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Good Work of Fall Fair Directors.

The annual meeting of the Fall fair voted appreciation of the work of the board of directors last night and everyone is hopeful that there will be an even better fair next year. There was a good meeting and everyone showed interest in the proceedings.

The success or failure of the fair is largely due to the directors. They can make it almost anything they wish or can allow it to languish and die. In the last year or two it has been on the up-grade, and the coming year might well be better than the last. By the autumn the industries of the north should be humming again and everyone prosperous. This will be a great aid in making the fair a success. An excellent board has been chosen and great things are expected of them.

Perhaps it is not out of place to mention here the good work done for the fair by the secretary. As a paid official he does not come in for the bouquets which are usually thrown to others. However, the pay is very inadequate considering the amount of work required, and the secretary has not been one of those who watched the clock when work was required to be done.

Value of Art to Any Community.

Attention was drawn last night at the fall fair meeting to the need of encouraging art in the community. We are rather crude here and as a community do not appreciate art at its true value. In the struggle for existence the beautiful often has to give way to the sordid. We spend all our time engaged in commercial or industrial pursuits and have little left for developing the finer traits of our nature. Art is almost out of the question.

Those who have read the book "Main Street" will have been interested in the descriptions of ugliness in the modern prairie town. So it is in Prince Rupert. Our buildings are ugly, our streets are ugly, and often the interiors of our houses are ugly. Either we have little conception of beauty or we do not apply it. The redeeming feature is the appreciation of our wonderful sunsets by the people and the desire to build where these can be seen.

Museum and Art Gallery Not Quite Impossible.

The establishment of a museum and art gallery at this place is quite within the realms of possibility in the not too far distant future. Museums of natural history, minerals, timber exhibits, Indian work and pictures have been established in smaller places than this. All that is needed is a group of enthusiasts who will get it going. Everything depends upon a few people. Being well to the north, an exhibit of that kind would have a great attraction to tourists, especially on rainy days, and would well repay the expense and effort expended on it. It also would be an educative force in the community.

In a community like Prince Rupert parks do not appeal as much as in some places. During the dull days people look indoors for their attractions. That is why a museum and art gallery would be a great attraction here. It would of necessity have to begin in a very small way, developing as the need arose.

This is the time to secure for the city some of the fine slate work of the Indians of Skidegate and the totems and basket work of others in the district. Very soon it will be too late. If it was known that donations of these articles could be received and taken care of for the community, many would come in. The first need is for the formation of a society to gather such objects and to look after them after they have been secured.

WHAT CAUSES HEADACHES?

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CURIOUS LETTER

Chinese Idea of English Language and Canadian Morals.

The following letter was received by a local employer of a Chinese cook and waiter:

"Dear gent. Sir,
"I am glad to see you in new year. I hope you all well. Be still now. I just have several word to you. The cook is now you has and his partnership he was very sly guy. There is a great harm. Important thing I can tell you. I am tell it you pretty sure. They also bought the provision from the grocery and meat market. Then they tell salesman charge so much per cent in every bill after the statement. When his got they all commission every month. I should say they were very swindler, greedy indeed. We are sure you never saw such a man as they do, so bad in the world. Will you let they both go. Then I come with my help. Shall cooking for you at reasonable wages, when will I cook for your satisfaction as your content. Will your please reply to this as quick as possible and I will come see you at your address. Please surely let me know.
Yours very truly.

LUMBER MILLS WILL ALL WORK

Manager of the Kleanza Company at Usk Looks For Good Season.

HAS A TIE CONTRACT

Already 35 Men Employed Getting Out 150,000 for Canadian National.

Jno. Willman of the Kleanza Co., Ltd., who was in the city last night and left for his home at Usk today, stated while here that all the mills along the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between here and Edmonton would be working in the spring or early summer. He has just arrived from the prairies and he states that there is no lumber in the yards there and they must have it. This lumber will be cut by the various mills established along the railway.

Mr. Willman says his own firm will start up their mill in the spring and cut steadily. In the meantime he is getting out 150,000 ties for the Canadian National Railway and has 35 men working on the contract. In addition to that he has orders for bridge timber to be delivered to the prairies.

Mr. Willman looks for a good season. He says some of the mills already have men at work getting out ties. Others will follow suit in the near future. Everything looks like a busy season.

Mr. Willman will be back in town again in a few days to attend the meeting of the local timbermen's association.

AUDITOR MAKES FINE REPORT ON EXHIBITION

Expenditures Amount to \$11,065.65 With Credit Balance of \$923.98.

The auditor's report to the meeting of the Northern British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Association presented at the annual meeting last night, shows that the society has, after paying all expenses, the sum of \$923.98 in the bank, and the sum of \$11,065.65 collectable, all of which will be available to commence the new season.

The balance sheet for last year shows total receipts from admissions to the buildings and grounds, fees, grants and subscriptions, selling advertising, the hayseed dance, the I.O.D.E. tea rooms and other sources to be \$11,993.63.

The expenditures for prizes, attractions, medals, improvements to grounds, secretarial services, publicity, stock and equipment, and various other expenses amounted to \$11,069.65.

Auditor Shackley complemented the retiring board on the splendid showing made. He said the society was in better condition than it had ever been before.

OIL WELLS IN ALASKA WORKING

Not of Gusher Type But Ten Are Producing High Grade Oil.

While not of the gusher type, Alaska can boast of producing oil wells that for years have supplied the district with as high grade oil as is found anywhere on the North American continent, says the Alaska Dispatch. Analysis has shown this oil to be of the Pennsylvania type, 44 degrees Baume, Paraffine base.

Situated at Katalla, the Chilkat Oil Company, with head offices at Seattle, is operating ten wells and a complete refinery, capable of handling 150 barrels of oil per day. While not operating to capacity at the present time, it is estimated that with the summer development full capacity will be maintained throughout the year. The plant is at present producing gasoline, kerosene, engine distillate, lacquer spirits, diesel oil and a high gravity naphtha. The entire output is being sold in the direct vicinity, the canneries taking all the lacquer spirits they can secure.

Good Market.
"We could sell many times the amount of products we are now producing," said Mr. Falcon Joslin, president of the Chilkat Oil company, "as the quality of the oil is far better than usual, which makes the refined products just that much better. Unlike the popular opinion, we sell our products for less than in the States."

"This is not fuel oil as it is too high gravity. It is Diesel oil, and is secured at a depth of about 1000 feet."

Owns Claims.
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FIRST SKYSCRAPER IN GERMANY TO BE ERECTED AT HAMBURG

HAMBURG, Jan. 25.—The first skyscraper in Germany will soon be constructed in the old business section of the city of Hamburg. It will be 16 stories high, topping the highest building in Germany at this time by five stories.

Architects believe the erection of this building will institute the era of skyscrapers in Germany, and expect to see a number of similar buildings constructed within the next few years.

Unusual difficulties must be overcome. The city water plant is equipped to furnish water only to the eleventh story and this brought up the question of fire danger and insurance, as well as the probability of financial loss in view of difficulties in renting offices on the five higher floors.

Despite these difficulties the promoters have secured permission to erect the structure "provided the building does not destroy the architectural symmetry" of the streets.

20 SECRET POLICE FROM RUSSIA ARE LOCATED STOCKHOLM

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 25.—The presence in Stockholm of 20 secret police of the Russian Soviet government, well supplied with funds, has been disclosed by press investigations. Angelica Holmstrom, internationally known woman agitator of the Soviet regime, has recently arrived in Stockholm via Reval. The Stockholm police are watching the visitors closely.

The activity of the Bolsheviks in Sweden has attracted considerable attention ever since the revolution last year of a widely ramified red conspiracy which gave rise to a long and sensational court proceeding in Stockholm.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

January 25, 1912.

The city fathers put in a strenuous day yesterday sitting from 3 to 7 in the afternoon and again from 8 to 11 in the evening. Telephone matters constituted the chief topic of discussion.

Ald. Morrissey's charge that one hundred men on the city payroll were not actually working was sifted by the city council last night and the result was that Ald. Morrissey made a motion finding no irregularities and no city officials to blame.

Diver Ole Evensen this morning went down to the sunken tug Glen Rosa. The pilot house windows were found to be broken in but there were no bodies in sight.

The Presbyterian Bethany Girls put on a charming play "Breezy Point" before a large audience in the hall last night. Mrs. J. Chisholm was director and among those taking part were Miss Caroline McKenzie, Miss Margaret McPhail, Miss Margaret McDonald, Miss Annie Brown, Miss Florence Gray, Miss Jewel Garton, Miss Vilda Matson, Miss Vera Lockhart, Miss Marie Rowley and Miss Maude Hazlett. Frank Ellis was stage manager.

Father—Why is it that you are always at the bottom of the class?

Johnny—It doesn't make any difference, father. They teach the same things at both ends.—Harper's Magazine.

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