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CIVIC SUPPORT GIVEN THE GENERAL HOSPITAL

SUN STARTED TO SHINE AS PROCESSION BEGAN

A Good Omen Attended the Coronation of King George and Queen Mary—Singing of Loyal Crowds Outside the Palace Was Acknowledged in a Few Words by the King

(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, June 23.—A happy augury attended the Coronation of King George and Queen Mary. For several hours while the crowds were assembling in the streets, the rain fell and the clouds were threatening. At one time it looked as though a downpour would take place.

As the time for the procession to start arrived, the weather improved, until at the very moment when their Majesties left Buckingham Palace the sun burst forth from the clouds, dispelling the clouds and the rain.

The Great Procession

The first portion of the procession consisted of the Royal and other representatives. All of them drove in closed carriages. The second portion of the procession, including the members

of the British Royal family, came half an hour later. The Prince of Wales, in the Order of the Garter Robes accompanied his sister and brothers in the last carriage.

At 10.30 o'clock a Royal salute announced the departure of the King and Queen from the Royal Palace and as the most gorgeous of processions made its way through the troop-lined streets a great wave of cheering spread from one end of the route to the other.

A Crowd of Notables

A wonderful display of uniforms preceded the Royal coach. Immediately behind the Royal coach Lord Kitchener rode beside the Standard; then came the Duke of Connaught, Prince Arthur of Connaught, the Duke of Teck, Prince Christian, and Prince Al-

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IN ON THE GEORGE

Some of the passengers who Arrived this Morning from the South.

Dr. and Mrs. Ewing returned from the south today by the Prince George. Miss Farron accompanied them, and will proceed with them to Seelyville and Hazelton shortly for a visit to the up river district.

William Miller, formerly with P. Burns & Co., arrived in the city today by the Prince George.

Mr. Christie, manager of the Bank of Commerce, returned to Prince Rupert today, after a visit to the south.

Chief Owens of the Provincial police force returned by the Prince George today.

J. W. Stewart of the firm of Foley, Welch & Stewart was a passenger by the Prince George this morning.

Small This Week

Following are the building permits issued this week:

David W. McLennan, residence on Summit avenue, cost \$400.

Victor Basso Bert, residence on Fraser street, cost \$300.

H. L. Dixon, moving and repairing building, cost \$50.

Alteration and repairs to Grill, cost \$200.

L. J. Hoyt, residence, Seventh street, cost \$200.

Charles Dillbivair, storehouse, Fulton street, cost \$50.

ON RAILWAY INSPECTION

J. W. Stewart, C. C. Van Arsdol and Mr. Kelliher Make Trip Up River by Today's Copper City Train. Work Being Rushed Ahead.

On today's train for Copper City J. W. Stewart of Messrs. Foley, Welch & Stewart, Mr. Kelliher, G. T. P. engineer, and C. C. Van Arsdol will travel together on a visit of inspection.

Progress with the construction work in hand up river is rapid at present, and there is no lack of labor. Tunnel work at Kitselas is being pressed on, and large shipments of bridge steel for the Skeena crossing bridge are being handled now at the waterfront.

To be sent up river some time in advance of the actual need for them so that the work of bridge construction may cause no delay.

Mr. Van Arsdol came down to Rupert from up the river district in order to meet Mr. Stewart and Mr. Kelliher.

We make suits to suit your satisfaction. Call and see us.—Rudnick & Sweder, Helgerson Block Basement, Sixth street.

Victoria Celebrated

Victoria.—This city celebrated Coronation Day by a grand military and naval display and a fireworks display at night.

BUSH FIRE IS RAGING

Trouble up the Line Between Andimaul and Hazelton

A bush fire is reported raging up the line between Andimaul and Hazelton this morning. Among other troubles it destroyed a section of the Government telegraph line, making it impossible for messages to be received or despatched for several hours today.

Not the Man

Mr. Frank St. Amour of Sloan & Company, this city wishes to announce that he is not the Frank St. Amour, nor in any way connected with that gentleman who is a figure in a divorce case in Vancouver, a report of which appeared in the Vancouver News Advertiser of Friday, June 16, and in the Journal of this city of June 23.

SHIPPING REPORTS

Weather is Cloudy at Most Places Along the Coast

Reports from the wireless stations show that the weather is overcast and cloudy at most places along the coast.

Tatoosh reports the steamer Colonel A. Drake passed in at 10.30 this morning, and the schooner Mary E. Foster passed out at noon.

Lazo reports the fish-tug Kingfisher passed south at eleven this morning.

RAPID WORK AT DIGBY ON NEW PROCESS PILING

Marine Station Yards Being Graded Fast—Fine Residence for Superintendent at Second Storey—Several Large Gangs of Men Can Be Employed Together Shortly

Under the direction of Mr. Thomas Stedham, the inventor of the Stedham process of making re-inforced concrete piles gangs of men are actively engaged at present preparing the first set of these piles to be made at the new Marine Station works at Digby Island. Mr. Stedham's process is very simple and swift. In a few hours on Wednesday a gang of about a dozen men had three piles ready framed for the concrete. From Mr. Stedham's experience the piles can be very speedily placed in position.

Other Work Progressing

Under the active supervision of Mr. F. P. Jennings, resident engineer, the work of grading the yard area, roadways, and residential sites is rapidly being accomplished. Excellent progress is shown upon the house for the

superintendent of the station. This building designed by Mr. Jennings promises to rank easily amongst the most commodious and attractive residences erected in the Prince Rupert district.

Will be Big Gang Soon

Owing to the disposition of the works to be undertaken it will be possible to have several, in fact, almost all of the important parts of the work carried on simultaneously. This will mean that a large number of men can be employed together on the work, and the contract can be completed very expeditiously. Mr. Stedham has no intention of letting such an item as frost interfere with the making of the 200 odd piles required for the work. At the present rate of progress these will be all set long before the frost comes.

OPEN TODAY

New Liquor Store on Third Avenue for Family Trade

A well-fitted up liquor store was opened corner of Third avenue and Fifth street today by Mr. J. A. Smith and will be known as "The Family Liquor Store."

Only the best goods from the leading distillers and brewers will be handled and sold at the regular market prices. Family trade will be a specialty with the new store which will be sure to meet with a good patronage. Call up 'phone 17.

Baptist Church Services

"Love, the World's Greatest Power," will be the subject of Rev. Warren H. McLeod's sermon tomorrow evening at the Baptist church. Service commences at 7.30 p.m.

Regular morning service at 11 a.m., Bible School and Brother-

Where to Go

EMPRESS THEATRE, Second Ave. Pictures and Music, 7.30 p.m.

MAJESTIC THEATRE, Third Ave; Pictures and songs, 7.30 p.m.

PHENIX THEATRE, Second Avenue; Pictures and music, 7.30 p.m.

AUDITORIUM, Sixth Avenue; Roller Skating, 8 p.m.

hood Baraca Class at 2.30 p.m.

Strangers and visitors always welcome. Mr. John E. Davey, Organist and Choirmaster. Church situated at Sixth and Fraser streets.

At the Fountain

Ice Cream Cones 5c, Ice Cream Sodas 10c, Sundaes 15c and 20c, Ice Cream 25c pint, 50c quart.—C. H. Orme, Pioneer Druggist, Phone 82.

Lot 24, Block 27, Section 7, for \$287 cash. Ask Uncle Jerry.

INDIAN BANDS WIN COMPLIMENT

Leading Orange Official in Toronto Regrets He Cannot Get Some for July 12th.

The Indian brass bands of North British Columbia have just had a very good compliment paid them. In accepting an article of the subject from the editor of the Daily News, Mr. William Banks, Sr., editor of the Globe magazine and one of the leading officials of the Orange Order in Canada, writes, "I found the article so interesting, that I cannot help regretting the impossibility of bringing some of the bands here for the 12th of July. They would make a great sensation and a serious show. I wish it could be arranged for some of them to be here for the July of 1912."

The Orangemen are said to have a theory that there's nothing too

good to walk in the parade on the 12th. The compliment paid the Indian bands is a very sincere one.

CANNERIES OPEN

Started in Full Swing This Week

Business is now in full swing at the various canneries along the Skeena River. At the Inverness and North Pacific canneries the first catches of salmon this season were landed and canning began right away.

It is expected that the harvest of fish will be an exceptionally good one this year. Accordingly the canners have made preparations to put up several thousands of extra cases.

The opening up of the G. T. P. line, which runs alongside several of the plants, is going to help them in getting in supplies and also in shipping out some of their goods.

BABY'S LUCKY ESCAPE FROM SHOWER OF GLASS

Explosion Shattered Windows of Clapp Block and Fragments Fell Three Stories on to Pram—Mrs. Kugler's Baby Saved by Her Thoughtfulness

By the greatest of good fortune yesterday a tiny baby escaped a painful injury when a spark from a burning root pile near the Clapp Block ignited a quantity of dynamite and caused a terrific explosion. The baby is Mrs. Kugler's. Mr. and Mrs. Kugler were in the Clapp Block, and Mrs. Kugler was just going out an airing with her baby in a pram. The awning of the pram was down as she put baby and Mrs. Kugler left her pram for an instant on the sidewalk while she returned to doorway. Fortunately just as she was stepping into the doorway a tremendous crash shook the whole

building, and a perfect hail of broken glass came pattering down from the shattered upper windows of the Clapp Block. Mrs. Kugler darted back to her baby in the very midst of the shock as the glass came showering down. Jagged pieces fell around her and on to the pram awning, but thanks to the young mother's protective instinct the little one was quite safe shielded by the awning. Mrs. Kugler swiftly got her small treasure out of reach of any more bangs that might be coming.

Not Much Dynamite

Fortunately for the Clapp Block and its residents only a few last sticks of dynamite were in the case which exploded. Had a whole caseful gone off so near the result would have been the wrecking of the whole building with perhaps loss of life. Greater care will be taken under strictest supervision of the police in future.

Shower of Glass

Scarcely was her back turned when the accident occurred. A stick fell into the dynamite left in the near grading work, a tremendous crash shook the whole

CITY'S FIVE THOUSAND PAID TO HOSPITAL FUND

Hon. Wm. Templeman Remembers the Hospital Too---President Expresses Appreciation---Printing of By-laws Awarded---New Water Tank to be Ordered--Ambulance Not Yet

Prince Rupert City has made good its promise through the city council and presented a cheque for \$5000 to the Hospital Board to be devoted to hospital purposes. At yesterday's meeting of the Hospital Board held in C. D. Rand's offices, Second avenue, the Secretary, Mr. William Wright, reported the receipt of the cheque.

President D. G. Stewart expressed the appreciation of the Board of the civic contribution, and the secretary was instructed to write a letter of thanks to the Mayor and council.

Hon. Wm. Templeman Too

Another cheque which it gave the President much pleasure to have acknowledged was one for the sum of \$50 from the Hon. William Templeman, M. P. Mr. Templeman who with characteristic thoroughness took a very great interest in the establishment of the General Hospital when he

was here last, took care to leave his cheque with the secretary before leaving Prince Rupert. A letter of thanks will be sent him by the secretary, and the Board expressed appreciation of the gift.

Printing the By-laws

Tenders for printing the new by-laws, revised by Mr. C. V. Bennett were opened. The successful tenderer is O. H. Nelson of the Journal Printing House. The bids were as follows:

O. H. Nelson, "The Journal," for 500 copies \$39, for 1000 copies \$59. P. R. Publishing Co., "Daily News," \$42.50 and \$62. "Empire" Publishing Co. \$45 and \$60. Premier Press \$47 and \$72.

Order Water Tank

A large storage tank for water is to be ordered at once to be erected beside the hospital for a safeguard against drought or frost. Mr. H. H. Clark has been making special investigations about these tanks

for the House Committee. His experience has led him to recommend the selection of a specially lasting red-wood tank which is to be purchased down below at a cost of \$136. The stand for the tank to rest on will be put up by days labor here. A tank constructed locally would not be such a profitable investment, it was decided.

Ambulance not Yet

No report on prices of ambulance has yet been brought in by the executive committee which is investigating this matter. Various minor matters were attended to at yesterday's meeting. There are altogether some nineteen patients in the hospital at present, and the secretary reported matters running smoothly and efficiently in spite of pressure of work on the staff which responds well to the demand for its services.

SERG. PHILLIPSON RESIGNS FROM FORCE

Popular Officer Has Received Promotion From the Dominion Authorities—Will Enforce Law Among the Indians Up the Skeena River

Citizens of Prince Rupert will learn with regret that Sergeant "Pat" Phillipson, has resigned from the local police force. His excellent record as an officer, brought him to the notice of the Dominion authorities, and he has been appointed to act as constable in the Skeena river district under the Department of Indian affairs.

The position is a distinct promotion, and well-deserved. Few men, if any, are more popular in the city than Sergeant Phillipson. He has proved himself a capable officer, courteous and firm in enforcing the law. His pluck was evidenced during the strike, and he carried a bullet wound

on his forehead received during the riot. His real name is Albert, but "Pat" fits in better with his rich brogue and the merry twinkle of his eyes.

Sergeant Phillipson's new district will extend from Prince Rupert to Hazelton. It is likely he will make his headquarters at Port Essington.

WILL BUILD A LINE TO PEACE RIVER VALLEY

Norton Griffiths, Lord Brassey and Other Wealthy British Capitalists are in on a Big Project—Have Arranged for a Charter

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Vancouver, June 23.—It is announced here that Mr. Norton Griffiths, the British M. P., and the largest individual railroad contractor in the world will build a line from Vancouver, northeast to the Peace River Valley.

Lord Brassey, one of the richest of Englishmen, is said to be among Mr. Griffiths' associates, and there are other wealthy British interests behind the scheme.

Will Get Charter

Mr. Norton Griffiths has already secured promises through his agents that the Dominion Government will grant a charter for the road, and work will commence at an early date. Mr. Griffiths and his associates are said to be greatly impressed with the agricultural future of the Peace River Valley and the British Columbia interior.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners, 'Phone 4

"1. 2. 3. STORE"

Now Opened Corner of Fulton and Sixth avenue

Mr. D. J. Maynard has opened a new liquor store on Sixth avenue and Fulton street where he will conduct a first class bottle trade. The new store will be known as the "1. 2. 3." liquor store. Mr. Maynard will continue to conduct his wholesale store on Fraser street as heretofore. A good service and good goods are promised to patrons of the "1.2.3." store. Call up 'phone 123, P. O. Box 363.

Trip of His Life

Alex Hunter, son of Principal Hunter of Prince Rupert Public school is to make a holiday trip by himself to stay with friends in Victoria. He leaves by the Princess Royal on Monday.