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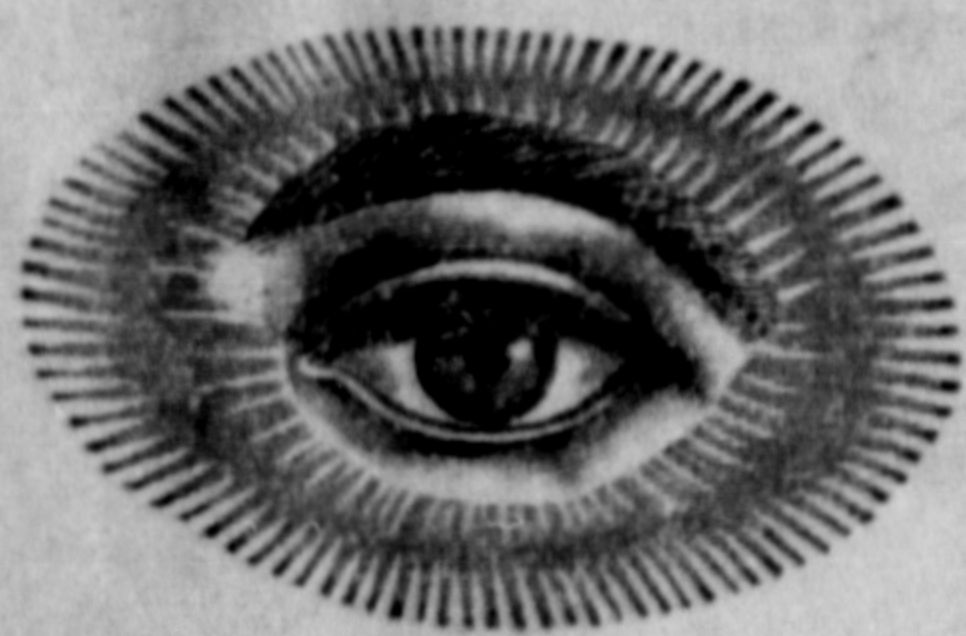
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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing over Lot 4507, Cassiar District, is cancelled. Deputy Minister of Lands, G. R. NADEN, Lands Department, Victoria, B. C., 20th June, 1926.

CIRCUS ELEPHANT MYRTLE IS DEAD

CRANBROOK, Sept. 10.—Myrtle, the circus elephant recaptured Wednesday, died yesterday afternoon of pneumonia as a result of exposure in the wilds to which she was not accustomed. She was the property of the Sells-Floto circus which visited this town when the elephants escaped.

WEATHER REPORT

Terrace: Clear, windy; temperature 50. Anyox: Clear, calm; 56. Stewart: Clear, calm; 41. Hazelton: Clear, calm; 44. Telegraph Creek: Clear, calm; 55. Smithers: Clear, calm; 60. Burns Lake: Clear, calm; 44. Whitehorse: Cloudy, calm; 44. Dawson: Raining, calm; 42.

In The Letter Box

TAXING WORKERS

Editor, Daily News: Taxing the people's food and clothes by means of a tariff on importations is shifting the burden of taxation from the rich to the poor. No amount of argument or juggling of figures will change the truth of that statement. The more manufactured goods are protected, the higher go the prices and the workers, who are the majority of the people, pay most of the tax. Raising tariff is just a scheme for laying a heavier burden on the already over-burdened working man of this country. I hope none of my fellow workers will be led away by the roundabout arguments of the Tories and vote for higher tariff. It is a vote against their own interests.

LABORER.

TEA AND SALE WAS HELD YESTERDAY AT MRS. ORCHARD'S HOME

A very successful tea and sale of home cooking was held yesterday afternoon by the Women's Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Anglican Church at the home of Mrs. Wallace C. Orchard, 700 Musgrave Place. The rooms were prettily decorated for the occasion and many ladies called during the afternoon. Mrs. Thomas Andrew, president of the Women's Auxiliary, received with Mrs. Orchard, Mrs. H. E. Tremayne and Mrs. J. C. McLennan poured and those assisting in serving were Mrs. C. G. Mills, Mrs. R. A. Creech, Mrs. G. A. Woodland and Mrs. R. V. G. LePine. Mrs. G. H. Arnott and Mrs. R. H. Smeaton were in charge of the home cooking sale and Mrs. Fred Pyle was cashier. During the afternoon there were piano solos by Mrs. David Wilton and vocal solos by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Donald Ross, all being much appreciated.

PETITION PRESENTED TO SCHOOL BOARD IN REGARD TO LOCATION

Parents Objected to Small Children Walking to Booth School When Nearer Borden

At the meeting of the school board last night a petition was presented by several residents of the district affected against the moving of young pupils from Borden Street School to Booth School. Those signing the petition were Mrs. H. J. Bradbury, Mrs. W. O. Fulton, Mrs. W. A. McLean, J. Dennis Allen, Stephen King, W. G. Hughes, Annie J. Wilson and A. Hanes. Chairman Rochester stated that Miss Mills, Mr. Hartness and Mr. Christie had gone over the situation carefully and followed out the instructions of the board doing the best they possibly could to be fair to everyone. No bus service was being put on this year at present but in winter if the weather was very bad they may do so for a short time. Secretary Christie explained the method used and a number of questions were asked by Trustee Fulton who finally acquiesced in the decision to allow things to remain as at present. The parents will be notified that the best possible system was adopted.

AUTHOR SPEAKS TO LOCAL ROTARY CLUB

C. H. Gibbons Speaks of Valuable Work Being Done By Number of Authors Working on This Coast.

Of the 243 Canadian authors who are today actively at work 35 are on the western coast of Canada and are doing effective advertising for this part of the country, according to C. H. Gibbons, author of the "Sourdough Samaritan," who addressed the Rotary Club briefly yesterday. Mr. Gibbons spoke of the work of Stewart Edward White, particularly in his books "Tillamook and Skookum Chuck" which bring before the tourists and sportsmen the attractions of this coast. Also there were other writers commencing with with Bob Service and prominent among who is Mrs. Beck. Mr. Gibbons commended the proposal of the provincial government to collect reminiscences of the pioneers which would be kept and handed down as an heirloom for the future.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Notice to Contractors

Prince Rupert Electoral District

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Fish Packing Warehouse," will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, up to noon of Monday, the 27th day of September, 1926, for the construction of Warehouse on Prince Rupert Wharf between buildings occupied by Booth Fisheries and Pacific Fisheries.

Plans, Specification, Contract, and Form of Tender may be obtained at the office of the District Engineer, Court House, Prince Rupert, on payment of a deposit of ten dollars, which will be refunded on return of the plans, etc., in good condition. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of \$700.00, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so. The cheque of the successful tenderer will be retained as security for the full and faithful performance of the work until the satisfactory completion of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished. The lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted.

P. PHILIP, Public Works Engineer, Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., September 8, 1926.

PICKLING IN FULL SWING

So Great Have Been Demands of Preserving Season That Fruit Jars Have Run Out.

The pickling season is now on in full swing with a plentiful supply of green tomatoes, peppers, cucumbers, onions, etc. Prices are very low on these lines this year as well as on all preserving fruits and vegetables. Never have housewives had such an opportunity of purchasing these commodities at such low prices and that they have taken advantage of it is indicated in the fact that the demand for fruit jars has been so far beyond expectations that stocks are exhausted and express shipments are coming from the East to supply the demand. Conservative estimates of the fruit handled in town this season show that it is double any previous year. On account of low prices, merchants have also been compelled to handle twice as much for the same profit as last year.

The egg market is very firm, with supply of real fresh eggs difficult to obtain. Pullets will commence laying before long and this should prevent the market from climbing too high. Storage eggs are making their appearance.

Since July 1 there has been a new Dominion government regulation requiring all tins of lard to be marked net weight. Consequently three pound tins will now be of larger size than when gross weight was marked. This will be responsible for a slight increase in the price of lard shortly. Market prices today locally are as follows:

Table listing prices for Butter, Lard, Cheese, Eggs, and Vegetables.

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FRUIT

Prunes, per box 95c Peaches, per box \$1.40 Pears, 3 dozen for \$1.00

Hot-house Tomatoes, per basket 40c

Fresh Milk and Whipping Cream

ASSAULT CASE ON CHINAMAN

May be Attempted Murder According to Information Laid With Police

Provincial police are today investigating what is believed to be a case of attempted murder among Chinese at Captain's Cove cannery on Pitt Island, down the coast from Prince Rupert. One, Bow Hung, has been brought to the city and is a patient in the Prince Rupert General Hospital suffering with severe head wounds believed to have been inflicted with an axe by another, Lee Fung, the alleged assailant, who took to the woods and is being sought by police officers.

The assault took place late last night and the injured Chinaman was brought to the city by J. Prescott and Charles Nelson on the gasboat Mabel, arriving here at 4.30 this morning, and was placed in the hospital where he is being attended by Dr. J. P. Cade and Dr. H. E. Tremayne and where he is expected to recover. Constables Clark and Bell were despatched at 5.30 this morning by the power boat 28 (Leila R.) to Captain's Cove to locate Lee Fung and further investigate the occurrence.

According to information already received by the police, Bow Hung was walking from the bunkhouse toward the cannery when Lee Fung, who was lying in wait in the bush, leaped upon him. According to Bow Hung, there had never been trouble between himself and Lee Fung.

FISHING BOATS WAIT OPENING OF THE POLLS

A number of fishing boats are awaiting the opening of the advance polls here this evening, some of them having been in port for several days. They have given up their time in order to cast their ballots, mostly for Fred Stork.

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An Open Letter to the Public from the Montreal Importers.

TO THE PUBLIC:

When the Montreal Importers opened up for business in Prince Rupert, their goods were all marked at Montreal prices and every shipment that we get from the eastern manufacturers—and further shipments to complete our stock are coming in every week—Montreal prices govern them all. We are taking this opportunity to explain how we do it.

We buy direct from the manufacturers.

We can do this by taking quantity lots—as we have faith enough in Prince Rupert to believe that we can obtain the necessary turnover of such quantities. And we mark our goods at such prices as to obtain the turnover.

For instance, this week we have received shipments of men's clothing from such famous firms as Samuel Hart and Freedman & Co., both clothing manufacturers, and the prices at which they are marked now in our store will compete with any firm in this whole broad Dominion. Of course, there is a little extra freight from Montreal, but we can still sell at Montreal prices because we have no Montreal rental to pay here.

We have our own buyers in Montreal who know our requirements and are in touch with the manufacturers all the time. Many people send away for goods thinking they can get them cheaper. They don't need to do that now. We are here.

We want you to appreciate our position. We want a share of your business—we need your support to enable us to stay here. We have the goods at Montreal prices—and price is what so many people send away for. If we give you Montreal prices, we get your business and we are both satisfied.

Inspect our stock for yourself, see our goods and compare our Montreal prices with any others you like, and if you buy, so much the better for us both.

Yours very truly,

The Montreal Importers

Per J. B. MILLER.