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INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF TRIP TO OUTPOST OF CASAIAR DISTRICT IS GIVEN BY KERGIN, ATLIN MEMBER.

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expected that, by 1924, motors would be able to make the journey from Telegraph Creek to the head of Dease Lake, a distance of 75 miles, in one day, whereas it now occupied 10 days by the old pack train method.

Tells of Trip

Mr. Kergin left Prince Rupert on June 11, arriving at Wrangell the following day, this place being the starting point for the Stikine. Here the Barrington Transport Co., which operates a line of gas boats on the river, had just arrived down after an absence of eight days in which they tried to reach Telegraph Creek, but without success for, at this season of the year, the river was in flood, and they could only get as far as the Canyon.

"We left, however, the following day," said Mr. Kergin, "and proceeded as far as the Boundary, about 30 miles from Wrangell. Here the customs have an officer stationed and, after the usual customs preliminaries, we started on our way.

"The Stikine in size and character somewhat resembles the Skeena and is navigable for steamers of light draught and good power as far as Telegraph Creek, 150 miles from the mouth. The current of the Stikine is swift, but there are no so-called rapids, the Little Canyon 75 miles up offering the worst impediment during the months of June and July when the river is at its highest stage. This canyon is about three quarters of a mile long with sheer rock walls from two to three hundred feet high and in places not over seventy-five feet wide. Here, at the mouth of the canyon, ten horses were taken on that had been left there the previous trip when the boat could go no further. The water, however, had receded and the passage of the canyon was navigated without much difficulty although the horses which we had taken on added considerable weight to our craft.

Magnificent Scenery

"The scenery on the Stikine will compare with any on the continent and no doubt will be highly patronized in time when it becomes more widely known. There are several important tributaries which flow into the Stikine, chief amongst them being the Iskoof and Scud coming in from the east and the Clearwater from the west 14 miles above the canyon. The glaciers, however, are the most important features. The First or Little Glacier is situated about 10 miles from the mouth. The next is the Great Glacier with a width on the river front of about four miles. Next comes the Dirt Glacier, so called from the quantity of rocky material with which its surface is covered, giving it a muddy appearance. Last comes the Flood Glacier, so named from the great flood of water which it gives off during the end of each summer.

"We arrived at Telegraph Creek, without any mishap on June 15, after putting out a few cables to help the boat over several difficult riffles. This is the only town in the district and the outfitting center for the entire interior. It is situated on the north side of the river occupying the Delta of the small stream, which bears its name, and the lower terraces bordering on it. It is a clean and well kept town, consisting of a double row of houses and stores which border on the river front. Here we waited for two days procuring pack-horses for the journey to Dease. The Telegraph-Dease wagon road has its start at this point although there is a fairly good wagon road from Telegraph to Glenora, the old boom town of '98 and Cassiar Central Railway days, which is situated about 12 miles below Telegraph. With the exception of a single row of log buildings, it is now deserted.

To Dease Lake

"The trail to Dease Lake was opened up by the government in 1874 and has since been kept in a fairly good state of repair. A few years ago it was opened up as a wagon road to the Tooya some 25 miles along the route. Leaving Telegraph Creek, the road out of the town follows along the base of a lava cliff with a fair grade to a height of 300 feet above the river when it opens out upon a broad terrace which it follows, keeping the course of the river for a distance of about 12 miles, when it descends into the Tahltan with a good grade built along the hillside of rock and earth with rock walls built up in several places to strengthen the road.

"The Tahltan, which is a river of some size comes out of a perpendicular canyon of lava rock whose walls are from 300 to 400 feet in height. A good bridge spans this river over which we crossed and here met with the Pendleton-Kuehl Co. who, with a caterpillar and tractor, were taking in 45 tons of heavy mining machinery, and making good progress. The ascent out of the

Tahltan Valley follows a clay bank to an elevation of about 300 feet to the lava bed above which it follows in a north-east direction over a level stretch to Wards Hill five miles distant. At Wards the road climbs to a plateau about 900 feet high, along which it runs for about four miles over even ground then drops 1000 feet into the valley of the Tuva over which we crossed on a substantial bridge 224 feet long and 14 feet wide and constructed with 12 x 12 stringers and a double Queen truss. Here the road ascends out of the valley 1000 feet to the top of another plateau, along which it runs to the north-east over a trail which at present is almost good enough for a wagon road, until Caribou Camp is reached. This place is considered the half way camp to the lake. From here on to the Tazilla, 20 miles from the lake and on to the lake itself, the trail is fairly even.

Not Difficult Road

"The construction of a wagon road with good grades from Telegraph Creek to Dease Lake would not be very difficult or expensive. In fact the hardest part of the road—that between Telegraph and Tooya—has been overcome and from there on, some small side hill grading and fills is all that is necessary. With the government grader now at work, it would be possible to take a motor right through this fall. This is assured for next summer in any case."

Mr. Kergin went on to Victoria after arriving here. He is expected back this week accompanied by Mrs. Kergin and family who have been in the capital for several months. They will return to their home in Alice Arm.

CONVICTIONS UNDER FORESTRY LAWS
Several Interior Men Are Fined For Setting Out Fires

At Smithers, on June 25, Geo. Oulton, Louis Devoin and Frank Gilbert were convicted before Magistrate Hoskins of setting out fires without permits contrary to the Forest Act and were fined \$25 and costs each.

At Forestdale, on June 27, John David was convicted before Magistrate Hoskins of setting out fire without a permit and was fined \$25 and costs.

At Sanctuary Lake, on June 27, before Magistrate Mulyena, J. Vanzanton was fined \$25 and costs for failing to report a forest fire.

SMITHERS TO HAVE ANOTHER SCHOOL
Tenders Being Called For One-Room Building To Accommodate Increased Attendance

SMITHERS, July 4.—As an evidence of the ever increasing population, tenders are being called for the construction of an additional school building. The large addition of two years ago is proving inadequate and it has been decided to erect another one-room structure. The new school is expected to be ready for use at the beginning of the fall term.

Ten Years Ago
in Prince Rupert

July 4, 1913.
Captain Tom Smith brought in the Zorra this morning with a catch of 30,000 pounds of halibut. This is an extraordinarily good catch for a two dory vessel. The Zorra is the property of the Atlin Fisheries Ltd.

P. V. Croken, superintendent of construction for the Dominion government telegraph along the line of the G.T.P., returned yesterday afternoon from the interior.

Mrs. Keen, wife of Canon Keen of Melakalla, arrived here yesterday from the interior. Canon and Mrs. Keen expect to leave for England about the middle of this month.

J. P. Graves, vice president of the Granby Co. returned on the steamer Prince George this morning to Vancouver.

HOTEL ARRIVALS
Prince Rupert
W. T. Gomall, Kamloops; W. F. Binns, Balmoral Cannery.
Central
W. Burke, city.

The Man in the Moon
SAYS:

THE difficulty with some lovers is that they love nobody but themselves. Jake Sandusky says the only person in the world he loves is Jake. But then Jake is honest about it.

I SHOULD like to emphasize the fact that it is not necessary to wear silk pajamas in order to sleep well.

AS the mayor of Exstew says, modern civilization is a curious animal.

AN oil stock gambler would be well fitted to write a book on the subject "Is the World getting Wiser?"

PEOPLE delight in dangerous situations. Look how many second marriages there are.

A CORRESPONDENT wants to know how much silence you can get into a room at a time. I have an idea that the correspondent is kidding me.

IN the average household, if the man opens up and treats the boys, the wife pays the bill because she has to do without that much in the days to come.

IN these days of modern gow-gaws that girls wear it is suggested that to be covered with glory or with a mantle of charity is not quite sufficient even for hot weather.

A CYNIC observes that Eve must have been a June bride when she tempted Adam because she offered him something raw.

"SO Calgary is booming Pat Burns for the Senate. It is hard to believe that Pat is as tired as that."—Manitoba Free Press.

IF you dance all night and sleep all day both the boss and the devil are likely to begin to take an interest in your affairs.

THE Senate seems to have been having a real killing time lately.

CLIMBING is a pleasant occupation, but never go trying to climb big waves with a little boat.

HOW many times a day do you use the pronoun "I"? Eliminate two thirds of them and your friends will think a lot more of you.

IT'S very annoying when a girl starts selling kisses in order to raise money and some other vampish creature starts boot-legging them.

MAN puts powder in his gun when he hunts a deer. Woman puts powder on her nose when she hunts a man. Everyone knows which is the more dangerous to the quarry.

THOSE girls who use powder a lot console themselves with the knowledge that tale is cheap.

THE other day I heard several new phrases and I give them here for the sake of those who wish to keep up to date. They were: "Too bad," "Is that so" without the interrogation at the end, and "Pleased to Meetchoo."

THINGS may be bad but just think where we'd all be if we got what we deserved.

THE pic-nics over the holidays were mostly of a "wet" nature.

WHY can't the government invent flavored gums for postage stamps?

CERTAIN bathing costumes this season have been branded the "Broadcasting" series. Evidently because they are the right wave length.

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