss Edith D'Easum and the best man Edward Godfrey.

#### USE AIRPLANES TO CARRY FISH EGGS

OTTAWA, Sept. 9.—W. A. Found predicts the use of airplanes for carrying fish eggs to the upper reaches of the cliff-bound B. C. rivers.

#### ATTENDING CONFERENCE

VANCOUVER, Sept. 9.—Rev. T. C. Goldwell of Alert Bay and J. C. Spencer of Port Simpson are attending the Methodist conference here.

#### BIG EVENT AT RINK ON MONDAY

Leslie Grossmith, the Great English Entertainer, to Give a Great Evening's Pleasure.

The fame of Prince Rupert is attracting artists of the first water and the city is being honored with a visit by the famous English musician and entertainer Leslie Grossmith, who will appear at the Auditorium next Monday for one night only in a recital of refined humor, good music and classic drama. The name Grossmith is a household word in the old country and Leslie Grossmith can lay claim to be the most successful musical artist touring Western Canada.

Tickets disposed of by the school children in advance will yield a substantial commission and to help the school funds, everyone should buy a ticket from the children.

#### ROUND ISLAND FOR SUMMER TOURISTS

VICTORIA, Sept. 9.—The C.P.R. is considering the advisability of putting on a round the Island service for tourists. This trip would be up the west coast of Vancouver Island from Victoria to Alberni and Port Alice and back by way of Johnston Strait, Seymour Narrows and the Gulf of Georgia.

#### BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL

National League.  
New York 6, Boston 0.  
New York 5, Boston 1.  
Brooklyn 7, Philadelphia 4.  
American League.  
Chicago 5, St. Louis 3.  
Philadelphia 5, Detroit 4.