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## Victoria Not

Needing Money. Victoria does not need money for building houses. There is no demand there. Of the small allotment of \$180,000 only about \$90,000 has been taken up.

Prince Rupert needs more houses. The money may be available for some place where people are willing to take it. Why not another allotment for this city? We know nothing about whether or not we might get the money, but, if we can, it would be an advantage to the city to have the houses built even if there is some expense doing so. The crying need of the city is houses.

Those who have visited the West End recently must have been particularly struck with the progress that section of the city is making. Handy little houses are going up and people are moving there. Very soon the population will double what it is today. All this improvement has been brought about by the loans received from the Government. It is difficult to appreciate the conditions that would have obtained if there had been no loan.

In loaning almost the full value of the house and lot, there must naturally be some risk. The city bears that risk. Possibly it would be better to build up the city without incurring the risk, but how is it to be done? Can anyone suggest a better method? If not, then the thing to do is to incur a little more risk. It does not amount to very much even if the whole amount is lost,

## Sugar Situation

Somewhat Difficult.

There is a scarcity of sugar in the world. Also other commodities are scarce. Of sugar, however, there is a very serious shortage and very soon we may have to do without a good deal of the sweetness of life. The Royal Bank review of trade conlitions says of it:-

"Realization of the sugar situation is becoming more general, the facts of the case having been brought home to the majority by sharp rises in the retail price. The world's beet sugar production this year will be about one-third of 1914, Cuban crop estimates have been heavily cut down, and it can be definitely seen that a world shortage exists.

"Before the war, Europe produced its own requirements of sugar, and was able to export as well. Its beet sugar crop in the season 1913-1914 was eight and a half million tons, as compared to a crop for 1919-20 which will probably not exceed three million. Owing to the prevailing chaos, lack of fertilizers and fuel, and greater inducement to raise grain, the prospects for early recovery are not good. There is no immediate relief to be had in the eastern markets. British India does not produce enough to supply its own wants. Java's crop will be increased next year, but for the present season is about 25 per cent below normal. This means that France, England, Italy and many other countries are turning to the Western markets, and more especially to Cuba, for supplies. Owing to the drought, this season's crop in Cuba will be less than the last, early estimates of 4,400,000 tons having been reduced to 3,900,000 tons.

"The situation does not improve when viewed from the standpoint of consumption. In Europe, rationing or restriction are found almost everywhere. The demand is ready to rise sharply on any relaxation of control, and must be, potentially, very large. In England, the ration of sugar, which was raised from eight to twelve ounces per week in January, 1919, was reduced ration and an open market for sugar were fast exhausting the It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, HYMEN HOLDS SWAY country's stocks and were contributing to raise the price The decree prohibiting all private dealings in sugar has been revoked this month. Merchants of the United Kingdom can now enter into the sugar business in competition with the Royal Commission Rupert varies only a few minutes on the Sugar Supply. Supplies, however, are still rationed at on some days and on others is the rate of eight ounces per capita per week."

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## PRINCE RUPERT TIDES

Friday, May 14

High, 10:30 a.m., 17.3 feet. 22:40 p.-m., 19.7 feet. Low, 4:28 a.m., 6.3 feet. 16:24 p. m., 6.5 feet. Saturday, May 15

High, 11:22 a. m., 18.2 feet. 23:23 p. m., 21 feet. Low, 5:18 a.m., 4.6 feet. 17:13 p.m., 6 feet.

Sunday, May 16 High, 12:11 p. m., 19.2 feet. Low, 6:03 a.m., 3 feet. 17:59 p.m., 5.6 feet.

Monday, May 17. High, 0:5 a. m., 22.1 feet. 12:57 p. m., 20 feet. Low, 6:47 a.m., 1.6 feet. 18:44 p. m., 5.3 feet.

Tuesday, May 18. High, 0:46 a.m., 22.9 feet. 13:42 p. m., 20.4 feet. Low, 7:30 a.m., 0.6 feet. 19:29 p. m., 5.2 feet.

Wednesday, May 19. High, 1:28 a.m., 23.2 feet. 14:28 p.m., 20.5 feet. Low, 8:14 a.m., 0.3 feet.

20:16 p.m., 5.5 feet. The time used is Pacific Stan-

from midnight to midnight. The table given is for Port Simpson but the time for Prince the same. The range of the tide WINNIPEG, May 14 .- During north-west corner of D.L. 1853; thence neaps. Therefore the rise in the ing shortage do not seem to be a Prince Rupert harbor is slightly deterrent to the sale of marriage

lower low water.

THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF setting up house-keeping. LOUIS DIXON, DECEASED, INTESTATE.

the first publication of notice of a record total of marriages. Omcial Administrator.

Abandoned Skinny and Eddy Corporation Yard and Drops Contracts.

SEATTLE, May 14 .- David Rogers, president of the Rogers Shipbuilding Corporation, abandoned possession of the forme. Skinner & Eddy yard, Number yesterday. The attorney for the Emergency fleet Corporation entered the yard with a force of watchmen.

This action of Rogers' ends the deal which he had arranged with the Shipping Board for the pur- Sundays ...... chase of the yard, which now will

Imperial Oil Co. State that No Scarcity will Prevail Here-Benzol New Product

### COMPANY IS ENLARGING WAREHOUSE CAPACITY

The fears that have been expresed by owners of gasoline boats and those interested in the fish business and other industries vitally concerned may be dispelled as far as the distillate question here is concerned. The officials For Massett, Port Clements and 50c. a box 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. of the Imperial Oil Co. here emchatically state that they are and will continue to be in a position to supply all the demands here and their supplies are ample. The Imperial Oil Co. is still continuing the manufacture of distillate at its plants and on May For Skidegate; Queen Charlette Canvas goods, oilskins, 2 20 another big tanker will arrive

### New Motive Fuel

Automobile owners who have woolen underwear and socks. I been "cussing" the high cost of I gasoline and the low mileage trained from the product which is now being distributed throughout the country will be interested in the announcement that has just been made that a new motive fuel known as "benzol" is being manufactured at Anyox. Benzol is a by-product of coal in the process of coking and the present production at the Ismelter town is 750 gallons per day. It should be available for local use in a very short time and the Granby company will market it independently, it is understood. Experiments have been made with it lately and TAKE NOTICE that William J. Leary the car owners who have used it. find that a considerable increase in mileage has been noted. The described lands:product fires much more readily than gasoline.

## Enlarging Premises.

The announcement is made at chains, to point of commencement. the Imperial Oil Co.'s office that they are to commence work at an early date on the doubling of their warehouse and the repair of the wharf. The increase of business passing through the plant make it necessary to enlarge the storing capacity and the repairs the wharf have been under con- described knds:sideration for some time as its condition is none too good. Calls for tenders on the warehouse thence work are already out and the bids will be considered in the course of

## AT PRAIRIE CAPITAL

a few days.

Many Weddings in Month of April.

may be computed as 5 per cent April there were a record number greater at Prince Rupert than at of weddings in Winnipeg. The Port Simpson both at springs and high cost of living and the housgreater than Port Simpson. | licenses if figures at the city hall The height is in feet and tenths are any criterion. Officials stated of feet above the average level of that so far this year there has been a noticeable increase in the number of weddings in the same IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH Months for the last three years. IN THE MATTER OF THE ADMINISTRA- This they attribute to the fact that many of the returned men are northwest corner of D. L. 1853; thence

During April there were 232 HEREBY GIVEN TO WHOM weddings as compared with 189 IT MAY CONCERN of an Order made by His Honour F. McB. Young, in the above matter on the 27th day of April, A. D. Weddings since January 1 total H. 859, as compared with 664 in the said deceased as occurring first four months of last year. It month of January, 1918, is predicted that this year will see

Statistics for April, given out Rupert, B. C., that the said de- today, show that there were 522 DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C., this of 104 men and 128 women were sound day of March, 1920. reported during the month.

## MAIL SCHEDULE

For the East. urdays at 10:30 a. m.

From the East. Sundays, Tuesdays and Thurs-

days at 7 p. m.

For Van uver and South. May 4, 14 and 25

From Vancouver and South. Sundays . . . . . . . . . . . . 10 p. m. Wednesdays ..... 10:30 a. m. April 30, May 10, 21 and 31

For Anyox and Alice Arm. Wednesdays ...... 11 p. n

From Anyox and Alice Arm. hursdays ..... p. m.

For Port Simpson, Arrandale, Milli Bay, Wales Island and Naas River. Sundays ..... 11 p. m.

From Pt. Simpson, Arrandale, Mill Bay, Wales Island and Naas River.

Queen Charlotte Islands: Upper Island points: May 12 and 26

rom Masset, Port Clements and Upper Island points: May 13 and 27

May 1, 15 and 29 From Skidegate, Queen Charlotte

City and Lower Island points

City and Lower Island points-May 4, 18 and June 1

For Skagway and the Yukon. April 30, May 10, 21 and 31 From Skagway and Yukon.

May 4, 14 and 25

Howart, Maple Bay and Swamp Point. For-Saturdays .... 9 p.m.

From-Sundays .... 10 p.m. SKEENA LAND RECORDING DIVISION.

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NOTICE .

births, as compared with 728 in issue after the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, a fresh the Prince Rupert Baily pared with 261 in March. Of the spaper published at Prince Spaper Spaper Published at Prince Spaper Spaper Published at Prince Spaper Sp for a period of one month. births 31 were illegitimate. Deaths October, 1910, and is numbered 269-I.

H. F. MacLEOD, District Registrar of Titles.

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