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**MIGHT WELL BE THEME OF REX BEACH NOVEL**  
Harry Heywood of Victoria Who is Developing Northern Mine Had Many Escapes

VICTORIA, April 29.—The personal history of a good many of the men who are responsible for the renewed activity in the famous Stewart silver and gold field, Portland Canal district, would afford material for a Rex Beach novel. Some of the pioneers of the field have held on to their holdings since years before the war, and during the difficult years of the great struggle their tenacity cost them much sacrifice.

Harry Heywood, of Victoria, who with his associates is opening up the Terminus group of claims on American Creek, related a few of his experiences before he left for the field last week. He came to Canada when he was eighteen, and immediately the lure of prospecting claimed him. He settled first in the Cobalt district of Ontario, where he worked in the mines there for three and a half years. At the end of that time, hearing of the mining possibilities of British Columbia, he crossed the continent, and after traversing many of the interior districts, located his home in Victoria. From the base established here he took part in nearly every mineral rush for nearly two decades, including the stampedes to Shushana in the Yukon.

**Nearly Dead From Hunger**  
Luck was against him in his trip to the North, and running short of food he decided to head south. The hardships borne during his trip are known to many of the early stampedes. On one occasion he travelled a distance of eighty-four miles with nothing to eat except three pounds of dried raisins. Then for two weeks he travelled on only what scarce game he could bag and he would have "passed in his cheeks" if it had not been for the Royal Northwest Mounted Police spotting his drifting canoe on the Yukon River and taking his unconscious body from the bottom of it.

He spent two months in a Dawson hospital recovering from the effects of his experience. When war was declared he tried to enlist with Colonel Boyle's Yukon detachment, but men were clamoring for places in those days, and he was rejected because he was a few inches shorter than the standard test. Later he came down to Victoria and enlisted with the 88th Battalion and proceeded overseas with that unit.

**Returns After War**  
When the war was over he returned to the north country, starting in from Edmonton, Alberta, and prospecting in the Fort Norman region. He and his associates were disappointed with their findings and commenced the long journey through the Peace River district and Northern British Columbia to the Pacific Coast. During the traverse he made some important discoveries of high-grade mineral deposits, but owing to transportation difficulties they are at present unworkable.

He arrived at Prince Rupert eventually, and from there went north to Stewart and re-

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Development of mineral claims now known as the Terminus group, in which he was interested at that time. Assays made of ore bodies already tapped show most encouraging results, and Mr. Heywood and his associates believe they are about to "cash in" on their many years of effort and struggle.

**INTERIOR NEWSPAPERS DO NOT AGREE AS TO DOME MOUNTAIN STRIKE**

Omineca Herald Says News is Confirmed but Interior News Blames Prince Rupert

The Prince Rupert Daily News was the first paper to tell of a big strike of five feet of rich ore in one of the Dome Mountain tunnels. Later this was confirmed and the special correspondent of this paper told readers that as a result of the strike forty men would be sent to the mine to add to the staff there. One of the interior papers has not yet heard of this strike and blames the Daily News for giving out news of which that paper was not aware.

**Herald Confirms**  
The Omineca Herald in its recent issue says:  
A week ago a strike was reported on Dome Mountain in one of the tunnels being run on copper during the past year. Five feet of ore has been encountered and the strike is of such importance that the management is arranging for forty more men to go to work. If the ore stays with them heavy development work will be carried on all spring and summer and there is an enthusiastic hope now that the money already expended will be fully justified and that Dome Mountain will shortly become an important producer. The end of this week J. D. Galloway will inspect the mine in company with the manager, Henry Lee.

**Interior News Not Aware**  
But the Interior News of Smithers has the following:  
While development work is proceeding in a satisfactory manner on the property of the Dome Mountain Gold Mining Company, the big strike broadcast by Prince Rupert papers is something of which the people of this district is not aware. No development of a sensational nature has resulted from the work being carried on.

Work now under way in the development of the holding of the company on Dome Mountain con-

**TERRACE NOTES**

Olof Hanson is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Walker and family of Copper City moved to Prince Rupert last week where they expect to make their home in the future.

There was a very enjoyable dance at Usk on Saturday night.

Walter Van Meter is moving part of his equipment up to Vauarsoel in making preparations for his big camp there.

Bruce Johnson is back North again and arrived in Terrace Saturday.

Mrs. T. H. McHughin of Pacific was in town on Saturday.

The river has risen rapidly with the sudden warm weather and the ferry began running on Monday.

Miss Elsie Kenney was also a passenger on Sunday's train returning to Rupert to resume her High School studies.

Mrs. Arthur Carr arrived from England where she has spent the last year. A number of her friends were at the station to meet her and a warm welcome is extended to her by her many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson and Archie spent last week here, returning to Rupert Saturday.

Dick Howe was in town on Saturday.

Lisle Moore returned to Anyox on Sunday.

Fred Dubord was another passenger on Sunday's west bound train.

Miss Mayme Dobb returned from Rupert on Saturday.

The new building on the corner of Lakelse and Kitsumkalum is now occupied. Ben Ager has opened a hardware and furniture store in one part and Fred Nash and Chas. R. Gilbert have moved their offices into the other.

The Ladies' Guild of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. Barker last week.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church met at the home of Mrs. Gilbert where final arrangements were made for their sale on Saturday, May 3. Their usual standard will be maintained with a wide range of pretty things. There will also be a sale of home cooking and tea will be served during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norrington have moved down the river.

**SMITHERS**

Development work on the tunnel of the Mamie mine is showing good values at depth.

Mrs. S. N. Long of Francois Lake passed away last week after an illness of one month.

Mrs. H. L. Finney passed away last week after an illness of two

**PROCLAMATION**

BYNG OF VIMY [L.S.] CANADA

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, or whom the same may in anywise concern.

**GREETING:**

**A PROCLAMATION**

E. L. NEWCOMBE, Deputy Minister of Justice, Canada

**WHEREAS** the protection and perpetuation of our forests are vital for the continued industrial welfare and national strength of Canada and to its individual health, comfort and prosperity;

And Whereas it is shown by the statistics of the several forest authorities of the Dominion that the forest resources have suffered enormous losses through the occurrence of forest fires and that the loss through such fires has far exceeded in amount the depletion in timber wealth through legitimate cutting operations;

And Whereas Our Dominion is recognized as the main source of supply of coniferous timber within Our Empire and it is essential that, if Canada is to retain and develop her position as an exporter of forest products, the unnecessary losses through forest fires must be curtailed;

And Whereas in many cases forest fires have resulted in disastrous loss of life, and of valuable property other than timber wealth;

And Whereas apart from direct loss through the agency of fire, the vitality of the forest is thereby seriously impaired, thus rendering it unduly susceptible to attack by insect and fungus pests;

And Whereas forest fires disturb the equilibrium of stream flow, lower the water table, and frequently give rise to serious erosive effects;

And Whereas the great majority of forest fires are entirely attributable to inexcusable neglect or ignorance, and are therefore preventable, and the exercise of reasonable Prudence and proper carefulness on the part of responsible individuals would reduce the timber losses by fire in Canada to small proportions;

And Whereas it is desirable that the attention of the public be directed to the extent and underlying causes of the preventable loss of life and property by fire and to the best and most practicable means for its control and that a specific period of the year be set apart and properly designated for the dissemination of such information;

Now Know Ye that We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, have thought fit to appoint and do appoint the week commencing Sunday, the twenty-seventh

day of April and ending on Saturday, the third day of May in this present year as "Save the Forest Week," during which period the citizens of Our Dominion shall be entreated earnestly to consider the facts hereinbefore set out, to give careful heed to information disseminated by the various forest protective agencies, and in particular to act upon the following suggestions:

- 1 That settlers and others engaged in the clearing of land should fully observe the fire laws of the Dominion and of the province, which laws have been enacted for their protection, as well as for the preservation of Our timber resources;
- 2 That at this time of the year, when thousands are looking forward to spending their summer vacations in the woods, all should take cognizance of the fact that the camp-fire, which is one of the most pleasant and valuable adjuncts to camp life, may, if neglected, easily result in disaster; and that to prevent repetition of such losses as have been annually sustained from this cause, all persons should familiarize themselves with the proper methods of building, using and extinguishing such fires;
- 3 That loggers, saw-mill operators and others interested in timber operations should see that all equipment and appliances designed to prevent the origin or spread of fires shall be overhauled and placed in a state of thorough repair; that such persons should review with care the fire protection requirements of the legislation under which they operate; and that they should see that all employees working under their direction are properly instructed as to the danger of fire.

Of all which Our Loving Subjects and all others whom these presents may concern are hereby required to take notice and to govern themselves accordingly.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed Witness Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Julian Hedworth George, Baron Byng of Vimy, General on the Retired List and in the Reserve of Officers of Our Army, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of Our Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, this twenty-eighth day of February, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and in the fourteenth year of Our Reign.

By Command,  
THOMAS MULVEY,  
Under-Secretary of State.

weeks. She is survived by a widower and three children.

Good showings have been encountered by the Federal Mining & Smelting Co. on the Owen Lake mine near Houston and a second tunnel is being started.

Mr. and Mrs. Strid and family have arrived from the prairies to take up the farms of Harry Smith and J. A. McKay which they have leased.

Mrs. F. Foster and family are visiting in Prince Rupert.

**NEW HAZELTON**

The school boys of New Hazelton played a football game in Hazelton last week with a combined team from Hazelton and Mud Creek. Neither side scored.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Scott have arrived to take up their residence here. Mr. Scott succeeds B. W. Thornton on the Magdalen contract west of town.

Mike George has reopened his pole camp and expects to cut all summer.

J. D. Galloway, resident mining engineer, is on a visit to the Telkwa district this week.

Robert Langlands has returned to Hazelton after spending the winter on the prairies.

Miss Watkins, lady superintendent of the Hazelton Hospital, is to resign on account of ill health.

Frank Tingley, formerly of Rivers Inlet, was in Hazelton last week on his way to Babine Lake where he is to take charge of the hatchery. He is a cousin of W. W. Anderson, manager of the Hudson Bay store.

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**PRIZE ESSAY CONTEST PLAN**

Radio Outfit and Other Valuable Prizes for Children Under Sixteen

Following is the complete plans for the essay competition, announcement of which was made yesterday:

- 1—The subject of the essay is to be the proclamation designating the week April 27 to May 3 as "Save the Forest Week," or any point relating to forest fire prevention, dealt with in such proclamation.
- 2—The essay not to exceed five hundred words in length.
- 3—The essay may be written either in English or French.
- 4—The essay is to be in the contestant's own handwriting, and to be written on one side of the paper only.
- 5—The contest is restricted to children under sixteen years of age.
- 6—Each essay must be accompanied by a certificate of a pole camp and expects to cut all summer.
- 7—Neither the name nor any other mark of identification of the contestant shall appear on the essay, but each essay must be accompanied by a separate sheet on which is legibly written the contestant's name and address in full, and school, if any.
- 8—No person shall be eligible to receive more than one prize, nor to enter more than one newspaper competition.
- 9—The competition will close at twelve midnight on May 3, 1924.
- 10—The prizes for the competition are as follows:  
(1)—Radio Set—  
A receiving outfit to consist of—  
(1). Regenerative tuner with detector and two stage audio frequency amplifier.  
(2). Complete set of tubes to work off dry battery.  
(3). One pair telephones and plug.  
(4). A and B batteries.  
(5). Complete antenna equipment.  
(6). Necessary wire for connecting up set.  
(2)—Twenty-five dollars in cash.  
(3)—Ten dollars in cash.  
Honorable mention—Five prizes of five dollars cash apiece.  
11—The essay winning first prize shall be forwarded by the newspaper to the Acting Director of the Dominion Forest Service, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, who will judge it in competition with other first prize essays to be received by him from similar contests all over Canada.  
**Central Competition**  
12—The Acting Director of Forestry will award the grand prize for the best essay received from all Canada.  
13—The grand prize will also be a radio set, as follows:  
Receiving outfit to consist of—  
(1). One tuner, detector and amplifier unit comprising not less than two stages radio frequency amplification detector, and two stages audio frequency amplification.  
(2). One pair telephones and plug.  
(3). One loud speaker.  
(4). Necessary A and B batteries.  
(5). Complete antenna equipment.  
(6). Necessary wire for connecting up set.  
14—The contestant winning the grand prize must return his local first prize in good condition to the newspaper which awarded it. The newspaper will thereupon deliver to him the grand prize.  
15—The local first prize so returned will be delivered by the newspaper to the contestant winning the second prize in the local competition.