

THE WEATHER
Twenty-four hours ending 5 a.m.,
Aug. 12
W. TEMP. 56.0 M. TEMP. 50.0 BAR. 29.950 IN. RAIN .20

THE DAILY NEWS

Formerly The Prince Rupert Optimist

NEXT MAILS
FOR SOUTH
Camosun.....Sunday, a.m.
FOR NORTH
Princess Royal.....Monday p.m.

Library Legislative Assembly
AUG 16 1911
VICTORIA, B. C. PRICE FIVE CENTS

VOL. II, NO. 182

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., SATURDAY, AUGUST 12, 1911.

"RECIPROCITY RIGHT FOR RUPERT"—NEW SLOGAN

ALD. NEWTON IS ENDORSED BY LOCAL CONSERVATIVES

Delegates to Nanaimo Convention Instructed to Support Him.—Newton Supporters Carried the Meeting by 31 Votes to 29 in Meeting of Sixty.

By the narrow margin of 31 to 29 a meeting of local Conservatives last night endorsed Mr. M. Newton as the Conservative nominee from Prince Rupert for the Comox-Atlin seat in the House of Commons. The delegates who were to attend the convention at Nanaimo next Wednesday were fully charged to support Mr. Newton's candidature.

The charges made by Mr. Newton that the previous meeting to elect delegates was packed by parties desirous of injuring his political prospects made last night's meeting of more than usual interest. At the previous meeting Mr. Newton only got in at the bottom of the list by one vote in the contest for delegates, securing less than a third of the votes of the meeting. Last night, however, the Newton contingent in a rather stormy meeting held a majority and used it well.

In a meeting of sixty, they managed to have thirty-one votes.

The chief object of the meeting was to decide whether or not to instruct the delegates to support any particular candidate. After some discussion a motion was put before the house to the effect that the delegates be left to exercise their judgment as to whom they would support. Mr. Newton's supporters opposed this, and voted it down by 31 to 29.

Alderman Clayton thereupon moved a second resolution that the meeting instruct the delegates to support Mr. Newton's candidature at the Convention, and this was carried by a similar vote of 31 to 29.

This makes Mr. Newton the official Conservative candidate for Prince Rupert.

For row boats and launches telephone 320 green. Davis' Boat House.

PAY BRITISH M. P.'s

Their Honorarium Will be \$2000 per Annum

(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, Aug. 11.—The resolution to pay members of the British House of Commons \$2000 annually for their services was carried by a vote of 256 to 139 today.

The art of pleasing any lady without the least trouble has been discovered by the makers of the "Queen Quality" shoe. Their shoes are very easy, extremely pretty, and most durable. Scott, Froud & Company have them in all styles.

BASEBALL SCORES

Northwestern League

Vancouver 5, Spokane 4.
Portland 2, Seattle 1.
Tacoma 8, Victoria 3.

National League

Pittsburg 5, Cincinnati 1.
Boston 6, Brooklyn 3.
New York 6, Philadelphia 0.

American League

Philadelphia 11, 3; Boston 5, 4.
Washington 3, 3; New York 1, 2.
Other two games postponed.

Pacific Coast League

Oakland 11, Portland 2.
Los Angeles 4, San Francisco 1.
Sacramento 13, Vernon 3.

"BLACK HAND" SCHEME

Kidnappers Relented and Gave Back the Kid

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Chicago, Aug. 11.—Angelo Marcano, kidnapped by black hand blackmailers last Saturday was found by the police within a few blocks of his father's home last night.

School Board to Meet

A short special meeting of the School Board will be held in the police court on Wednesday to go into the matter of tenders for the re-fitting of the old school.

SERIOUS BUSINESS FOR PRINCE RUPERT SAILOR

Witnesses Say That James McCall Who Sent a Bullet Through the Windsor Bar was Threatening the Life of Constable Hamblin all Day Before Shooting.

Matters are looking rather serious for James McCall the sailor from the S.S. Prince Rupert who used a rifle on Thursday evening sending a bullet through the Windsor Hotel bar within six inches of the bartender's head. Seven witnesses were examined at this morning's preliminary hearing of the case before Magistrate McMullin. As a result it came out that McCall had been threatening the life of Constable Hamblin all day, and that he also threatened to shoot the colored man Ernest Gray who refused him the loan of five cents in the Butte Cafe.

Up for Election

Accused comes up for election before Judge Lampman this afternoon, and should he not elect him for speedy trial the case will be a costly one for the city to send down below. Asked if he had anything to say this morning accused remained silent. Evidence of Arthur Little showed how the

sailor was obstreperous almost soon as he landed, and required to be restrained on Centre street. Afterwards he went up town and did the rest of the stunt. Victor Swanson, the bartender who nearly lost his life told how accused had been seen to load the gun deliberately and fire from a sitting position probably with the intention of hitting the coon. "The bullet whistled by within six inches of my head," said the witness.

Other Witnesses

Seven witnesses in all appeared to give evidence this morning. These were Arthur Little, Victor Swanson, Ernest Gray, the colored man, Oscar Gross, proprietor of the Butte Cafe, A. Doyle, Constable Hamblin and Constable Merritt. City Solicitor Peters conducted the prosecution. The accused is charged with "Having in his possession an offensive weapon for a purpose dangerous to the public peace."

"BOB KELLY" TO SPEND \$\$\$

The Popular Little "Nabob" Means to Do Well by His Townsite at New Hazelton

Mr. Robert Kelly—or more familiarly "Bob" Kelly—"Nabob Kelly" as some say—reached Prince Rupert by the Prince George today.

"I am going to put my new townsite—New Hazelton—on the market early next week," he said to the Daily News.

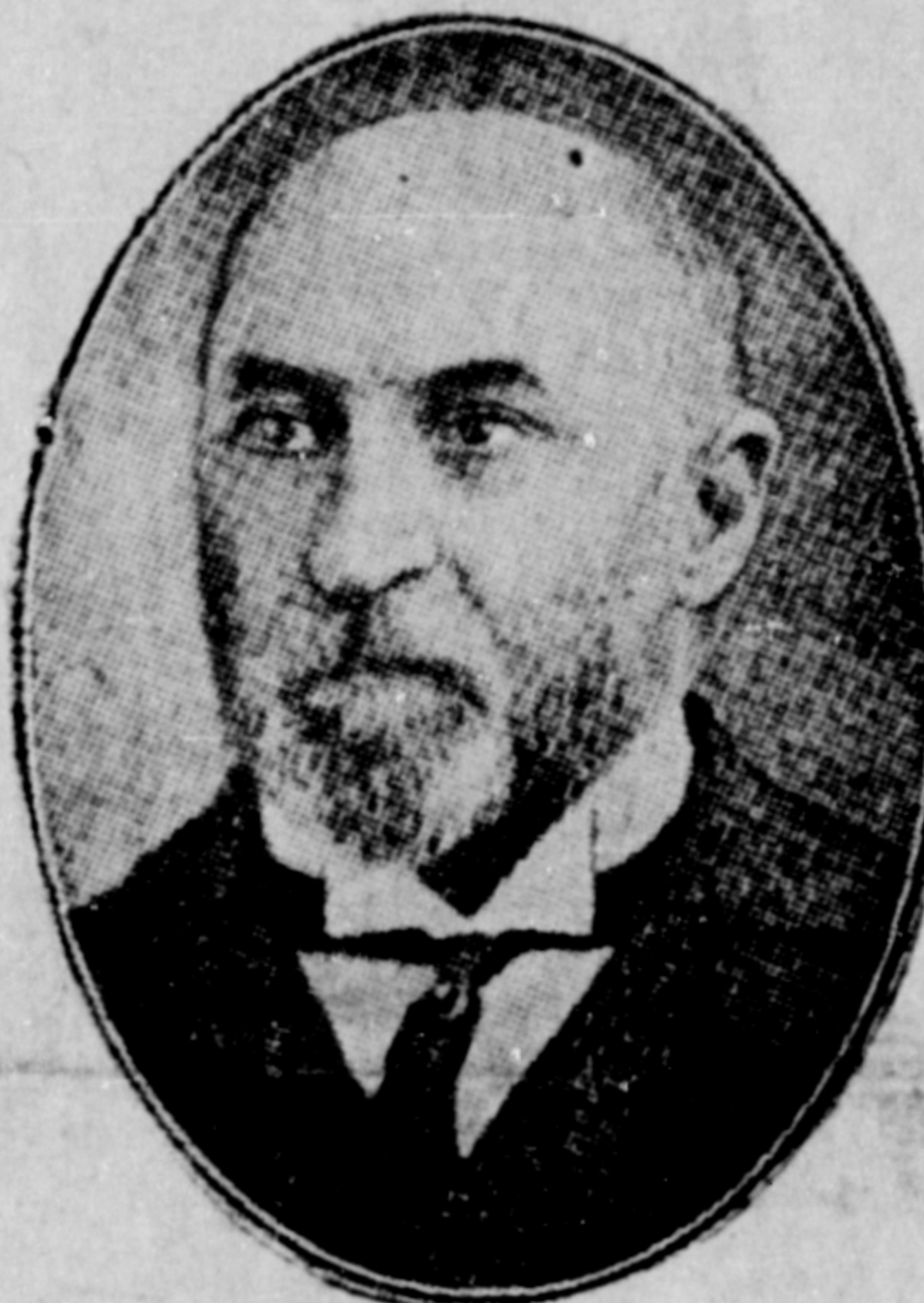
"It would have been on the market sooner but for an annoying little delay with the government which demanded special papers which I had to send here for."

"Yes, I shall let a local firm

handle the sale of lots here but which firm I have not yet settled. "Messrs. Foley, Welch & Stewart have already secured four blocks 118, 119, 120 and 121. The Union bank will also build there. I shall have agencies selling lots in Seattle, Spokane, Vancouver, Victoria, and other cities. I intend to spend money on this proposition and give it a good start at once."

Prince Albert South

Captain and Mrs. Nicholson went south by the Prince Albert this morning. The old Albert will now take up her long run between Vancouver and Prince Rupert. The Prince John pleases on the Island run formerly the Albert's.



Reading from left to right they are Private Clifford of Toronto who captured the King's Prize at Bisley, Sir Max Aitken who received Coronation Honors and "Joe" Martin, once Premier of British Columbia but now a stormy petrel of British politics.

FIRE CHIEF AND THE WATER DEPT. CHARGES

"Water Officials are Wrong in Every Point They Allege" Declares Fire Chief McInnis. He Means to Deal Direct with the Fire and Water Committee. Difficulties His Dept. Has to Meet With Owing to Street Obstructions.

"I do not intend to reply to the water officials' allegations through any newspaper," said Fire Chief McInnis when approached by the Daily News on the subject yesterday. "My business is with the fire and water committee of the city council. My report on the position of the fire department is already in their hands, and it is up to them to deal with it. But I may say that the water people are wrong in every one of the points they have alleged against the fire department."

Want Callmen

Amongst the points emphasized

in the Fire Chief's report to his committee is the need for more call men. At present there is an advertisement posted at the City Hall for another call man and the opinion exists that several more should be employed. All the four call-men originally employed did not return to duty after their dispute with the council regarding wages, and it is apparently difficult to get men for this duty at \$10 per month though the offer is made of free quarters at the fire hall.

Condition of Streets

Another point sure to be touched

on is the condition of the streets. On the occasion of the explosion on Second avenue when the old schoolhouse was burning the big red auto hose car was held up for a few minutes by an obstruction outside the Bank of Montreal. A light pole made rickety by the excavation of grade around it had been stayed up by pieces of heavy lumber. Two of these had to be chopped away to let the "Red Devil" get by. Notification of this obstruction had not been sent to the Fire Chief, but Chief

CONTINUED ON PAGE 6

NEW ESTABLISHMENT FOR FUNERAL UNDERTAKING

Messrs. Hayner Bros., to Build Chapel, Offices and Embalming Rooms on Grenville Court.—Buildings in Mission Style with Every Modern Device.

Messrs. Hayner Brothers are about to start at once on the erection of a new and entirely up-to-date undertaking establishment on one of the fan shaped lots on Grenville Court adjoining the Salvation Army Citadel. The ground space measures 28 ft. x 50 ft. x 100 ft., and will allow of the erection of a very fine substantial building which is just what the Messrs Hayner have planned. The ground has been leased for a considerable term and the building will be of a permanent type.

Elegantly Equipped

Chapel for funeral services, offices, and embalming rooms, all spacious and conveniently arranged are included in the plans. Inside the furnishings, fittings, and upholstery will be very highly finished and in the very best of good taste, quiet and dignified. Outside the Grenville Court frontage of the building is to be designed in the well known simple Mission Style, which is still rich and substantial looking without being vulgar or pretentious. Thus

the building will exactly meet its purpose. Funeral obsequies conducted there and the last sad services rendered the dead will be carried out in quiet dignity without ostentation.

Experienced Undertakers

Adding to their present equipment many of the very latest appliances which have brought to perfection the art of embalming on this continent, Messrs. Hayner Brothers, who have had thorough training and experience in this class of service will be in a position to attend to undertaking work as fittingly as any of the firms in the older centres of Canada. The chapel attached to their offices will be secluded and quiet. While in the earlier days of Prince Rupert there was no lack of dignity about funeral services held in a little rough shack, the growth of the city has demanded development in line with that of all other cities, and in this department Messrs. Hayner Brothers lead the way.

HELD MOCK FUNERAL OVER A DEPARTING COMRADE

Undergraduates of Cambridge University Held an Historic Farewell Over a Student Who Was Expelled for Breaking the College Rules.

(Colonial Press Despatch)
London, Aug. 11.—Never within memory have the Cambridge undergraduates "ragged" as they did on Thursday afternoon, when a well-known Trinity Hall sportsman, who has recently been doing great things on the cricket field, was "sent down," and was accorded a mock funeral on the most gigantic scale the town has ever known.

Every fancy costume kept by theatrical costumers and others was let out on hire and undergraduates too late to hire a costume made one. One had a dress suit made of sackcloth, trimmed with ashes. Others bought a street organ, draped in purple and black. Early on the scene was a cab containing the Devil, followed by a hansom cab with four undergraduates inside—four outside, and two sitting on the horse—and most of them in pyjamas. Practically every vehicle in the town was chartered.

The procession was headed by a van containing eight masked

bandsmen. The hearse came next, with "the deceased" walking at the side. Next came the unfortunate man's charger—a very small donkey. A cab, with a large printed notice, "Alas, my poor brother," contained the "dead man's" brother. But perhaps the most pathetic figure was the heart-broken widow.

For fully half a mile the procession stretched, and so dense were the crowds that it took an hour to make the journey of a mile to the railway station, where the scene was unequalled in the history of Cambridge. Undergraduates climbed on to roofs and even on to the top of trains.

Cambridge will know no more of the student who has been "sent down," but it will not soon forget him.

Are You Down-hearted?

You won't be if you get a pair of those comfortable shoes at Scott, Froud & Company's. Comfort promotes health and health, happiness.