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VERY SATISFACTORY

It is very satisfactory news to get from Vancouver that the B. C. Telephone Co. is so satisfied with its preliminary tests that it plans to install a radio telephone system covering this north coast to connect up with the south by means of the telephones. As he despatch says, it will be some time before the system is working but in the meantime further tests will be made to enable best results to be obtained.

All we need now to make our position as a central point secure is to connect up by highway with the rest of Canada, to connect with the Orient by a steamship line and to establish an air base here.

COST OF BOOKS TO STUDENTS

For at least 30 years there have been suggestions made for supplying books at cost to students or for the government to publish the books used. The latter is not very feasible but the former is within the bounds of possibility.

Following the agitation for cheaper text books, the government of the day decided to provide free text books for students in the public schools and this has been done for a number of years with a good deal of success. In the high schools the books are more expensive but only a comparatively small proportion of students ever reach the high school so that it was thought that those who wished to attend should purchase their own books. Now the tendency is to encourage all boys and girls to take the high school course and the natural step would be to have the books provided free just as they do in the lower schools.

Outlying portions of the province are discriminated against in the matter of students attending the university because, while they pay their share for the upkeep of the institution they also have to pay railway or steamship fares to and from and board for the students while attending. This is a severe handicap and in many cases proves to be an effectual barrier against students taking the courses. If the government can do anything to lighten the cost in high schools it will be appreciated by those who are struggling to give their boys and girls the best possible education.

IN THE LETTER BOX

ABOUT SEA LIONS

Editor, Daily News:
The letter last night on "Would Have the Sea Lions Destroyed?" interested me very much.
I would like to take your readers back fifty years ago when these same sea waters were filled with

thousands of sea lions, eagles, bears and many other animals that lived on our fish and yet we still have our fish. No, if the time comes when there are no fish it will not be the fault of the animals. It will be man and man alone to blame.

It was not the beaver or the insects that have destroyed our forests but man, so let us be just a little broader and leave the animals that are here to live in peace.
I for one have enjoyed my stay in Prince Rupert very much and these same sea lions have done much to enhance the waters for me.

Yours truly,
NORAH M. BOULLIANNE.

BACK FROM FAR NORTH

Interesting Details of Fate of Franklin Expedition Revealed By Pilot Gilbert

FORT M'MURRAY, Alta., Sept. 13.—Back from a daring flight to the northern shore of King William Land in the Arctic Ocean, W. E. Gilbert of the Western Canada Airways who piloted Major Burwash, Canadian explorer, on the expedition, unfolded details of the finding of relics of the ill-fated expedition of Sir John Franklin some 80 odd years ago.

Evidence indicated that some of the men succumbed to scurvy while others starved to death. Numerous graves in orderly arrangement were found, indicating that members of the party dropped off one by one and were buried by their comrades. Bones and skeletons were found in rocky cairns that had been looted by Eskimos or disturbed by Arctic gales.

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who has joined the Directorate and become Vice-President of the well known Advertising Agency J. J. Gibbons, Limited.

Mr. Stapells was born and educated in Toronto and has organized many worthwhile movements affecting the Industrial and Social Welfare life of the City and Province during the past thirty years.

He is Past President of the Toronto Board of Trade, Ontario Motor League, Empire Club of Canada and a former Trustee of Queen's University.

Has been Vice-Chairman of the Ontario Minimum Wage Board since its inception ten years ago.

Presbyterian Tea Success

Delightful Function Held Yesterday Afternoon By Ladies' Aid

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of First Presbyterian Church a very enjoyable and successful tea and sale of home cooking was held yesterday afternoon in the church hall.

The president, Mrs. D. C. Stuart, received the guests and Mrs. Jack Watson was in charge of the tea room, assistants being Mrs. D. McLeod, Mrs. James Stimpson, Mrs. Thomas McMeekin, Mrs. J. Hadden, Mrs. W. W. C. O'Neill and Mrs. Bert Cameron. Mrs. M. McRobbie and Mrs. D. McD. Hunter poured and Mrs. James Clark acted as cashier. In charge of the home cooking table were Mrs. F. D. Rice and Mrs. Alex Clark.

A delightful musical program rendered during the afternoon included vocal solos by Misses Betty Cameron and Dorothy Fraser, accompanied by Mrs. H. C. Fraser, and pianoforte selections by Master Hugh Mackenzie.

The tea tables were tastefully decorated with sweet peas and garden flowers.

Grand Matron Visits Chapter

Order of Eastern Star Completes Busy Two Days in Conjunction With Stay of Head

Mrs. Emily Maxwell of Vancouver, Worthy Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, paid her official visit last night to Belist Chapter of this city. The night previous she had been tendered a complimentary banquet by the chapter.

Mrs. Maxwell proceeded by train today to Prince George where she will pay an official visit.

RESOLUTION ON SILVER

Omineca Chamber of Mines Calls on Dominion Government to Take Action on Matter

SMITHERS, B.C., September 13.—A resolution regarding the stabilization of silver was passed unanimously and enthusiastically at a public meeting held in Smithers on Wednesday evening of this week, under the auspices of Omineca branch of the British Columbia Chamber of Mines organization. It was felt that the subject was of vital importance to the mining industry in Omineca Mining Division that no effort should be spared to carry on the

Style Letter by Letitia Chaffee

A Message to Prince Rupert ladies telling them what is the proper thing in clothes this fall.

Styles change and the person who is out of fashion is out of the world so far as smart society is concerned. What is considered good form one season is in bad taste another. The well dressed girl is one who does not go to extremes yet who is always correct in her attire. Let me talk to you a few minutes about clothes and what is most chic and suitable to the season.

The styles that go into campus-bound trunks are the styles that set the fashion pace for fall. Even if you have graduated from the pursuit of "reading, writing and arithmetic" you will be interested in clothes that "make the grade" on campus. If you can see your way clear to do it, it is a very good idea to get yourself "set" in the way of clothes now for at least the first lap of fall and winter, just as the college girl does. The newest things are already in the shops . . . selections are wider now . . . and you are much more apt to do a good job of "ensembling" your wardrobe if you buy it at one time instead of piece by piece as the season wears on.

A Pause in Day's Occupation

For teas and other afternoon gatherings you will want afternoon dresses and smart ensemble suits that lean toward the formal. Velvet is especially favored, though satin, duvetyne, crepe



The Knitted Costume

Have at least one knitted costume in my advice. They come in for highest honors in smartness for fall . . . and what comfortable things they are to have in any wardrobe! They require no pressing, and are always ready to go places and do things. Black and white is a real smartness alliance in knitted wear for the new season . . . and very chic it is made up into a cape dress with natural waistline, a suggestion of a peplum, and goes as shown by Rolland Freres, Inc. In knitted suits you may choose any length of jacket, ranging from a short bolero to three-quarter length. Plain colors, including black and the very rich dark shades are smartest, but you may use checks, plaids and stripes in bodices if you wish.



She Gets Satin

If you would "shine" socially . . . wear a satin frock. Paris approves of it wholeheartedly, if we are to judge from the number of times satin appeared in the openings. Black satin for day . . . deep, rich tones for evening . . . that is the assignment. But no insipid pastels, please, even for formal wear. Two important modifications have taken place in satin for this season as compared to satin as we knew it a few years back. Either its glister is heightened by the introduction of a luxurious rayon surface, giving a special polish . . . or its gleam is dulled to a soft, deep glow. Both types are rated high for fall and winter wear.



A Smart Head on Her Shoulders

Beret types . . . sticking close to the original or decidedly modified . . . pass the fall test for chic. You will not overlook them, of course, in choosing your hats. But the new mode of elegance we are entering upon means that two or three more formal hats must be included, for the more sophisticated afternoon costumes. All-velvet hats are sponsored for such occasions . . . with drapes and gracious lines in elaborately simple treatments, if you can understand the paradox. The idea is that Paris has no intention of returning to the top-heavy headgear of ten years back . . . but is rebelling against the stark, unadorned simplicity that millinery has shown for the past few seasons, which does not harmonize with present styles. Elaboration of details is to be much more subtle . . . much more sophisticated. Small shapes predominate, but wide brimmed types appear also in velvet, or velvet and satin combinations, often flared to one side to give a very effective framing to the face.

Cloth Frocks

Lightweight tweed frocks in the color that is most flattering are making themselves indispensable in smart fall wardrobes. Wool crepes in the "close-to-black" shades, enlivened by brighter collars and cuffs of generous size, are important for class hours. Peplums, capes, gorges, tunics, wrap-around skirts, belts which appear at natural waistlines . . . all these are details to be given a great deal of study. Not to be forgotten for a moment are the tuck-in blouse and skirt, developed in cloth. Fall finds these smart two-piece dresses decidedly intricate in detail, and more popular than ever wherever smart women are seen. And take notes on this . . . the "shirt-waist and skirt" motif appears not only in frocks for street and sports wear, but for afternoon and evening as well, where it appears formalized into an entire bodice of white or flesh or beige with the skirt developed in solid black.

Skirts Shorter

Skirts are slightly shorter in evening dresses this season, according to foremost designers, this merely means that they miss the floor by two or three inches instead of trailing as they did this spring. Hemlines tend to follow a straight line. Gentle dips are allowable, but there must be no radical changes of attitude in the flowing line of the skirt edge. Fabrics tend toward the sumptuous . . . damasks, brocades, laces, metal laces and the like being much in evidence. Pleats are new for evening . . . boleros, peplums, tunics, revers and other daytime details appear in more intricate motifs.



most active possible campaign until definite results had been achieved.
At the meeting J. A. Rutherford was appointed to be vice-president of the Chamber in place of the late Frank H. Taylor.
Further collection of ore exhibits is being made with a view to enlarging the exhibit in the Chamber of Mines at Vancouver.
The resolution on stabilization of the price of silver was as follows: "Resolved that this meeting place before the Government of the Dominion of Canada and the Government of the Province of British Columbia the earnest desire of the people of Omineca Mining Division for action by the governments aiming towards the stabilization of the price of silver by international agreement and urge the Dominion government to do everything possible in support of that purpose at the International Conference called by the Government of Mexico and also at the Imperial Conference in London in October, 1930; and—
"That copies of this resolution be sent to Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, the Minister of Trade and Commerce at Ottawa, the Minister of Mines at Ottawa, the Minister of Mines at Victoria, B.C., John A. Fraser M.P. for Cariboo, Olof Hanson M.P. for Skeena, and to the British Columbia Chamber of Mines in Vancouver."
Major J. A. Motherwell, chief inspector of fisheries, sailed last night by the Cardena on his return to Vancouver after a brief trip to the central interior on official business.