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C.P.R. To Electrify
The Mountain Line.

Possibly when the C.P.R. electrifies the mountain line we shall get freight rates to the Pacific coast made the same as those to the Atlantic. The C.P.R. seems to have been the chief stumbling block as that railway has not the grade to successfully compete at the lower rates. Given more economical facilities for handling the traffic and it is possible they will then be able to overcome the present handicap.

No one wishes the C.P.R. anything but the best success. It was the pioneer road and is looked on and is one of the great Canadian institutions of which we are proud. So big has it become and so powerful that it is sometimes difficult to control and it is said quite openly that the big corporation controls every government no matter of what shade of political opinion, Liberal, Conservative or Farmer, and that if at any time a labor government should be chosen the corporation will control it also. While that is talk, it emphasizes a truth, which is that the C.P.R. is not only a most powerful factor in the development of the country but a political factor that always has to be reckoned with and that looks at all matters from the business viewpoint rather than the ethical.

Equalizing Of
Freight Rates.

Prince Rupert stands to gain a great advantage from the equalization of freight rates. Anything which makes it easier to do business on the Pacific in competition with the Atlantic is favorable to the establishment of shipping business here. As long as we are under a handicap as against the East, we shall find it that much more difficult to induce shipping to come here. At present only three per cent of the grain raised on the prairies comes out by the Pacific. Let that be steadily increased and the pressure on Vancouver would become so great at once that we should get the overflow and become established as a second grain export route.

Value To Country
Of Motor Roads.

Motor roads are of great value to the country. British Columbia is the great scenic province of the west and people from the American and Canadian prairies as well as from the states directly to the south will come here to holiday. Because of that it is very desirable that motor roads should be built as soon as possible.

Take the case of Prince George. A good motor road is required between that town and Quesnel to join up with the old Cariboo road from Ashcroft. That would be of much more benefit to Prince George than the P.G.E. Even if the P.G.E. were operating out of Vancouver to Prince George it would be nothing but a jerkwater road and would make no appeal to tourists. The big railway companies would route their passengers over their own roads which they spend much money to advertise. On the other hand those who tour in their own autos are anxious to get north in the summer and many will go as far north as possible. Let there be a good road to the north and visitors will come by the thousands and will place the country permanently on the map. Motor traffic will be an aid to the railway and the whole province will benefit.

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DISCUSSED BY
ATTORNEY GEN.

Hon. A. M. Manson Gives Interesting Address to Women in Victoria

VICTORIA, June 21.—One of the hardest things governments have to fight is the crime of indifference to political responsibility which is too often shown by the average man and woman. Business men and women should awaken to the sense of their responsibility and by the intelligent exercise of the franchise acquaint governments with their wishes. Only in this way will you offset the hoi polloi of petty grafters who, because they shout the loudest, apparently express the will of the people.

This comment was but one of the many trenchant observations made to the members of the Liberal Women's Forum by Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General, in the course of an address on "Government."

The speaker enunciated the principles of party government, with particular emphasis on those of the Liberal party. He urged women to take a stand on one side or the other in preference to sitting on the fence of a third party, and further stated that he did not subscribe to the theory that wives voted with their husbands. Rather, his experience imbued him with the belief that many husbands voted, consciously or unconsciously, according to the opinions of their wives.

After dilating upon the multifarious duties coming within the purview of his department, the Attorney-General touched upon various matters of legislation. The liquor problem and the Government's fight to secure necessary legislation from the Federal authorities to prohibit the private importation of liquor gave rise to the Minister's abjuration that "women of every political shade of thought should back the Government in its fight to protect the homes of this province." It is a matter of the greatest moment not only to Liberal women but to every woman and to every decent man that this legislation should pass the Senate and it is up to the decent citizens to back the Provincial Government in its fight against the boot-legging interests.

Mr. Manson suggested that women's organizations, whether political or non-partisan, should take the necessary steps to convey their wishes in this matter through the medium of resolutions which, to be effective, must reach the authorities at Ottawa before next Tuesday.

The problem of the movies was also touched upon by the speaker. Mr. Manson declared that much of the remedy for the present situation lay in the hands of the public. "As long as men and women will sit and see on the screen things that they should not countenance in their homes, as long as they will tolerate the showing of crime and sex problem films without protest, so long will these things endure, for the Government in this as in other matters can only take action according to the expressed will of the people."

Concerning the juvenile court problem, Mr. Manson stated that he was entirely in sympathy with the movement to ensure their fullest operation and, further, that he hoped to some day see the jail system on a different basis, aiming at the reclamation rather than merely the punishment of the offenders. Mothers' pensions, the Workmen's Compensation Act and other beneficiary measures were briefly reviewed by the speaker, who in closing reiterated his advice to the women to keep in touch with matters of political moment.

MARTIN O'REILLY'S
LITTLE DAUGHTER
DIED LAST MONDAY

According to words received yesterday by Father McGrath, Bernadette, three year old and youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin O'Reilly, died in Vancouver, at 4 o'clock on Monday morning from spinal meningitis. The funeral will take place in Vancouver.

The Man in the Moon
SAYS—

LIVING in a small town is irksome, but living within a small income has no suitable name.

THERE has been a great deal of thunder in the Kootenays. Who is likely to be elected, I wonder?

RED propaganda is spreading in girls' colleges. Rouge and lipstick are becoming more general.

I JUST hate those anonymous letters I so often get commanding "To account rendered."

IT'S all right to have a mission in life as long as that mission is not to make everybody miserable.

DID you ever hear of those wild women who were so wild they actually chewed up a man's bankroll?

BE careful about getting "lit up." A match often loses its head that way.

THERE have been all sorts of criticisms of saxophone music but in spite of everything they say, it was clear to everyone present at the Elks' minstrel show that the sound came out of the big end of the horn, which was the proper place for it to come from.

IT was down in the States that a man went to the doctor and asked for a prescription because he was sick of prohibition.

NOTHING looks so mean as a very old man about to marry a very young wife.

ONE reason why a lot of people do not like the newspapers is because the newspaper people try to collect their back subscriptions.

THE latest definition for sarcasm is calling the husband head of the house.

NEVER try to explain to your wife, men. It's neither necessary nor judicious.

A BOOK that would stand a good chance of being a best seller would be "What Parents Ought to Know" written by a seventeen year old daughter.

WHEN my chin began to double I consoled myself with the thought that it was better to be double chinned than two-faced, but when the third chin appeared I decided to do the same as aunt Polly does with her hair at night—take it off.

NOBODY is just as mean as a telephone girl. I was talking to my best girl and was just working up to an interesting point when the connection broke and central quietly inquired "Did you get them?" I explained in terms unmistakable what had happened and then the hello witch whispered "Here they are," and the girl's mother explained that Lottie had a young man waiting for her and was bound to go. Such is life.

Ten Years Ago
in Prince Rupert

June 21, 1913.

F. H. Mobley, Geo. J. Frizzell, Capt. Rood and G. H. McGregor are back from a voyage to various points on the Queen Charlotte Islands made on the launch Laura F.

Frances Crane and Florence Merritt were the prize-winners in the chorus girls' contest at the Westholme Theatre last night held by the Frank Rich stock company. The company will give its farewell perform-



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TIMBER SALE X 5081.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, not later than noon on the 22nd day of June, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 5081, to cut 5,191,000 feet of Spruce and Hemlock, and 1,299,000 feet of felled and bucked Spruce and Hemlock, on an area situated in the Desolation Sound, Louise Island, 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 3117.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 5th day of July, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 3117, to cut 1,123,000 feet of Spruce, Hemlock, and Cedar on Lot 27, Cumshewa Inlet, Queen Charlotte Island Land District.

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

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TIMBER SALE X 5111.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 5th day of July, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 5111, to cut 5,941,000 feet of Spruce, Hemlock, and Cedar, on an area situated on the Kihella River, Range 2, Coast Land District.

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

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Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 22nd day of June, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 5124, to cut 5,940,500 feet of Spruce, Balsam, Cedar, and Hemlock, on an area situated on the North shore of Drayney Inlet, Range 2, Coast 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 5123.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, not later than noon on the 22nd day of June, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X 5123, to cut 5,940,500 feet of Spruce, Balsam, Cedar, and Hemlock, on an area situated on the west shore of Surf Inlet, approximately 4 miles from head, Range 2, Coast Land District.

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

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