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PEACE RIVER THE GOAT

The Peace River people think they are being badly treated in the matter of railways and if no action is taken this year to commence the western outlet we shall be forced to agree with them. Here is what the Peace River Block News, published at Rolla, B.C., has to say on the subject:

"Are the people of the Peace River country being made goat of in the deliberation between the federal and provincial governments in respect to the disposal and utilization of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

"Premier Tolmie, no doubt, thinking of the interests of the province as a whole, wishes to dispose of this white elephant, the P. G. & E. to some one. As at present constructed it starts nowhere, and ends nowhere, and might, if completed to Prince George, as has been suggested, be more useful in years to come, but as a link in the chain of a coast outlet for the Peace River country should not be even considered.

"We expect to develop an agricultural area which will extend 200 miles north of our present railways, and do not want, a long haul southern outlet, where the gradients forbid a paying tonnage haul per train, but the most direct westerly outlet, with the shortest haul possible, thus ensuring us the lowest freight rate, and the saving of time.

"Surely the people of this part of the province are entitled to some consideration. We were led to believe that some definite understanding would be arrived at during the month of June now past, no word except that of outsiders has been heard on the subject. Our elected representatives have been quite dumb, evidently stalling, awaiting the result of the Bennett-Tolmie deliberations.

"Now we read that prorogation of the Dominion House is expected to take place on or about July 17, and the 100,000 people living in the Peace River country of Alberta and the Peace River Block of B.C. are waiting the fulfillment of the pre-election promises of both Dominion premier and federal members."

Nerves Shattered

Afraid Even To Stay Alone in the Daytime. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills (Tonic) Proved to be What Mrs. Stinson Needed.

Now Well and Strong

"Following a severe illness," writes Mrs. John Stinson, R.R. No. 2, Peterboro, Ontario, "my nerves were badly shattered. I could not sleep at night and was afraid to stay alone in the daytime. Finally I decided to use my mother's old remedy—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I took several boxes—I am not sure of the exact number, but it was not over six. I am well and strong now—living on a farm with plenty to do."

The iron and other elements in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills (tonic) have a direct effect upon the blood. They put oxygen into the bloodstream—oxygen, the element so essential to life.

Why not make the wise decision today to get the benefits which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have to give you? Be sure to say "Dr. Williams'" so that the druggist will know exactly what you want. 50 cents a package. 132

MEDICINE MAN TALK

Dr. G. E. Darby of Bella Bella Addresses Canadian Medical Association

The old-time medicine man of the B. C. Indians was at least a psychologist, and had the "jump" on moderns in powers of suggestion, according to Dr. G. E. Darby of Bella Bella, who traced, for a large group of Canadian Medical Association delegates in Vancouver, recently, the history of medicine among the early tribes of the province.

The basis of the Indians' theory of illness, Dr. Darby explained, was that the patient was possessed of an evil spirit. The business of the medicine man was to get rid of that spirit.

"They had a good many ways of doing it," he declared. "One method called for the medicine man to wash out his mouth, press his lips against the patient's body, and thus absorb the spirit, with the 'spirit' in his hands, he would proceed to drown it in a bowl of water and finish it off by blowing it away between his hands."

Spirit Entered Skull

Dr. Darby explained that in case of a headache, or dizziness, the theory of the Indian was that the evil spirit had found its way into the skull. Recent discoveries have shown that surgical cuts were made into the cranium to let the spirit out, he said. This was common to Indians in South America. Some of the operations were, of course, fatal.

"The medicine man was not always a fraud," continued Dr. Darby. "He apparently understood the power of suggestion, and could affect the patient's health by appealing to superstitions.

"Certain medicine men would tell a victim that he had seen his spirit soul floating through the forest. This was a sign of death. The patient would get appreciably worse until the medicine man had 'caught' the spirit."

There were other cases, he declared, where health of a patient had been strikingly affected by a superstitious warning.

One of the most common medicines of the Indians was salt water, and Colichan fish oil was used extensively, said the speaker.

Mrs. H. B. Martin of Nelson widow of a pioneer physician and surgeon of the Kootenay country and her granddaughter, Mary Hartin, young daughter of Dr. David Hartin, prominent Spokane eye specialist, were among passengers going south aboard the Princess Charlotte Saturday afternoon after having made the round trip to Skagway.

SCHOOL MEET AT TERRACE

C. H. Thomas Successful in Winning Trusteeship

TERRACE, July 13:—The annual school meeting was held in the school on Saturday night, N. Sherwood being elected chairman and Rev. T. H. Allen acted as secretary. There was a fair attendance. N. Sherwood, C. H. Thomas and W. A. King were nominated as trustees, one being required. The first vote resulted: Thomas, 20; King, 20; Sherwood, 4. On the final vote Thomas was elected by 24 votes to 20 for King. W. C. Sparkes was chosen auditor. The sum of \$5750 was voted to be raised during the ensuing year, this being \$750 less than last year. It was also decided to authorize the trustees to provide fire escapes for the public school.

LOCAL ITEMS

The case of Jack McRae, charged with being in a beer parlor as a minor, has been adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Peter Wesley, Indian, is appearing before Magistrate McLymont in city police court this afternoon on a charge of drunkenness.

THE MARKET

Market prices current today are as follows:

Vegetables—	
B. C. New Potatoes, 8 lbs.	25
B. C. Beets, bunch, 2 for	15
Parsiev bunch	10
Oregon Celery, head	25
Spinach, B. C., lb.	10
Garlic, imported, per lb	40
Parsnips, 2 bunches	15
Green Beans, 2 bunches	15
Cabbage, green	11
Onions, 4 lbs.	25
B.C. head lettuce, head	10
Victoria hothouse tomatoes, lb	20
Green Peas, lb.	10
Rhubarb, outdoor, lb.	05
Bunch Turnips, 2 bunches	15
B. C. Cauliflower, hd., 20c and	25
B. C. Bunch Carrots	06
Victoria hothouse cucumbers each	15 and 20
California bunch carrots	10
California bunch beets, bunch	10
Green Onions, 3 bunches	10
Radishes, 3 bunches	14
Terrace Asparagus, lb	30
Apples—	
Yellow Transparents, 2 lbs.	15
Winesap, extra fancy, 2 lbs.	25
Fruits—	
Valencia Oranges	20c to 70
Lemons, Sunkist, doz.	40
Florida Grapefruit	12 1/2c to 20
California Grapefruit	7 1/2c to 10
Bananas, 2 lbs.	35
Calif. Seedless Grapes, lb.	25
Terrace Strawberries 2 boxes	45
Cantaloupes, Cal., 15c to	25
Byng Cherries	25
Plums, lb.	15
Pears, doz.	50
Peaches, doz.	50
Apricots, lb.	15
Casaba Melons, lb.	15
Watermelons, lb.	09
Honey Dew Melons, each, 30c to	40
Gooseberries, lb.	10
Dried fruits—	
Extracted honey, per jar	25
Comb honey	35
Dates, bulk, lb.	12 1/2
Raisins, bulk, lb.	15
Lemon and orange peel	30
Black cooking figs, lb.	15
Currants, lb.	15
Citron peel	35
White figs, lb.	15
Apples, dried	20
Peaches, peeled	20



Bring your best Prince Rupert

The Fair Board is anxious to encourage residents in the districts around Prince Rupert to bring their best to the

FALL FAIR

Which will be held the

FIRST WEEK IN SEPTEMBER

Local residents believe that they can grow flowers better than any place within two hundred miles. Can they? The Fair Board would like to have the districts pit their horticultural skill against the Prince Rupert Flower Society and see if they cannot wrest away some of the prizes, especially that for the best floral display.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to compete.

Further information can be obtained from

Secretary W. D. Vance

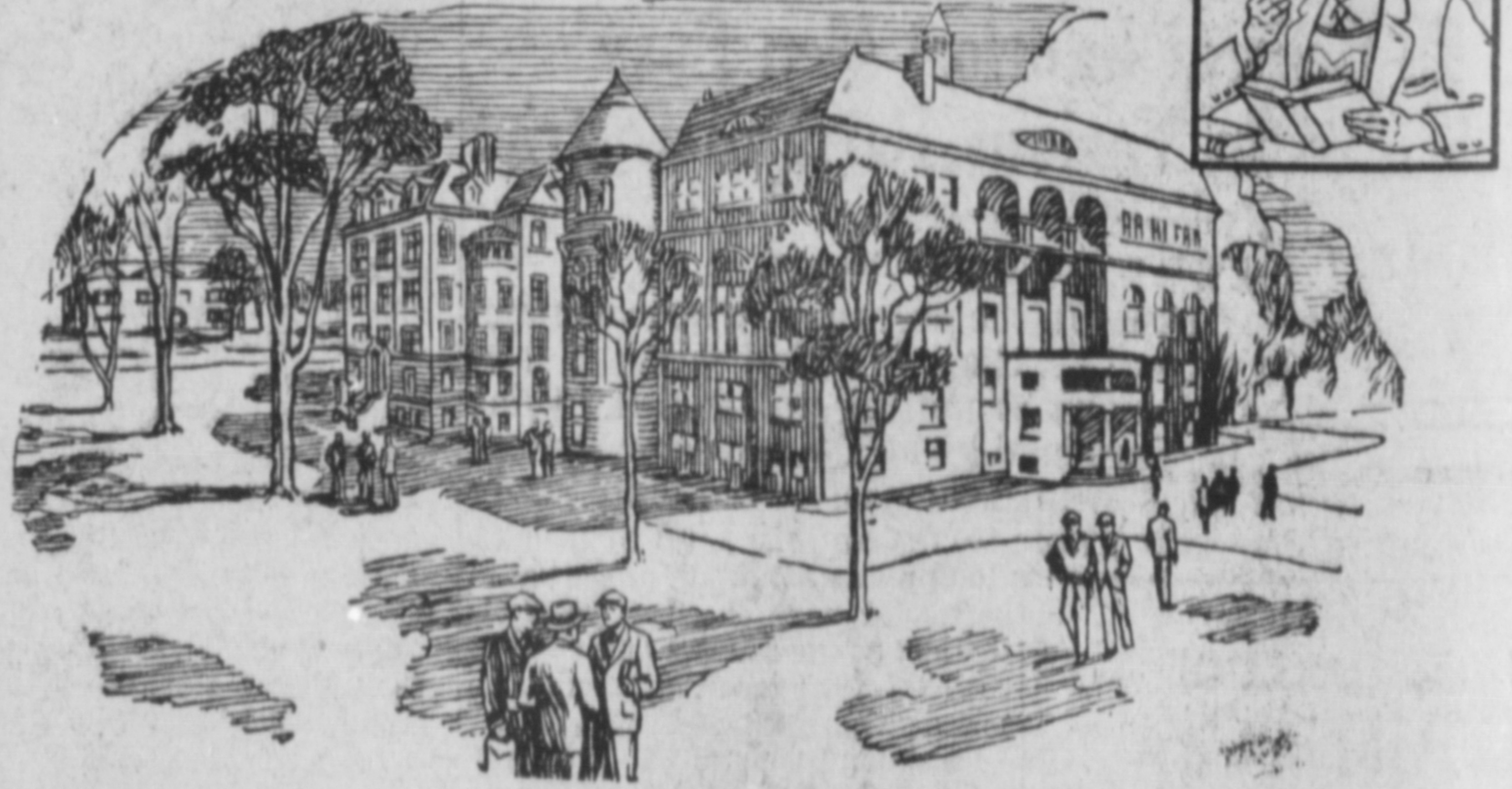
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The Daily News, Prince Rupert, B.C.



With return of summer weather in England, these athletic graces indulge in their favorite pastime at a south coast resort

PIPE TESTED by a COLLEGE STUDENT



"In the evening I sit down in my room, at a desk piled high with books . . . Get out my old briar and fill it from an ever ready tin of Turret pipe tobacco . . . With a clear head and the cool taste of good tobacco on my tongue I am ready for the night's work. Then, after hours of study, it is good to relax—stretch out and watch the smoke drift slowly upward. I'm for Turret pipe tobacco, and so are all the college men I know."

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