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### Cumberland Explosion Regrettable Occurrence.

The explosion at Cumberland is a regrettable occurrence. The men who dig coal from the bowels of the earth take their lives in their hands all the time. This is constantly being made clear to us all, yet we hardly realize it when we use the fuel and grumble about the high price.

Cumberland, the scene of the latest fearful accident, is well known to many here and some of the people who were killed are known locally. That town will be in mourning for some time to come and we can well mourn with them to think it should be necessary that lives should be snuffed out so easily.

A great many blame these accidents on the fact that Orientals are working in the mines, men who do not properly understand the dangers of the work and take necessary precautions. The accidents do not need to happen. They are always caused by somebody's carelessness. With proper care they could be prevented.

### Need For Careful Financing Shown.

Need for careful financing is shown by the action of the Grand Trunk Development Company in suggesting that they may place the rest of the townsite on the market in order to get rid of the excessive taxation. It is difficult to suggest what would be the best course to follow in connection with this. Some residents think it would be a good thing to have that land placed on the market at once. It would not have very much value because roads would have to be built through it before it could be used and the city would hardly be inclined to build roads through it just now. If an arrangement can be entered into with the company, it looks as if that would be the best thing to do just now. At the same time the present council should not tie the city up to any lengthy agreement in connection with this land. Conditions here may change very quickly.

### Keep City In Public Eye.

Citizens of Prince Rupert should unite in keeping the place in the public eye. Much can be done by individuals in writing letters to prominent people they may happen to know or in sending away marked copies of the newspapers. The management of the Daily News does a good deal of that, but it cannot be expected that they should bear the brunt of all the expense. Sometimes we meet people in the city who remark: "Say, you might send a marked copy of yesterday's paper to Premier King. I think that might do the city some good." While such suggestions are appreciated, it might be more appropriate for the people who make such suggestions to call at the office and pay for what papers they want sent out, and the management of the paper will do the rest. As was said before, it cannot be expected that the management of the paper shall bear all the cost of publicity, especially at a time when the newspaper business is quiet. Community work is what is needed today. Organized effort will do a great deal.

The board of trade is trying to inaugurate a policy of publicity but is handicapped to a large extent by lack of funds. However, the most being made of the money available and some good work should be done if businessmen and others will back them up.

### Did Not Know Where Prince Rupert Was.

Quite recently, we are told, a man dropped into a New York ticket office to buy a ticket to Prince Rupert. The ticket agent not only did not know where the city was, but did not have a map with the city marked on it. The only name on the old map was Metlakatla and the purchaser of the ticket had to explain that it was near there.

The office in question was not one of the Canadian National offices but, as all offices usually sell tickets to any point, it is expected that they shall know where those places are. Evidently Prince Rupert has a lot of publicity work to do.

## "My Heart Would Palpitate, I Had Weak Spells"

Mrs. L. Whiting, 202 King St. West, Brockville, Ont., writes:—

"I took very sick with my nerves and stomach, and seemed to be all run down. At times my heart would flutter and palpitate so and I would take such weak spells in the pit of my stomach that I sometimes thought I would never get better. I had almost given up hope when a friend advised the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I did not stop until I had taken twenty-five boxes. It has done wonders for me and I want to recommend it to everyone."

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## POLICE BOARD ON ESTIMATES

Chief is Asked by Commission to  
Report on Feasibility of  
Three-Man Force

In a preliminary discussion of the estimates for the year, the police commission yesterday afternoon considered the advisability of making reduction in the force but reached no decision in the matter, pending a further report that has been called for from the chief and which will be presented at a meeting to be held next week.

Chief Vickers presented two sets of estimates, one providing for a five man force besides the chief (as at present), totalling \$14,885. Expressing the belief that a three-man force might be practicable, the mayor requested the chief's views on the matter and it was for the purpose of getting a report on this that the meeting adjourned until next week.

Mayor Newton declared that in his opinion a force of even four men besides the chief would be criticized. He would favor at least a trial with three men. The public were clamoring against the cost of the police department.

### Only One Man

Commissioner Shoekley thought it would be impossible to drop off more than one man.

Commissioner Cameron took a similar view and stated that protection was what was desired and it must be paid for. Contingencies always had to be guarded against and it was no use waiting until something happened before realizing that the force was too small.

It was pointed out at the meeting that, in 1921 the police expenditure had been \$26,000 and in 1922 approximately \$20,000. Fines collected during 1922 had totalled \$7,570.35, bringing the net cost of the police last year down to \$13,029.65. Mayor Newton and Commissioner Shoekley pointed out that the commonly heard statement that the police had cost \$30,000 last year was thus refuted.

The red light scheme proposed by last year's commission as a means towards reducing the size of the force was read at the meeting but was left over until the estimates are further dealt with.

Details of the estimates presented by the chief were as follows: Salaries, \$13,380; office supplies, \$75; water, light and telephone, \$750; transportation of prisoners, \$600; keep of prisoners, \$750; uniforms and equipment, \$100; telegrams, \$30; workmen's compensation, \$200; miscellaneous, \$500. The only difference in the two sets of estimates comes in the matter of salaries. The foregoing salary item is for a five man force, while for the four man force it would be \$11,580.

## CATHOLIC LADIES' SALE AND SOCIAL

Many Attended Affairs Held in  
School Hall Yesterday After-  
noon and Evening

The ladies of the Catholic Church held a very successful tea and sale of home cooking in the school hall at the corner of Fifth Avenue and Borden Street yesterday afternoon. The affair was finished up with a social in the evening. There were many present at both events.

The winners of the raffles were as follows:

Dresser cover, donated by Mrs. Batcher, won by Mrs. Alex. Macdonald.

Cake, donated by Mrs. A. Auler, won by F. W. Moersch.

Centre piece, donated by Mrs. Rosner, won by Mr. Sines.

Solos were rendered in the afternoon by Miss Patricia Meagher and Mrs. Caldwell.

Winners at cards in the evening were Miss Pulmira Astoria and P. J. McCormick.

## TEA AND SALE OF SOME COOKING IS BEING HELD TODAY

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church is holding a tea and sale of home cooking in the Red Cross Hut on Third Avenue this afternoon. Mrs. Hibbard and Mrs. J. P. McMillan are in charge of the home cooking and Mrs. J. Hampton and Mrs. G. Johnstone, the tea tables.

Advertise in the Daily News.

## The Man in the Moon SAYS:—

A FARMER is a person who rises with a groan, lurches with a snarl and takes something with a kick before he retires.

DAY by day in every way I am paying taxes or trying to.

JOCK says wives are exasperating. They want to know what a man does with his money.

THE way to get the best of a fight is to stay out of it.

THE woman who does not enjoy shopping is beyond the womanly age.

IT'S easy enough to give advice, but, as the stock exchange men say, the takers are few.

IF this weather lasts, mothers will have to get out the sulphur and molasses. Sam's beginning to run.

A MAN went to Europe for change and rest. The hotels got the change and he leaned over the rail and the sea got the rest.

THERE was a banquet under the auspices of the Rotary Club Thursday night. After they had all assembled and were seated and the viands did not appear this is what they sang:

Oh, dear what can the matter be, Dear, dear, what can the matter be.

Oh, dear, what can the matter be, Why don't they bring on the fare.

They promised to give us some roast beef to please us.

And carrots and spuds, And a cream puff to tease us.

But we are all hungry, And Mr. Saint "Regus"

We haven't much time we can spare.

## POLICE BUSINESS FOR MONTH LIGHT

Only Five Cases in Police Court  
in January—Fines Totalled  
\$202

A very light month in police affairs was reported upon by the Chief of Police in submitting his statement for January to the commission yesterday afternoon. There had been five cases dealt with and fines had totalled \$202. Classified, the cases were: Vagrancy, one; intoxication, two; unsealed liquor in possession, one; and drugs in possession, one.

The last mentioned two cases had been dismissed. Coal and bread measures had been inspected and found correct.

## PROVINCE PAYS FARE OF LIQUOR SELLERS TO JAIL

Attention being drawn to the fact that transportation to Okalla of prisoners found guilty of selling liquor was paid by the provincial government, the chief of police was instructed by the police commission yesterday afternoon to prepare accounts of recent offenders in this class with a view to submitting them to the government for collection. In dealing with the accounts, Mayor Newton pointed out to the board that the chief item was the bill in connection with fares of offenders to Okalla.

## Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

February 10, 1913

Describing the church as the greatest ethical and moral force in the world, Rev. F. W. Kerr made a strong plea in the Empress Theatre last night for support of the great work of widening the scope of Christian endeavor.

The Prince Rupert Exhibition will be held this year on September 24, 25 and 26. The following committees have been named: Finance, Ald. G. R. Naden, A. J. Prudhomme and J. Lorne MacLaren. Prizes—A. J. Prudhomme, L. Crippen and A. B.

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