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### Immediate Outlook For City is Good

The quiet business conditions now reported to be prevailing in Prince Rupert can be easily explained and might have been anticipated to a certain extent. There has not been a big building program here like there was last spring and the season in various tributary industries has been quite late in opening. The prospects from now on, however, are good. Halibut fishing is at its height and the salmon canning season which gives promise of being profitable for all concerned, has just started. In a very short time these and other industries will have their effect in improving general business here. With the chances of grain being shipped through the elevator this year, with a new mill under construction at Seal Cove, etc., indications are that the coming fall and winter will probably be busier in this town than at any such time in Prince Rupert's history.

### Customs Report and Political Capital

Attempts to make political capital out of the disclosures of the inquiry are futile. Officials appointed by both parties are among those recommended for dismissal, and there is every indication that many of the illegal practices disclosed have been going on for years. The indiscretions of Civil Service Commissioners, for example, involved one who was formerly a Conservative member of parliament. The Collector of Customs of Montreal recommended for dismissal was a Conservative appointee. On the other hand, Hon. Jacques Bureau, who is censured in the report, was Minister of Customs until a short time ago and is now a member of the Senate. The matter is too important to be treated by either party as a political stinkpot. What the country wants is a reorganization complete and effective enough to prevent a recurrence of the illegalities disclosed by the recent inquiry under the auspices of any political party.—Victoria Times.

### Religious Beliefs of Experienced Men.

Prof. F. W. Kerr, former pastor of the Presbyterian Church here and now at Knox Church, Winnipeg, in a recent sermon discussed a series of articles that had appeared dealing with the religious beliefs of Canadian writers and men of politics. All these writers, Prof. Kerr stated, expressed their conviction in regard to a future life, but they differed somewhat in their conception of it. Likewise, in all cases, the imagery of this future life had undergone considerable change since their childhood days. All showed that many childhood beliefs had been discarded, and the outlook of a few had grown very philosophical. Prof. Kerr said he had noticed an effort to get down to fundamentals and essentials in almost all the articles. He noticed that several of the writers believed less than they did when they were children—that is, they believed in fewer ideals, but these few with deeper conviction. All, he said, welcomed a revelation of God, coming from science as well as from the Bible. All seemed to agree with the statement of Prof. Coleman, who said, "Nature and the Bible are both trustworthy in their own spheres. There is no conflict between them." Prof. Kerr said that he noticed a slightly regrettable tendency in the articles to veer away from a belief that God is all-important to the world. Some seemed to have assumed an almost too-philosophical viewpoint, and lacked the passionate belief in God which was to be desired. This was the only fault he could find with the religious beliefs of the writers, he said.

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### MINING ACTIVE STEWART AREA

Interesting Review of Operations  
Contained in Northwest  
Mining Service

The following interesting review of mining developments in the Stewart district is contained in Northwest Mining Service, a Spokane publication:

Development of the main high grade ore shoot in the central portion of the B.C. Silver Company's property is demonstrating that it is a real bonanza ore body. Ore is being sacked just as it is broken in the up-raise, without the necessity of any sorting whatever. The showing in this section of the company's ground is so promising that B.C. Silver is now recognized as a definite rival to Premier Gold, with a good prospect of ultimately having a similar record for production and dividends.

No decision appears to have been arrived at yet as to how the development of the other high-grade ore shoot in B.C. Silver Company's ground is to be achieved. It has long been positively known that the main Premier ore shoot passes into B. C. Silver ground on the Premier No. 3 and No. 4 levels. Ore could therefore most easily be extracted through the Premier workings by some arrangement with that company. Unless some such arrangement is made, it will be necessary to drive a new tunnel on the B. C. Silver Company's property to attain the requisite depth or to sink a winze from the No. 2 level. Pending a decision on this point work is not being pushed in that section of the B. C. Company's holdings, as it is elsewhere on that property.

#### Hitting the Ball

Premier Gold is hitting the ball in all departments and its new shoot of high-grade is more than maintaining its recent promise. The Premier Company has definitely turned down its option on Indian Mines, although for a long time it was considered certain by everybody here, including some of the resident officials of the Premier, that the option would be exercised.

Sebakwe is going ahead in an energetic manner, drifting and cross cutting. On the Big Missouri, a new drift has been started to open up further ore and the outlook for the property is considered very satisfactory. A lot of work is to be done on the Silver Crest this summer. Dunwell is preparing for immediate stoping on the No. 3 level and drifting in two tunnels at a depth of approximately 100 feet in one, and in the other on the lowest level at a depth of 1009 feet, with a view to striking a ledge carrying high-grade ore similar to the Premier lynch against the Victoria claims. It will be fall before this work is completed.

#### Extensive Campaign

Snow is all gone up to the timber line now and various properties are getting started on an extensive summer campaign, the results of which will not materialize until fall or later, since mines are not made in a day. Initial development work involves a good deal of luck and requires both nerve and patience as the tribulations of a young mine are invariably numerous. This district has passed through a lot of the trials incident to early exploitation of its properties and on the whole has proved itself deserving of development directed by sound common sense and business judgment. Capital is coming in freely now from British, American, Eastern Canadian and other sources, so that the cheaper stocks, if well selected, should provide interesting speculative possibilities.

### QUEEN CHARLOTTE

The fish packer Jedway has gone out to Hippo Island to buy springs for the B.C. Packers. Capt. Hann of Sandspit has taken the Jedway for the trip. It is reported that there is a big run of springs at Hippo.

Capt. Jack Kemp leaves this week for the mainland on the seamer Agnes C. to seine for sockeye for the B.C. Packers. The crew is comprised of local men.

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### INDIAN AGENT GYRO SPEAKER

W. E. Collison Gives Address on  
Native Customs and  
Traditions.

A highly interesting discourse on the traditions and ancient customs of the natives of this district was delivered by Indian Agent W. E. Collison before the Gyro Club yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Collison opened by referring to the great advance that had been made by the Indians in the period of the last 100 years in which time they had risen from practical barbarism to the full state of civilization. No Indians on the North American continent had advanced so rapidly or had become more civilized than the Tsimpsians or Haidas.

Within a distance of 100 miles of Prince Rupert were to be found five distinct tribes of Indians, none of which spoke the same language and whose peoples did not know each other. The Tsimpsians had come as their tribal name indicated from "out of the Skeena."

The origin of the Indians of this district was not definitely known, but ethnologists were of the opinion that they had reached here in the far distant past from Asia. Wherever they had come from, their language indicated that they had originated from some highly educated race. There was no language, Mr. Collison declared, that was more perfect than that of the Haidas. It had set grammatical rules and was capable of as clear and beautiful expression as was the English language itself.

Mr. Collison went at some detail into the former customs and traditions of the natives. In closing he referred to the native totem pole lore stating that totems were not, as many people thought, idols or religious symbols.

In the course of his address, Mr. Collison made a plea for the preservation of the ancient native lore and art which was rapidly passing and which, in a few years, would have entirely disappeared.

President Stan Taylor presided at the luncheon and, beside Mr. Collison, the guests included T. A. B. Ferris, Vancouver; Mr. Everett, Philadelphia furniture manufacturer, and David Thomson, Will Kergin, Fred Kergin and Jarvis McLeod.

It is expected that the Gyros will be addressed at a special meeting next week by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands.

### THE MAN IN THE MOON

says:

IN the midst of life we are in debt.

LOVE is something like a magician—it often does the vanishing trick.

WATCH the amateur skippers tear the water out of the harbor at the regatta this afternoon.

SCIENTISTS say the North Pole is moving south. I suppose we'll soon be able to walk out at the weekend and look it over.

SO popular has the North Pole-seeking idea become that it is said a modern hotel is to be built within the polar circle for the convenience of aviators.

AMERICAN authorities have recently captured a bunch of spurious internal revenue stamps.

### Her Heart Palpitated She Had Fainting Spells

Mrs. J. Wilson, Fort George, N.S., writes: "I suffered from palpitation of the heart and fainting spells, and at times, I could not be left alone I was so nervous. My trouble was caused from overwork and worry, having been left alone with a large family. I had tried everything, without any relief, but I know, day-day, that I would have been a nervous wreck but for your wonderful



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AN egg that will talk back is not worth its place at the table.

BABE Ruth has knocked his twenty-third home run this season. Wonder if that has been the result of all this fine weather?

"The Speeding Venus" is the latest title of a movie production. Guess that's how the beautiful lady lost her arms.

THESE are days of conventions and colored pop.

THE fair young miss who cries in the movie show at the pathetic picture is usually the hard hearted Hannah type when it comes to heartbreaking.

PA is now spending his spare-time in the evening trying to locate last year's garden hose.

I WONDER where the manufacturers learned the art of making all these smells in the make-up boxes.

IT is said that cameras don't lie but for all that they can often tell a shady story.

### LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Sections 182 and 227.  
IN THE MATTER of application No. 1349 for the cancellation of a charge, AND IN THE MATTER of an Agreement of Option to Purchase, dated the 15th December, 1912, and registered the 6th January, 1913—on application received and January, 1926, as No. 2140, between GEORGE T. KANE, of the First Part, and GORDON C. EMMERSON, of the Second Part, covering the following property:

Lots seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), and sixteen (16), Block one (1); and Lots nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), and fourteen (14); Block seventeen (17) of District Lot number six hundred and forty-one (641), Range five (5), Coast District, Map 820.

Satisfactory proof of breach of covenants and re-entry and recovery of possession by the vendor or owner of the lands, subject to the above Agreement of Option to Purchase, having been filed in this office.

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made to cancel the registration of the above mentioned Agreement of Option to Purchase, and which is registered in Register of Charges Volume 18, Folio 197, as No. 2140, and that in support of such application has been produced a declaration of STANLEY WALTER TAYLOR dated the 20th October, 1925, and a declaration of GEORGE THOMAS KANE dated the 20th November, 1925, proving the breach of covenants and re-entry and recovery of possession as aforesaid, IT IS MY INTENTION, after the expiration of thirty (30) days from the service of this notice to cancel the registration of the option to purchase of the estate of the purchaser in the land described in the said Agreement of Option to Purchase, shall cease and determine, unless you shall take and prosecute the proper proceedings to establish your claim, if any, to the said lands or to prevent such proposed action on my part.

DATED at the Land Registry Office at Prince Rupert, B.C., this First day of June, A.D. 1926.

H. F. McLEOD,  
Registrar of Titles.

### LAND ACT.

Cassiar Land District. Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on Athin Lake about 35 miles southwest of Athin Township.

TAKE NOTICE that Edwin Jules Eggert, of Athin, in the Province of British Columbia, occupation operating tourist launch, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Glacier Bay, in Athin Lake, situated as above; thence following south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 20 chains; to point of commencement.

EDWIN JULES EGGERT,  
Applicant.  
Dated May 10, 1926.

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