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## Formal Resignation of Police Chief

### RAILWAY YARDS ARE VERY BUSY AND BUCKLEY PRODUCT TO BE CARED FOR

#### Much Lumber Being Shipped

A million and half feet a week is going out at present but much more to follow in near future

Lumber is being shipped through this port at the rate of a million and a half feet every week and, so far, no shipments have been made from the Buckley plant on Masset Inlet from the new resaw and planing mill at the drydock. When these plants are in operation and with the local mill running regularly, the shipments should increase very materially. At the Buckley mill they are cutting half a million feet a week and it is understood that the output will be increased. This is being shipped from the Islands in big rafts and this is the natural outlet for reshipment. It is nearly all being sent to United States ports.

#### DAVIS RAFT FOR THE MILL

Logs Arrived This Morning from Shannon Bay, Masset Inlet.

This morning a Davis raft containing 600,000 feet of spruce logs arrived in the harbor from Shannon Bay, Masset Inlet, in tow of the tug Lorne. The raft passed up the harbor early this morning and was safely moored in Seal Cove and broken up at once. It was 44 hours en route from the islands.

#### MATERIALS ARE ARRIVING FOR NEW EXTENSION

Authorization to Commence Operations Has, However, Been Received Here.

Although several car loads of material for the extension to the main trunk wharf have already arrived and a scow load of creosote is expected daily, the work of the local engineer has not yet been authorized to go ahead with the work on the structure. Tenders for the work have not yet been let, as far as the local offices can ascertain.

#### CANNERIES IN SOUTH CHANGE

Balfour Guthrie Acquire Great Northern and Port Renfrew Plants

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
VANCOUVER, May 4.—Balfour Guthrie Co. of this city, for the Great Northern and Port Renfrew canneries, from the Defiance Packing Co. The concern is in liquidation and Balfour Guthrie has advanced \$150,000 to finance the operations this fishing season. The poor run forced the climax.

#### PRETTY STORY ABOUT PRINCE

Refuses to Ride on Train During Strike if Others Cannot Do So.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
AUCKLAND, N. Z., May 4.—An interesting incident in connection with the strike of railwaymen is being told here. Prior to the settlement of the walkout, the prince was told that there would be no difficulty in finding men to run the royal train.

#### BLICKLAYERS WENT ON STRIKE MONDAY IN VANCOUVER CITY

VANCOUVER, May 3.—About 250 bricklayers here struck today for a raise from eight to nine dollars a day. They refused a half a dollar a day compromise.

#### TORNADO REPORTED IN OKLAHOMA STATE

NEW YORK, May 3.—A storm with the velocity of a tornado is reported to have swept the countryside near Prior, Oklahoma. All the wires are down in that region.

#### "FIXER" OF BROKEN MARRIAGES AND HER SON



Mrs. Margaret Anglin, shown above with her son Morgan, is a well known social worker, and is known as "Mrs. Fix-it". She has laid out a recipe for happy marriage, and since last August has reconciled more than a hundred married couples. Here is the recipe:—"Keep on looking up to your husband, even if you have to get down on your knees to do it. Don't let yourself give up a single one of the illusions you had about him when he was your fiancé. Believe what he says whether or not you know it is the truth that he is telling you."

#### Large Quantities Fish Arriving at All Ports Causing Short Prices

Big halibut arrivals reported at all fish ports on the coast and the uncertainty as to the car supply here was the cause of the short price of 10 1/2c and 6c being paid for halibut on the local market this morning. No less than 150,000 pounds of halibut has been brought into this port since yesterday. With the 170,000 pounds lying in the Pacific Products warehouse this means there are 41 carloads of fish for shipment and only 7 cars to handle it in sight. The Pacific Sea Products were not bidding this morning as their place is full with the fishermen's fish awaiting shipment on consignment.

One car arrived yesterday for the Pacific Sea Products Co. and five more are coming this afternoon. This will pretty well clear them up. Two more cars are booked in tonight, one for the Booth Fisheries and the other for the Gold Storage. It is likely that the Princess Mary, southbound from Alaska this afternoon, may pick up the excess fish on the market over that going east by the cars. If not, the fish will have to go into cold storage.

#### RACE COURSE TAX REDUCED

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
TORONTO, May 4.—As a result of the protest by the jockey clubs that the proposed tax of race meetings is too high, the Ontario Government has consented to make a substantial reduction, and racing will flourish again as in the days before the war.

Hon. Peter Smith, provincial treasurer, announced that the proposed \$10,000 daily tax on the clubs conducting racing over mile courses will be reduced to \$7,500, while the half-mile courses will pay \$2,500 instead of \$5,000. Representatives of the jockey clubs recently conferred with Mr. Smith, pointing out that the tax originally proposed was almost prohibitive. The reduction followed this conference.

Alderman Perry brought up the necessity for a clean up campaign in the city at last night's council meeting and the matter was referred to the Board of Works.

#### Chief Vickers Has Resigned As Head of the Local Force

Police Commission were Notified Yesterday but did not make matter public; will be before Meeting Friday Next

#### BREAD STRIKE IN FORCE YET

Women of Vancouver Have to Bake Their Own Bread.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
VANCOUVER, May 4.—This city is still struggling with the bread question, the bakers all being still on strike both here and at Seattle. Householders who have been in the habit of purchasing bread have had to purchase flour and make their own, with the result that the smaller stores have had to send rush orders to renew their supplies.

The great topic of conversation is bread, and there is much merriment over the situation, as very many ladies are not good bakers.

#### SUE ELLIOTT FOR CIVIL LIBEL

Premier Oliver Announces Intention of Commencing Suit.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
VICTORIA, May 4.—Premier Oliver announces his intention of suing R. T. Elliott, K. C., for criminal libel in connection with the charges contained in telegrams sent him during the Dolly Varden controversy.

In a speech here recently the Premier said he would answer the charges in his own time and in his own way. This probably is his way of doing it and the time will be set by a judge of the supreme court.

#### INFANT DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. J. W. McLEOD DIED SUNDAY

The funeral of Kathleen Barbara McLeod, two month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McLeod, 919 Ambrose Ave., took place from the B. C. Undertakers' parlors at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment took place in Fairview Cemetery and Rev. Jas. Dunlop was the officiating clergyman. The death of the infant occurred on Sunday.

#### NEW STEAMERS FOR CALIFORNIA TRADE

Two Modern Vessels to be Built by American Shipping Firm

SEATTLE, May 4.—The Pacific Coast Steamship Co. of this city has decided to build two coasting vessels costing four million dollars each to run between this city and California with stops going and coming at British Columbia points.

The new vessels will be modern in every respect and will be better equipped and more luxurious than anything yet on this coast.

B. C. Undertakers. Phone 41.

Chief of Police William H. Vickers has resigned his position and the resignation is now in the hands of the Police Commissioners. It was received by them yesterday but was not given out to the newspapers. It is understood that it will come up for discussion at a meeting of the Police Commission on Friday of this week.

While no official statement has been given out, it is understood that the resignation was in the form of a protest against the criticisms which have been made from time to time in regard to the conduct of the force.

It is further understood that a large number of citizens are resigning, and it is considered doubtful whether it will be accepted by the Police Commission. At any rate it brings the police question to the fore once more and has been the general topic of conversation around town for the last twenty-four hours.

Chief Vickers has held his present position since the incorporation of the city ten years ago. Prior to that time he was chief of the provincial police and was also head of the provincial force at Atlin. He arrived in Prince Rupert in 1907 from Atlin. Prior to that time he was a member of the Royal North West Mounted Police in the Yukon. He is a native of Plymouth, England.

Chief Vickers has held a difficult position in this city, and he still has many friends who would be very sorry to see him leave his present position. Some decision in regard to it will be made within the next few days.

#### MEMBER LEFT FOR RUPERT

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
VANCOUVER, May 4.—Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands, left last night on the steamer Prince Rupert bound for Prince Rupert. He is making the usual visit following the session of the legislature, and says he has a number of matters to discuss with the Board of Trade and other bodies of interest to the people of the district.

Mr. Pattullo is pleased at his success in securing adequate appropriations for the district and is keen on having the work start at as early a date as possible.

#### PROGRESS AT PREMIER MINE CONTRACTS FOR A NEW VESSEL

Concentrator Going in; More Men Working and Another Ore Shipment is Ready.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
STEWART, May 4.—This summer the low grade ores of the Premier mine will be concentrated at the mill which is being installed and production returns at this great property will be vastly increased thereby. Next winter in all probability there will be heavy shipments of concentrates as well as high grade ore.

The last of the heavy machinery arrived on the Prince Albert recently. There were some very heavy parts but these were handled without too great difficulty though Dale L. Pitt, general manager of the company, was wishing the sun would cease its destruction on the snow road for a few days longer.

Work at the Premier is making excellent progress. The crew has recently been increased somewhat by additional miners and timbermen. Just how soon it is impossible to say at this time, but progress with it is satisfactory. The mill will have a capacity of 100 tons daily and will be the first unit of a much larger plant.

More than 300 tons of high-grade silver-gold ore has come down the hill since the last shipment was made. Boyle Bros. of Spokane are diamond drilling the property under superintendent L. Jesson. Pete Hanley, field manager for Boyle Bros. in this district, has been here for a few days in connection with his company's contracts.

#### ALBANIA UPRISING

Greeks Being Massacred at Epirus Says Wireless Despatch.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
LONDON, May 4.—An Albanian uprising against the Greeks has begun at Epirus, according to a wireless despatch from Moscow. Outlaw bands are scouring the country and massacring the Greeks.

TONIGHT  
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THEATRE  
**Tom Moore**  
IN  
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Two Reel Mack Sennett Comedy, "Her Blighted Love"  
Canadian Pictorial