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Brown Beans, 4 lbs. 25c  
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All our prices are reduced. Come in and look around or phone 84.

## ECONOMY STORE

417 Fifth Ave. West.



This is a thoughtful age and most of us approach the New Year in a serious manner. We are going to do the best we can to improve the comfort of our home folks and will add to personal efficiency that the world may be a better place for our having lived in it. We sell hardware that will make this a better place for you and yours.

## Kaien Hardware Co.

## REMOVE YOUR FAT and BE HAPPY

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You can quickly reduce to a slender figure without Drugs, Exercise, Diet or Baths. Reduce where you wish—Arms—Bust—Waist—Thighs—Legs—Ankles—Anyplace. A Simple, Healthful Method, ABSOLUTELY HARMLESS. Now is the time to begin Reducing Weight, let your health improve, become younger in appearance, more cheerful, vivacious, active and efficient. SURPRISING RESULTS QUICKLY OBTAINABLE. Money Returned if Not Satisfied.

Wayne Laboratories  
Dept. 568.  
337 River St., Chicago, Ill.

50c FOR 3 CAKES  
Send Cash or Money Order.

## CANDIDATES AT MEETING

Theo. Collart Expounds His Policy to Voters in Empress Theatre

The final meeting of the municipal election campaign was held last night at the Empress Theatre. M. P. McCaffery presiding and Theo. Collart, candidate for mayor, being the principal speaker. Mayor Newton was present and thanked Mr. Collart for the privilege of speaking but said he had already explained his views and did not think it necessary to repeat. Other brief speakers were William Brown, George Kerr, Oscar Larsen and Alexander Mackenzie.

In opening the meeting Mr. McCaffery said he was supporting Mr. Collart because he considered it was in the best interests of Prince Rupert. Mr. Collart had plenty of backbone and acted irrespective of what others thought. He was a good Canadian and a citizen of Prince Rupert. The fact that he was born in Belgium was nothing against him.

### Profits Fictitious

In regard to the electric light and power problem he saw nothing for it but to go ahead and increase the supply at Shawatans, provided the expert said it was feasible. He was not in favor of reducing the rates to the extent proposed and he explained that he took that stand because the profits said to have been made were largely a result of figuring. He claimed that the city did not have the profit which was claimed. He had favored reduction but not as large a reduction as had been carried.

Power must be secured in order to supply industries and he favored helping these industries in a moderate way. In the past a number that had proposed to come here had been turned down cold. He would help them as long as doing so did not jeopardize the interests of the city.

Mr. Collart also expressed a desire to aid sport in the city by completing the Acropolis Hill grounds, doing a little every year. Beautification of the city should be commenced if this was to be a tourist stopping off place. The meeting was most harmonious. No questions were asked and it broke up at about quarter past nine.

## A GOOD WAY TO INCREASE BUSINESS

Many advertising messages fail to attract attention because they are either unattractive or are too stereotyped.

This is the opinion of one of our busiest and most successful business firms—Albert & McCaffery, Ltd. They have succeeded in interesting many new customers in the story of the famous Nanaimo—Wellington coal and since the coal itself lives up to its reputation these customers are coming back daily for more. Nanaimo—Wellington coal is the premier fuel for the fireplace, range and furnace. More heat—less ash—no rock or clinkers.

You should try Nanaimo—Wellington as soon as your present supply gets low. Better still, if you order some now you can test it out with the coal you are now using. Nanaimo—Wellington stands supreme when a comparative test is made.

To secure a supply phone Albert & McCaffery Ltd., who are sole agents here. Their phone numbers are 416 and 564.

### GIRLS SUPERIOR

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—The secondary schools of Prussia have decided against co-education on the ground that girls are generally superior mentally to boys up to the time they are 16. Thereafter the boys surpass the girls in general intelligence. This inequality of intelligence, it is argued, puts both the boys and the girls at a disadvantage if they are compelled to attend the same classes.

## Crossing of Hecate Straits From Metlakatla to Massett Where Heathen Indians Found

By G. Harrison

We had been at Metlakatla awaiting the Hudson's Bay Company's sloop to take us across to Massett but, instead of the vessel, one of her crew arrived to say that the vessel was wrecked and was a total loss. This compelled us to remain at Metlakatla till March 25 when we managed to get a crew of the Bishop's Indians to take us across by canoe to Massett, at which place we arrived on March 31.

When we came in sight of Massett nothing but poles and columns were seen, and I was forcibly reminded of an English dockyard as the totem poles at a distance looked so very much like masts of ships. Each chief directly we arrived hoisted his flag and then came up to the mission house and said they were very pleased to see us. As they crowded into the house to look us over we must have seemed in a sorry plight as we still had on our soaked garments caused by the stormy trip across the Straits. With the exception of four adults and two children that had received baptism, the whole of the people were heathen, and the cult of the medicine man was in full swing, and rattling over the sick and making the night hideous were the two principal parts of his profession. Eventually they all embraced Christianity and are now to be classed as the most enlightened and cultivated Indians on the Pacific coast.

In civilising and christianising the Hadas I think I have done my share; and by that I mean I did my duty conscientiously and faithfully towards their advancement as long as I was with them as their minister. When I first got there they had only their large and cold wigwams. These buildings were very uncomfortable and had very little privacy. I set to work and made arrangements with R. Cunningham & Sons of Port Essington (they being the owners of the Port Essington sawmill and a sixty ton schooner to ship over schooner loads of lumber until the Indians had sufficient to erect for themselves what they termed white men's houses. This schooner was called the Skeena, and she was afterwards wrecked and became a total loss at Cape Ball.

### Barbara Boscowitz

During the summer of 1883 the steamer Barbara Boscowitz began to run up the coast for the accommodation of the few settlers and the cannery owners. She was built as a schooner for the fur-seal trade, but acting on after thoughts her owners made her into a steamer for the coast trade. She was a very comfortable and safe sea-going craft, and in these days we were fully satisfied with the accommodation she provided. She was the only steamer running up the coast as the old Otter, owned by the Hudson Bay Company, had been sent to the boneyard.

(Editor's Note—This is the fourteenth of Mr. Harrison's series of articles on the Queen Charlotte Islands. The fifteenth will appear in an early issue.)

## PRESBYTERIAN TEA FOR LADY WHO IS LEAVING

Mrs. R. M. Taylor Guest of Honor at Home of Mrs. Joe Greer Yesterday: New Officers of Ladies' Aid

A tea was given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joe Greer, Fifth Ave. East, in honor of Mrs. R. M. Taylor, until lately president of the society, who is leaving the city. Mrs. Greer received the guests and she was assisted in pouring tea by Mrs. Fred Stork and Mrs. George Rorie and in serving by Mrs. H. H. Little, Mrs. L. W. Kergin, Mrs. W. D. Vance, Mrs. T. E. Pringle, and Mrs. W. H. W. Murray.

### New Officers

New officers of the society recently elected were: President—Mrs. Joe Greer. First vice-president—Mrs. D. McD. Hunter. Second vice-president—Mrs. R. F. McNaughton. Secretary—Mrs. Sam Massie. Treasurer—Mrs. George Rorie. Executive—Mrs. T. E. Pringle, Mrs. Fred Stork, Mrs. D. G. Stewart and Mrs. William Millar.

## CROSS CARIBOU WITH REINDEER

Head of Tanana Valley Company Engaged in Interesting Scientific Work

### DEVELOPING INDUSTRY

SEATTLE, Jan. 15.—To improve the breed of reindeer by crossing them with the woodland caribou is the work which is at present engaging Thomas H. White, organizer and general manager of the Tanana Valley Reindeer Company, who has been here on business in connection with his company. The company is capturing large numbers of the large caribou and they are kept on a range and bred with the reindeer. The woodland caribou, as distinguished from the barren ground caribou, is large and Alaska is its native habitat.

The work has been going on for the past seven years and has been meeting with some success. A site was selected between Fairbanks and Circle City near the Chena Hot Springs. The undertaking is an important one and persistent effort has been required in carrying it on. It is being encouraged by the United States government, biological department and an extended lease of a large tract of land at a rental has been granted. It has met with the approval of Dr. Nelson, head of the biological department, which is investigating it.

## MOOSE LODGE HAS ELECTED OFFICERS

Gillis Royer Chosen to Head Organization This Year—Percy Cameron is Secretary

Prince Rupert Lodge No. 1054, Loyal Order of Moose, elected officers last night as follows: Past Dictator—Fred Scadden. Dictator—Gillis Royer. Vice-dictator—J. Gawthorn. Prelate—Jack Judge. Secretary—Percy Cameron. Treasurer—Thor Johnson. Trustees—N. D. Sweet (one year), N. Mussallam (two years); Einar Larsen (three years). Delegate to Supreme Lodge—Fred Scadden.

Installation of officers will take place the first Wednesday in February.

### VICTORIA IN ILL HEALTH

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The health of Princess Victoria, the only unmarried daughter of Queen Alexandra, has not been good of late. She will travel abroad in the hope of improving her health.

John offered the man who saved his life half a dollar. Did the man accept it? Yes, but he handed John 29 cents change.

## HAD BOILS ALL OVER HIM

There is only one way to get rid of boils and that is by going right to the seat of the trouble—the blood—as the bad blood must be made pure before the boils will disappear.

## BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

cleanses the system and removes all the foul matter from the blood in a way that few medicines will do. Mrs. Chas. Rankin, Nipigon, Sask., writes:—"A few years ago my husband had a terrible time with boils. On one arm he had 16 between his elbow and wrist; five on the back of his neck, and several more on different parts of his body. He tried everything he could think of, but got no relief until he took Burdock Blood Bitters, and to his surprise it completely relieved him of his boils, in a very short time."

B.B.B. has been on the market for the past 40 years; be sure you get it when you ask for it; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

# Is your wife wiser than you?

IF YOU read only the stock and sporting pages, and your wife is like other women, she is wiser than you. She reads the shopping news.

She likes to hear you jingle money in your pockets. She likes to stretch money to the limit, so she won't have to ask for more. She likes to shop strategically. Know what she does.

Comfortably at home in a cushiony arm-chair, she scans advertising columns. She compares, judges and selects the goods she desires; maps her route; with least effort and minimum time, goes direct to the planned store and buys.

She obtains what she wants at the lowest price it is offered. She is certain of full satisfaction, for she knows advertised goods live up to their claims. She saves time and steps, and returns sufficiently alert to enjoy new advertisements--and to prepare you an appetizing dinner.

These advertisements are written for your benefit too. Read them. Help her help you save.

Buying advertised products is a bond investment----not a stock speculation

## SOUTH AFRICA WILL NOT TAKE TITLES

PRETORIA, Jan. 15.—General Hertzog declined to make any recommendations to the British Government regarding the inclusion of South African names in the New Year's honors list. The general held that titles other than academic distinctions and decorations conferred for state services are in conflict with the spirit of the people of South Africa and with the principles and policy of the party at present in power.

### TO DIRECT THEATRE

CHRISTIANA, Jan. 15.—Bjorn Bjornson, son of the great Norwegian poet and novelist, Bjornstjerne Bjornson, has been named director of the Norwegian National Theatre here. The son also is a man of letters. During the war he stirred up so much discussion on the war-guilt question during a lecture at Copenhagen that the Danish government issued a decree prohibiting speeches on war issues by foreigners.

### TURKEY TO REBUILD PORTS

ROTTERDAM, Jan. 15.—A. de Roode, a Dutch harbor planning expert, has gone to Angora at the invitation of the Turkish government, to take charge of a big scheme of reconstruction of the ports of Constantinople, Trebizond, Samsun and Mersina.

### 6,000,000 LIVE IN AUSTRALIA

MELBOURNE, Jan. 15.—The Australian population is now approximately six millions, and is increasing at the rate of two per cent annually. The largest city is Sydney, with a population of 1,000,000.

# "Rupert Fish"

Fresh Frozen—All varieties.  
Fresh Fish—All varieties in season.  
Smoked Fish—Our well known "Rupert Brands."  
Finnan Haddie—"Thistle Brand" Nova Scotians.  
Canned Salmon—Pinks, Skeena Sockeye, etc.  
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