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Anyox Situation Is Satisfactory.

The decision of the people of Anyox to continue work rather than to have the place shut down indefinitely is most satisfactory to the whole province. To have thrown a thousand men or more on the labor market at the present stage would have accentuated the present trouble and would have been a calamity. Now the people there will have a living for the winter, and doubtless, if things have changed by spring, the company will do the right thing by them.

From the Prince Rupert standpoint it would be fatal to have Granby closed down. Now that there is renewed interest in the mines of Anyox and Stewart, it is highly important that work shall go on at all the mining camps in the North. To shut down would discourage mining, and it is encouragement that is needed now, not discouragement.

Why Not Go to Telkwa Barbecue?

The Telkwa Barbecue is the great event of the Bulkley Valley, and farmers and others go there from everywhere within easy travelling distance. It is the meeting place of the men of the Interior. There are to be all sorts of amusements, including horse racing, and the people there have taken great pains to prepare for the big event. Taking all this in view, it is to be hoped that Prince Rupert will be well represented there. Some are going, we know, but there should be a large number, for Telkwa is the farming centre and a visit to that point is quite worth while.

Belfast Strike Was Soon Settled.

There was a strike on the Great Northern Irish Railway yesterday but it was soon settled and the men went back to work. That was eminently satisfactory. To have a strike there in addition to the political upheaval which has been worrying that distressed country would have accentuated the trouble. Everything which will bring about a settlement of the political difficulties is welcomed.

Not All Lovely In Germany.

The despatch received yesterday which stated that a decree of President Ebert almost amounting to martial law was being enforced seems to indicate that there are troubles brewing in that country. This is the history of all the countries that have been at war. It must be. There will be agitations and possible outbreaks because the people have not yet recovered from the shock of war and economic conditions have not yet righted themselves. Germany especially, with its military party on the one hand and its socialist tendency on the other, is very likely to seethe and boil for a generation to come. The country is so busy working, however, that the people have not time for thoughts of rebellion. The probability is that the authorities will be able to cope with any possible disturbance.

Not Much Sympathy With Municipal Agitation.

We have not much sympathy with the agitation of the cities to secure preferential treatment from the Provincial Government in the matter of finances. As it is, the people of the cities have great advantage over the country districts, and the more they get from the government the less there will be for the rural districts. People do not seem to realize the condition. There can be only a certain amount of money raised, and it is raised in taxing the people. If the cities get more, the country gets less. The farmers should at once take the matter up and offset any efforts of the cities to get more than their share of the apportionment of expenditures. It is up to the cities to keep their expenditures within their incomes. Often the cities do not get value for the money expended. There is not that rigid economy which is required in any ordinary business. The result is that they run into debt and expect future generations to pay it.



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Fred Gilhuly and Ralph Lepine Are Going to Put This up to Local Elks' Lodge.

To take enough halibut, salmon and other fish delicacies with them to put on a Prince Rupert Fish banquet for all the delegates at the Elks' Convention at Winnipeg next year, is the plan Fred Gilhuly and Ralph Lepine, delegates to the Calgary convention this year, are going to put up to Elks Lodge No. 46, Prince Rupert.

Mr. Gilhuly returned to town this morning on the Prince Rupert and he was highly enthusiastic about the proposed scheme. "The way the Okanagan delegates put their country to the fore at Calgary was about the last word in publicity," he declared. "Prince Rupert might well take example from it."

Mr. Gilhuly returned from Calgary by way of Vancouver. Mrs. Gilhuly is not home yet.

WESTERN PACKERS SAVED SITUATION

Supply of Ice From Butedale Enabled Local Houses to Carry on.

The local fish houses are expressing their gratitude to W. J. Jefferson, manager of the Western Packers, Butedale, for his action of sending ice from his plant at Warke Island to the local market. They say that it was only through this action on his part that all the local buyers with the exception of the Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Co., have been able to carry on during the past fortnight with a bad shortage of ice facing them. The Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Co., while doing its utmost to help the situation, is able to do little more than supply what it needs itself while the supply from the railway company is now exhausted.

The following were the arrivals this morning which are holding over until tomorrow: Virginia, 30,000 pounds; Norma, 6,000 pounds; Wabash, 5,000 lbs.; Kouyos, 4,000 pounds and St. Eloi, 3,500 pounds.

WIRELESS REPORT

August 31, 8 a.m.

BULL HARBOR—Raining; calm; barometer, 29.52; temperature, 56; sea smooth; 2 a.m., spoke Spokane off Noble Island, northbound; 8 a.m., spoke Chelohsin, off Storm Island, southbound.

DEAD TREE POINT—Cloudy; calm; barometer, 29.56; temperature, 54; sea smooth.

DIGBY ISLAND—Cloudy, calm; barometer, 29.31; temperature, 53; 9:45 a.m., Prince Rupert passed in.

BIRTH.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McDonald of Sixth Avenue East at the General Hospital today.



TIMBER SALE X-3450.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forester, Prince Rupert, not later than noon on the ninth day of September, 1921, for the purchase of License X-3450, near Evans Arm, C. B. 3, to cut 250 M. board feet of Spruce, Hemlock, Balsam and Cedar.

One year will be allowed for the removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria; the District Forester, Prince Rupert, B. C.

Pattullo Tells England About British Columbia Prince Rupert to Fore

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands and member of the Legislature for this district, gave a very interesting interview in London, England, which was published under large headlines and with illustrations in "Canada," a British publication circulated in that country. The interview, in which Mr. Pattullo takes care to put Prince Rupert well to the fore, follows:

"I suppose I may be a prejudiced witness, but the more one contemplates the resources of British Columbia the more one marvels. By way of illustration, our province is one-third larger than pre-war Germany, and has infinitely greater natural resources; yet we are supporting a population at the present time of only about 700,000 people, whereas Germany has been supporting 65,000,000 people. One does not like to indulge too many superlatives, yet when one studies the whole situation the possibilities seem limitless.

"Our resources are not confined to one particular direction. We have our vast forests, our mines, fisheries, agricultural and fruit lands, and a delightful climate. Vancouver, our largest sea port, has shown phenomenal growth since the opening of the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1886, and with its adjoining municipalities now contains about 225,000 people. Victoria our beautiful capital city on Vancouver Island, has also shown steady growth, and will undoubtedly always retain its prestige and popularity. Prince Rupert, the terminal city of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, with its great hinterland, is making rapid progress. It does a larger fishing business at the present time than all the other coast cities put together.

"What we now most need," continued Mr. Pattullo, "is a greater volume of settlement in the interior—preferably of men with capital, or who can influence capital, to develop opportunities which they will find staring them in the face. During my visit I hope to stimulate the work carried on by our Agent-General in the direction of attracting the right class of settlers—men of British birth, who have practical knowledge of agricultural work and sufficient capital to acquire their own freehold. For example, in one particular tract, our Government has an area of some 200,000 acres, in the Stuart River district, accessible to the railway, the soil of which is splendidly adapted to mixed farming, and the title to which can be obtained direct from the Government for from \$2.50 to \$5 per acre. We should like to see a thousand British families settled on this land. The value of our irrigated fruit lands is already pretty well known over here, and the Government itself is developing an irrigation project in the southern Okanagan which should attract a large number of those who prefer fruit-growing to general farming. This land is obtainable at from \$175 to \$350 per acre."

"Selected Immigration. When informed that the impression prevailed that British Columbia, like other provinces, was now discouraging immigration, Mr. Pattullo replied: "The impression that we are discouraging indiscriminate immigration is all right. We do not advise anyone to come out who has neither capital nor practical knowledge, but we shall do all we can as a Government to make things comfortable for the class of people we so urgently need to develop our immense and scarcely-touched natural resources. Through our Provincial Land Settlement Board we are able to be of much assistance to settlers. The Board from time to time acquires areas in different parts of the province and re-sells to settlers on favorable conditions. Our Department of Agriculture also, with its corps of experts, gives advice in various directions gratis."

"Timber Products. Mr. Pattullo proceeded to speak enthusiastically of British Columbia's forests and lumber resources, and said he proposed to visit Norway and Sweden. "I want to investigate the conditions under which the pulp and paper mills in these countries are operating, and incidentally to look into the methods they use in making their waste products profitable. We cannot know too much about what our competitors in this tremendously develop-

ing industry are doing. I propose also to go to Egypt, with which since the war we have been doing some business. William Turnbull, our Lumber Commissioner, came over with me, and will accompany me on these visits, and in the United Kingdom itself there is, I believe much that we can do to push forward the claims of British Columbia to the attention of all kinds of users of the woods with which our forests abound."

Rupert to Participate.

Asked as to the situation regarding mining and the fisheries of the Province, Mr. Pattullo said: "As to the latter, the latest official statistics show considerably increased values. Our former Commissioner of Fisheries, Colonel Cunningham, is now over here in connection with our export business to European countries, particularly in regard to salmon. The halibut fishing around Prince Rupert has developed large proportions, and there are now about 450 vessels operating from that port in halibut fishing. Prince Rupert is also going ahead quietly in other directions. The big dry dock there is now in operation, and two large steel steamers are in course of construction. Prince Rupert will assuredly participate in the inevitably great development of trans-Pacific ocean traffic. In the mining areas much development work and prospecting is going on, and those specially interested in such matters will do well to study the latest reports and bulletins issued by my friend and colleague, the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines. Copies of these and other departmental reports can be seen at the office of our Agent-General here, Fred C. Wade, who has a very wide and a very practical knowledge of the natural resources of our province."

Unemployment.

Asked as to the reported unemployment in the Province, Mr. Pattullo said: "There has been a good deal of exaggeration, I think, but undoubtedly in our

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Arthur Ellis, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, was up in the General Hospital yesterday for the first time since his recent illness. He expects to be out and around again in a few days.

Major C. B. North, superintendent of the Dolly Varden Mine, Alice Arm, arrived from the North on the Camosun yesterday afternoon and will return on the Prince Rupert tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lambert, of Anyox, are in the city today on their way north. Mr. Lambert is principal of the Anyox public school. They have been spending the holidays in the south.

W. P. Beal, principal of the Prince George public schools, was a passenger from boat to train this morning. He has been spending the summer vacation in Victoria and is returning for school opening next Tuesday.

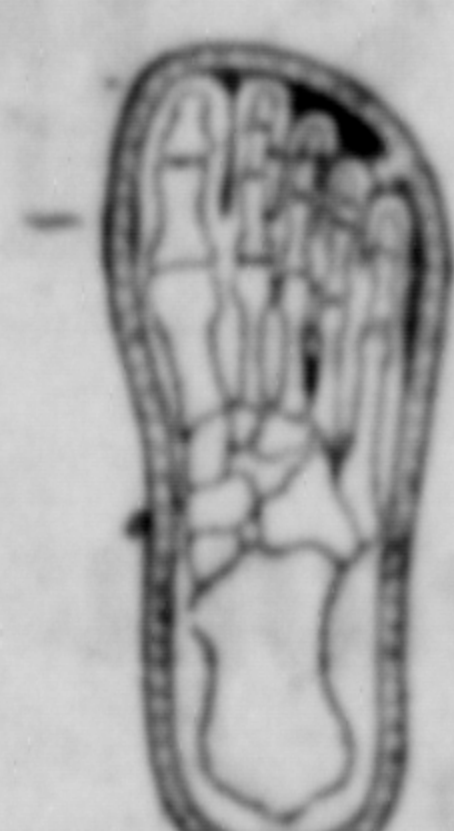
Mr. and Mrs. C. Rorie and family arrived today from Vancouver. They will take up their residence in the Baxter house at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Hays Cove Circle until recently occupied by Dr. and Mrs. Tremayne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. DeJen and Miss Lethe Coleman, of the Dominion Chautauquas, arrived from Prince George on last night's train. Mr. DeJen, who is a magician, and Miss Coleman, who is a lecturer, will take part in today's and tomorrow's program.

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