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All Should Prepare To Vote Thursday.

Nominations for the civic positions were made today and the voting takes place on Thursday. In the meantime it is the duty of every citizen to prepare to vote. Get in touch with the situation and see that when the day comes the vote is recorded and recorded intelligently. This is an important period in our development. We have been losing ground lately but we expect to make good progress this year. This is the time to take care in the choice of candidates and see that the right men are elected to responsible positions, especially as head of the municipal government and chief executive of the city. There is too much of a tendency to treat this matter lightly. The thing to remember is that there is much work to be done, the finances should be carefully husbanded and we have to watch our steps to keep out of the bankruptcy court. South Vancouver had to go into the hands of a receiver. Several prairie towns are in similar predicament. To face the problems that will arise we want the best possible men and to choose them is the work of the electors.

Close Co-operation With The Railway.

Now that we have a sympathetic railway management, it will be wise to consider in selecting a candidate whether he is likely to be sympathetic with the railway on which our success depends. Prince Rupert and the G.T.P. must sink or swim together. If the railway has good business, we shall be making progress; if on the other hand the railway and the city cannot co-operate, we are in a desperate position. The coming year will tell whether or not we are to get into the ranks of progress. We all look forward with hope. We are expecting much, and the future success of the city will depend to a very large extent on the amicable relations and the spirit of co-operation that is shown during the coming year. We cannot afford to take any false step in regard to this.

Bridge Needs Consideration.

The bylaw to provide funds for the erection of a steel bridge needs consideration. Most people think the bridge should be built as soon as possible, but all do not agree that a steel bridge would be better than a wooden one, yet is costs twice the amount of money.

It is said by some that a bridge built of fir with the joints well protected by some suitable dressing and the whole painted just as would have to be done with a steel structure, that the bridge would last just as long as the more expensive type. Not being technical experts many of us are not able to judge of this. It is well to consider these things, however, and not make the mistake of voting money to be spent recklessly. It seems a pity that there was not a provision made for the cheaper bridge after the action of the electors in turning down the previous bylaw. While the people across the creek must have consideration and that at once, the city officials should explain to them carefully why the steel type was selected and make it clear that the action taken makes for economy.

Publicity Regard To Local Industry.

There has been some criticism of the amount of publicity given the local fishing industry as being contrary to the best interests of the port. It is stated that low prices are quoted against the port and high prices never mentioned. Doubtless what the critics say is to some extent true, for rivals never use arguments favoring their competitors. We should like to draw attention to the fact, however, that the Ketchikan Daily News is publishing almost every day telegraphic news from Prince Rupert giving the price of halibut at the local market with the average price, the high price and the total amount sold. The fishermen at Ketchikan through their union are kept well informed of the prices obtaining here so that to stop publishing the prices would do no good and would deprive many local people and outsiders who subscribe to the paper of news which is of real interest to the place.

Fishermen take the Daily News because we try to give as complete an account as possible of the kind of news which is of interest to them and to withhold any of this news would be extremely foolish and very poor newspaper policy. There is nothing to be gained by trying to hide anything. If prices are very low, fishermen have a right to know it and to guide their future actions accordingly. They also want to know if prices are high. Nothing is to be gained by secrecy.

"I Was Terribly Weak After Baby Was Born"

Mrs. H. McClure, Norwood, Ont., writes:

"After my baby was born, I was terribly weak and run down, with pains across my back. I had heard so much of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food that I decided to try it. Three boxes proved enough to make me quite strong and well again. I also used Dr. Chase's Ointment for a rash which broke out on the baby, and the rash disappeared completely in a short time."

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POPULARITY OF LIBRARY

Total Membership Is Now 660 and Average Circulation 90 Volumes Daily

That the municipal free library has become indeed a useful and popular institution in the life of Prince Rupert is attested to by the fact that it now has a membership of 660 persons although it has been open only two months.

Miss Grant, librarian, stated yesterday afternoon to the Daily News that the average number of books given out during the month of December was 90 per day, the highest number in a single day being 178. Just now the library is a very busy place and it is not often that there is not somebody in it. While the school holidays are on, many children call, being sent by their parents to return books and obtain new ones.

Not only is the library being made use of by Prince Rupert citizens but there are now about half a dozen members from points outside of the city. The privilege of using the library is extended to out of town people who pay a fee of $2 a year and the postage charges on the books.

New Books In

As is the case in all public libraries, fiction books are the most popular, Miss Grant reports. Historical and travel books are also much in demand and also technical works. A recent addition to the library is a number of geological survey memoirs describing various mining districts of the province. As quite an interest has been manifested in psycho-analysis works, three volumes on this subject have also been recently secured for the shelves of the library, these being as follows:

"Getting What We Want," by David Orr Edson.

"Man's Unconscious Conflict," by Wilfrid Lay.

"New Psychology," by Tansley.

H. G. Wells' "Short History of the World," is another new volume in the library.

SMALLER FISH BOATS NOW OUT

Several Left Seattle During Past Few Days—Ketchikan Had Larger Arrivals Lately

Advice has been received in local halibut buying circles that a large number of the smaller fishing vessels have been leaving Seattle during the past few days for the halibut banks. These are mostly 4, 5 and 6 men boats which have been tied up since October for overhaul and the winter. Their starting now marks the usual seasonal movement of commencing the summer's fishing. The most of these boats will be arriving here in the course of the next few weeks with their first catches of the season.

A number of the larger vessels recently disposed of their catches at Ketchikan, the days prior to Christmas and New Year's seeing unusually heavy arrivals at the northern port, from 150,000 to 200,000 pounds being marketed on each occasion. The price at Ketchikan is largely regulated by the sailings of vessels from there for Seattle. On days immediately before the departure of a steamer the prices offered are higher than usual for the fish may be expressed rapidly to Seattle for transhipment over American lines to the United States market. It is understood that the vessels recently marketing at Ketchikan sold there for this reason.

TERRACE VETERANS CHOOSE OFFICERS

TERRACE, Jan. 6.—The Great War Veterans Association held its annual meeting on Thursday night in their hall, at which the following officers were elected:

President—A. Creelman.
Vice-president—Mr. Sherwood.
Sec.-Treas.—Mr. MacIntyre.
Executive—Messrs. Beecher, R. Braun, Ed. Baker, and H. S. Creelman.
Auditors—W. Godwin and F. C. Bishop.
Trustees—T. Turner Jr., Geo. Powers, J. Tyler.
Entertainment committee—Messrs. Beecher, Creelman, Ed. Baker, MacIntyre and Braun.

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GEORGE LITTLE'S TEAM WENT OVER BANK AND ONE HORSE WAS KILLED

Rein Broke When Coming Down Lanfear's Hill With Sleigh

TERRACE, Jan. 6.—An accident which resulted in the loss of a horse occurred here early this week. George Little's team hitched to a sleigh was being driven down Lanfear's Hill when the rein broke and at once the horses were out of control. They went over the bank and as a result one of the horses was killed.

There are several very slippery places in the hill but it is impossible to use rough locks without destroying the sleighing on the rest of the road. It was at one of these slippery places the accident occurred.

SALMON EGGS FROM SKEENA WATERSHED TAKEN TO FRASER

Objection Taken to This Proceeding and Matter Still Before Board of Trade Here

Some discussion took place Friday night at the annual meeting of the Board of Trade in regard to the transfer of salmon eggs from the Skeena river watershed to the Fraser. A letter was read from the head of the department of fish culture objecting to a resolution recently passed by the Board and forwarded to Ottawa. It seems that when the officials visited Prince Rupert they explained to a committee of the Board that no harm was done to the Skeena as the spawning grounds were overstocked.

G. W. Nickerson said the Fisheries Committee had gone into the matter thoroughly and were not at all satisfied with the statement of the officials. Mr. Carter, manager of Oceanic cannery, repudiated the statements they had made and so did the management of the Prince Rupert cannery. The B.C. Canners was also opposed to the transfer of eggs to the Fraser. At the time of the meeting, Messrs Orme and Gibbons who had met the officials, were away on a hunting party but the fisheries committee was not at all satisfied and the resolution was accordingly passed.

John Dybhavn said there was a representative meeting of the fisheries committee when the matter came up. He understood the cost of transfer of the eggs was very costly and the results were very doubtful.

It was decided to write the B.C. Canners and Mr. Babcock in regard the matter and to leave it in the hands of the Fisheries committee.

VANCOUVER HEARS ABOUT WEDDING OF LOCAL RESIDENTS

A Chilliwack Despatch to the Province of Tuesday Last Says:

The wedding of Clifford A. Woodworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Woodworth, and Miss Ethelyn M. (Essie) Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knight, pioneer residents of the valley, was celebrated on Saturday morning in the Methodist Church. The bride, who was attended by Miss Olive Woodworth, was married in a travelling suit of blue tricotine, trimmed with beaver fur, with blouse of henna and hat of henna velvet to match. The groom was attended by Aubrey F. Roberts, of Vancouver, assisted by Rev. R. M. Thompson, pastor of the Chilliwack Methodist Church. While the register was being signed Mrs. Flossie Manuel sang "Oh Joy Be Thine." John Eason played the wedding marches.

The wedding breakfast was served at the bride's home at noon, the guests being the immediate friends of the families. Mrs. Wm. Knight was assisted by Mrs. A. E. Roberts and Miss Ruth Agar, the tables being prettily decorated with smilax and carnations.

The bride is a native daughter of Chilliwack, her mother being the first white child born in the Chilliwack Valley. The grandmother, Mrs. Isaac Kipp, was present at the wedding breakfast in the home.

The church was decorated with white lattice work, holly, smilax and chrysanthemums by the friends of the family.

Mr. ad Mrs. Woodworth left on the afternoon train for Vancouver, en route for their future home in Prince Rupert. Mrs. Woodworth, who is a graduate nurse of the Vancouver General Hospital, was greeted by many friends upon her arrival in Vancouver and amid many good wishes the happy couple embarked on the steamer for their northern home.

DECEMBER WEATHER TOWN OF TERRACE

TERRACE, Jan. 8. — Sleighing was general from the eighteenth to the 31st but not good owing to insufficient snow. Following are the records:

Temperature

Maximum 42, on the 1st.
Minimum 6 below zero, 14th.

Precipitation

Rain, 2.44 inches.
Snow, 16 inches (1.63 melted).

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TIMBER SALE X 4706.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester, Prince Rupert, not later than noon on the 22nd day of January, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 4706, near S.E.L., 44641P., Dranews Inlet, Coast Range 2, to cut 421M. board feet of Hemlock, Balsam, Cedar and Spruce.

One (1) year will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, or the District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 4440.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, not later than noon on the 6th day of March, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 4440, to cut 5,580,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar and Hemlock, situate on an area adjoining Timber Licence 1711p, Cumshewa Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands Land District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 4666.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, not later than noon on the 12th day of January, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 4666, to cut 4,969,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar and Hemlock, situated on an area on East Shore of Beresford Arm, Queen Charlotte Islands Land District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 4315.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, not later than noon on the 16th day of February, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 4315, to cut 7,518,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam, situated on an area on the East shore of Beresford Arm, Queen Charlotte Islands Land District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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