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Joe and FredExperts Favor Falls River Project
AFTER LONG ABSENCE STEAMER PRINCE RUPERT BACK IN HER HOME PORTLocal Pulp Manufacturing
Concern Plans to Interest
Eastern Capital in Power

W. J. Barrows, consulting hydraulic engineer for the Prince Rupert Pulp and Paper Co., J. P. Leland, superintendent of construction, H. P. Crowell, resident engineer, and E. F. Duby, local manager, returned by the company launch Seal Cove from a trip to the Falls River on Monday night. The trip took three days and a thorough physical examination was made of the power project at the Establi River. A great deal of data was obtained and a mile taken of the dam site. All the information will be used in the making of estimates on costs.

Mr. Barrows, as well as Mr. Leland and Mr. Crowell, both of whom have had considerable experience in hydraulic engineering, look upon the Falls River project with a good deal of interest. It is one that is believed would answer well to the large scale that is being considered by the company. Mr. Barrows is now getting out a preliminary report on the project.

To Interest Capital.
The Prince Rupert Pulp and Paper Co. is not proposing to develop a power proposition of its size itself but Mr. Barrows, at the instigation of the company, to investigate power with a view to determining whether or not their development is practicable from a business standpoint. If one of the proposals is found favorable an enormous amount of capital will be made to interest eastern capital in its development to bring hydro electric power to the city for general service to the community and any business that may be established.

When Mr. Barrows has finished his preliminary reports he will return to Dayton, the headquarters of the Management Engineering and Development Co., where he will prepare estimates of cost. Mr. Leland and Mr. Crowell are remaining here to look on the laying out of the plant at Seal Cove.

**JURY DISAGREE
ESMONDE TRIAL**
Verdict for Conviction and One for Negative Verdict.

VANCOUVER, May 25.—The jury disagreed on Monday afternoon in the trial of Esmond Esmond, alleged Sinn Féin leader, charged with uttering seditious words. There will likely be a second trial. Eleven of the jury found him guilty and one voted out for a negative verdict. Two newspapermen testified that they had heard Esmond declare the British administration of Ireland, urging a meeting "on the Sinn Féin" in its propaganda. Several witnesses were then called for the defence who denied that they had found anything in Esmond's speech to justify the charge of sedition.

**LONGSHOREMAN DIES
AFTER HIT BY TRAIN**
William Bailey Meets Death on Powell Street Crossing, Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, May 25.—Struck by a C. P. R. train on the Powell Street crossing on Monday, Wm. Bailey, a longshoreman, died of his injuries at noon.

DEMONSTRATION
OF CHILDRENAnnual I. O. D. E. Patriotic Affair
Held on Monday.

Packed to the doors with smiling and merry chattering children bursting with excitement and high spirits, the Westholme Theatre presented a bright and inspiring appearance on Monday afternoon. The occasion was a grand rally of the children of the city under the auspices of the Municipal Chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire to listen to the age worn story which is epitomized in the two beautiful Latin words, "Pro Patria" (for our country).

The event which is an annual affair generally starts off with a monster parade of all the school children carrying flags and banners who march through the city accompanied by their teachers. This part had to be dispensed with on Monday on account of the rain which did not seem, however, to dampen the ardor of the youngsters who had arrived at the theatre by 2 o'clock. To the music of the full Westholme orchestra, who most generously donated their services for the occasion, patriotic songs were sung.

Canon Rix and Principal Brady delivered short, simple addresses in accord with the subject, impressing the children with the importance of staunch and loyal adherence to the land of their forefathers, or, in the case of the many from foreign lands, to the country of their parents' adoption.

Mrs. William Millar gave a song in her usual charming style and Mrs. J. C. McLennan, regent of the Municipal Chapter, spoke a few words thanking the management of the theatre and the orchestra for the courtesy extended them.

Before breaking up, a couple of appropriate films were put on the screen which caused the children much amusement and enjoyment.

PROFESSOR BANCROFT
ARRIVES IN NORTH

Passed Through to Take up Important post at Anyox.

A. J. Bancroft, professor of geology at McGill University, and one of the leading geologists of North America, passed through the city on Monday, coming north on the S.S. Camosun en route to Anyox to take up the position of assistant general manager of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting and Power Co., taking the place of E. E. Campbell who recently resigned.

Professor Bancroft has obtained one year's special leave of absence from the faculty of the university and may at the expiration of that time decide to leave the teaching profession and engage actively in that of mining.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Alexander and their daughter Gwen returned from Esk on the train this morning.

TWO COSTUMES MADE ENTIRELY OF PAPER.



Paper dresses, paper collars, paper hats, paper dresses and even paper raincoats are being exhibited by the United States Department of Commerce. The two young women seen in the picture are in a full paper regalia.

RAILWAY LINE
IS CLEAR NOWFirst Trains Crossed Last Night
and All are Moving Again.

The slides between Endako and Smithers which have been causing delays on the C. N. R. for the past few days have been now cleared and all trains are moving again. The through westbound train, delayed since last Sunday night, reached here at noon today and the eastbound left at 2:15 after the cars had been turned. Yesterday morning's eastbound train crossed the area of the tie-up last night and is now east of Prince George.

GEORGE BATEMAN
FINED IN POLICE COURT

George Bateman was reminded by Magistrate McMordie in the police court this morning that he must really cultivate a more precise understanding of the terms "meum et tuum." He appropriated a rubber mat valued at eight dollars, from the back premises of George Frizzell's old store in the McIntyre Block and despite the fact that Mr. Frizzell's name was on it, offered it for sale at the Table Supply Store. Within an hour of his taking it he was in the hands of Sergeant Bailey on his way to the police station. The magistrate decided to give the accused a chance and let him off with a fine of \$25 or thirty days.

TURKISH FIGHTING

French Troops Captured Three Hundred Prisoners at Tchatalja Thrace.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 25.—French troops captured 300 bandits in a battle fought west of Tchatalja Thrace.

ELECTIONS IN
ULSTER HELDCharges of Intimidation and Beat-
ing Are Made by
Both Sides.BALLOT COUNTING WAS
STARTED THIS MORNING

BELFAST, May 25.—Wholesale charges of intimidation by beatings and threats during the balloting in Ulster today have been made by the Nationalists and Unionists. Each side appears to conceal the fact that personation has been carried on to an unprecedented extent. The city has returned to an almost normal condition after a night of excitement. Following the elections crowds remaining on the streets until late and the stragglers had to be sent home by the police.

The election officials, this morning, began to count the votes cast in the elections yesterday for the members of the new North of Ireland parliament.

GREEK PRIEST HERE
TO HOLD BAPTISMS

Rev. C. D. Liacopoulos, of the Orthodox Greek Church, at present carrying on his ministrations in Vancouver, reached the city on the train today from Pittsburgh, Penn., whither he had been sent to receive another priest recently arriving from Europe. While here, Rev. Liacopoulos will hold baptismal services for seven little Greek children who have been born in Prince Rupert.

J. A. Kirkpatrick arrived from Vancouver today on the Prince Rupert and will spend the next few weeks in the city.

Mrs. John McRae, accompanied by her father, Mr. Oxley, returned this morning from Terrace where the week-end was spent.

PRINCE RUPERT
IS BACK AGAINPopular Coaster Presents Pleas-
ing Appearance After Com-
plete Repairs Made.

Presenting a very pleasing picture, the steamer Prince Rupert, Captain H. L. Robertson, sailed into the harbor at noon today for the first time since the Swanson Bay disaster of eight months ago. The vessel had a good list of passengers and a big freight cargo.

There are some specially attractive new features on the vessel, chief of which perhaps is the observation saloon, which has been entirely refurnished in selected birdseye maple. Rich deep carpets cover the first cabin decks and the staterooms have been refitted with new equipment of the best quality.

There has been little change in the machinery of the vessel with the exception that the steering gear has been altered to direct control. When the ship met with her accident the rudder was operated by a telemotor and some doubt was expressed at the marine inquiry as to the satisfactory working of the mechanism.

Special Trips.

The Prince Rupert took the place of the Prince George at Vancouver on Saturday night when she made the run to Victoria and Seattle. The Prince George has now gone to Esquimalt where she will be until the end of this week. Next Saturday night she will leave Vancouver on a special run to Prince Rupert carrying passengers and mail, arriving here on Monday morning. On her arrival here she will go into the dry dock to complete her annual overhaul.

On Saturday, June 5, the Prince George will leave at midnight for Vancouver on another special trip carrying passengers and freight, calling at Swanson Bay and Ocean Falls. At Vancouver she will pick up the Board of Trade excursion and return north. When she again gets back south the double summer service will be commenced with the trip from Seattle on June 12.

BOYS OF BAPTIST
SUNDAY SCHOOL ARE
BEING ORGANIZEDHad First Trip of Season Yesterday
to Lost Lake—Series
Planned.

The Trail Rangers, a boys' organization, has just been instituted in connection with the First Baptist Church by R. B. Linzey. The purpose of the body is to further the physical, intellectual, social and religious activities of the boys. Among other things it is planned to take several excursions to points of interest about the city.

Yesterday the first of these excursions was held when Mr. Linzey and eight boys had a very successful fishing trip to Lost Lake.

FIRE IN HOSPITAL
AT NEW GLASGOW

NEW GLASGOW, May 25.—A fire at the New Aberdeen Hospital here did damage amounting to \$10,000. All the patients were safely removed.

Martin O'Reilly returned today on the Prince Rupert from a business trip south.

SETTLEMENT OF
DIFFICULTIES IN
UPPER SILESIABritish Suggest Communes be
Awarded to Countries
They Favor.

PARIS, May 25.—The latest plan for the settlement of the Upper Silesian controversy is reported to be a British suggestion that Germany and Poland be given respectively the communes that voted in their favor in the recent plebiscite but that the territory be held under the control of a special commission for thirty years.

CANADA'S HEART
IS STILL TRUEPremier Meighen Says Country
Would Again Rise to
Occasion.

OTTAWA, May 25.—Replying to the speech of the Right Honourable J. W. Lowther, former speaker of the British House of Commons, who after the presentation of the new speaker's chair to Canada was the guest of the Canadian branch of the Empire Parliamentary Association, Premier Meighen declared that the heart of Canada, which brought her into the war on August 4, 1914, was as true now as it was then and that if a similar occasion arose in the future her actions would be identical.

BUCKLEY ARRIVES
HERE ON WAY TO
HIS ISLAND CAMPSAccompanied by Senator Stevens
of Montana Will Make
Inspection Trip.

FRANK L. Buckley, head of the Massett Timber Company, arrived from Vancouver on the Prince Rupert today and will leave tonight on the Prince Albert for Massett Inlet where he has a mill and extensive timber interests. He is accompanied by Senator Stevens of Montana, who is also interested in the timber industry of the north.

DROWNED WHEN FELL
INTO SWIFT FLOWING
WATER NEAR VERNON

VERNON, May 25.—James McCulloch, a driver from Sumas Lake, fell into the swift flowing water while breaking up a log jam near here and was drowned. The body was yet unrecovered. McCulloch was a returned soldier and had been overseas for four years.

LLOYD GEORGE AND
VALERA CONFERENCE
DENIED IN BELFAST

BELFAST, May 25.—Dail Er-rans, of the publicity department, issued a statement on Monday declaring that reports originating in Belfast that Valera and Premier Lloyd George were in direct negotiations for a settlement of the Irish situation were false.