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PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1921. Yesterday's Circulation 1,896. Street Sales 304. PRICE FIVE CENTS

Fair Is The Great Attraction Today IRISH SINN FEIN ACCEPTS INVITATION TO CONFER ON PEACE

Irish Sinn Fein Approve Sending of Plenipotentiaries to Inverness and Nominate 5 Irish Leaders

BLIN, Sept. 14.—The appointment of plenipotentiaries to Inverness with British representatives to discuss the question was approved by Dail Eireann at today's session. Indicating their approval the Dail makes the announcement plenipotentiaries have been appointed "in view of a possible conference with representatives of the British Government." The names are Arthur Griffith, Michael Collins, Robert Barrett, Duggan and George Gavin Duffy.

It was explained that the appointees were not to go to Inverness to accept George's invitation, but to "carry on possible negotiations which may or may not follow the receipt by the Premier of the Irish reply."

COLONEL PECK AND ELECTION

Unionist Member Returns to City
But Noncommittal on Forthcoming Contest.

If the Unionists have any plans for the retaining of Skeena constituency in the forthcoming federal election they are not, as yet, giving out announcement as to the line of action they will take. Col. C. W. Peck, the present member, whom it is generally understood, can have the nomination if he wants it, returned to the city last night after an absence of some months during which time he visited England in command of the British Canadian Rifle Team. It had been expected that some announcement regarding the election would have been made on his return but this is evidently being delayed for a few days for Col. Peck was noncommittal on election matters when seen by a News representative this afternoon.

Glad to Be Home.

"British Columbia is the best country in the world and the more I go abroad the more I love it," said Col. Peck branching off on to another topic. "The people are better off and they are more contented here than anywhere else. I am glad to be home."

When in London Col. Peck had lunch with Hon. T. D. Pattullo, provincial minister of lands, S. J. Crowe, federal member for Burrard, F. C. Wade, B. C. agent and Sir Arthur Currie, he declared. "He is the best agent-general the province ever had in London. He remarked specially to me of the excellence of 'Resources,' Weston Coyne's magazine. He said it was the best thing he received of its kind from the province and he uses it widely."

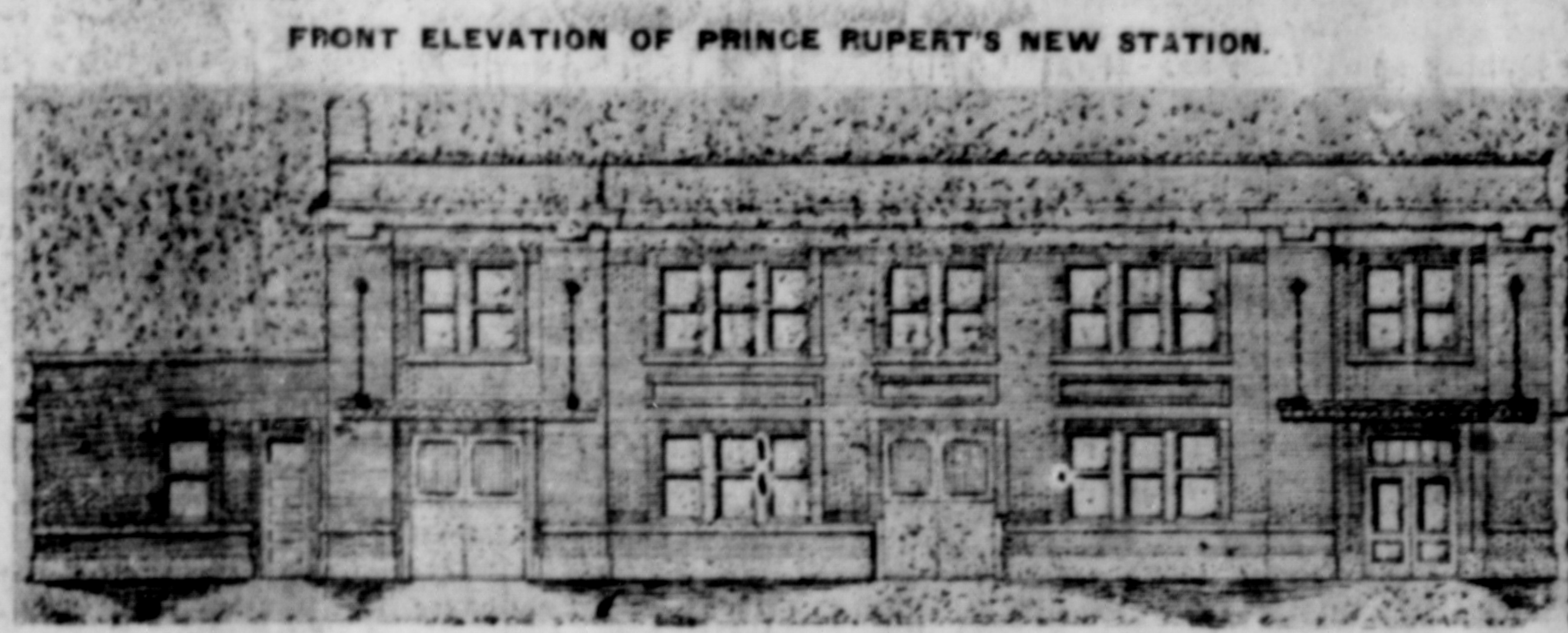
Not Talking Politics.

Col. Peck reached Canada on August 26 and since that time has visited Montreal, Ottawa and Winnipeg also going for a two days fishing trip to the Nipigon Lakes. He saw Premier Meighen only for a few minutes since his London speech and then they did not talk of politics.

Col. Peck expects to go to Victoria next week in connection with regimental affairs regarding the Sixteenth Canadian Scottish, he being commanding officer of the reorganizing unit. He will be gone only a few days and will then return to Prince Rupert.

U. S. JUDGE ON INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE COURT

GENEVA, Sept. 14.—John Bassett More of the United States, Dr. R. Altamirano Cervera of Spain, Dr. Ruy Barbosa of Brazil have been elected judges of the international court of justice.



FRONT ELEVATION OF PRINCE RUPERT'S NEW STATION.

Contract for the building has been let to P. W. Graham of Moosejaw, who will commence work immediately.

**TONIGHT AT
THE EXHIBITION**

Children's Fancy Dancing under the direction of Mrs. H. O. Crewe.

Thursday.
10:00 a.m.—Football, Indian teams.
4:30 p.m.—Aeroplane flight.
5:00 p.m.—Football final for N. B. C. A. and I. Association's winners, Sons of Canada vs. Gallies.
8:00 p.m.—Indian Concert.

Friday.
Grand Carnival Dance.

Better Exhibition Than Ever Before Staged This Year

The 1921 exhibition is characterized by a greater appearance of permanence than has ever accompanied an exhibition in the past. This is noticeable both inside and outside the exhibition hall. On the inside commercial booths have been erected, and these will in future not be shifted and changed as has been done in previous years. The outside presents the first attempt at a "midway" for sideshow concessions. These are now located in a permanent and convenient position at the rear of the building.

As far as exhibits are concerned, their range is wider than ever. Exhibitors of the past have increased their entries and many new people have their articles on the tables. Livestock and poultry have never been in the past all that might have been desired either in quality or quantity but this year there is

WIFE GOES TO HIS AID

Mrs. Arbuckle Leaves Today
for San Francisco to
Help Roscoe.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Mrs. Roscoe Arbuckle left New York today for San Francisco to help her husband if possible, although she has been separated from him for five years. They had agreed to disagree, she said, but remained friends. She will be in 'Frisco early in the week and will at once get busy on the case.

MINER KILLED.

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Sept. 14.—Joseph A. Laubner, one of the best known mine owners in the Willow Creek district, has been killed in a cave-in.

IMPORTER IS AT ESQUIMALT

Arrived at Victoria Yesterday With
a Six Degree List and
Crew Aboard.

VICTORIA, Sept. 14.—Emerging from the fogbound Pacific, the Canadian Importer, once given up for lost, with a six-degree list, defiantly limped into port yesterday with her crew of undaunted Britishers still at their posts of duty.

OTTAWA WILL DEFEND RIGHT OF TAXATION

OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—The announced action of the British Columbia Government for a declaration that the Dominion government shall not impose duties on liquor imported into the province, will be defended by the Dominion government.

Fight Over Right to Tax Any Liquor Imported by Province Commenced by Attorney General

VICTORIA, Sept. 14.—Action has been instituted in the Exchequer Court for the declaration that the Dominion Government has not the right to impose a duty on liquor imported by the province of British Columbia, Farris announces.

The refusal of the customs officials to release a shipment of Scotch bought and paid for in England as a test forms the basis for the present action. The case is to be taken to the Privy Council if necessary, Farris said.

Only two provinces, Quebec and British Columbia, are importing liquor, the Attorney-General declared. "The Dominion tax, which is larger than our profits, takes the money out of these provinces for expenditure throughout the Dominion."

ARBUCKLE IS CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—An indictment charging Roscoe Arbuckle with manslaughter in connection with the death of Virginia Happe was returned by the county grand jury. The manslaughter charge will have no effect on the murder charge now pending in the justice court.

A warrant for Arbuckle's arrest on the manslaughter charge will be issued on Friday.

DR. HALL GOES FREE OF CHARGE

Effort of Anti-Spy League in Victoria
Is Frustrated.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS GUILTY OF NO CRIME

VICTORIA, Sept. 14.—The case against Police Commissioners Dr. Ernest Hall and Joseph North, charged with failing to prevent the operation of Chinese lotteries, was dismissed in the County Court yesterday.

The charge was brought by a member of the Anti-Spy League formed to fight the law and order element of the city. Before the trial the man named Fisdale, who laid the complaint, was himself arrested for leading boys into immorality.

The case arose out of a charge brought by the police commissioners against Charlie Bo, a Chinese merchant, who is alleged to have paid one of the commissioners a sum of money to get his influence with the chief of police to allow lotteries to run. Bo was arrested and the money turned over to the police. Prior to the arrest and the money turned over to the police, Bo was allowed to open in order to make a clean up and as a part of the chain of evidence against Bo.

WOMAN LABOR LEADER CHOSEN

Miss Kersten Hesselgren Holds
First Seat in Swedish Parliament.

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 13.—Miss Kirsten Hesselgren, the labor leader, was elected at Gothenburg a member of the first chamber of the Swedish Parliament. She is the first woman to hold a seat there.

BAXTER TO ENTER MEIGHEN CABINET

FREDERICKTON, N. B., Sept. 14.—Hon. J. B. Baxter, formerly attorney general of New Brunswick and now leader of the opposition in the Legislature has accepted an invitation to enter the reconstructed cabinet of Premier Meighen, it is understood.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. John A. McLennan, 2708 Alberta Street, Vancouver, announce the engagement of their daughter Myrtle Victoria to Mr. H. L. Midforth of Winnipeg. The marriage will take place on September 22nd.

PROPERTY NOT A CANDIDATE

Accept Permanent Position
International Court
of Justice.

OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—Charles Doherty, Canada's representative on the League of Nations, has declined to stand as a candidate for the position of permanent member of the international court of justice.

AL SUICIDED AFTER KILLING POLICE

MINN., Sept. 14.—Four men, who killed three members of the police force while attempting to capture him, were charged with murder in a shack when surprised this morning.

ARE ARRESTED, INCLUDING POLICE

BAY, Sept. 14.—Four men, including three members of the police force, have been arrested and \$15,000 seized as a result of a raid on the foreign exchange market.

Freight Rates Reduction For the Present Until Wages Investigation Has Reported

OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—There will be no general reduction of freight rates at present. In the judgment of Carvell and commissioners, delivered this morning, they recommended a reduction of ten per cent. except in cases where rates have been lowered, as in the case of livestock and grain on the railroad. They also recommended 25 per cent. reduction on parlor car rates.

In the judgment Commissioners McLean, Rutherford and others concur. Their majority ruling is: "No immediate reduction in freight rates pending the decision of the special committee on the question."

As a result of their divided decision there will be no reduction in freight rates at present.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

GLASGOW, Sept. 14.—Tuesday's games were as follows: Clyde, 1; Motherwell, 0. St. Mirren, 1; Hibernians, 1.