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### ROYAL STANDARD FLOUR

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Thus you will see how every sack of flour is really "pre-baked"—o.k.'d by our chemists and guaranteed to produce the greatest possible "oven-spring;" the finest of textures; the goldenest of crusts, and uniformity above all things. It is the result of such consistent chemical analysis that has entrenched Royal Standard Flour so firmly in the homes of B. C. housewives.

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Main Office and Mills—Vancouver  
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### BEN SELF IS GONE TO ARRANGE FOR FILMS AT EMPRESS THEATRE

Will Open Early in New Year and Will Have Up-to-Date Picture House.

Ben Self went south last night to Vancouver; and Seattle to make arrangements for a film service and orchestra preparatory to the opening of the Empress Theatre by him as a picture house. He expects to be back and have the theatre in operation on or about the first of the year.

In accordance with the demands of the censor, Mr. Self has had a number of improvements made at the Empress. He has had a solid concrete operating room built in the centre of the building instead of at the side and all the wires have been placed in conduits and everything done to insure perfect safety against fire.

When the house opens there will be a three-piece orchestra led by Charley Balagno. The operator will be a returned soldier, secured through the vocational officer, and everything will be strictly up to date.

Ben Self will have personal charge of the theatre. He is a man who makes a success of any business which he takes in hand and his motto is always to improve. He will undoubtedly give his patrons at the Empress a show that will appeal to them. The seating capacity of the house is only 400 and this he expects to fill regularly.

## MODELS of the MOMENT



AFTERNOON FROCK OF SILK AND GEORGETTE

STRIPED SATIN COLLAR IN CREAM

and no fabric that is stiff or tightly woven should be developed in this way. Crêpe has retained its popularity throughout the ages, and is as popular in 1918 A. D. as it was in the years B. C., and it is the medium in which the draped frock most frequently is fashioned. Carrying out the old idea of simplicity of pattern and artistry of design, an up-to-date Madame La Mode has created many a frock of which the one depicted here is typical. Fashioned in black Georgette crêpe and fawn, silk drapery combines with touches of handwork here and there to create a singularly smart effect. For the dress that is tight fitting—the tailored type—nothing adds a more becoming or a daintier finish than a collar in white or in cream. Wide as the choice that was offered her, madame has shown her good taste in selecting a long, narrow pointed affair that just suits her style of beauty. Feathers are a feature of the day, and when arranged cleverly with an eye to height and color they make a turban all that it should be. In this case a gold and blue fancy adorns a chic little chapeau of blue velvet.

Perhaps all of us will not agree with him, but most of us will admit that there was much of effective grace and beauty in the soft materials and artistic drapery of their outer garments. As for their under garments. It is a well known fact that they were generally knitted and fitted glove-like to the figure. So it may be said that in their art of dressing they exemplified the worth of the garment that is either snug fitting or draped. We have come around to think a good deal as they did, for we have proved to our own satisfaction that the frock that is neither draped nor fitted never gives entire satisfaction. The draped dress is a particular favorite with the modern woman, for it never misrepresents the form, however partially it may conceal it. Folds are the telling feature of drapery.

### If Cooks Could See the Factory



We would like to plan a great excursion to the plant, so every person who cooks could see the care the milk gets. We would also like to show how carefully the milk is tested for richness and quality. They could see the clean, sunlit buildings and scrubbed floors that would make a Holland housewife envious. It is these things that give PACIFIC MILK its wholesome goodness.

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### Hotel Hyder

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### Hotel Prince Rupert

EUROPEAN PLAN  
\$1.50 per day and up.  
FIRST-CLASS CAFE  
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FIRST CLASS ROOMS—  
Hot and Cold Water.  
50c per Night, and 85c per Week.

### Belmont Rooms

Under New Management  
Well furnished and clean. White people only.  
J. P. HARRAGAN

### Many of the Best Families of British Columbia and Vancouver

Barred influenza from their homes altogether. Others banished it quickly as it did appear, by following the example of the Argentine Republic, South America, where thousands of cases developed, but not a single death occurred.

These people use a simple but very effective remedy grown in South America, Cinchona or Peruvian Tree Bark steeped in pure wine by which process the powerful tonic properties of the Bark are extracted and held in suspension in the wine.

Cinchona Tree Bark imported from Peru, South America, steeped or macerated in pure wine for sixty days, then carefully filtered and bottled is sold under the Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act of Canada No. 3095 as KENNEDY'S TONIC PORT at Drug Stores only.

Testimonials from the very best people of Vancouver, Victoria and throughout British Columbia and Western Canada are voluntarily coming in. Many of them state that it saved their lives. Others that it restored them to vigorous health quickly after the Flu.

It is a reliable restorative in all cases of general and nervous debility and is enjoyed when other medicines disagree.

You who are nervous, rundown or anaemic will find it of special value.

**MINERAL ACT**  
Certificate of Improvements.  
**NOTICE**  
Drum Lummon, I. X. L., Caledonia, Mavis, Bis, Kitchener, Big Thing, Dumfries, Montevie, Index, Malachite, Cupprite, Grey opper, Wharf and Bunker mineral claims, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of tange 4, Coast District. Where located:—On Copper Creek, Douglas Channel.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John D. Anderson, J. C. L. S., of Trail, B. C., acting as agent or the Drum Lummon Copper Mines, Limited, Free Miner's Certificate No. 22, 639-C, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements. Dated this 21st day of September, A. D. 1918.

J. D. ANDERSON.  
**LAND ACT**  
SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS.

TAKE NOTICE that Eugene Humphrey Simpson of Prince Rupert, occupation master mariner, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:— Commencing at a post planted at a witness post situated at the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 2353, with the shore line; thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, more or less, to the shore line; thence following shore line to the point of commencement, containing 20 acres more or less, situated near Klum-Kwoi Bay. EUGENE H. SIMPSON, Morris Doumont, Agent. Date, December 3rd, 1918. F. 19

### TWENTY-NINE CASES IN THE POLICE COURT

The police court for the month of November which was presented to the commission last night by Chief Vickers shows that there were 29 cases in all brought before the police magistrate. In 21 of these, convictions were secured, 3 were dismissed and 5 were still pending. The offenses were:—Drunkenness, 9; theft, 3; having liquor in possession, 5; assault, 2; breach of the closing bylaw, 2; threatening, 1; breach of the motor act, 2; fighting, 2; under the Idlers' Act, 1; for having opium in possession, 2. The total payroll for the month was \$703, a small increase over the previous month, A. J. Phillips having been engaged in helping for a short time during the influenza epidemic. The fines for the month amounted to \$446.

### REFUGEES FLEEING BEFORE PEASANT BANDS IN WESTERN RUSSIA

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)  
Warsaw, Dec. 19. — Every train arriving here is bringing in the families of Polish nobles, land owners and sugar manufacturers who are refugees from Ukraina and Lithuania, where bands of peasants are massacring and robbing. This is particularly true of Ukraina, from which place the Germans are slowly returning to their own country.

### LABOR BOARD WILL AVERT A STRIKE

Washington, Dec. 19. — National War Labor Board assumed jurisdiction in the New York harbor boatman's wages dispute and decided to hold a hearing Saturday at New York. This likely will avert a strike.

### Advertise in the Daily News.

**CREDITORS' TRUST DEEDS ACT AND AMENDING ACTS.**  
Notice is hereby given that David E. Maxwell of Port Clements in the Province of British Columbia, merchant, has by deed dated the 10th December, 1918, assigned all his personal property, real estate, credits and effects, which may be seized and sold under execution, to George Levick of Prince Rupert, B. C., Accountant, for the purpose of satisfying rateably and proportionately, and without preference or priority, the claims of his creditors.

The meeting of the creditors of the said Maxwell will be held at the office of Williams & Manson, Third Avenue, Prince Rupert, B. C., on Monday, the 30th day of December, 1918, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate. All creditors are required to appear on or before the 15th day of January, 1919, to forward particulars of their claims proved by affidavit or declaration to the undersigned, care Williams & Manson, Prince Rupert, B. C., after which date the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which have been filed with him. Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 14th day of December, 1918. GEORGE LEVICK, Assignee.



## Give a WAR-SAVINGS STAMP for Christmas!

**BUY** a War-Savings Stamp at any Money-Order Post Office, Bank, or other place displaying the War-Savings Stamp sign. This will cost \$4.00. At the same time ask for a Certificate and affix the W-S. S. thereto.

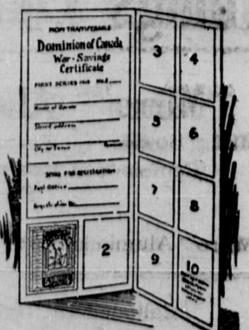
Fill in the name and address of your friend, of your boy, girl, or other person for whom your gift is intended, and there you have the most desirable of gifts!

You might say, in presenting it, "It is worth four dollars in cash right now at any post office, but I advise you to hold it because it is the promise of the Dominion of Canada to pay you Five Dollars on the first day of 1924."

"This is a 'baby bond', earning interest, and you can make it a bigger 'bond' by saving up and buying more stamps. It is easy to buy W-S. S. because for every 25 cents you save you can get a THRIFT Stamp, 16 of which on a Thrift Card will be exchanged for a W-S. S."

After January, 1919, the purchase price of W-S. S. increases 1 cent a month—the interest earned. The cash surrender value increases also. Certificates with one or more stamps can be registered at the Post Office against loss by fire, theft, or other cause.

A gift of a War-Savings Stamp is more than a gift of cash. It may well mean the commencement of habits of Thrift, to the great benefit of both the individual and the country at large.



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