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NEED OF ASSAY OFFICE

Elsewhere is told the record of the first two months at the new sampling plant at Prince Rupert in which seventeen consignments of ore have been sampled and paid for and where preparations are being made for the first shipment to the smelter. So far the plant has served its purpose very well, the purpose being to encourage the prospector in developing his claim and, by means of payments made for the ore, enabling him to carry on his work. It is capable of great extension if the prospectors of the district make full use of its facilities.

In order to bring the plant up to date and make it fulfil its purpose it is very desirable that an assay plant should be added to the sampler. The establishment of this would enable much quicker service to be given than is possible under present conditions and also it would encourage a very considerable extension of its operations. It is a necessary part of the present plant if it is to fulfil all its functions properly. It is to be hoped that the Provincial government may see its way clear to equip the plant so that it may be fully modern.

Prince Rupert is the point that serves the whole north coast best. It is where rail and water meet, the pivotal point. It serves a territory on the coast both north and south and also the interior to the eastern boundary of the province. The Queen Charlotte Islands also can ship ore or send samples to the plant. It is too far away from the southern centres to make it possible to use the facilities offered there to advantage.

FEARS NAZI INFLUENCE

Recently the Consolidated Paper Company gave an option to purchase the Island of Anticosti to a syndicate composed mainly of Dutch and German citizens for the purpose of erecting and operating a sulphite pulp mill that will employ from 1500 to 2000 men. Objection is taken to this on the ground that there is a possibility the island may be used as a military base by any foreign country which may be at war with the British Empire. It is pointed out in one of these papers that at the time of the last war against Germany cement foundations were discovered in the same district which, while ostensibly for industrial purposes, might have been used for mounting guns.

Anticosti is an island in the Gulf of St. Lawrence containing 3,000 acres and it is so situated as to command the entrance of the St. Lawrence River, the front door entrance to Canada. The Quebec Chronicle demands that the government prevent the island getting into any hands which might be favorable to Nazi, Communist or Fascist movements. It objects to the settlement of thousands of Dutch and German settlers which might prove to be a centre for Nazi propaganda from which the whole province of Quebec might be poisoned. It suggests that the government should act immediately and stop at all costs the sale of Anticosti to interests under Adolph Hitler's thumb.

HERE'S ODD XMAS GIFT

Trade in London Gargoyles Takes Spurt With Busy Season—Gypsies Predict Lucky Year

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP)—Christmas shopping in London's shops and markets promises to establish a record. Yet all the buying of presents is not confined to the shops. Down in a sheltered corner in Westminster busy trade goes on every day. Carved gargoyles, stone Tudor roses, weather-worn heads of stone saints and kings are being bought as Christmas gifts. They are bits of the sandstone stonework being removed from the parliament buildings as unsafe—and not quite a century old. The department of works started the renovations six years ago. Sale of the stonework has gone on since then but always increases around Christmas time.

The larger pieces, priced about \$25, are bought to give as garden ornaments, the smaller ones, some as low as \$1, are frequently mounted on wood for use as paper weights, book ends or door stops. Americans outnumber the other nationalities as purchasers but the souvenirs of the home of the Mother of Parliaments have been despatched to Canada, Australia, Sweden, South Africa and Ceylon. A Japanese purchased with glee the ugliest gargoyle of the lot.

Gypsies predict a lucky year ahead for England. They have been able to gather mistletoe unseasonably early in Dorset and say "Christmas kisses have been bestowed five weeks in advance, so witches are flinging away their broomsticks in disgust and cows will give more milk than ever next year." These prophecies are solemnly quoted by London newspapers.

Hear Early Carols

Signs the holiday is not far off are the trees with twinkling lights outside shops on Oxford Street and the change in the programs of the street singers who now render carols in preference to the latest song hits.

Schlaparelli borrowed considerably before Christmas for novelty ideas that appeared at her mid-season showing in London. New necklines were held in place by clips shaped like a tiny angel's wings in colors of Christmas tree tinsel. Buttons were made like flat

candlesticks complete with tiny tapers. The eerie pink—usually associated with caps out of crackers—tinted a whole new clothes series from evening gowns to skiing woolies and was renamed "Shocking."

Little gifts are as much in demand as always. The favorite new novelties displayed at bazaars and in shops dealing in such trifles are brocade-covered match boxes for bedroom use. Both Queen Elizabeth and Queen Mary have bought a number of these to send as just-a-little-more-than-a-card gifts.

Upholstery brocade is much in use, not only for evening wraps and house coats of romantic design, but also for short jackets of the tunic blouse order. The refurbishing of the palaces has necessitated the weaving of fascinating old designs in the finest of silks. Though the use of these designs elsewhere is discouraged by custom, small pieces do become available and one West End actress appeared recently at a party in a gorgeous crimson damask tunic. She told her friends it was "just the same as the sofas in Marlborough House."

According to one arrival in London lately, there is to be a great revival of the "blouse and skirt" mode. Marcus Hellitzer, whose father introduced the blouse to America, has been visiting London and, though his factories turn out 220,000 blouses a year at present, he predicts a still greater demand for the useful garments, which he said were originally developed from men's shirts.

Steamship Sailings

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Thurs.—ss. Pr. George 11:15 p.m.
Friday—ss. Cardena 9 p.m.
ss. Prin. Adelaide 10 p.m.
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