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Saturday, January 22, 1921.

House Shortage Throughout World.

There seems to be a shortage of houses throughout the English speaking world. How it has come about nobody seems to know. Men went to war and killed each other by thousands and when those who were left returned they found there were not enough houses for all. Owing to the high price of material

it was not profitable to erect new houses. Now conditions are changing. The price of building material is considerably lower than it was only a few months ago; there is plenty of labor available and people who need houses will be arranging to have them

In Prince Rupert there is still a shortage of dwellings and the condition will be accentuated as soon as the spring work starts up. There is no longer a provincial housing fund on which to draw. We are left to our own resources in regard to the matter. It is up to us to make provision.

Various buildings are being planned. Several people have schemes in mind in regard to business blocks or apartment houses. These should certainly be given every support. The need is apparent and the people should undertake the work. A few good apartment blocks and boarding houses should be profitable undertakings.

High Prices For Halibut.

There is no reason why fish should be an expensive food in Canada. If certain varieties are costly in comparison with other fish the fault lies with the Canadian people. Take as an example halibut. People ask why it should cost so much more than other fish. The reason is that it has been put in a luxury class. If those people who have so religiously adopted halibut as their fish course would substitute brill, plaice, sole, flounder or witch occasionally they would do much toward correcting this situation. These fish are closely related to the halibut, are available in abundance and have a delicacy of flavor and fineness of texture which many people consider superior to the halibut.

The reason for the higher halibut price is this: It is estimated that from thirty to forty per cent of the catch on halibut lines go long distances to new banks for the halibut, leaving prolific . banks nearer home stocked with many varieties of fish but no halibut. Thus it will be seen that the cost of the boat's cruise must come out of the 60,000 or 70,000 pounds of halibut taken.

People to Blame For Condition.

But you cannot blame the fisherman for throwing away other fish to get 60,000 pounds of halibut. He is in business for a living. The people themselves, whose tastes the fisherman must gratify. are responsible for the economic waste and the consequent higher

prices of their favorite fish. The drain that has been made upon the halibut banks during the past few years threatens to seriously curtail the supply unless protective measures are instituted. It is right that the Canadian people should know these things because our fisheries are their dard, for the 120th Meridian west. property and those commercially engaged in the industry are merely custodians of their wealth:

Increased Demand By Means of Bonus.

The substitution of other varieties of flatfish, equally as on some days and on others is palatable, but more abundant and procurable nearer home, has the same. The range of the tide for some years been urged by the Fisheries Branch at Ottawa as may be computed as 5 per cent a means of protecting the halibut fishery. In 1918 the Govern- greater at Prince Rupert than at ment bonused the flatfish industry on the Pacific coast, halibut Port Simpson both at springs and Montreal. Toronton and excepted, for the purpose of creating a market in the western neaps. Therefore the rise in the Winnipez, each on market in the western provinces. While two-thirds of the transportation charges were Prince Rupert harbor is slightly paid by the Government as far as the western boundary of On- greater than Port Simpson. tario a thriving business was developed. When the Government withdrew the rebate, however, and it became necessary to raise of feet above the average level of the retail price from ten to fourteen cents per pound, the market lower low water. declined. Why people would not pay the difference but still had no objection to paying twice the price for other fish, is hard to explain.

Dr.JOS.MAGUIRE DENTIST.

Rooms 7 and 8 Smith Block

Lady Assistant
Office Hours: 9-12; 1-6; 7-9.

Phone 575

Open Evenings Sunday by Appointment

G. H. ARNOLD, Notary Public

FOR SALE

A fine double corner on Sixth Avenue, near McBride Street in Section Six. Sewer connection. Can be bought cheap for cash. An excellent site for that dwelling which you are going to build in the spring.

H. G. HELGERSON, LTD. Insurance

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Rentals

FIT GUAUANTEED THIRD AVENUE

and reasonable prices send goods to CITIZENS' CLEANERS couver. Inquiries solicited

ANOTHER VICTIM

Entirely Well After Six Weeks' Treatment With "FRUIT-A-TIVES"



MR. AMEDEE GARCEAU

32 Hickory St., Ottawa, Ont.

"I was for many years a victim of that terrible disease, Rheumatism. In 1913, I was laid up for four mouths with Rheumatism in the joints of the knees, hips and shoulders and was that of Electrician.

I tried many remedies and was under the care of a physician; but nothing did me any good. Then I began to take 'Fruit-a-tives' and in a week I was easier, and in six weeks I was so well I went to work again.

I look upon this fruit medicine, 'Fruit-a-tives', as simply marvellous in the cure of Rheumatism, and strongly advise everyone suffering with Rheumatism to give 'Fruit-a-tives' a trial." AMEDEE GARCEAU.

50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

SUITCASES TRUNKS HANDBAGS

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

### J. F. MAGUIRE

712 Second Ave., Prince Rupert \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

# PRINCE RUPERT TIDES

\* Saturday, January 22. High, 0:11 a.m., 19.2 feet. 11:59 a. m., 22.7 feet. Low, 5:52 a.m., 7.2 feet.

#### 18:41 p. m., 2 feet. Sunday, January 23.

High, 057 a. m., 20.5 feet. 12:48 p. m., 23.4 feet. Low, 6:18 a. m., 6.2 feet. 19:25 p. m., 1.1 feet.

The time used is Pacific Stan-It is counted from 0 to 24 hours. from midnight to midnight.

The table given is for Port Simpson but the time for Prince Rupert varies only a few minutes

The height is in feet and tenths

want. See the classified column KETCHIKAN SECRETARY



### TIMBER SALE X 2644.

Victoria, B. C., or Discorded Foresser, Prince Viny

DATED this 3rd day of December, A. D.

C. J. BENSEN.

McConnell & Fergusson Incorporated with Four Offices in Eastern Centres

Announcement is made that with the New Year come important changes in the organization of the well known advertising agency heretofore known as McConnell & Fergusson. The partnership has been incorporated and now includes as shareholders and directors several of the executives of the old firm.

. .J. E. McConnell is president and M. M. Fergusson is vice-president. These two men formed the partnership which founded and built the business of McConnell & Fergusson to its present important volume. They will remain fin their respective positions in the organization, A. R. Malton, formerly inspector of the Bank of Toronto, joins the board as an prevented from following my work, active executive officer. Walter E. Gunn. well known throughout Canada in publishing and adver-Itising circles, is a director and |manager of the company's Torinto office. As manager of the Montreal office, Lionel T. Benison who has had many years experience in handling the complex ad- . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . vertising problems of Eastern Canada aso joins the board. D. C. Coults, manager for Western urdays at 10:15 a. m. Canada, with his office in Winnipeg, is the Western representative on the board. John P. McConnell. well known throughout Canada as a publicity writer and journalist, nakes the seventh member of the heard. He specializes in financial Tuesdays ...... 7 p. m. and propaganda work.

### Managers' Convention

convention of the managers and executive has just been concluded at the London office, at which policies and methods for Sundays ..... 8 p. m, he ensuing year were discussed and decided upon.

The principles and ethics which have governed the conduct of the husiness under Messrs, McConnell & Fergusson for the past seven- Sundays ...... 10 p.m. teen years will be continued in the new organization.

It was concluded after a careful spricey of conditions in Canada that greater merchandizing effort and more intensive advertising than had ever before been done in Canada was now necessary to Sundays ...... 19 p.m. solve the marketing problems of Canadian manufactuers. Undoubtedly the market in Canada Tuesdays ..... a.m. will absorb the products of Canadian industries, but the consuming public is now critical of both prices and quality and will demand to be shown "reasons why

in purchasing in the future. The McConnel & Fergusson Limited , executive, in view of this situation, have decided to for Skidegate. Queen Charlotte brow into the work of the coming est state of efficiency.

With form williams in the heading a highly efficient were inc.

# DEEP SEA FISHERMEN

years secretary of the Deep Sea d for re-election by Ole Vanebo, No. am enzine accident.

Mr. Nixon will remain in Ket-

### JUVENILE LEAGUE

Tims Defeated the Junior Giants Last Night by 8 to 5 Score.

The Tiny Tims defeated the

Tiny Tims-Clapp, 2; Frizzell Kelly, 6; Martin, Black. Junior Giants-Mitchell, 1; Edgar, 2; Joy, 2; Johnson, Mortimer.

Two-color window cards take the eye quickly. See them at the News Job Department.



For the East. Mondays, Wednesdays and Sat-

MAIL SCHEDULE

From the East. Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:45 p. m.

For Vancouver and South. Thursdays ..... 11 p. m. Sundays ..... 8 p. m. January 16 and 30

From Vancouver and South. Saturdays ...... January 25

For Anyox and Alice Arm. Wednesdays ..... 9 p.m. From Anyox and Alice Arm. Tuesdays ..... a.m. 'hursdays ..... p. m. For Port Simpson, Arrandale, Milli Bay, Wales Island and Naas River.

Queen Charlotte Islands: For Massett, Port Clements and

From Pt. Simpson, Arrandale, Mill

Bay, Wales Island and Naas River.

Opper island points: January 19 Tom Masset, Port Clements

Upper Island points: January 20 City and Lower Island points:

January 22 From Skidekate, Queen Charlotte City and Lower Island points-

January 18

For Skagway and the Yukon. January 25; February 8 and 22. From Skagway and Yukon. January 16, 30: February 13

Stewart, Maple Bay and Swamp Point.

January 21

FROM ---January 22

Try a classified advertisement Harry Nixon, for the past five if you want to buy or sell or if you want anything. A lot of business is done that way.

### CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

ALEX ROGERS.

### Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In Skeena River Mining District, Land district, Recording District of Alice Arm. adjoining Silver City, B. C. Take notice that we the undersigned. Anthony McGuire and Bernard W. Barrett of Alice Arm, occupation prospector and storekeeper, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted southeast corner, 12 chains southerly direction from ANTHONY MCGUIRE,

BERNARD W. BARRETT, Dated November 30, 1920.

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may purchase, Any two persons may purchase jointly. Employers may purchase for their employees -- school boards for their teachers -congregations for their ministers. Apply to your post of story or write, postage free, to B. T. B. store, Boyer introduced of Amounties, Ottown, for new brook of and other interesting distribution.

# Only a few more Days left for

OUR SPECIAL BARGAINS DEMERS

Last Day, Saturday, Jany. 22nd

IN CASE OF FIRE CALL 50

When You Want a in a hurry call

- - Green 85 and Green 415

20 per cent reduction January

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on plain marked prices until my heavy stock is reduced

STEVE KING Men's Furnishings

Under New Management ALL WHITE HELP

Westholme Special Three Course Meal - from 45c up