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VICE RAMPANT IN VANCOUVER

Houses of Ill Fame Almost in Shadow of Police Stations States Star

IS HAVEN OF REFUGE

Four Hundred Men Said to Live on Proceeds of Avails of Prostitution

VANCOUVER, Aug. 13. — On three occasions since Vancouver was incorporated the authorities found it necessary for the welfare of society to close so-called "red light districts," says the Star. Old-timers will remember Dupont Street and later Harris Street, while Alexander Street was made taboo in 1913. But never in the history of the city were so many houses of ill-fame — bawdy-houses — operating as at the present time, no less than 28 being in full swing nightly within a stone's throw of police headquarters.

Between the 600 block and 800 block on Gore Avenue there are seven. On Keefer Street between the 200 block and 300 block there are three. On Union Street between the 200 and 300 blocks there are six. On Georgia St., E., between the 200 and 300 blocks, there are five. In the 200 block on Hastings E. there are two. On Main Street between the 500 block and 700 block there are two. In the 200 block on Prior Street is one, while in the 500 block on Dunlevy Ave., there is also another. The 900 block Cordova St., E. also has one.

Commercialized vice is rampant not in the East End alone. Many pedestrians are accosted by "street walkers" on the principle thoroughfares. These are mostly women whose beauty has faded and who no longer can compete among the bright lights

LAND ACT.
Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.
In Prince Rupert, Land District, Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated at Shannon Bay, B.C., Massett Inlet, Q.C. Island.

TAKE NOTICE that James Fielding Strang, of Sunnyside, B.C., occupation canneryman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted 14 chains south 35deg. west, more or less from southwest corner of Lot 1518; thence south 30 chains; thence west 30 chains, more or less, to water's edge; thence following meandering of beach to point of commencement, and containing 43 acres, more or less.

JAS. FIELDING STRANG,
Applicant.
Per Wm. G. Mitchell, Agent.
Dated July 7th, 1925.

LAND ACT.
Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land
In Prince Rupert, Land District, Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated at Yes Talon Bay, B.C., Massett Inlet.

TAKE NOTICE that Eugene H. Simpson, of Massett, B.C., occupation canneryman, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted about 90 chains westerly from the N.E. corner of Lot 1518; thence north 30 chains; thence east 10 chains; thence south one chain to shore line; thence west along shore line to point of commencement, and containing one acre, more or less.

EUGENE H. SIMPSON,
Applicant.
Dated 23rd July, 1925.

LAND ACT.
Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land
In Skeena Range 5 Land District, Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated southwest point of Wales Island, B.C.

TAKE NOTICE that the Canadian Fishing Co. Ltd., of Vancouver, B.C., occupation, Salmon Cannery, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at high water mark on southwest point of Wales Island, B.C.; thence north one chain; thence east seven chains; thence south seven chains; thence west seven chains, and containing five acres, more or less.

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The police have knowledge of these conditions and one member of the Police Commission, it is stated, has been furnished with a list of disorderly houses. Practically every house of prostitution in the East End has been raided at different times and convicted, but with the payment of a \$25 fine the "Madame" returns to hang-out her "business as usual" sign. Under the Criminal Code, the third conviction specifies a prison term, but this section is never invoked.

It is no secret among the "smart set" that Vancouver is the haven of refuge for more "cadets" than any city of its size on the continent. There is a permanent resident list of approximately 250, while the transients bring the total daily average to 400. Four hundred so-called men, sleek, well-fed and groomed in the most expensive manner, walk the city streets daily, extracting their livelihood from fallen women, living upon the avails of prostitution.

Drastic Action Needed
It is practically impossible to secure police court convictions against these men because the police have found to their disgust that while a woman, in a fit of anger will blurt out her story, she refuses to appear in court and testify, fearing the dreadful consequences which these men inflict upon a "bull-hollerer."

During the last three months, no less than 16 cadets, each with several prostitutes, have settled in Vancouver. They are recruited from the slums of Montreal and are attracted here by the freedom which their fellows are afforded here. Their numbers are swelling with each incoming steamer and train.

Only police action of the most drastic sort can clean-up a situation which has gradually grown worse since Alexander Street was closed twelve years ago.

TIMBER SALE, X 7208.
Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester not later than noon on the 20th day of August, 1925, for the purchase of Licence X7208, to cut 189,000 lineal feet of Cedar Poles and Piling on an area situated about three miles south and across river from Hemo Station, Range 5, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.
Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE, X 7199.
Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester not later than noon on the 20th day of August, 1925, for the purchase of Licence X7199, situated north of Separation Point, Tolmie Channel, C.R.S. to cut 284,000 feet board measure of Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam saw-logs.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.
Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

IN PROBATE.
In the Matter of the Administration Act, In the Matter of the Estate of Jack Christoff, Deceased Intestate.
TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor F. M. B. Young, made the 14th day of July, A.D. 1925, I was appointed administrator of the estate of Jack Christoff, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified to me on or before the 30th day of August, A.D. 1925, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN A. WATT,
Official Administrator
Prince Rupert, B.C.
Dated the 30th day of July, 1925

"New Shoes Son?"
"Nope"
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HOTEL REPORT IS REPUDIATED

Sir Henry Thornton Again Denies That C.N.R. is Interested in Vancouver Project

MONTREAL, August 13. — A newspaper report from Vancouver under Tuesday's date, inferring that the Canadian National Railways, through Sir Henry Thornton, had given their consent to operate a hotel to be built in Vancouver by private interest was given a complete denial last night by the president of the National system in his statement made at Vancouver and wired to general headquarters of the Canadian National Railways at Montreal where it was issued this morning, Sir Henry Thornton said: "Reports emanating from Vancouver indicate that the Canadian National Railways propose to build a hotel at Vancouver entirely incorrect and misleading. The Canadian National system has no intention whatever of interesting itself in any hotel anywhere at the present time. I was asked if the Canadian National would lend its moral support and in advertising a new hotel in Vancouver if the hotel should be built by outside capital. I said that the Canadian National Railways would look with favor and sympathy upon any project to provide another hotel at Vancouver with which we could work from a tourist point of view. I deny most emphatically that the Canadian National Railways are putting money into any hotel proposition either directly or indirectly at the present time in Vancouver or elsewhere."

RALPH CONNOR VISITS CITY AND TALKS OF UNION AND OPTIMISM AND WRITING— MEETS OLD FRIENDS.
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that the C.P.R. was built across the continent when there were only a handful of people living in the west. Then look today and you see the wonderful cities of Vancouver and Victoria and your own delightful little town making splendid progress. What more could have been expected. The advance is remarkable. A few years ago Vancouver was a village and see what it is today. Canadians have every reason to be proud of their achievements. They are making good. Asked about his work, Dr. Gordon said he was still chief pastor of St. Stephens but he did not feel tied to the church as formerly and spent much time doing public work. Just now he was on holiday enjoying life in the west and incidentally imbibing some of the western atmosphere.

Writes at Night
"When do you write?" he was asked. "I write on holidays and at night after other people are in bed," was the reply. Yes, I am still writing. My book that I am working on now has to do with life in the maritime provinces. The last was about British Columbia.

Dr. Gordon has written a great deal about Glengarry yet until quite recently he had not visited that place since he was ten years of age. He said he remembered well the roads and the people although today he is not by any means a youth, so far as years are concerned. Otherwise he is as keen as any young man, talks incessantly, asks plenty of questions and appreciates the answers. He says that from now on he intends to devote less time to his church work and more to public service in a bigger way. He will travel considerably and plans to visit a number of the mission fields, carrying inspiration to the men who are doing lonely work and who need help. Also he will continue writing.

With Dr. Gordon was his son King Gordon who has been doing mission work at Giscombe but who is now to return to college.

WIRELESS REPORT.
8 a.m.
DIGBY ISLAND.—Clear, calm; barometer, 30.10; temperature, 59; sea smooth; 1:30 p.m. spoke steamer Amur, Anyox for Tacoma, 620 miles from Tacoma; 5 a.m. spoke steamer Jefferson arriving at Port Beaulac southbound.

DEAD TREE POINT.—Cloudy, calm; barometer, 30.08; temper-

ature, 55; sea smooth.
BULL HARBOR.—Overcast, calm; barometer, 29.98; temperature, 66; sea smooth; 8 p.m. spoke steamer Admiral Watson, Seattle for Ketchikan, 275 miles from Ketchikan; 8 p.m. spoke tug Cape Scott at Port Blakeney bound for Ocean Falls; 9:10 p.m. spoke steamer Camosun, bound for Kildala.

Noon.
DIGBY ISLAND.—Part cloudy, calm; barometer, 30.00; temperature, 61; sea smooth.
DEAD TREE POINT.—Cloudy, calm; barometer, 30.06; temperature, 57; sea smooth.

BULL HARBOR.—Part cloudy, fresh west wind; barometer, 29.92; temperature, 66; sea moderate.

LAND ACT.
Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.
In the Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated at Awam River, Awam Bay, Massett Inlet, Q.C. Islands, B.C.

TAKE NOTICE that Mrs. James Fielding Strang, of Sunnyside, B.C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at high water mark, Awam River; thence 5 chains north; thence 19 chains west, more or less to northwest corner Lot 1547; thence 30 chains south; thence 15 chains east; thence 40 chains north; thence 5 chains west; thence 15 chains south to point of commencement, and containing 56 acres, more or less.

MRS. JAMES FIELDING STRANG,
Applicant.
Per Wm. G. Mitchell, Agent.
Dated July 7th, 1925.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The Mineral Province of Western Canada TO END OF DECEMBER, 1924.

Has produced Minerals as follows:—Placer Gold, \$77,382,953; Lode Gold, \$118,473,190; Silver, \$68,824,579; Lead, \$70,548,578; Copper, \$187,489,378; Zinc, \$32,171,497; Miscellaneous Minerals, \$1,451,349; Coal and Coke, \$260,880,048; Building Stone, Brick, Cement, etc., \$42,225,814; making its Mineral Production to the end of 1924 show an

Aggregate Value of \$859,427,386
Production for Year Ending Dec. 1924, \$48,704,604

The Mining Laws of this Province are more liberal and the fees lower than those of any other Province in the Dominion, or any colony in the British Empire. Mineral locations are granted to discoverers for nominal fees. Absolute Titles are obtained by developing such properties, the security of which is guaranteed by Crown Grants. Full information together with Mining Reports and Maps, may be obtained gratis by addressing—

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Victoria, British Columbia.
N.B.—Practically all British Columbia Mineral Properties upon which development work has been done are described in some one of the Annual Reports of the Minister of Mines. Those considering mining investments should refer to such reports. They are available without charge on application to the Department of Mines, Victoria, B.C. Reports of the Geological Survey of Canada, Pacific Building, Vancouver, are recommended as valuable sources of information.

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