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## CIVIC NOMINATIONS MADE HERE TODAY

### CAPTAIN AND CREW OF BARGE BINGAMON TELL OF MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

#### Captain and Crew of Bingamon Tell of Thrilling Experience and Narrow Escape from Death

"With the barge blown along by the howling southeast gale at a rate of at least three knots an hour, it was only the favor of Providence that caused her to come to a standstill seventy-five feet from the reefs of the Dundas Islands when Capt. Wingate threw out the anchor shortly before nine o'clock just after daybreak on Friday morning," said one of the members of the crew of the lumber barge Bingamon which arrived here Saturday night in tow of the Coastwise Steamship & Barge Co.'s tug Marnion, Capt. Cameron. The tug Massett having been repaired at the dry dock here following her trying trip in Hecate Straits Thursday night which culminated in the Bingamon drifting away from her Friday morning, tug and barge left here this morning resuming the interrupted voyage to Cumshewa Inlet, Moresby Island, which nearly had such an untimely ending.

#### SETTLEMENT AGREED UPON

United States Accepts Arrangement Made by Allied Representatives

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—A tentative agreement arrived at in Paris between the United States representatives and the allied financial ministers on the American war damage claims has been accepted by the Washington government. Acceptance of the arrangement announced by the state department today emphasizing that no departure from the American policy toward the collection of claims under the Dawes plan from German annuities was involved.

The terms of the arrangement are kept secret for the present.

#### SMALL'S WIDOW IS IN POSSESSION OF TWO MILLION ESTATE

TORONTO, Jan. 12.—Mrs. A. J. Small, wife of the Toronto theatre magnate, who mysteriously disappeared five years ago, is now in entire possession of her husband's two million dollar estate. The court today signed the order transferring control from the Capitol Trust Co.

#### DIED IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mary Rowell Passed Away Yesterday Morning—Funeral Tomorrow

The death occurred yesterday morning in the Prince Rupert General Hospital of Mrs. Mary Rowell, wife of John Rowell of Sixth Ave. West. Deceased was 28 years of age and had resided here two years ago. She was a native of Poland. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning from the Catholic Church, the B.C. Undertakers being in charge of arrangements.

#### BIRTH

A son was born at the Prince Rupert General Hospital on January 11 to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moore, 324 Fifth Avenue East.

crew of the Bingamon felt that they and their craft were safe in spite of the strong southeast gale that was blowing. The most of them having had no sleep for over 24 hours, what with the arduous venture into Hecate Straits and the thrilling return therefrom, some of the crew turned in. Half an hour after the Bingamon was brought to anchor, the wind switched to the west and the vessel was in peril. (Continued from page six)

#### MRS. SNOWDON EXTOLS KING

Says British Labor Treated With Courtesy and Dignity by Court

MONTREAL, Jan. 12.—Speaking here, Mrs. Snowdon, wife of the ex-chancellor in the Labor government of Great Britain with reference to the British King and his court behaved to British Labor with so much courtesy and dignity and so much fair play that they raised themselves immeasurably in the estimation of the working classes of Great Britain and have established their throne forever, so far as we can see.

#### GRAND MASQUERADE SKIDEGATE VILLAGE

Proceeds Went Toward Fund For New Instruments for Band

SKIDEGATE, Jan. 12.—A grand masquerade was held at Skidegate Indian village on New Year's Eve in aid of the Concert Band. The band which is well known in Prince Rupert is endeavoring to raise enough funds for some new instruments. The hall was crowded with dancers and first class music was supplied. The costumes worn were exceedingly good and the judges found it very difficult to decide on the best.

The following were the prize-winners.

- 1—Mrs. S. Wilson, Ancient Haida Woman.
- 2—Miss D. Russ, Haida Princess.
- 3—Miss T. Richardson, Scotch Girl.

All the young people from Skidegate white village attended in costume. First class refreshments were served and dancing was kept up till daylight.

#### HALL OF JUSTICE AT SAN FRANCISCO WRECKED YESTERDAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—The entrance of the Hall of Justice was wrecked Sunday by a bomb, which exploded as a number of police officials were walking through the corridor. No one was injured although the force of the explosion scattered pieces of iron and wood and other missiles around the corridor.



One of the newest novelties is the revolver-pipe for ladies. The new smoking-weapon can also be used to shoo away any bold, bad bandits.

#### Airplane Lands at Croydon in a Dense Fog but Passengers are Lost on Alighting; Traffic Held up

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The worst fog in many years smothered London and its suburbs today causing numerous street accidents and some deaths. Traffic was scanty and difficult.

Early in the day traffic was almost at a standstill but later scores of omnibuses were obliged to park along the streets. In some places the fog was impenetrable for more than two yards. Lamps or flares were of little use. Railway trains were greatly delayed.

An airplane carrying passengers from Paris made a sensational landing at Croydon. The pilot picked up the airfield by the top of the radio masts and landed safely but the passengers on alighting from the machine became lost. Even the airport staff could not find the machine for some time in the dense fog.

#### FAMINE IN KOREA TODAY

Fifty Thousand Extreme Cases of Starvation and Three Million Suffer

TOKIO, Jan. 12.—As the intensity of the winter in Korea increases more than three million persons are reported suffering from famine. It is reported that more than 50,000 extreme cases of starvation exist in the Seoul district among the peasantry who are attempting to save off death by living on tree bark and roots.

Government relief measures are wholly inadequate and it is inevitable that suffering will increase with the advance of winter.

#### FIFTY MEN WORKING NOW AT USK SAWMILL

With Arrival of New Equipment, Plant Will be Operating in Full Swing This Week

Some fifty men are now being employed in connection with the Skeena Lumber Co.'s mill at Usk which recently resumed operations and, by the end of this week, the plant will be operating again in full swing. New equipment, recently ordered in the south, has now arrived here and John Willman came in from Usk on this morning's train to make arrangements for its going forward to the interior. Mr. Willman will return to Usk tonight.

HOCKEY SCORES  
Victoria 3, Saskatoon 2.

#### Candidates for Mayor Aldermen and Trustees Nominated Here Today

With no surprises being recorded, nominations for what promises to be an unexciting municipal election contest next Thursday closed at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Two candidates—Mayor S. M. Newton and Ald. Theo. Collart—filed their papers for the mayoralty, ten for eight aldermanic seats, four for three vacancies on the school board and three for the single position on the police commission. The papers of Joe Greer, for alderman, and A. H. McPherson, for police commissioner, were rejected on account of the registrations not having been made in time.

In addition to voting for mayor, aldermen, school trustees and police commissioner, the general electors will cast ballots on the project for the filling in of Cow Bay and taxpayers will vote on two money bylaws—the \$18,500 Park Ave. grading and \$22,000 power extension bylaws.

Nominations accepted were as follows:

**For Mayor**  
Jean Joseph Theophile Gollart, broker, proposed by William T. Kergin, seconded by Cyril H. Orme.  
Seville Martineau Newton, publisher, proposed by W. E. Fisher, seconded by J. J. Gillis.

**For Aldermen**  
R. F. Perry, railway foreman, proposed by John R. Mitchell, seconded by J. C. McRae.  
Melvin McKay Stephens, broker, proposed by Stephen King, seconded by John A. Edwards.  
Oscar Larson, miner, proposed by S. D. Macdonald, seconded by Olof Hanson.

Frank E. Clapp, manufacturer, proposed by G. H. Orme, seconded by Edward C. Gibbons.  
George B. Casey, transferman, proposed by Emily H. Moorehouse, seconded by Charles L. Youngman.  
John McKechnie, carpenter, proposed by S. D. Macdonald, seconded by J. McD. Campbell.  
William McIntosh Brown, plumber, by S. D. Macdonald, seconded by George Scott.  
S. P. McMorde, contractor, proposed by Cyril H. Orme, seconded by E. C. Gibbons.  
J. Arthur Smith, accountant, proposed by J. Lorne MacLaren and seconded by J. Fred Ritchie.  
George W. Kerr, butcher, proposed by W. B. Montgomery and seconded by Ernest Unwin.

**For School Trustees**  
Sydney Douglas Johnston, broker, proposed by G. A. Bryant, seconded by G. H. Munro.  
William Otis Fulton, barrister, proposed by M. P. McCaffery, seconded by Frank E. Glapp.  
Harry Rochester, hotel manager, proposed by Cyril H. Orme, seconded by James McNully.  
Henry Smith, caretaker, proposed by Thomas McMeekin, seconded by R. W. Cameron.

**For Police Commission**  
Alexander McKenzie, proposed by William Sibbald, seconded by Aeron W. Edge.  
James Goombs, halibut fisherman, proposed by S. D. Mac-

#### FOUL PLAY SUSPECTED

State Supervisor of Fisheries at Seattle is Missing Since Friday

SEATTLE, Jan. 12.—Ernest Seaborg, state supervisor of fisheries, has been missing from home since Friday morning and the authorities are directing a search for him. They suspect, either that he met foul play at the hands of rum runners or fish bootleggers or he may have accidentally fallen into the water.

#### MISS ALICE MONCOEUR WEDDED TO JAS. BROUGH

Interesting Marriage of Two Well Known Former Residents Takes Place in Seattle

Announcements are being received in the city today of the wedding at Seattle on January 5 of Miss Alice Moncoeur and James Brough both well known former residents of Prince Rupert.

The bride for some years was in business here and was a prominent member of the local Rebeah Lodge. She left here and started business in Smithers but some time ago removed to Seattle.

The groom, who is an employee of the Canadian National Railways, was well known in local musical circles and also took an active part in the activities of the St. Andrew's Society. More recently he has been stationed in Smithers.

Mr. and Mrs. Brough will receive the congratulations and best wishes of many friends in Prince Rupert.

F. G. Dawson, who has been on a trip to Montreal to attend a meeting of the directors of the Canadian National Railways, returned home on this morning's train.

#### PUBLIC MEETING

A Public Meeting will be held in the Empress Theatre on  
**TUESDAY, JANUARY 13**  
at 8.15 p.m.

To discuss civic election matters. All candidates will be given a hearing. Seats reserved for ladies.  
**S. M. Newton, Candidate for Mayor**

#### A PUBLIC MEETING

Will be held in the Empress Theatre on  
**WEDNESDAY, JAN. 14**  
at 8.15 p.m. Re. Civic Affairs  
All candidates will be given a hearing.  
Seats Reserved for Ladies.

**Theo. Collart, Candidate for Mayor**