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FORCE SOMETIMES NECESSARY

Force is still necessary, especially in dealing with backward nations like the Arabs, Indians or Russians. Nothing else counts with them. They despise the weakling but they respect a regiment of soldiers with guns and other equipment.

We all look on peace as the greatest blessing that could come to the world but perfect peace is a long way off and must not be expected in our day. We have to prepare to deal with such people as those now running riot in Arabia.

Peace principles do not particularly appeal to those people. They have no world outlook except it be perhaps a vision of world dominion of the Moslems. The leader of their religion enforced his precepts with the sword and it proved effective even when peaceful measures failed.

FARM LOANS

Central B.C. will be much interested in the passing of the Farm Loans bill which has been approved by the Legislature of B.C. It will enable farmers to borrow money for the extension of operations and will enable them to clear land and increase their production. This will benefit everyone.

If the farmers have money, everybody has money. They are producers and the development of Central British Columbia depends largely on them.

With the development of Central British Columbia is bound up to a large extent the future of Prince Rupert. Railway service can be improved if the country is more closely settled, and the farmers produce more.

NOBODY SURE OF TIME

Nobody can say just when the general election will be held but the opinion in the south seems to be that it will take place in the fall, according to advices received yesterday. Probably some announcement will be made by Premier MacLean before the legislature rises, which will give a clue as to the possible time for the event. Under our elastic constitution the Premier can decide when he will appeal to the country as long as he does it within the time specified in the law which provides that a legislature shall not sit for more than five years.

We suggest that in any case those not registered should be busy and get their names on the voters' list at once.

GRAIN SHIPPING ACTIVE

There is rather sudden activity here in grain shipping, due doubtless to some economic cause which makes it advisable to route the grain this way. It is nice to see the big steamers in the harbor and to feel that this is really a grain port which is proving its value to the country.

Once the Orient buys grain once more we may look for greater development in the grain business here. Just now all the shipments are being made to Europe.

SETTLERS COMING

Once more the spout has been opened and settlers are coming to the country from Europe. So far the movement has just begun. Men are needed to help put in the crop and they are being brought to the prairies by the railways. Those wishing to take up land are encouraged to do so and the prospect is more of this class than ever before will come to the country.

Large numbers of men are being employed on railway construction and mining this year and that will tend to make labor scarce so that Canada will be in a position to absorb a good many and some of them are anxious to go on the land as soon as they have made enough money to start.

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TERRACE BOARD OF TRADE MEETS

NUMBER OF MATTERS DISCUSSED, INCLUDING ROADS AND MINERAL DISPLAY

TERRACE, March 9.—The council meeting of the Terrace Board of Trade was held in Gordon's Hotel on Tuesday evening.

Correspondence arising from action taken by the railway committee showed that the seeming discrimination against local merchants, in the matter of a lower freight rate from Prince Rupert for way-employees, was shown to be brought about by action of the employees themselves, who annually voted where they wished their cheap rate to apply from. As the rate carried with it a free pass to the point designated, it was natural that the larger centre should be chosen in most instances. In this connection the secretary was asked to write and ascertain whether the half rate allowed was confined to only one point, or whether, if the employee requested, he might have the privilege of the reduced rate from more than one point.

Correspondence also showed further weight being brought to bear on the departments concerned, in the matter of platform extension, inadequacy of waiting room accommodation, and insufficient way freight service. It was also suggested at the meeting and the committee were asked to take up the matter of having a passenger car attached to the way freight during the winter service.

ROAD OBSTRUCTION

The obstruction on the West Hill Road and the continued inactivity of the public works department in this matter was again brought to the attention of the meeting. It was suggested that the secretary write the department asking that, in the event of a pile driver being brought in soon for the Copper River bridge it be first used in repairing this hill road.

On behalf of C. Gordon of Alyansh President J. K. Gordon brought up the matter of requesting the government to build a road connecting Alyansh with Terrace, thus giving the former a connection with the railway and thus facilitating mail and freight delivery. It was pointed out that about thirty miles of the total distance of approximately seventy miles was already constructed. It was the general feeling of the meeting that this road should be built as it would assist in opening up a large stretch of good land and give the settlers of the Naas a much more convenient outlet, thus offering some inducement to prospective settlers. It was decided to bring the matter to the attention of the public works department, and to ask the people of Alyansh to co-operate in the matter.

The attention of the public works committee was drawn to the almost impossible condition of the road leading to the ranch of W. J. Goodwin at Kitsumkalum and also to the desirability of having a trail constructed this year on what will later be the cut-off or shorter road to Lakelse Lake.

MINERAL DISPLAY

The mining committee reported that the mineral show case to be placed at the local depot was ready to be set up and some splendid specimens of ore were on hand to be placed in it, with more promised as soon as prospectors could get out to their claims. As a means of advertising and publicity it was suggested that an attempt be made to have the district mining engineer look over a number of the prospects in the district and make official reports.

At the request of the hospital board to appoint a representative from the board of trade to the hospital executive, A. H. Barker was named to act in that capacity.

TERRACE

Mrs. D. D. Munro arrived from Smithers on Tuesday and will spend a short time here with friends before returning to the interior where she plans to spend the summer.

D. M. Gibbon of Smithers is in the district looking after property interests here.

McDonald, mining man of Usk, was a business visitor in town during the week. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bissonnette and children have spent the past few months in Vancouver, returned to Terrace at the beginning of the week.

A. J. Curzon, Prince Rupert, was a business visitor here during the week.

Winter is paying an unwelcome return visit to this district this week. After enjoying warm bright sunny weather with clean, dry streets, this week's storm is not appreciated. Considerable snow fell on the level, but in town was accompanied by strong wind and motor traffic is moving with difficulty through the drifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Hogan of Prince George are visiting at the home of Mrs. Hogan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taft.

R. E. Allen, district forester and E. C. Manning, assistant chief forester of Victoria, arrived in town on Wednesday, to conduct assistant ranger examinations at this point. Three candidates: Duncan Kerr and M. McDonald, Terrace, and J. Graham of Doreen.

J. Thomasson of Remo was in town on Wednesday.

A. E. Little returned on Wednesday from the Prince Rupert Hospital where he has been a patient for several weeks with both wrists broken. He has now slight use of the right hand but it will be some time before he is fit for duty again.

Dan Clacker returned on Wednesday from Prince Rupert where he has been spending a holiday.

Mrs. E. T. Brooks returned on Wednesday from Prince Rupert.

S. Sjostrand who spent the early part of the week in Prince Rupert, returned on Wednesday.

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THE fittest survive. Yes, I knew I was pretty fit.

HE tried to make himself
As fit as fit could be;
And then he threw a fit
That was not fit to see.

THE Conservative newspapers in the south suggest a judgeship for Manson and a job in England for Pattullo. Doubtless these are two of the men that interfere with their party aspirations.

IT is explained at the elevator that the King James parrot which caused such a sensation by its language among elevator officials, sowed too many wild oats there and had to be sent away.

A TRAVELLING man arrived in Prince Rupert recently and it is said he put over several good stories. No I can't tell them. It would not do to tell travellers' stories here.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

J. H. McMillan, inspector of mines, addressed the St. Andrew's Society last night, his subject being "Geology as Applied to Mining."

George M. Hanson, United States consul, addressed the Sons of Canada last night, his subject being "Colonies, East and West."

The executive committee of the Anglican diocese of Caledonia met last evening at the home of Bishop F. H. Du Vernet. The members present, besides the Bishop, were Canon G. A. Rix, Rev. W. S. A. Larter, L. M. DeGex and C. W. Homer.

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