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School Report Refutes Pessimists.

Some local people have been knocking their own town in the south by telling that all the people have left and that there are only a few people now in Prince Rupert. Yet on Saturday we were able to publish an official report showing that the school population for May this year was only thirty-two less than for May last year. Thus the pessimists have the hard truth rammed down their throats and the pity is it would not choke them.

It is not pleasant to write this way, but sometimes it is necessary to use rather picturesque language in order to get beneath the skin of some people. The school report says that in May this year the school attendance was 658, and for the same month last year it was 690.

Manson Bill Is Again Turned Down.

Owing to the action of the Canadian Senate the bill giving the province the sole right to handle its own liquor business was dropped by the House of Commons at its final session.

While there may be a difference of opinion as to the desirability of passing such legislation, there can be no two opinions as to the policy of allowing a lot of obsolete politicians to control the destinies of the country. The men who constitute the senate are, speaking generally, a lot of discarded politicians. They could not in most cases secure election as representatives of the people so they are sent to the Senate to block the legislation that the people's representatives would carry through.

Very Few Places Compare In Beauty.

Very few places compare with Northern and Central British Columbia in natural beauty. Those who spend their holidays visiting the various haunts at the headwaters of rivers or running their boats up the arms of the sea become impressed more and more with the fact that few places can compare with this in picturesqueness of the more rugged type. Sir Henry Thornton was particularly impressed with the scenery along the Skeena River, which he considered finer than anything he had ever seen. So it is even to a greater degree in some of the more remote river gorges and mountain lakes.

Some day this place will be overrun with tourists from all parts of the world, looking for beauty and freshness.

Wealth And Poverty Depend Upon Friends.

The person who has no friends, no matter how much money he may possess, is poverty stricken because he lacks that one thing which is essential to happiness. Conversely the person who has friends, no matter how little money he may possess, is one of the wealthy men of the world.

There are things that matter much more than money, Bernard Shaw to the contrary, yet it is good to have a little of both if possible. Enough money and one or two friends is the ideal condition.

So far as cash is concerned, any person can in a few years acquire enough to live comfortably if he has a reasonable amount of brains and enough sense to hold on to his money and invest it wisely. Some people are bound to spend every dollar they earn and they usually think themselves very economical. Others who save money all the time consider themselves very extravagant. So it goes. We have our own ideas of things and our own methods of doing things and to many of us the rest of the world seems to be very foolish.

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NEW BOOKS AT LOCAL LIBRARY

No More Can be Purchased Until Money is Raised For Purpose

At a meeting of the library board held last night in the library, Rev. G. G. Hacker presiding, it was reported that the two hundred dollars donated by the provincial government for the purchase of books had been all expended and no more books could be purchased until money was raised for the purpose.

Miss Grant, librarian, reported that 2,413 books had been loaned during the month of June, an average of 96.5 a day. During the month there were 44 new borrowers and 18 cancelled their memberships, leaving 1204 active borrowers now on the list.

Books donated during the month numbered 19; purchased from the government grant 117 and there were now available on the shelves or in the hands of borrowers, 2,995 volumes.

The matter of ways and means of raising funds was discussed at some length but no definite action taken.

Following is a list of some of the new books purchased with the provincial government grant:

Fiction

Black Oxen, by G. Atherton.
Rough-Hewn, by D. Canfield.
Enchanted April, by "Elizabeth."
Changing Winds, by St. John Ervine.
Faint Perfume, by Z. Gale.
The Middle of the Road, by P. Gibbs.
December Love, by R. Hichens.
Sea Hawk, by R. Sabatini.
Desolate Splendor, by M. Sadleir.
The Judge, by R. West.

Biography

Creative Spirits of the 19th Century, by G. Brandes.
Book of Escapes and Hurried Journeys, by J. Buchan.
All in a Lifetime, by H. Morgenthau.
Mr. Lloyd George, by E. T. Raymond.

Travel

Nights and Days on the Gipsy Trail, by I. Brown.
London Spy, by T. Burke.
White Shadows in the South Seas, by F. O'Brien.
Other Side of the Lantern, by Sir F. Treves.

Science

Nature of Matter and Electricity, by D. F. Comstock.
Principles of Electric Waves, by J. A. Fleming.
From Newton to Einstein, by B. Harrow.
Creative Chemistry, by E. E. Slosson.
History of Aeronautics, by E. C. Vivian.

Gardening

House Plants, by P. T. Barnes.
Gardening With Brains, by H. T. Finck.
The Little Garden, by Mrs. King.

The Man in the Moon SAYS:-

THERE are fifty bankers coming here soon. The way to entertain them would be to touch each one for a loan. That would be a novel idea and show them that Prince Rupert is up to the last second.

JAKE remarks that a banker is too touchy himself to be touched that easy.

NOW, that the fight is over, what about a game of marbles?

AWAY down in Ottawa there is a man taking a crack at Ford. He says that mosquitos breed in tin cans.

IF anyone wishes to bet with me here is the chance. I bet I am asked to pay taxes next year and I bet I do not pay them. Who is ready to put up the cash?

THE best method of saving money is to pay your taxes on time, according to Jake, but I put the money in my pocket and let it stay there until I get down town and pay the taxes next year or the year after.

THE favorite sport of electors is grousing about politicians.

H. F. Kergin, M.L.A., accompanied by Mrs. Kergin and family, arrived yesterday afternoon by the Prince Rupert from Victoria. Mrs. Kergin and family are returning to their home in Alice Arm after having spent the past year at Victoria.

MINING ACTIVITY IN CASSIAR DISTRICT

Claims Being Worked This Season and Heavy Machinery Being Installed

There is a good deal of mining activity in the Liard division of Cassiar district according to reports brought to the city from the north. Several outfits are installing machinery while others are working on a smaller scale. Already this season some gold is being taken out and production will increase as the season advances.

On Dease Creek Craig and Ross of Seattle with four men are putting in a series of drill holes with a key-stone drill on placer leases which they hold at the mouth of the creek. This work is well under way. Further up the creek Henry Cole and Tom Bryan are prospecting and doing preliminary work on four leases that they hold.

On Deloire Creek, Geo. Ball, Bob Quinn, Frank Finn and Geo. Finn have amalgamated their leases and have over 900 feet of bed rock flume constructed but have a little further to carry on. It is expected that they will be shovelling pay about the middle of July.

On Thibert Creek, the Dease Syndicate are going to replace their wooden flume with iron pipe and the manager of this company, George Adams, is expected in at once to install the plant.

On Mosquito Creek, George Adsit is running a tunnel at the upper end of his claim and getting some coarse gold.

At McDames Creek, Amos Godfrey and associates are doing assessment on their leases.

David Wing and J. Hoigard are taking in to McDames a small hydraulic plant which they hope to install this summer.

The Pendleton-Kuehl Co. are taking in 45 tons of heavy machinery consisting of a Sauerman combination bucket and scraper dragline cableway excavator similar to those in use in the Yukon. This is to be used on the Pendleton lease at McDames Creek, where they expect to have it landed the coming fall.

A. St. Clair Brindle of Victoria, with a couple of men is making a reconnaisance of the Haskins Mountain mineral properties at the head of McDames Creek which from all reports appear very promising.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

July 5, 1913.

F. Klevenhauser, head of one of the largest fishing importing companies in Germany, arrived in the city on the Prince Rupert this morning to make arrangements for the delivery of fish from here. He is accompanied by C. H. Josephs, manager of the company's branch at Astoria, Oregon.

The American and Canadian governments are making arrangements for the erection of an international peace arch at Blaine on the British Columbia-Washington boundary line.

E. B. Paul, superintendent of Victoria city schools, arrived this morning on the Prince Rupert to preside at the High School examinations which open next week.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS

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Central

John Unok, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Duck Lake, Sask.; F. Daniels, C.N.R.

TIMBER SALE X 5294.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 19th day of July, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 5294, to cut 800,000 feet of Spruce, on an unnamed island in the Skeena River, 30 chains northwest of Alder Creek, Range 5, Coast 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 X5146.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 19th day of July, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 5146, to cut 40,000 Jackpine Ties, from an area situated about 4 miles from Palling Station, C.N.R., Range 5, Coast Land District.

Three (3) 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 5082.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester not later than noon on the 12th day of July, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 5082, on North Bentick Arm, to cut 255M. feet of Cedar, Spruce and Hemlock Sawlogs.

One (1) year 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 4730.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 12th day of July, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 4730, to cut 610,000 feet of Fir, Cedar and Spruce on the S.E. ¼, Sec. 10, Township 2, Range 3, Coast Land District.

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

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