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MR. CLEMENTS GIVES PLANS FOR COMOX-ATLIN

COPIES OF THE DAILY NEWS PROVE CLUE TO HIS IDENTITY

DEAD BODY OF MAN KILLED ON WASHINGTON RAILROAD IS
SUPPOSED TO BE P. J. CARRIGAN, THE PROSPECTOR,
HAD MUSHED HERE FROM EDMONTON LAST AUGUST.

P. J. Carrigan, the lone prospector who a few weeks ago munched it all alone from Edmonton to Prince Rupert, is dead, having met a tragic death on the railroad track near Kelso, Washington. Of that there is little doubt after reading a letter which arrived at The News office from Dr. Floyd A. Bird, coroner of Coville county, Washington. The dead man, who was struck by a train, was identified through having in his pocket a copy of the Prince Rupert Daily News and a clipping, both relating to the exploits of Carrigan as published in The News of Monday, September 25th. He is described by the coroner as a man of about 450 pounds, 5 feet 7 inches tall, with dark hair and clean shaven face. At the time of his death he was wearing a greenish blue suit and a gray mackinaw coat. The description leaves little doubt that the unfortunate victim of the railroad is Mr. Carrigan. The clipping and copy of The News were the only things to fix his identity, as he was unknown in the vicinity of the accident. According to Carrigan's statements in The News office, he was a Newfoundlander by birth, and had relatives at Kodiak Island, Alaska. He was fond of the lonely life in the wilds, and while in the Grand Canyon of the Fraser River last August had rescued from drowning Jack Fountain and George Cook of Victoria.

MAYOR MAKES NO COMMENT

On Subject of City's Defeat He Is Silent—Says McMorris Case Will Take Its Course—A Wildcat Resignation Rumor Denied.

Mayor Manson had nothing to say this morning in regard to the city's defeat in the Supreme Court yesterday. Asked what he thought of the Judge's opinion of the strike period particularly, he declined to venture any comment. Regarding the S. P. McMorris case, the Mayor said that this would come up before Council in course. He was not immediately concerned with it. City Solicitor Peters mentioned that the McMorris case was not nearly in shape to come before the Supreme Court yet, and would certainly not be heard at this sitting. A wildcat rumor attributed to some one of the name of Manson—and not Alex. Manson—to the effect that the City Solicitor and City Engineer had both handed in their resignations yesterday afternoon was denied by the Mayor. "They have certainly not handed in their resignations to me," he said.

CHRISTMAS CANDY.

Keeley's special shipment for this year cannot be surpassed. It is a distinguished traveler.

A DISTINGUISHED TRAVELER

Mr. Henry Fales Gordon, the famous globe trotter, whose travels in many lands are well known, has been paying a flying visit to Prince Rupert. He was button-holed by a News reporter on Centre street this morning, and though at first he denied his identity, he owned up at last. He will probably pay a flying visit up the line before returning.

ACCUSED OF MURDER

Rev. Clarence V. Richeson, the Baptist preacher who is accused of the murder of his jilted sweetheart, Avis Linnell, is to stand trial on January 15th.

A Friend in Need.

In giving Xmas presents don't forget your feet. They are entitled to consideration for their faithful efforts during the past year. Just call on Scott, Froud & Co. and make a selection. 21

Notice to Property Holders in Section 2.

A meeting of property holders in Section 2 is called for Tuesday night next (19th inst.) at 8 o'clock at the Police station for the discussion of matters of mutual interest and benefit.

POMP AND POWER AT OLD DELHI

On Golden Thrones King and Queen Are Viewed by a Procession of Natives—Took an Hour and a Half to Pass Along.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Delhi, Dec. 14.—The King and Queen were given a great ovation at the garden party last night, at which seven thousand guests were present. Late in the afternoon their Majesties, seated on golden thrones, watched for an hour and a half a long train of religious and other native processions pass in review, depicting the customs of the ancient Mogul empire. It is estimated that a million natives watched the scene, which was one of rare beauty.

TO REPLACE THE KESTREL

Proposal That the Dominion Government Purchase Hon. James Dunsinuir's Yacht Delaura for Fishing Cruiser.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Victoria, Dec. 14.—It is reported here that the Dominion Government may purchase the steam yacht Delaura, the property of Hon. James Dunsinuir, for the fisheries protection service on the coast. The craft is being held at a price of \$125,000.

A PRINCE RUPERT CASE

Dispute Over Lot Heard Before Supreme Court at Victoria.

(Special to Daily News.) Victoria, Dec. 14.—Prince Rupert figured largely in the Supreme Court today when Chief Justice Hunter heard an application by John Irving of this city for reversion on a piece of property in the northern town. Defendants in the case are Arthur Pearson and William Moser of Vancouver. The case is not yet concluded.

BANK ROBBERS RAID

Three Masked Men Enter Bank of Commerce at Everett.

(Special to Daily News.) Everett, Dec. 14.—Three masked men entered the Bank of Commerce just before the closing hour last night and at the point of the gun demanded all the money in sight from a lone clerk. They secured \$1,500. There is no clue to the robbers.

Which Are You?

Some people have trouble with their feet; others wear Scott, Froud & Co.'s shoes and leave trouble alone. 21

NO USE FOR RUSSIA

Persecution of the Jews is Resented by the United States.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Washington, Dec. 14.—The Sulzer resolution for the termination of the treaty of 1832 between the United States and Russia, because of the latter's discrimination against American Jews, has passed Congress by a vote of 300 to 1.

City Council Meets.

A meeting of the City Council will be held tonight at 8 o'clock. Matters of general business will be discussed.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER ILL

Cables from England Describe Him as Critical.

(Special to Daily News.) Toronto, Dec. 14.—Cables from England received today indicate that the condition of Sir Charles Tupper is very critical.

Sir Charles Tupper, one of the few survivors of Confederation days, is now in his 90th year, having been born July 2, 1821.

Christmas Season.

At Keeley's a large assortment of just the proper gifts for "him" or "her."

MISSING, JOHN McINNES.

Mother of Lad from Skye, Scotland, Seeks Her Son.

From Broadford, Skye, Scotland, comes a mother's appeal for information regarding her boy, John Stewart McInnes, nearly 21 years old, tall and slight of build. He was last heard of 18 months ago, at Mortlake, Moosejaw, and Regina, and was reported to have gone to B.C. Any news of him will be attended to by Chief Vickers.

Amandia Wright was fined \$25

and costs this morning for breach of the Public Morals Act.

\$2,000,000 DEFENSE FUND IS PRACTICALLY ALL SPENT

STATEMENT IS MADE CONCERNING McNAMARA CASE BY SECRETARY FRANK MORRISON OF THE A. F. OF L. DARROW'S FEE WAS \$50,000 OR OVER.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) New York, Dec. 14.—Not less than \$50,000 was the fee received by Clarence Darrow for his services in defending the McNamara brothers in the Los Angeles dynamite case, according to a declaration made here by Frank B. Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor and custodian of the McNamara defense fund.

Mr. Morrison also said that for days after the McNamara brothers' plea of guilty money for their defense was pouring in. The subscriptions were made before the pleas were entered.

Mr. Morrison said more than \$200,000 had been subscribed and practically all of this had been spent. The money received by

the committee after the pleas of guilty were made, he said, would be returned to the contributors, while the residue of the defence fund, if any, would be either sent back to the contributors or distributed pro rata among the unions contributing it.

Christmas Gift Problem

Easily solved at Keeley's Pharmacy from the diversified line of Hand Painted Gold Laid China, in Steins, Tobacco Jars, Ash Trays, Sugar Bowls, Cups and Saucers, etc. A suitable gift is easily decided upon. 11

City Clerk Woods has recovered from his recent slight indisposition and is on duty again at the city hall.

PUBLIC WORKS FOR COMOX-ATLIN

Mr. H. S. Clements Outlines to Vancouver Reporter All He Intends to Try and Get for Prince Rupert Next Session

PUBLIC BUILDING AND DRY DOCK

Will Also Advocate Improvements to the Telegraph and Mail Service, and the Establishment of Wireless Stations at Various Places Throughout the District—Will Try and Secure Dry Dock for Prince Rupert

Vancouver, Dec. 14.—Improvements to the present telegraph and mail service, the establishment of wireless stations at various places throughout the district, the erection of a public building at an important centre and the construction of wharves and dockyards are among the important projects that the member

for Comox-Atlin, Mr. H. S. Clements, hopes to have submitted for consideration next session, according to his statements when interviewed today on his return from Ottawa.

Among other things he hopes to have a quarantine wharf built at Prince Rupert and to provide for the erection of public build-

ings at Courtenay, Port Simpson, Comox and Prince Rupert, also for a drydock at the latter place.

The despatch evidently refers to a second drydock for Prince Rupert, the subsidy for the G. T. P. drydock having been passed in the estimates of the late Government nearly a year ago.—Ed.

MADE ELOQUENT AND SYMPATHETIC APPEAL ON THE INDIANS' BEHALF

Rev. W. E. Collison in a Masterly Address Told of the History, Religion, Character and Deeds of the Indians—Has Been Brought Up Among Them and Has Faith in Their Future

Intensely interesting was the address delivered in the Presbyterian Church hall last night by Rev. W. E. Collison on "The Indians of the North Pacific Coast." Far too small an audience heard it. Born, himself, on the coast with Indian boys only as his playmates for his early years, Mr. Collison has the Indian tongues at marvelous command, and his illustrations of the power of expression in the many languages of the coast Indians well conveyed the fact that the coast races have sprung from no mean crowd of savages, but seem rather to have degenerated from a highly developed race.

Old Indian Legends.

Touching on the far-reaching "crest system" of the Indians, on their laws of succession, of marriage and of revenge in the early days, Rev. Collison held his audience in rapt attention for over two hours. He told the story of the totem pole with one or two of the familiar legends which the Indians hand down, one in particular being strikingly reminiscent of the Bible account of Jonah and the whale. Mr. Collison mentioned also that all the Indian tribes have in their legendary history accounts of the flood, only each tribe claims the survivors as its own members.

Slow Three Grizzlies.

Hunting stories Mr. Collison told, the great one being that of the chief who slew three grizzlies single-handed, the last one by clutching it with his wiry arms and legs so that it could not reach him with its teeth or claws, nor shake him off, he all the while gnawing his way into its windpipe. The hunter was found side by side with his trophies, the last bear dead, the chief all but gone from loss of blood, as the bear had scratched his back almost to ribbons. Rev. W. E. Collison saw the man, heard the story from his own lips and vouched for its truth as he had seen the scars on his back. Archdeacon Collison has the skull of the great grizzly given him by

The Indians' Appeal.

To repeat last night's lecture would take a whole paper. It was to the last degree full, varied and interesting. In his conclusion the Rev. Mr. Collison struck a fine note of appeal for the Indian race, anxious now after all their long history to become like the white men, whom they so aptly mimic. He spoke of the reserves, denying that they contain so much better land than that about them and pointing out that there is little chance of the Indians ever improving land to which they have neither individually nor in community any real title. "Would any civilized white man or group of white men do it?" asked the speaker. The Indians' appeal, concluded Mr. Collison, is for terms of equity now with the incoming white men whom he sees taking possession of his old hunting grounds and gardens. "Treat me like a man," he cries, "and you will have a good man, and a good citizen."

For Members Only.

A meeting of the members of the Ratepayers' Association will be held in the MacIntyre Hall on Saturday night. The meeting is intended for members only.

The cook book compiled by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Prince Rupert General Hospital is on sale at Orme's drug store and Williams & McMeekin's grocery store. A copy should be in every home in Rupert. Besides helping a worthy cause, a useful necessity is obtained at minimum cost. 11

Canada Grows.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Canada's trade for 1911 amounts to \$769,443,905, an increase over the previous year of over seventy-nine millions.

Free doll at Ward's Candy Shop. Watch the window. 11

That chief on his deathbed.

home to the Naas. His presence last night, with the speaker of the evening, is a credit to the energy of the pastor and organizers of the Presbyterian Club. The vice president, Miss MacKenzie, presided very gracefully and a reading from Hiawatha and piano selection by Mr. Robinson were rendered during the evening. Rev. F. W. Kerr was present as a listener and introduced Dr. Tomlinson.

WILL MEET UNION MEN

Mr. J. C. Watters to Be in Carpenters' Hall Tonight.

Mr. J. C. Watters of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council will meet a number of the local labor leaders tonight in the Carpenters' hall to discuss forming a trades and labor council for Prince Rupert. All union workmen are invited to be present.

ENGLISH SPIES' HEAVY SENTENCE

Schultz, a Ship Broker Found Guilty of Espionage, Receives Seven Years and His Companion Twelve Years.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Leipzig, Germany, Dec. 14.—Heavy punishments were meted out to the English spies arrested at Hamburg in March last. Schultz, the English ship broker, received a sentence of seven years and another man named Hipsch twelve years. Wulf received two years and two others three years each.

Christmas Cards.

Largest assortment in town. Begin sending now. Don't fail to look them over. Keeley wants to see you. 11

SUPREME COURT SESSION ENDS

Case of Beaton vs. Christiansen & Brandt Decided for Plaintiff Today with \$4,000 Commission and Costs.

Mr. Justice Clements after hearing the evidence in the case of Angus Beaton vs. Messrs. Christiansen & Brandt today found for the plaintiff, Beaton, for the amount of \$4,000 and costs, being half the profits on a Lakelse valley land deal which Beaton had furthered for the firm named. Messrs. Williams & Manson appeared for plaintiff and L. W. Patmore for defendants.

This case ends the sitting of the Supreme Court in Prince Rupert for this time. Judge Clements having adjourned the court sine die when he rose at 12:30 today.

PUBLIC GUARANTEE.

We are authorized by the publishers to guarantee that every person who, during the month of December, pays a year's subscription to the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal, will receive a copy of their valuable premium picture, entitled "Home Again." The Family Herald and Weekly Star's subscription receipts in November were 60 per cent. over November, 1910, almost entirely owing to the picture, which is admitted by all who have seen it to be the best premium ever given with a newspaper. Those who fail to secure a copy will have themselves to blame. The Family Herald and Weekly Star and such a beautiful picture all for one dollar is such rare value that no person can afford to miss it. The picture is given both to renewal and new subscribers.

DAINTY WORK DONE IN GAOL

Prisoner Valentine Stella Has Modelled in Chewed Bread a Whole Street Grading Outfit With Drills and Wheelbarrow.

Work of marvelous neatness considering the uncouth material used has been executed in chewed bread and a few chips of wood by Prisoner Valentine Stella, held on an assault charge in the city gaol. Repeated adjournments have caused this case to drag on for many days, and during the delay Stella has secretly contrived to pass the time by modeling with his dinner bread a full miner's equipment or street grading outfit for a wheelbarrow gang. All kinds of drills, crowbars and hammers, a pick, a maul, a double bitted axe, a pointed shovel and a wonderfully neat wheelbarrow have been made by the prisoner. The work was not quite finished when discovered and confiscated by the police. Stella has repeatedly asked to be set to work, but this cannot be allowed under the circumstances of his case, which is still pending.

The problem of selecting small Xmas gifts for sending by mail is easily solved at Wark's. Remember, your last opportunity for mailing gifts home is Thursday.

NO HOPE FOR MINERS

Tragedy of the Tennessee Coal Mining Disaster Deepens.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Bryceville, Dec. 14.—With the passing of another day without the discovery of any more live men in the Cross Mountain mine hope for the rescue of the fifty men still unaccounted for has reached the lowest ebb. Forty-five bodies have been recovered thus far.

Fresh cut flowers Wednesday.

Wark's. 11

REWARDED THE CAPTAIN

Capt. J. C. Hunter of the Northwestern Has Bravery Rewarded.

Seattle, Dec. 14.—A heavy gold hunting case watch, suitably engraved, has been presented to Captain J. C. Hunter of the steamship Northwestern at Seattle by a committee of the passengers of the steamship on the southbound trip just ended, during which the vessel was storm beaten for eight days. During all that time the captain never had an opportunity to remove his clothing and for one period of 50 hours he was on the bridge and in the pilot house continuously.

Leave orders now for Xmas flowers. Wark's. 11