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POWER SITUATION

We make no apology to our readers for having monopolized the front page of the paper with matter pertaining to the local power situation. It is the one question of paramount interest here today and as such deserves prominence. All we ask in connection with it is that people here turn out and exercise their right to vote. Once the die is cast it is too late to change.

We have had to refuse publication of several letters which were longer than present space would permit. Also one signed "Mons Star" did not bear the writer's signature and without it could not be accepted for publication.

News of the Mines

AROUND PRINCE RUPERT

Gold Quartz Prospects of North Reviewed by Haggen; Encouraging Report on Melvin Group; Atlas Gold to Diamond Drill

Gold quartz prospects of the northern portion of the province are reviewed by E. A. Haggen, editor of the Mining and Industrial Record. Veins carrying gold to the extent of $18 to $40 per ton have been reported from the headwaters of the Unuk River on the south fork. Business men have become interested in the development of these deposits, but transportation has proven a terrible difficulty. Though many people have been pinning their faith on Atlin as a coming gold-quartz camp of importance, so far it has proved disappointing. The Engineer, Gleaner and Kirkland properties produced samples of fabulous values, but results have been disappointing. The Engineer mine has been operating on ore averaging $18 a ton and the manager expresses confidence that the mine will yet become an important producer of gold. The Gleaner and Kirkland can as yet be only described as prospects. A promising country for lode gold is the area in the north-eastern corner of the province forming the boundary with the Yukon territory. The prospects of Sayyea River are regarded as favorable. Islands of the coast have much promise in gold-quartz mining. Princess Royal Island has already produced gold to the value of about $7,000,000 from the Surf Inlet mine. Other gold quartz deposits are known at several places on the island. The newest development is that of the Cassie group, which is being handled in a conservative and business like manner by the Gold Coast Mining Co. A report of H. L. Batten, M.E., is favorable, showing outcrops of minerable width carrying good average values in gold. The property is well located for transportation, being close to Bear Lake with water transportation from the head of the dock. Water power can be developed from the Belmont-Surf Inlet dam. At Porcher Island a gold mine is being developed by J. B. Woodworth of Vancouver, who has strong eastern capital associated with him. The ore is a sulphide of iron carrying good values in gold. The ore is being shipped to Tacoma smelter. The Queen Charlotte Islands were the scene of the first lod-gold mining in British Columbia, the Hudson Bay Co. being the first to operate such a mine, shipping gold quartz—said to be one-third gold—to England for treatment. J. McLellan, a Scotch mining engineer operating in the Lardeau district, now owns this historic ground and has erected a small stamp mill. When he needs a few dollars, all he has to do is mine his ore and start up the stamp mill. On another property at Queen Charlotte City, there is a promising deposit of gold quartz which has been operated to some extent. The auriferous blacksands on the north-east coast of Graham Island suggest the possibility of gold quartz deposits in that vicinity and Lawn Hill may yet be the scene of a gold mining camp.

A lengthy and encouraging report has been made by H. L. Batten, M.E., on the Melvin group at Stewart for the Marmot Metals Mining Co., which has optioned it. All future work on the property will be carried out under the direction of Mr. Batten's company. In part the report says that very little prospecting opened up a strong vein carrying native silver together with some sulphides on the Porter-Idaho boundary. There is at least one and probably two of the veins on the Porter-Idaho which enter the Melvin ground. The fact that the Porter-Idaho and Prosperity groups lie to the southwest and that the Melvin group cuts into these quite considerably makes this property valuable for its location. This coupled with the fact that native silver has been found in one of the veins and that a second vein was located carrying high silver values makes the property one of merit and warrants considerable development and thorough opening up. Two assays show commercial ore, one carrying 125 ounces silver and 27 per cent zinc and the other 687 ounces of silver." The report describes the ore minutely and also refers to transportation, climate, power, timber, water and equipment conditions.

The Atlas Gold & Copper Mining Co. Ltd. has decided on a spring program of diamond drilling for its property adjoining the George Copper in the Bear River valley, the president of the company, E. E. Hall, announces. Holdings of the company consist of eleven claims opposite the Rufus-Argenta and the company is capitalized at $3,000,000. It recently took over the old Bear River Mining Co. It is stated that $25,000 has been raised privately to carry out the expense of diamond drilling. J. A. Hall is vice-president and C. E. Neals, secretary.

C.P.R. steamer Princess Mary, Capt. Thomas Cliff, arrived in port at 3 o'clock this afternoon from Skagway and will sail at 4 p.m. for Vancouver and Victoria. Aboard the vessel is a crowd of Alaskans and Yukoners going south for Christmas. Embarking here for the south on the vessel will be: Miss Sorenson, Alex Ohman and D. Davidson, for Vancouver, and E. Warren, for Victoria.

Dry, Hacking Cough Was Caused By A Bronchial Cold

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FAMOUS BRITISH AIRMAN MAKES A TALKIE

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COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

Two Indians Sent Up on Charges of Theft From Dwelling at Terrace

Bert Dennis and Stephen Sampson, Port Simpson Indians, were committed for trial by Stipendiary Magistrate H. F. McLeod in provincial police court this morning on charges of theft from the home of Michaud brothers, Crescent farm, in the Lakelse Valley, near Terrace. It is alleged that the pair of natives entered the Michaud premises and made away with all available tools, clothing and food. Provincial Constable H. L. McKenney placed them under arrest following the arrival of the train here last Sunday afternoon from the interior. A quantity of the missing goods was said to have been found in their baggage aboard the train. Principal witnesses at the preliminary trial were Fred Michaud and his sister, Mrs. T. J. Kirkpatrick.

BRITISH FOR THIS COUNTRY

Agreement With London in Regard to Immigration to Canada

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—Following the negotiations completed with the British government, Hon. Robert Forke, minister of immigration, yesterday made public the measures agreed upon to promote a larger flow of British immigrants to Canada. These include substantial reduction of the general steamship passenger rate, continuation of two pound ocean rate for families coming to work on land, free passage for children and for other boys or girls coming under the auspices of a recognized voluntary society. Boy settlement will loom large in the program.

A. Chisholm, rigger for the radiotelegraph department, sailed by the Catala yesterday afternoon on his return to Victoria after having spent a couple of weeks here in connection with the repair of the Digby Island cable which recently went out but which is in operation again.

There was no meeting of the Lief Erickson Society last night. The next gathering will be the Christmas Tree entertainment on December 27.

Owing to the stores being open nights this week, there was no regular monthly meeting of the Prince Rupert Retail Merchants' Association last night.

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British Steamer Rossington Court Arriving to Load Full Grain Cargo for United Kingdom or Continent

The British steamer Rossington Court, Prince Rupert's fourth grain ship of the season, is expected to arrive in port late this afternoon or early this evening from the old country and will immediately go on berth at the elevator to start loading a full cargo for the United Kingdom or continent. The vessel was due at Triple Island at 1 o'clock this afternoon to pick up her pilot.

No further boats for loading here have yet been reported. Meantime, the Alberta Wheat Pool's local elevator is filled to capacity and the movement of grain from the prairies to Prince Rupert has, consequently, slackened up.

PRINCE MAKES XMAS APPEAL

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The Prince of Wales last night issued a personal appeal on behalf of the distressed women and children in the mining areas. He called for a combined national effort to give the matter urgent attention, as thousands, who through shutting down the British mines, were suffering dire poverty.

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BOYS' PENMAN 71 SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Sale price	58c
MEN'S OVERALLS OR SMOCKS for	98c
LADIES' SILK STOCKINGS—Sale price	79c
CHILDREN'S PURSES—Lovely for gifts. Sale price	43c
STATIONERY BOXES FOR CHILDREN—Sale price	38c
WHITE OR GREY COTTON—7 yards for	$1.00
WHITE FLANNELETTE	14c
CHILDREN'S SLEEPERS	98c
CHAMBREY—Sale price	9c
LADIES' SLICKERS—Red, Blue and Green. Regular $7.50. Sale price	$3.98
LADIES' SLICKER BOOTS—Red, Blue and Green. Sale price	$2.98
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