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PUBLIC MEETING ASKS HAVE EMBARGO PLACED ON AMERICAN FISHERMEN

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also keeping in operation a dry dock that has been proven to be both convenient and valuable in case of accident and has been the means of bringing considerable foreign work to the city, and

Whereas the management of the C.G.M.M. has for the past three years been engaged in building up an organization in Vancouver for the purpose of taking care of all repairs on their boats as well as those of the G.T.P. other than under the water repairs.

Whereas this policy means that the aforementioned boats will no longer be placed in the; llocal dock as is instanced by the Prince John now being fied up at Vancouver for repairs and the Prince Charles is to be also fied

Whereas this is not in keeping! with the policy as outlined by Sir Charles M. Hays at the inception of the G.T.P. Ry. and indorsed by the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Hon. George Graham, who then was and still is Minister of Railways, and

Whereas this is not keeping faith with the people who came there in the earlier days and are still here, or the people from all lover the world who in good faith invested their money on the statement of the hon, gentlemen before mentioned and

Whereas it is not keeping Jacent territories and be if furfaith with the memory of the ther resolved that copies of this of importance on C.N.R. steamers late Sir Wilfrid Laurier who staked his political reputation on the opening up of this country,

Be it resolved that this meeting go on record as requesting and published in one or more was time they asserted them-Sir Henry Thornton to take steps French papers in the Province of selves and demanded that an atto give to Prince Rupert the re- Quebec. placing of all coast boats, the shipping of crews, buying of Resolved that the citizens of supplies and formulate a policy Prince Rupert assembled in pubthat will have as its aim the lic meeting are opposed to the centering at Prince Rupert the manner in which the cannery business emanating from its ad- located in Prince Rupert harbor

quest that he bring the matter before the cabinet. Canning Resolutions

for the worst

Under the flowing tide of

them, the derelict, the moral

degenerate, the outcast. Can

these people be transformed

The Salvation Army

able "Yes!" and points to

the multitude it has influ-

enced who today are reform-

regenerated and good

The Self Denial effort is

Diamond Jubilee

May 4 to 16

Japanese Licenses

ed a number of Japanese fisher-

men to be farmed out or dealt

Therefore be it resolved that

Japanese licenses be alloted each

year based on the number of

canneries operating in the dis-

be sent to the Minister of Marine

Fisheries and Fred Stor.

Floating Cannery

are caught should be prohibited.

Navigation Exams

Sealing Treaty

Resolved that the Hon. Mac-

with as they think best;

in this district.

Self-Denial

Effort, 1925

Gifts marked "Self

handed to the

local represent-

your opportunity to help the

Salvation Army officers who.

and inspired with hope?

In opening the meeting, Mayor Newton explained the objects for which it had been called. David! Thomson was elected secretary! for the meeting.

first resolutions were those pertaining to Oriental fishing licenses and floating canneries. The local Millerd cannery, it was stated, would be assisted by the resolutions. Under present regulations it was being discriminated against. Both resolutions were carried unanimously. The mover in each case was G. W. Nickerson, the seconder of the Japanese license resolution being Ald. Casey and the seconder of the other, W. H. Montgomery. There was no discussion outside of the explanation of the resolutions by the

Dry Dock Matter

The resolution regarding the operation of C.N.R. steamers and the use of the local dry dock was moved by Old. Casey, seconded by Ald. Larsen and, after some discussion, carried unani-

Ald. Casey asserted that the ime had come when the people of Prince Rupert should assert themselves in no uncertain manner but should let their feelings! be known. The people here had been living too long on hopes founded on promises of the Dominion government. There had been changes of government but Prince Rupert had never been given any relief by either party. During the past year, all work! resolution be sent to the Hon, had been done elsewhere than in W. L. McKenzie King, Hon, Geo. Prince Rupert.

The people of the city, Ald. Graham, Sir Henry Thornton. Fred Stork and that this resolu- Casey said, were becoming intion be transcribed in French dignant and disappointed. tempt at least be made to implement promises that had been!

made. The greatest injury to the city had been the docility and silence of its inhabitants. It was time that the treason against Prince Rupert should be brought to the attention of the officials being discriminated against, at Ottawa. If they, loo, were innpared with other canneries different then it would be known that their promises were blanks. At present every other can-The leader of the opposition! in this district has an allotshould also be tried out. It seemed there was as much chance some canneries which have not for relief from him as there was operated for several years, infrom the present administration. cluding one cannery which was

Mayor Newton

burned down are still apportion-Mayor Newton spoke in support of the sentiments expressed by Ald. Casey. He had seen the apathy against this place that was referred to. Last year he had aftempted to accomplish something along these lines but had got "bad medicine" for do trict, copies of this resolution to the silence of the community if out to do all I can for Prince Mr. Dawson said that money whenever a person aftempted to Rupert. do anything he was "jumped on."

Kenzie King, Premier of Canada

F. G. Dawson

another, it does not seem reasonable that salmon or any other set, that he approved of the re- Trade, Mr. Dawson said it was dock had fallen off. This was fish can be carried any distance solution. The city was justified made up of all classes and it due to the establishment in Vanand then processed and that the in rising in its might and regis- was easy for anybody to join. If couver of the C.G.M.M.'s own reprocessing of said fish by canning in the locality where they tering a protest but, first, he people did not belong it was pair shops where practically all counselled that it be sure that it their own fault. They should machinery overhaul and deck was right before it arose. There come out into the open instead work was now done. He had Whereas local candidates for had been a lot said about "gang" of standing back and barking at considered until recently that the tugboat masters, etc., papers, rule. He did not know who was somebody else's heels. The establishment of the Vancouve were informed that examinations meant and he did not care.

would be held here about March Mr. Dawson said he was not caused such candidates through directors of the C.N.R. Whatever the date of holding of such ex- he had to say on this occasion when they started. aminations being optional with would be as a citizen of Prince tions be held in Prince Rupert on were looking for it most. He nity was an imaginary one. regularly specified quarterly would like to see some proof advanced regarding there being

ing go on record as being in couver. and Nanaimo be asked to co- city who have devoted more time no progress."

ing so. He did not wonder at ada. Naturally, however, I am might have been different.

Cleaning House C. O. Rowe unged that politics "I agree that there should be the estimate was not passed by should be forgotten and the ex- a cleaning of the house at home parliament, however, the ships ample of Vancouver be followed if necessary but one should not could not be built and be did not and the Hon. Mr. Carden, minis- in putting on a solid front in call another man's house dirty see where it would be any use ter of fisheries, and Fred Stork, support of the city's demands. funtil he is sure that his own is having a hotel if they could not M.P., be advised that in view of W. H. Montgomery referred to clean. If any cleaning is neces- get the ships. Mr. Dawson rethe fact that the policy of the the taxation agreement between sary, I shall be among the first ferred to the fight on the part of Department is open fishing, that the city and C.N.R. He felt that to start such cleaning. Some of Fred Stork to get the elevator the citizens of Prince Rupert as- the "gang" at home should be the remarks that have been here and the assistance that had sembled in public meeting, are cleaned out before going to Ot- made I must take seriously. If a been given by Sir Henry Thornopposed to the restrictions being tawa. The Board of Trade, he man who takes an active inter- ton in recommending that it be placed on Floating or Land Can- asserted, was not a representa- est in public affairs is to be built.

F. G. Dawson said, at the out- | Referring to the Board of C.G.M.M. ships in the local dry

the examiner who has not yet ar- Rupert. The charge had been for Mayor Newton's statement by calling for tenders, especially made by Ald. Casey that there that he had suffered indignity when the ocean ships were not Be it resolved that the minister was graft. His experience had at the hands of Sir Henry tioned insisting that examina- graft the loudest were those who himself to blame or his indig-

Starting Industries

Mr. Dawson referred to two graft in connection with the re- propositions for the starting of Be it resolved that the meet- pairing of C.N.R. boats at Van- industries here. In one case the raising of \$40,000 locally was favor of having the Pelagic Seal- "I do not know," continued Mr. required; in the other, \$20,000. In the Matter of the Administration Act; ing Treaty, signed at Washing- Dawson, "whether I can be It had been impossible to raise in the Matter of the Estate of Edwy Hicks ton, July 17, 1911, be abrogated classed as an enemy of Prince the money "If you have not the TAKE NOTICE that by order of his at the earliest possible date; that Rupert. I have done my part as courage to invest a few dollars Honor F. McB. the Boards of Trade of Vancou- I have seen it. I do not think in your town, then you have ministrator ver, New Westminster, Victoria there have been many men in the yourselves to blame if there is having or

Stork, be requested to place our to the board of directors of the who had a few dollars to invest. me forthwith. views before the minister of C.N.R. to represent Prince Rupert If the authorities had lived up

for two ships would be included in the estimates this year. If

J. H. Pillsbury

- that since 1924 the work on trouble here was that too many shops had been a mistaken people were going off at "half policy, causing duplication but 15, and whereas inconvenience is the mouthpiece for the board of cock." They were getting no- had later been forced to concede where because they were wrong that work could be done more cheaply in the company's own Mr. Dawson could not account yard at Vancouver than it could coming here anyway. Mr. Pillsof marine and fisheries be peti- been that those who shouted Thornton. Either the mayor had bury pointed out that no work had been done on coasting vessels in any competing yards in (continued on page six)

IN PROBATE

COLUMBIA

operate in the matter, and that or money to the interests of the Mayor Newton felt that there day of May, A.D. 1925, and all parties! the local federal member, Fred community. I was not appointed were very few people in the town hav the amount of their indebtedness to

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