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Grand Trunk Pacific Improves.

There is an improvement on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. Last year the road almost paid its way. It was behind only four millions as compared with ten millions the previous year. It must further be remembered that much of the business of the G. T. P. is credited to the Canadian Northern, according to information received here last year. By clever bookkeeping it is said much of the G. T. P. revenue has been switched to the C. N. R.

With so small a deficit on the line, it should not be a difficult matter to pull the railway out of the mire and make it a paying line. A lot of business originates here and along the Bulkley Valley, and every year will see the amount of business on the increase, especially if the Dominion Government carries out its immigration policy and the lands along the line are settled up.

Once the railway is on a paying basis outsiders will be impressed with the importance of the district. They will realize that this is a part of the world to be reckoned with.

Much Need of Help in Russia.

An appeal from the Archbishop of Rupert's Land, Primate of Canada, was read in the Anglican Church yesterday at both services outlining the need of aid for the sufferers from famine in Russia. It was shown that the peasants of the Volga district were dying by the million. Aid is asked in order to save the children and it is guaranteed that all monies contributed shall be effective for the purpose desired. This is a worthy cause and should receive hearty support.

Dependents of Condemned Criminals.

Before sentencing twelve men convicted on charges in connection with the rioting at New Aberdeen, Cape Breton, in January, when a store of the Dominion Coal Company was looted and \$80,000 worth of damage done, Mr. Justice Benjamin Russell of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia made the following comment upon the penal system of Canada:

"For many years a few ardent advocates of prison reform have been endeavoring to obtain public recognition of the necessity for some changes in the methods of prison administration, but the voice has been as a voice crying in a wilderness of indifference and selfish unconcern. It is obvious to you as it is to every judge who has to pronounce sentence upon a criminal who is the breadwinner of a family, but the punishment falls more heavily upon the innocent wife and children that it does upon the actual criminal himself. This is a matter to which reference is made in the very excellent report of a committee appointed by the last and outgoing administration at Ottawa. I have never been able to see any good reason why a prisoner, simply because he is imprisoned within the walls of a penitentiary, should cease to be responsible for the upkeep of his family; and there is no good reason in ordinary times why he should not be compelled to provide for them. I believe that the great question, and indeed the only question, that presents itself in this connection—the only thing that prevents the introduction of a system under which the criminal might be made to support his family—is the objection made by organized labor itself. The difficulty lies in the objection that has been made to the proposal that prison labor should be permitted to come into competition with the industry of the free laborer. The representatives of the people in our legislatures have naturally been deterred from enacting the necessary legislation by the fear of the vote of organized labor. Walt Whitman, in one of his poems, speaks of 'audacity of elected men.' I have never been able to understand this phrase. If he had spoken of the timidity of elected persons I should have been better able to appreciate his words. I am speaking with a sense of conviction on this subject, having, in more than one sphere, experienced the feelings of an elected person myself, and I will not pretend to have been any more free from the temptation to sidetrack a difficult proposition than the average elected person. But I wish to show from the report to which I have already referred that there need be no cause for timidity in this case; that there is no reason in the world for the objection that has been raised by the labor organization to the proposal that the convicted prisoners should be allowed in the penitentiary—and compelled in the penitentiary to do some remunerative labor by means of which he can be made to minister to the support of his wife and children."

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A man's a joke
Who does not see
How like a mope
He tries to be.

His wife endowed
With greater vision
Is sure to have
Him in derision.

IT would be easy enough for some people to make up their minds if they had any to make up.

SOME people who have no minds to make up devote their time to making up their faces.

OTHERS make up to girls.

OTHERS make up when they have quarrelled with somebody.

ITS had to be short of stature but to be short of cash puts you in a heluafix.

AT picnic yesterday I looked down from my position in the sky and saw a picnic near Prince Rupert and a lady breaking eggs into a bottomless saucepan which proved fatal to the lady's lap.

THE only comment I have to make is "look before you break."

EGGS are all right but not broken into a lady's lap.

PACIFIC COAST FISH ARRIVALS

During the month of February, the following halibut landings were recorded at Pacific Coast ports:

Prince Rupert, 1,519,000 lbs.
Seattle, 637,321 lbs.
Ketchikan, 214,000 lbs.
Vancouver, 15,000 lbs.

COMMENTS ON THE ELECTION

Victoria Newspaper Says There is Inherent Weakness in Conservative Party.

VICTORIA, March 27.—Premier Oliver announces that the Vancouver and Granbrook by-elections will not be brought on until after the court of revision in June. This will mean that it will be autumn by the time the new lists can be made up and printed.

The ministers here regard the Nelson election as an endorsement of Liberal policies. Since the Government has been strengthened by the admission of former Speaker Manson in place of J. W. DeB. Farris and the two or three irritating difficulties have been cleaned up, the Government is feeling quite secure in its tenure of office.

The Colonist, the local Conservative organ, commenting on the recent election intimates that the Conservatives have some inherent weakness and everybody takes it to mean the weakness in the leadership. The Colonist editorial says:

"Mr. Kenneth Campbell, the member-elect is very popular in Nelson apart from his Liberal proclivities," says the Colonist, "but his opponent was probably personally just as popular, and from this we augur that the result of the by-election must be accepted as an endorsement of the policies of the government."

"The result in Nelson will go far to dispose of all rumors of the possibility of a provincial election during the present year."

"It would be idle to deny that the result in Nelson will be a keen disappointment to the Conservative party. It is an indication of some inherent weakness which calls for rectification. The sooner a provincial convention is held and a platform drawn up with intensive plans devised for organizing and inspiring the party, the better all Conservatives will be pleased."

CABARET AND DANCE AT OCEAN FALLS IS ON CARDS TOMORROW

OCEAN FALLS, March 27.—For the past week rehearsals have been going on in connection with the cabaret and dance to be given here tomorrow evening, and the affair promises to culminate in one of high class entertainment.

Approximately two hundred and forty tickets have already been sold, and many table reservations booked. The management has received orchestral copies of up to the minute music, and the jazz orchestra and chorus are working out in fine form.

Yam-yam costumes worn by the chorus will be of blue and gold and table decorations, etc., will be carried out in the same color effects.

If sparkling comedy and snappy songs have attraction the affair should go over big.

George McFarland will look after the entertainment end, Gordon Newcomb the refreshments, Mr. Maurice Gorkill on the floor, while the chorus lineup will be Miss B. King, Miss O. Kirtan, Miss I. Wardell and Miss A. Nutt.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

March 27, 1912

There was a joint political meeting in the Empress Theatre last night at which three provincial election candidates, Alex. Manson, Dr. W. B. Clayton and W. H. Montgomery, were present. H. H. Clarke was chairman and the speakers were W. E. Denning, Dr. Clayton, Mr. Montgomery and Alex. Manson.

E. H. Mobley, S. P. McMorde and A. T. Broderick returned today from Vancouver where they attended the Bonspiel.

The Chelohsin went aground in the Skeena slough near Dominion Cannery yesterday but has now been safely refloated.

The newspaper with the circulation is the real advertising medium.

PIPE DREAMS

By Newton Pullen

And now a kissograph, for the measurement of the effect of kisses, has been invented. "I love you," says the youth fervently, and takes her in his arms. "Will you be mine?" "No," responds the maiden firmly. "I see by the kissograph that you are three units behind so-and-so. We must part forever." Is nothing sacred from these scientists?

As a suitable safety-valve for irate fans at boxing bouts, and games, punching bags bearing the name of the referee should be provided in order that the spectators might express their feelings.

The sisters of Ambrose Small, missing theatrical magnate, have decided to try spiritualism in an effort to solve the mystery. I hope the Author's Association lobbied the spirits and urges them to maintain a dignified silence in the interests of the writing profession. To have any interference from the next world in such a matter would be to set a precedent that might ultimately destroy the mystery story.

When the German lover "pops the question" in future, the lady might counter with, "What are your views on socialism, short skirts, hair nets, pantheism, and baked potatoes?" And then they could match opinions and discover whether they were mentally fitted to live together.

SEATTLE SCHOONERS LEAVE FOR BANKS

Overhauling and Outfitting Completed, Twenty Boats Left Southern Port March 15.

More than twenty of the larger halibut vessels of the Seattle fleet, which have been laid up during the winter for overhauling and outfitting, started out about March 15, and by the end of the month fishing operations on the Portlock and other distant banks will be well under way. The fleet has been tied up in Salmon Bay, Seattle, during the winter, and much of the overhauling has been done at the Vessel Owners Marine Ways at that point.

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