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Additional jurymen were summoned for Supreme Court assize yesterday as follows: George Leek, James Jabour, Jack Judge, D. McD. Hunter, J. Allan, J. Bent, W. Eance, Malcolm McLeod, R. Arthur, W. W. Wright, Stanley Smith, T. Andrew, C. Taylor, Ber Lipsin, and A. Richmond.

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GEORGE HALL IS ACQUITTED

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Bella Coola hospital where he had been a patient following the breaking of his leg in a logging accident. It was with considerable difficulty that he walked. He did not know MacDonald nor Bremer and had never seen them before. He saw the first fight between Collins and MacDonald in the hotel and had got out of the way. He knew nothing of the encounter in the lane. He was arrested in St. Paul's Hospital whither he had gone to get further treatment for his injuries. He was a returned man and had been three years in France. He had not had a drink for three months prior to the fight.

Mr. Castillon asked for dismissal on the ground that the only positive identification of either of two accused had been by Constable Collins himself. He himself was severely jarred from the previous fight. It was also dark. There was no degree of certainty that the accused men had been involved. Both absolutely denied it and he asked that they be acquitted.

Mr. Jones briefly summed up the case for the crown. Collins' evidence was clear and positive and might be taken at its face value. The jury might be reasonably certain that Bremer, at least, was guilty.

Charge to Jury

Mr. Justice Gregory complimented Mr. Jones on the brevity of his address which had adequately covered the ground. In his own charge to the jury, His Lordship pointed out that Constable Collins, under the circumstances, might have been wrong in his identification even though he felt he was telling the truth. It was dark and he (Collins), it might be assumed, was more concerned in defending himself from MacDonald than in observing who was holding him. It was, of course, up to the jury to decide if these were the men who had assisted MacDonald. The defence did not deny that Collins had been assaulted. He did not expect that it would take the jury long to reach its verdict.

On discharging Hall, after the verdict of acquittal was returned in his favor, Mr. Justice Gregory agreed that he would have come to the same decision if he had been a jurymen. He would not comment on the other case in which the jury had failed to agree. If there was any chance of reaching an agreement, however, he would urge the jury to further consider the case. Mr. Nickerson, the foreman, said seemed to be no chance of reaching an agreement. The jury was thereupon discharged by His Lordship.

In the course of his remarks on the verdict, Mr. Justice Gregory described the attack on Collins as a wretched and unjustifiable affair. Collins had shown strength of character and bravery.

SOME BEAR

Here's a story now that beats any of those told on recent hunting expeditions. It seems that a bear was recently noticed digging worms. When he had a good supply he struck a worm on each claw of his right paw and started to fish and in half an hour had caught twenty tons.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lutheran Bazaar, December 2, Metropole Hall.

THE SUBSTANCE AND THE SHADOW

The great objection to the pre-war timber Royalty Act of 1914 which is still on our statute books, is, that unless it is revised before January 1st, 1925, it threatens to upset completely the present relations between the people of British Columbia and the industrial force that is the principal mainstay of their prosperity.

The British Columbia lumber industry is seeking no reduction of the existing royalty rate, it is merely asking the right to carry on the great task of harvesting the timber crop of this Province and distributing it in the competitive markets of the world.

The Act of 1914, unless amended, would throw the monkey wrench into this whole machinery of progress.

The 300 per cent. increase in rates it contemplates would force British Columbia lumber industry to abandon the development of the Province's timber resources, in which case the public treasury which now receives a third of its revenue from its forest lands, would not draw sufficient to pay for their maintenance. In other words, the measure would decree a huge phantom increase in forest revenue which common sense warns us is quite uncollectable.

The two sides of the situation may be briefly summed up as under:

On the one hand there is a basic industry representing a capital of \$200,000,000 invested primarily on the security of the good will of the people of British Columbia. This industry, with an annual purchasing power of \$100,000,000 has a payroll of over \$50,000,000 and employs more than a fourth of the Province's male working population.

On the other hand, there is an immense mature—stand of timber which undeveloped, threatens to become a losing proposition and a charge upon the public instead of its greatest source of revenue.

This series of articles communicated by the Timber Industries Council of British Columbia.

Mrs. B. Clarkson left this morning on the Prince Rupert for Vancouver.

Fred Amos of Terrace sailed today for Vancouver en route to Centralia, Washington.

Jack Tail, master of arms for the G.W.N.A. has gone south for two weeks holiday.

J. Hines and son of Hazelton left this morning on the Prince Rupert for Vancouver.

Everybody please support the Elks' Christmas Cheer Candle Guessing contest. A worthy cause. Ask any Brother Bill.

A night picture of Anyox appears in the Dominion Elk, the organ of the order throughout Canada. It makes quite a showing and is unique among the illustrations in the Journal.

Union steamer Venture, Capt. A. Johnstone, arrived from the south at 10 o'clock last night and sailed at 11.15 for Anyox and the Naas River.

The bridge across the Skeena River at Terrace has been completely finished and traffic has been passing over it for two weeks.

Saturday Meat Specials. — Prime boneless rolled rib beef, 30c. per lb.; chuck roast, 15c. lb.; round bone pot roast 12 1/2 c. lb.; boneless stew beef 10c. lb.; rib boiling beef, 3 lbs. for 25c.; fresh hamburger 10c. lb.; side pork 17c. lb.; shoulder pork 20c. lb. Table Supply.

The estate of the late Harry Prescott Lipsitt of Prince Rupert came before the Supreme Court in Vancouver last week for probate. Deceased had no will but his widow, Beatrice MacInnes Lipsitt, deposed that the gross value of the estate was \$100, being clothing and personal effects; that he held in trust for others three fishing boats, Sherman, Volunteer and Daisy, and that his liabilities totalled \$7,912, including \$4,787 owing Lipsitt, Cunningham & Co. Ltd.

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For STEWART and ANYOX Wednesday, 11.00 p.m.

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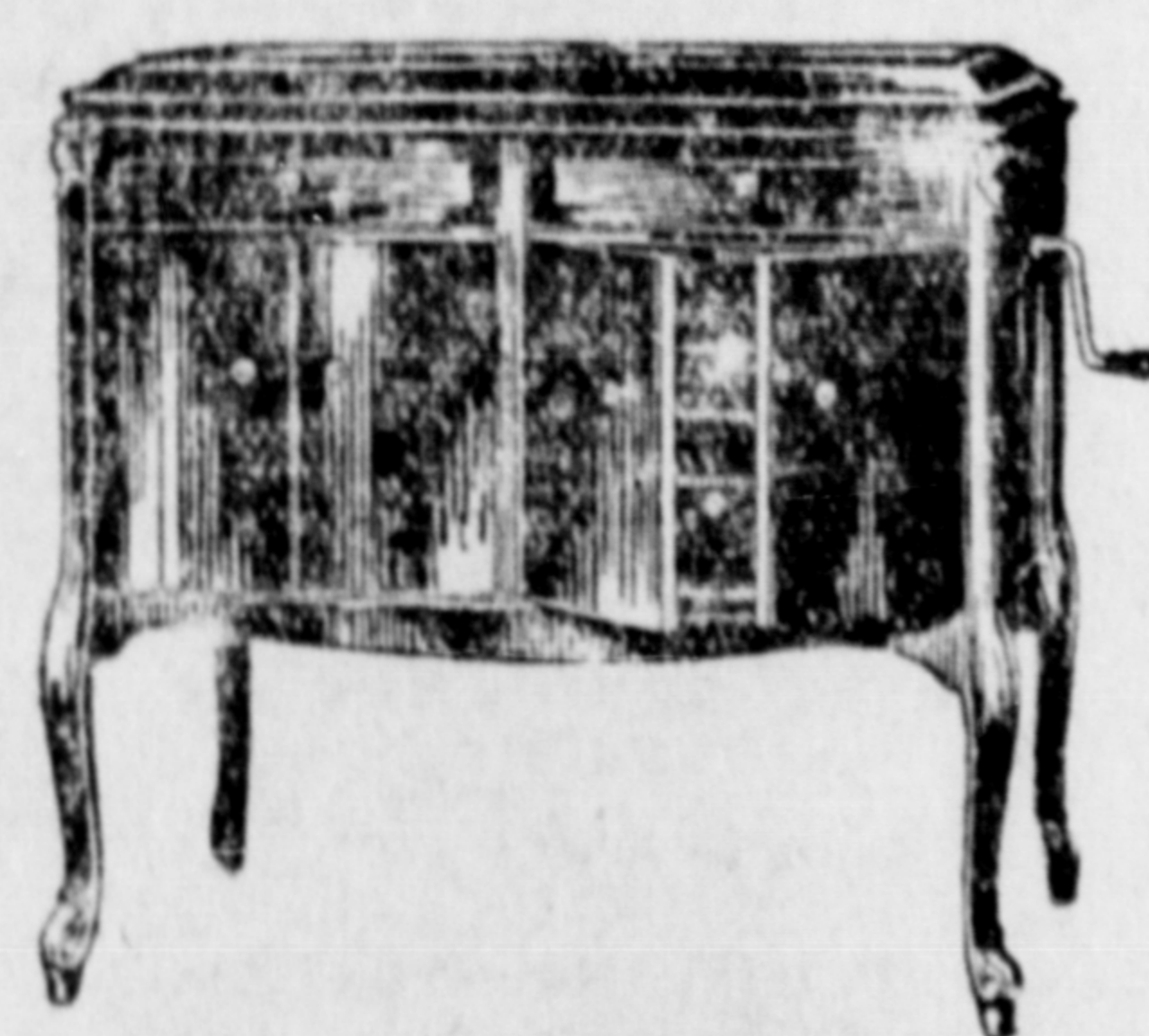
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