

SKEENA MEMBER SECONDS MOTION

Backs Mr. Lemieux in Request for Protection of Canadian Citizenship Abroad

A resolution moved by Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux in the House of Commons asking for a copy of all correspondence between the Canadian Government and the Serbian Government concerning the expulsion of Dr. Burubani and his hospital mission from Montenegro was seconded by Colonel Peck, according to the latest copy of Hansard.

Mr. Lemieux outlined the case of the doctor who had served during the war and had raised money and given his services to aid the Serbian forces. Later he had been badly used and ordered out of the country. Mr. Lemieux spoke at considerable length, urging the necessity of Canada asserting her nationality and protecting her citizens. He said: "If we cannot as a Dominion within the four corners of the British North America Act assert our rights and protect our nationals abroad, we still have the old British flag which protects every British subject wherever he is to be found in the four quarters of the globe."

Peck's Speech

In seconding the motion, Colonel Peck said:

"I listened to the speech of the hon. member for Maisonneuve with great interest, and he certainly spoke temperately and with dignity. I think we should first do what he asks for, that is, investigate these charges. He did not state that the charges were true, he simply asked the Government to take measures to investigate them. In that he is entirely right. All I can say is, if those charges are true, it is a case of base ingratitude on the part of Serbia, because this young nation plunged into the war with the greatest courage and chivalry to uphold, among other things, the rights of small nations, and particularly the rights of Serbia, who was the first nation to get us equipped in the war. Therefore, Mr. Speaker, although I am not a scathing imperialist and though I do not go so far as the hon. and gallant gentleman said with a clip on my shoulder, I think we may rely upon the fight in a gentleman who is the head of the Government in this country, if he discovers that injustice has been done to a Canadian citizen, to be the first to uphold the cause of the nation with that dignity and firmness which are characteristic of him. It is a very good occasion upon which to let the world know that the rights of Canadian citizens must be respected everywhere. The Government should take every step necessary to the fullest investigation of this matter and adopt such measures as the facts seem to warrant."

CONFIRMATION AT KITKATLA

Picturesque Village Visited by Bishop Du Vernet and Parson Rushbrook

CHURCH ARMY PROVES ATTRACTIVE TO NATIVES

Forty-two miles south from Prince Rupert and a little off the Ogden Channel is the Indian village of Kitkatla, picturesquely situated on the shore of Dolphin Island. Among the public buildings are St. Peter's church, which is on rising ground, the Day school, the Church Army hall and the town hall, which are on the water front. "Chic" Gamble and Angus Collison have fine houses. The streets are paved with gravel and broken clam shells which together become beaten into a fine surface. The street to the church covered with clam shells might be called the "White Way" and dazzles the eye when the sun is shining on it.

The Anglican Church began its work in this village in 1882 and the Indians have responded well to the teaching both of the church and the school. They are an intelligent and independent people. More than two dozen gas-beds are owned and operated by the Kitkatas, the meaning of the name being "The people of the sea."

Confirmation

Rural Dean Rushbrook, skipper of the Northern Cross, visits this village monthly and is always warmly welcomed. Last week he took with him Archbishop Du Vernet for a special confirmation service. Dr. Bayne also accompanied them as an invited guest and both in a medical and a dental capacity administered first aid and relieved some suffering. Calls were also made at Lewis Island, Oona River and North Porcher, and to the lonely white settlers. Parson Rushbrook's monthly visit with a bundle of magazines kindly donated by various Prince Rupert citizens.

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NEW YORK, April 20.—In an editorial on the labor situation in Canada, the New York Herald Tribune states:

"The labor situation in Canada is unique among the nations in that the serious labor troubles, which she appears to be passing through, are the result of the difficult process of adjustment to the after-the-war conditions as painlessly as possible."

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FOR OIL IN THE PEACE RIVER COUNTRY

NEW YORK, April 20.—That the Peace River Petroleum Limited possesses forty-eight acres of oil lands in the neighborhood of Hudson's Bay commencing drilling operations at a point three miles from the town of Hudson's Bay as soon as ice leaves the river, making it possible for transportation of the necessary equipment, is the news from those interested in

and with a genial personality which radiates sunshine and good cheer, is a great inspiration.

Notwithstanding the fact that many of the Kitkatas were away at Banks Island St. Peter's church last Sunday was well filled both morning and afternoon, the archbishop preaching on both occasions. At the morning service he confirmed seven young men and seven young women and also administered the Holy Communion to thirty-five. A native played the organ and the singing was very hearty as the native people love music. In the evening the same people gathered in their fine new Church Army hall when Rural Dean Rushbrook presided.

Church Army

The Church Army is under the direction of the clergyman, but the natives are encouraged to express themselves more freely in this more informal meeting. Bright choruses and rhythmic beating of time focus an appeal to the emotions rather than to the intellect, but when taken together with the more instructive church services these informal meetings have a helpful function to fulfill.

COMET TO BE NEAR EARTH NEXT JUNE

Has Already Been Sighted But Will Be Several Million Miles Away.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 20.—Winnicke's comet, the periodic comet, which approaches the earth at intervals of five years and eight months and will come "very near" to the earth in June, according to the prediction of Dr. Crommelin, an English astronomer, has been sighted by Prof. E. E. Barnard of the Yerkes Observatory, at Williams' Bay,

Wis. Word to this effect was received today at the Harvard College Observatory.

Astronomers have been watching for Winnicke's comet for several weeks. It was originally discovered in 1858. It moves in an elliptic orbit around the sun, taking five years and eight months to complete the circuit. So far it has never come within several million miles of the earth on its periodic visits.

MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THE FAR NORTH

Hospital to be Established at Fort Vermillion by Presbyterian Church

EDMONTON, April 21.—Arrangements for medical service in the north country, so far as the provincial authorities are responsible for it, are under way, and the department of health will shortly inaugurate a policy that is expected to meet the needs of the situation for the coming season. A district nurse is to be sent to Fort McMurray and will be located there permanently to take care of cases requiring attention in that community or coming in from points along the river.

North of Fort Smith the medical needs of the oil prospectors and others will be under the control and direction of the Dominion authorities and it is expected that arrangements will be made along these lines when the organization party headed by G. S. Finnie takes up its work. A scheme is afoot for the establishment by the Presbyterian church of a small hospital at Fort Vermillion. The erection of a hospital with accommodation for a half dozen patients is projected for the present season and will be ready, it is expected, by the early

summer. The provincial health department is endeavoring to secure a doctor for Fort Vermillion and it is understood that Dr. P. N. McDonnell, now of Ignace, Ont., will come shortly to take up work at that point. The Fort Vermillion district has heretofore been quite without either medical or hospital service and the need of some such provision and it is understood that in view of the expected inrush of men into the adjacent oil country will come shortly to take the joint action now proposed.

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