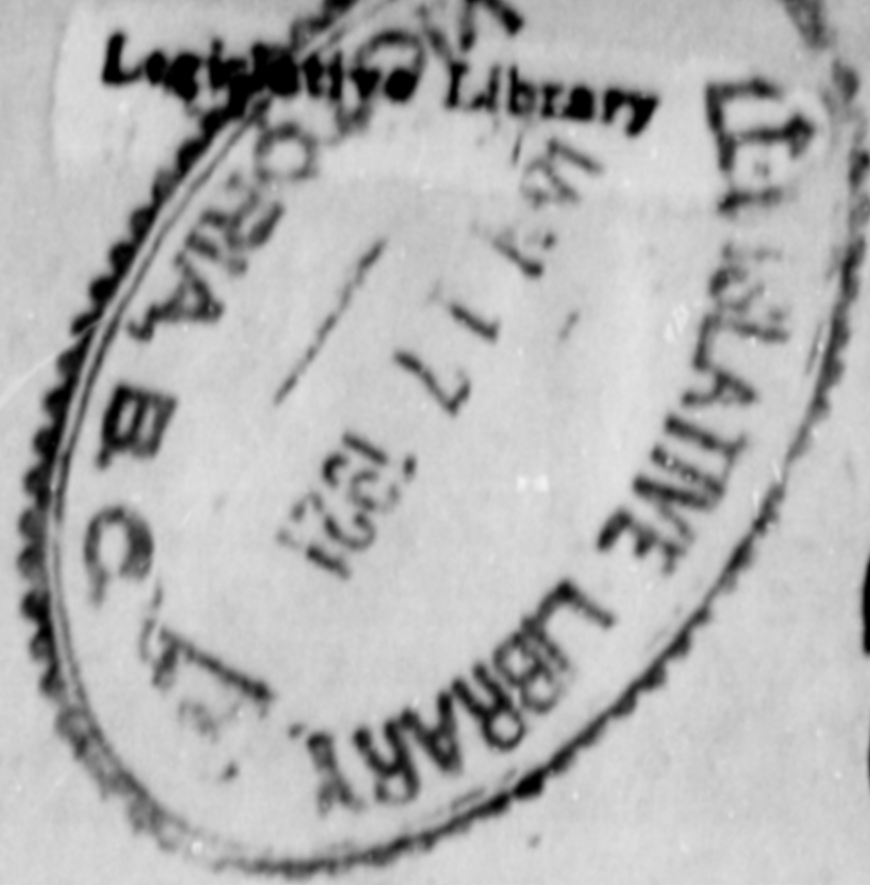


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Big Company Planned for This City

RECRUITING COMMENCES FOR PECK'S CANADIAN SCOTTISH AT VICTORIA

Prince Rupert Pulp and Paper Company Has Been Incorporated at Vancouver

New Concern has Capitalization of \$4,000,000; Is Understood to be Going to Locate in This City; Power Proposal Included it is Said

VICTORIA, January 13.—(Canadian Press)—British Columbia is to have another big pulp and paper enterprise, according to an announcement made by the provincial registrar of joint stock companies. It is the Prince Rupert Pulp and Paper Co., Ltd., which has just been incorporated and capitalized at \$4,000,000. The objects are to manufacture paper on a large scale in northern British Columbia with head office in Vancouver.

VICTORIA, January 13.—(Special).—While no particulars are given out officially here in connection with the Prince Rupert Pulp and Paper Co., it is understood this is the concern which is being organized by the Emerson interests to include the Prince Rupert lumber mill and a big pulp mill at Prince Rupert, with a capacity half as large again as that at Swanson Bay. A number of pulp limits at different points in the north are included in the deal and the financing of the company has already been arranged for. There is a power proposal going with the pulp plant which may be included.

MANY VOTES BEING CAST

Up to Noon Had Been Coming in at Rate of One a Minute.

Up till noon today votes were coming in at a rate of better than one a minute for the municipal elections and indications are that there will be a very full poll. At twelve o'clock 228 persons had voted for mayor, aldermen, school trustees and police commissioner while 134 votes had been registered for the memorial bylaw. With a maximum of 800 votes considered possible it is evident that this number will be nearly reached judging from the morning rush. In the first 15 minutes after the polls opened this morning there were 50 votes cast. A larger vote is being cast this year than last for up to 1 o'clock on election day last year only 207 votes had been cast.

Working Energetically.

This year's contest is also marked by a good deal more interest than prevailed last election. Committees for both major candidates are working energetically in behalf of their favorites, but in spite of this there seems to be an uncertainty as to who will be chosen. The Nickerson supporters are confident but there is a large silent vote that may go strongly either way. Betting is seven to one that the memorial bylaw will be carried with a large vote. The Nickerson scrutineers were so interested in the job that they were on hand this morning at 8 o'clock, one hour before polls opened.

The election officials are: Returning officer, Ernest A. Woods; chief deputy returning officer, Harry Birch; deputy returning officers, L. M. Kendall, W. T. Barnes, James D. Lockwood and H. A. Lock; Nickerson agent, W. O. Fulton; Nickerson scrutineers, H. F. Wearmouth, Hugh Killen, J. S. Stevens and G. F. Delgarno; Rochester scrutineers, W. Blundell, W. W. Wright, W. G. Hughes and J. F. Smith.

OLIVER TO SIT FOR VICTORIA IN THE LEGISLATURE

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13.—Premier John Oliver, who was elected in Victoria and Delta at the recent provincial election, announces his decision to resign in Delta. A Liberal nomination convention will be held at Cloverdale next Thursday.

The by-election will be held before February 8 when the legislature opens. The announcement was made to a meeting of constituents at Cloverdale last night.

FORMER PARLIAMENT MEMBER NOT WANTED LAND IN AUSTRALIA

Times Dispatch says Sir Henry Grattan Esmonde Excluded as Sinn Fein Emissary

LONDON, Jan. 12.—Sir Henry Grattan Esmonde, a former member of the British Parliament for North Wexford, has been refused permission to land at Sydney, according to a Times dispatch from Melbourne. It is alleged that he is a Sinn Fein emissary.

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PROF. LACROSSE FOR THE COAST

Con Jones Getting Stars from East to Play in Four Cities

VICTORIA, Jan. 12.—This city is to have a professional lacrosse team if grounds can be secured, according to a statement of Con Jones of Vancouver. He says there is a representative in the east getting together an all-star aggregation to bring west in the spring.

Jones favors a four-team lacrosse league, Vancouver, New West, Canadian Scottish at Victoria, minister, Victoria and Seattle, now being recruited.

LIEUT.-COL. PECK



Colonel Peck is To Organize First Canadian Scottish

Recruiting Has Commenced at Victoria and Most of the Officers are Already Appointed from Famous 16th Battalion

VICTORIA, January 13.—Recruiting has commenced at the Armory, Bay St., for the First Canadian Scottish, formerly the 16th Battalion, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Peck, V. C., M. P., of Prince Rupert. A staff, composed almost wholly of officers from the 16th, has been appointed and the prospects are that the Canadian Scottish will be one of the crack militia regiments of the province.

The officers so far appointed include Major D. B. Martyn, D. S.O., M.C. and Croix de Guerre, and Major Eric E. N. McCallum, D.S.O., commanding No. 1 Company, who were both recommended for the highest decoration for gallantry, and other company commanders appointed had distinguished service records—Major Roger Monteith, commanding No. 2 company, and Major Allen Lyons, M.C., D.C.M., Croix de Guerre, commanding No. 3 Company. The Medical Officer, Major Walter Bapty, has the unique record of serving both as a medical officer and fighting officer in an infantry battalion and also served in South Africa. Capt. Sydney D. Johnston, M. C. and bar, the adjutant, enlisted in 1914 in the ranks of the 16th, being mentioned in despatches as a corporal and was given a commission in 1916 and promoted to captain in 1917.

Capt. John Hedden Gillespie, who was paymaster of the 14th Brigade, C.F.A., in France, has been appointed paymaster, and Rev. J. Campbell, who was captain of the 50th Gordons since they were organized and whose sons served in France, has been gazetted as chaplain. The officer commanding No. 3 Company, second in command of companies and the subalterns and quartermaster have not yet been appointed.

Excellent Quarters.
This season will be spent in organization and also in social activity for all the messes—officers, sergeants' and men's messes in the end to go in for that sphere of activity for which excellent quarters are provided at the new drill hall. The men's quarters and the various messes are splendidly equipped.

Pipe Band.

The 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish, will have a pipe band and also a first class brass band and a bugle band. The Veterans of France, composed of men who had front line service in France, have agreed to sponsor the pipe band, of which the veteran, Major Peter Riddell, will be honorary president, and a pipe-major will shortly be selected. The pipe band has now a membership of twenty pipers, and has organized classes to bring out young pipers, the class having now a membership of fifty. The band will be under the leadership of that well-known band musician, Lou Turner, who is well known to Victorians as a band leader. Many bandsmen are being enrolled, and it is expected that the kilted bandsmen will be second to none in the city.

Cadet Corps.

Another sphere of the battalion's activities are being made to include the high school and public school cadet corps under the leadership of Major Harvey and Captain St. Clair, and it is the intention to detail two of the officers of the battalion to assist in the training of cadets. The hope is that eventually all members of the cadets will be uniformed in kilts.

Railway Commission Rules Against Prince Rupert in Express Allowance on Fish

OTTAWA, January 13.—Complaint of the Canadian Fisheries Association regarding charges by the Canadian Express Company on the net weight of fish in earloads, including an allowance of two and a half per cent for slime and ice adhering to fish when weighed, which it was claimed was allowed by custom to fishermen, was refused in a judgment, written by Chief Railway Commissioner F. B. Carvell, issued yesterday. The complaint was based on charges that the Prince Rupert fishermen were being discriminated against and that the allowance was made at Vancouver and competing points.

Mr. Carvell, after considering the practise of the American Express Company at Seattle and the Dominion Express Company at Vancouver in charging the net allowance, states he can see nothing which would justify a continuation of the practice at Prince Rupert.

LUMBERMEN ARE IN CONVENTION

Opinion Expressed by President That Price of Product Would Not Materially Decrease.

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—The thirteenth annual convention of the Canadian Lumbermen's Association opened here yesterday morning, at which President Dan McLachlan expressed doubt whether the price of lumber would materially decrease for a considerable time, chiefly on account of the high freight rates and because the present production for various reasons is away below the pre-war record.

HEREFORD GOES LLOYD GEORGE

Coalition Won at By-election by Good Majority in Western County.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Premier Lloyd George is still holding his own in Britain. The coalition candidate, S. Roberts, won yesterday at Hereford by a good majority. It was a by-election and the counting of the vote revealed 9,670 for Roberts, while E. W. Langford, the Asquith Liberal, polled 7,341 votes.

SINN FEIN MEMBER HAS BEEN ARRESTED

Finian Lynch, Representing South Kerry Taken by Police

LONDON, Jan. 12.—A Dublin despatch to the Exchange Telegraphs says Finian Lynch, Sinn Fein member of Parliament for South Kerry and member of the Dail Eireann, was arrested last night at Balbriggan.

NOTICE.

Owing to certain changes in our business organization and the probable withdrawal of Mr. Wallace from active participation, we are planning to reduce our stock to the limit by January 31. Big Sale starts Thursday, January 13.

Alderman Rochester for mayor, who has no axe to grind.

USE OF VEHICLES IS PROHIBITED IN MARTIAL LAW AREA

CORK, Jan. 12.—General Strickland, commanding the military forces here, has prohibited the use of motor cars, bicycles and motor-cycles between the hours of eight o'clock at night and six in the morning throughout the area under martial law.

HOCKEY RESULTS COAST AND EAST

At Seattle, Seattle 4, Vancouver 3.
At Ottawa, Ottawa 2, Canadiens 0.
At Toronto, Toronto 4, Hamilton 2.

VOTING TODAY THROUGHOUT THE PROVINCE

Proportional Representation System Being Used at Vancouver and Victoria.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13.—Voting in civic elections is taking place today in the towns, cities and local municipalities throughout British Columbia. In this city there is no contest for mayor, Gale having been elected by acclamation. There are 19 candidates for the eight aldermanic seats; eight for four vacancies on the school board; four for the parks board; there two are to be elected. The federal Labor party have two candidates for the council and the Trades and Labor Council one. There is one woman candidate for the council, Mrs. Macken.

Mrs. Moody, chairman of the school board, who is retiring and leaving the city is to be married in the near future to an American educationist.

In Victoria Mayor Porter is being opposed by Alderman Patrick, father of the famous hockey player, Mr. Patrick is being supported by the reform element of the community and the fight is a strenuous one.

At New Westminster Mayor Johnston is opposed by Alderman Dodd.

In Vancouver and Victoria the proportional representation system is being used and the final results may not be known until Friday or Saturday.

TRAIN DERAILED AND THEN FIRED ON BY RIFLEMEN

Windows Broken, but Train Put Back on Track after Hitting Boulder

BELFAST, Jan. 13.—A troop train carrying fifty soldiers to Dunglow, Donegal seaboard, was derailed by a large boulder on the track. The troops replied to a heavy fire which was opened on them and although the windows were broken and riddled with bullets, the train was put back on the track.

VOTE FOR Ald. H. B. ROCHESTER

for Mayor
on his
Three Years Record as Alderman