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Tuesday, Dec. '3, 1921.

Asked to Support a Christmas Fund.

The Elks are asking the people of Prince Rupert to support a Christmas Cheer Fund for those families that cannot secure ordinary Christmas pleasures in the ordinary way. The work is not in any way confined to the Elks order, but all families in the city that are needing it will be assisted.

Christmas is a season of joy and all should share in that joy. Most of us are not in a position to go out after those who are not so well to do as ourselves and help them. Because we do not see such people we come to the conclusion that there are none. There we are mistaken. There is more need for a Christmas Cheer Fund this year than for years past, for there are men out of employment and these can not find the usual spending money.

Tomorrow night the Elks are giving a big minstrel show at the theatre, the proceeds of which goes toward the Christmas Cheer Fund. In addition to attending the entertainment, those who are able are asked to co-operate with the committee in charge and contribute to the fund. The Elks guarantee that it will be used to advantage.

Think About Remembering Friends.

The Christmas present or other remembrance that arrives on time is worth much more than a belated present. No one likes to feel that he was an afterthought. The time to send a present is so that it will arrive at Christmas time.

For a day or two before Christmas there is a rush to secure such Christmas articles as it is thought will be welcomed by the recipients. There has to be something purchased and many of the articles intended to be purchased have already been sold. That is part of the tragedy of Christmas, not to be able to give what we want to those who would appreciate it.

Many people looking for Christmas presents are glad to have lists of Christmas goods from the stores to assist them in making a choice. Suggestions for Christmas are a convenience to the community. This is the time to think about it. Why not make purchases this week so that others may be able to do their shopping later who are unable to do it now? No merchant can give good service when the rush is on.

Get Ourselves Into The Christmas Spirit.

The Christmas spirit is the great thing. We have to cultivate it for we miss much of the enjoyment of the festive season. We cannot celebrate with the unselfish if we ourselves are selfish. We cannot join with the young if we are old in spirit as well as in bodily infirmities. Christmas embodies the spirit of eternal youth, of lasting joy and happiness. If we get ourselves into the proper frame of mind to associate with those who have become imbued with the Christmas spirit we shall have the best celebration yet. To enter into the Christmas spirit we have to get rid of the desire to accumulate wealth or to wish ill to our neighbor. We must, in fact, banish every note of discord from the chorus. By thinking kind thoughts and passing on joy vibrations we become part of the happiness of the world, which is the only kind of happiness we need worry about just now.

Get a Bit of Holly or a Christmas Tree.

Get a bit of holly or a Christmas tree and brighten up the house for the season. To most people it is superfluous to mention such a thing. To others a suggestion does not always come agniss. The brightening up of the house for the holiday is one of the important things about Christmas. It is wise to make the place different. A movement of furniture and general changing of the whole lay-out of the living rooms aids in cultivating the Christmas idea. To get away from the humdrum existence of the rest of the year and to acquire a new outlook on life is important, and the surroundings do a lot to cheer us up and make us alive to the occasion. The little things of Christmas make the season worth while more than the big things.

FIRE OR THIEVES

May rob you of your valuables if kept at home.

A SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX will give you every protection. Annual rental 55 and upwards.

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS, Second-hand Hardware, etc., FOR SALE at our Salesroom, 823 Third Avenue West. Phones: Black 615 Red 157. GEORGE LEEK, Auctioneer

SAVED FROM AN OPERATION FIRST DAY AT ASSIZES

"Fruit-a-lives" Completely Relieved Me

3928 Union St., Vancouver, B.C. "I suffered with all the symptoms of Female trouble, with chronic Constipation and constant Headaches. I had pains low down in the back and sides of the body. A doctor advised me to have an operation.

I started taking "Fruit-a-lives" and this medicine has completely relieved me of all my misery and suffering. I am free of pain and headaches and the terrible Constipation, and what saved me is the fruit medicine, "Fruit-a-lives."

Madam M. J. GORSE. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.00, trial size 25c. At dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

Mr. Justice Macdonald Runs Over List of Cases With a View-Set Hearings.

The Assize Court opened here yesterday afternoon before Mr. Justice Macdonald. The judge in opening went over some of the cases with a view to setting them for hearing.

The Holmes murder trial is proceeding today. The Peacock vs. Peacock separation case was called but there was no answer.

In the Norman and Vig vs. Anglo-British Columbia Packing Co. case, L. W. Patmore, counsel for the plaintiff, asked for time to inspect the documents. They had just arrived yesterday.

The Moore vs. Lapadat case was called and A. M. Manson explained that L. McGill, of Smithers, counsel for the defence would not be in town until tonight.

The Ketchum vs. Babington case over an alleged breach of a towing contract will come up soon. R. O. Oughton, of Fisher & Oughton, appears for the plaintiff and T. R. Hooper for the defendant.

The case of Rex vs. Michelson, in which defendant is charged with kidnapping, was traversed until next assizes, A. Donaghy, crown prosecutor, stating that the accused had broken jail here and was now in Alaska. The judge suggested that the United States Government be requisitioned for him.

The case of Porter vs. Porter, over a fishing boat business, was reported by Mr. Patmore to have been struck off the list and he asked that it be allowed to stand over until next assizes. The request was granted.

The divorce action of Gurych vs. Gurych was called and Mr. Manson reported that, although two of the members of his firm were in court, they did not know whether it was possible for the two parties to get together to allow the hearing to proceed. "Your business must be very large when you cannot attend to it all," remarked the judge. "I congratulate you."

After the hearing of the Cecil vs. Cecil divorce action, court adjourned until ten o'clock this morning.

CAUGHT IN TREE AND WAS TORTURED

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 13.—While a boy named Win Stanley of Milville was out alone in the forest gathering beechnuts, a breaking branch caught and pinned him in the fork of a tree. A high wind was blowing and every movement of the tree caused the little fellow great agony. His cries were heard by two young girls who on their way to school had wandered into the woods in search of nuts. Alarmed, they ran to the nearest house, that of Mrs. Robert Jessome, who soon located the source of the cries and managed to extricate the frightened boy from the trap of the beech tree. If the little girls had not wandered away from their usual course to school young Stanley might have perished from exposure or starved to death.

HAT A HEAD.

Hub—What a glorious spring day! I could dare anything, face anything on a day like this. Wife—Come on down to the milliner's—British American.

"Oh! Mr. Jones, please buy a ticket for our entertainment. It is for a worthy cause. I assure you."

"Certainly, Miss Pleasby! And what is that cause?" "Paying the expenses of the entertainment we gave last week for a worthy cause."

COAL AND PETROLEUM ACT.

PRINCE RUPERT LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE 5. Take notice that I, H. B. Punnett, of Dunsmuir, B. C., occupation mining engineer, intend to apply for a license to prospect for petroleum and natural gas on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 40 chains south and 30 chains west from the northeast corner of Lot 428, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. H. B. PUNNETT, Applicant. Dated September 12, 1921.

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J. A. Kirkpatrick

"The Store of Satisfaction"

My Local Record in Business Speaks for Itself.

On May 21, 1908—over thirteen years ago—I opened for business in Prince Rupert. Many ups and downs have occurred in the affairs of men during these years, but I am still at the old stand giving the service for men that has made this store so popular in the North. A CHRISTMAS BARGAIN OPPORTUNITY IS KNOCKING AT YOUR DOOR



Hartt Shoes

The finest make in all Canada. Worth to \$18.00—All one price \$11.00. HARTT SHOES are admitted everywhere to be Canada's finest make. Only the softest selected leathers are used in HARTT SHOES. The beautiful shoes embody the best there is in shoecraftsmanship.

All shapes and leathers one price

\$11.00

Gift Suggestions for "HIM" at Xmas

A complete range, including a large selection of beautiful patterns in Swiss Silks. Priced at 75c to \$1.75.

Neckwear Belts - - - - In individual boxes. From \$1.00 up.

Mufflers - A full range of beautiful knit silks. Any man would be proud to receive one for Christmas. Priced at \$3.00 to \$4.50.

Handkerchiefs Pure Irish Linen. Formerly 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Now 35c, 50c and 75c. Hemstitched Lawn. - Special 10c and 15c.

MADE-TO-MEASURE SUITS—Hobberlin and Semi-Ready 33-1-3 per cent. Discount

Buy from a store of Established Reputation. It is the only way to be assured of getting a high standard of Merchandise and Genuine Satisfaction.

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Operating G. T. P. 20,000 Ton Floating Dry Dock Engineers, Machinists, Boilermakers, Blacksmiths, Pattern makers, Founders, Woodworkers, Etc.

Our plant is equipped to handle all kinds of MARINE AND COMMERCIAL WORK PHONES 43 AND 385

"DEMERS"

"THE RENDEZVOUS FOR LADIES WHO KNOW"

Splendid Assortment of DAINY XMAS GIFTS

GLOVES HANDKERCHIEFS CAMISOLES SILK AND WOOL HOSE BLOUSES NEGLIGES 50 PER CENT. OFF ALL MILLINERY. Every purchaser entitled to a ticket in our GRAND CHRISTMAS DRAWING \$50.00 First prize—Evening Dress, value 15.00 Second prize—Silk Blouse, value 7.50 Third prize—Trimmed Hat, value 7.50

3rd Ave. "DEMERS" Phone 27

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