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Nothing To Be Pessimistic About.

The leader of the farmers of Alberta was very pessimistic in his address to the big Convention at Calgary yesterday. Everything looked blue to him. He could see little prospect of any improvement.

The difficulty with the farmers of Alberta as with a great many of us is that they got the habit of spending a lot of money during the war days when prices of wheat and other produce went soaring. They were in clover all the time and they bought automobiles, machines and other luxuries and thought nothing of spending large sums of money for nonproductive purposes. Then came the slump. Wages and the prices of commodities did not drop in price as fast as the price of farm produce and the result was disastrous. It was difficult to top off household and personal expenditures fifty per cent all at once, yet it became necessary owing to the reduced incomes. Many farmers who refused to adapt themselves to the changed conditions ran into debt and today they are struggling to rid themselves of the incubus. That is why things look blue to them.

There is no big money in farming. There never was and there never will be. Now and then there is a rush upward of prices and then the farmer gets the idea that it will always be so. It is just the same with the laborer and the merchant and the rest of the community. Abnormal changes are fatal to their happiness because they lead to conditions under which expensive tastes are cultivated.

As a matter of fact there is nothing to be pessimistic about. Wheat can be raised on the prairies for fifty cents a bushel just as it always was, provided expenses are not too high. Once the farmer knows what he is likely to get for his produce he will adapt himself to that condition. He has to. All the legislation in the world cannot keep up the price of wheat to two dollars a bushel.

Keep Up Standard Of Public Schools.

The necessity of strict economy in all branches of civic administration and activities is something that the elected members of the city council, schoolboard and police commission should ever have before them, but at the same time efficiency of the schools must not be impaired. If there is one thing more important than any other it is education, yet education is often carried on in a haphazard manner. It is satisfactory to know that in Prince Rupert we are getting good value for the money expended both in public and high schools and this must always be so else the people are being robbed.

Fisheries Regulations Not Much Changed.

The telegraphic report of the changed regulations in regard to the shipment of fish from this port does not seem to indicate that there is to be much change. The American fishermen, it seems, will have to secure a license to permit them to market their fish here and the fish buyers will also have to be licensed. The report does not mention if there will be a license fee or how much that fee will be, if there is one. Until copies of the regulations arrive, the fishing will continue as at present and the catches will be marketed here without any interference.

"There Were Many Things Which I Could Not Eat"

Mrs. H. Robert Wells, English Harbour, Trinity Bay,
Nfld., writes:



"I was troubled with nervous dyspepsia—so much so that there were a great many things I could not eat at all on account of the distressed feeling afterwards. I used many different remedies, but they did me little good. Finally I tried Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and Kidney-Liver Pills, and was surprised at the relief this combined treatment gave me in such a short time."

DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

50 Cents a box, all dealers, or Edmansson, Bate & Co., Ltd., Toronto

MRS. PICKERING MUST DO TIME

Judge Young Dismissed Liquor
Appeal Case in County Court
Yesterday Afternoon

The sentence of six months imprisonment passed by Magistrate E. T. Kenny, of Terrace, on Mrs. Clara Pickering for selling liquor was sustained in the County Court yesterday afternoon by Judge Young who dismissed the appeal and ordered that Mrs. Pickering be punished as provided for under the Government Liquor Act. Archie Donaghy, of Terrace, appeared for the crown and L. W. Patmore for the defence.

The defence put forward was that the accused was not even on the premises where the liquor was alleged to have been sold at the time. Witnesses swore that she was asleep in the neighboring house of Mr. and Mrs. York at the time in question.

When Judge Young gave his decision that the conviction was sustained, the question arose as to whether the six months should run from the time of the arrest or from the present time. His honor declared that Magistrate Kenny had no authority to make a sentence from October 26 when the accused was found guilty on November 24. As the accused had been out on bail he ordered that she serve the full time of six months which would be from now. L. W. Patmore, counsel for the defence, said he would apply for a stated case to which Judge Young said he could have one at once. The application, however, was not made and Mrs. Pickering was taken weeping to the city jail where she will be held until she is taken to Okalla.

A similar appeal by Paddy Kilmartin, also of Terrace, is being heard today and the June Alexander appeal is set down for tomorrow.

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S PREMIER APPRAISED

Edmonton Paper Speaks of
Farmer John as Picturesque
Figure

The Hon. John Oliver, one of the most picturesque figures that has ever occupied the position of premier of the coast province, has decided to remain over until tonight to address the public meeting in the Memorial Hall, says the Edmonton Bulletin. The interests of his province in the vital matter of western grain shipment, and the discriminatory rates against B.C. shipments going east are the main reasons for the B.C. premier's decision, although the committee in charge of the meeting spent some time with the premier to make arrangements that Edmonton's citizens should again hear the premier from a regular public platform.

British Columbia's premier is a man of very decided opinions. He is careful in making up his mind on any subject. He looks into every figure and every detail of a question before he decides. When he does decide it is settled. So it happens that he has decided that the discriminatory rates for freight against British Columbia must go. He knows every acre of land, every dollar of contribution B.C. has made to C.P.R. railway development. He knows at in comparison with what other provinces and population have paid, and he is determined that his province is not going to be unjustly treated.

TEN MILLIONS IN THE PARTY FUNDS OF LLOYD GEORGE

Old Line Liberals Cast Envious
Eyes on Treasury Chest and
May Get in on it

LONDON, Jan. 17.—There is something like ten million dollars in the party campaign chest of the Lloyd George Liberals and the old line Liberals led by the Asquith-Grey combination have been casting covetous eyes at the rich hoard. It is the big fund which is said to be the one great impelling motive in tending to unite the two sections of the party.

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POLYTECHNIC IS DISCUSSED

School Board Asks Director for
Definite Statement as to
Present Activities and
Attendance

The success of the Northern Polytechnic Institute came in for a good deal of discussion at the school board meeting last night, new members taking a keen interest in getting definite information as to the activities of the classes. The pre-election promise of Trustee Casey that he would move for the abolition of the institute if the cost to the city was unreasonable and unwarranted caused some remark and Trustee Casey said that he had no intention of taking such action if the Institute was supported by the public and it was proved that it was doing good work at not too great a cost to the city. Trustee Montgomery took a similar stand. Mr. Pinder-Moss, director, was instructed to bring in a detailed report for the next meeting, showing the attendance in each of the classes and the exact cost of the Institute to the School Board.

In his report for December, Mr. Pinder-Moss stated that the interest of the students had been well sustained and good progress had been made, examinations showing satisfactory results. Prince Rupert branch had had an average attendance of 74.2 per cent, and Anyox, 69.77 per cent. The total enrolment for Anyox and Prince Rupert was 231, the enrolment in this city being 165. Prospects for the coming term were that the attendance would be smaller this being due to general poor business conditions, the expected attitude of the school board and the talk of discontinuing the classes of the Institute. Mr. Pinder-Moss urged the support of the Institute especially upon business men who, he said, would be amply repaid. He stated that he was now working on a scheme to make the Institute entirely self-supporting but still under the supervision of the School Board. He would likely be able to report on this next month.

In answer to queries by members of the board the following statement in regard to enrollment in the various classes here was submitted by Mr. Pinder-Moss: High school matriculation, 5; Civics and mathematics, 7; French, 11; English, botany and history, 6; Drawing and art, 5; Sheet metal work, drafting and geometry, 5; gas engineering, 6; mechanical drawing and boat design, 8; chemistry, 8; public speaking, 4 (discontinued); shorthand and typewriting, 10; dressmaking, 13; dressmaking and sewing, 11; millinery, 12; electricity, 6; machine shop practice and gas engineering, 9; steam engineering, 5.

The Man in the Moon SAYS—

A HICK town is a place where it is dangerous to be a bohemian

NO one minds a son thinking he knows more than his father. The annoying thing to a father is to find that his son's thinking is correct.

PRINCE Rupert has a beauty parlor, but what can one do among so many.

EVERY day in every way it is evident that we are all getting richer—in experience.

A FRIEND is a man who advises you what to do with your money. An enemy is a person who tries to get it away from you some other way.

SOME people like classic music and others like vinegar on their salad. We don't know what enjoyment means unless we take some of the acid of life to tone us up.

HOSPITALITY is the art of making your guests feel that you are making a lot of them.

A PETTING party is a party where But there it's impossible to explain everything in this life.

MANY girls don't marry because they like to have money in

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"20" - 35¢
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"100" - \$1.75

their pockets and a little bank account of their own.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

T. D. Pattullo was elected mayor of Prince Rupert yesterday over S. M. Newton by a majority of 122, the vote being 505 for Pattullo against 383 for Newton. The aldermen elected for Ward 1 were M. P. McCaffery, George W. Kerr, and George Leek and for Ward 2, John Dybbavn, L. Bullock-Webster, D. Sutherland, G. R. Naden and T. R. Matland. J. A. Kirkpatrick, O. H. Nelson and J. H. Thompson were the successful candidates for the school board. The referendum for discontinuing the ward system was carried by a vote of 537 to 287.

H. Gordon Munro, architect died this morning at 11 o'clock at the home of Capt. and Mrs. H. L. Roberson, Borden Street.

News has reached the city of the drowning of Percy Graham, an employee of the B.C. Fisheries Co. at Alford Bay. Fred Newham, mate of the trawler Triumph, was also drowned but his body has not yet been discovered.

MINERAL ACT. CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS. NOTICE.

Lord Kitchener Young Bull, Irish Rose, General Joffre and Verda Mineral Claims, situated in the Skeena Mining Division of Range 5—60th district, located on Bald Mountain, Forster Island.
Take Notice that I, Alfred C. Garde, F.M.C. 55274, acting for myself and for Gordon Denison F.M.C. 56586, Ford Robertson, F.M.C. 56581, A. E. Wright, F.M.C. 56575, Geo. Bath, F.M.C. 44750, Michael McFadden, F.M.C. 44771, Neil McTavish, F.M.C. 56577, and John A. McLeod, F.M.C. 39871, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.
And further take notice that action under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.
Dated this 8th day of January, 1923 A.D.



Tenders are invited for the annual overhaul of the C.O.S. "Malaspina" now lying at Esquimalt. Copies of specifications can be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Fisheries office at New Westminster or Prince Rupert.
Tenders to be plainly marked on the outside of the envelope "Tender for Repairs to 'Malaspina,'" and must be received at the office of the undersigned not later than 12 o'clock noon, 24th January, 1923. Lowest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.
(Sgd.) J. A. MOTHERWELL,
Chief Inspector of Fisheries,
Molson's Bank Bldg., Vancouver,
Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 9, 1923.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve affecting the lands covered by expired Timber Licence No. 19819 is cancelled.
G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands,
Lands Department,
Victoria, B.C.,
4th January, 1923.

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