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## THAT THIRD AVENUE SIDEWALK.

That plank sidewalk on Third avenue east of Fourth street is an improvement to be sure, but quite a number of citizens have been asking why it wasn't built on the other side of the street at this point. It starts off at the Police Office, which is only a temporary police office after all, to be abandoned when the new City Hall is ready. Then it passes along a group of barren Government lots, unoccupied except by one small shack which once did duty as the police office. Across Third street the new sidewalk passes Mr. Barrow's house. Mr. Barrow was once an alderman, but it can't be for his convenience that the sidewalk takes his side for he doesn't live in his house now. The next and last building passed by the sidewalk is the Municipal "Hello House," which, though a busy centre, costs no shoe leather to reach, and has no special need of a sidewalk. The sidewalk ends at Second street just opposite The News' office.

Now on the other side of the street, where there is no sidewalk, there are a great many business premises. First, there is Wallace's department store, still isolated by morasses and rockpiles. Then there is Mr. Kauffman's music store, also isolated by contractors' leavings. There is the Empire newspaper office, the McCaffery & Gibbons residential and business block with William Grant's plumbing office and show rooms and E. L. Fisher's funeral chapel. Besides this there are several occupied flats, where women and children live, all of which are reached across makeshift side planks. Last, but not least, there is The News office, access to which is over a wilderness of jagged rocks.

By every rule of obvious public need the sidewalk should have been run down the opposite side of the street to that which it now adorns. Why was it not so built? Is it because the vacant lot next to the Telephone Central is owned by Alderman Hilditch, and the corner next to Mr. Barrow's house is leased by him, or is it just because he doesn't want Alderman Newton or The Daily News to have a sidewalk?

### WANTED—SOME LABRADOR FISHERMEN.

Full credit to Herbert H. Stevens, Conservative member of Parliament for Vancouver, for advocating in the House of Commons the settlement of a thousand Labrador fishermen and their families upon the coast of Northern British Columbia. It is the most statesmanlike contribution that has yet been made for the upbuilding of a white man's fishery on our coasts.

It is idle to protest against yellow labor in the fisheries when no other labor offers. Economic laws pay no heed to protests and prejudices. The yellow man is not to be driven out—he must be displaced.

To bring a thousand Labrador fishermen to the North Pacific Coast is an act of mercy, of which a modern Portia might say:

"It is twice blessed. It bleaseth him that gives And him that doth receive."

A thousand fishermen and their families transplanted from the rigors of Labrador to the genial coasts and well stocked banks of Hecate Straits would be transplanted from poverty to comfort themselves, and would do a great deal to enrich the district they would settle in and the government that would aid them hither.

The fishermen of Labrador are "poor." "desperately poor, but the kindest and bravest people I have ever come across," says Colpitts Robinson in his latest book on Labrador. They would have to be assisted here. But the money so spent would reap rich dividends, and do more than any amount of bloodshed and treasure to solve the problem of the Oriental on our coasts.

The Labrador fisherman who brings his family and his Labrador customs with him will be an asset to settlement, too. Each family tills the little homestead while the man is out at sea. "Simple in faith, honest in purpose, their hospitality limited by circumstances, courageous in adversity, resourceful in danger," the Labrador fisherman as depicted by Dr. Wilfrid Grenfell would prove a valuable asset to this young and rich country.

It is no secret that the local Liberal Executive of last year was urging that steps be taken to import white fishermen for our fisheries. Their plans were cut off shortly by the unexpected fatality on September 21st last. The knowledge that one of the British Columbia members at least is striving to secure the importation of white fishermen to our coasts should and will meet with warm encouragement from all sides. The News suggests that resolutions in support of this policy be passed by the various political, trade and patriotic societies throughout the district and forwarded before the House reassembles to all the members of Parliament who represent British Columbia constituencies.

## SITE FOR CITY WEIGH SCALES

Scales Are on Hand, but Council Cannot Agree on Site—City Engineer Called on to Reconsider Whole Matter.

The city weigh scales are now on hand, and Alderman Hilditch at last night's Council meeting expressed the idea of having them placed at the light plant. He pointed out that it would be very convenient for the Westholme Lumber Company in the selling of the cheap coal they advertise, while it would also be handy for the city. Alderman Douglas suggested a site near the St. John

Hotel to serve both wharves and the railway depot. This idea was approved by the Mayor, but after some discussion it was suggested that the matter be referred again to the City Engineer.

This looked to Col. Davis a peculiar proposition considering that he has already had the matter referred to him and has selected a site on Centre street.

Further discussion, however, resulted in the carrying of a motion that the City Engineer reconsider the matter and report.

### Henriette Loads Up.

The G. T. P. steamer Henriette took on a cargo of empties, chiefly barrels and gasoline drums, for transportation south. She left in the small hours for Vancouver and way ports.

### Favorite of the West.

No home in this western country can well afford to be without "The Family Herald and Weekly Star" of Montreal. It is particularly useful in western homes. The information it gives to the new settlers as well as worth hundreds of dollars a year. It is simply marvelous the amount of good instructive matter that paper contains each week. It well deserves its success. One dollar cannot be better invested in western homes than by ordering that great paper. A beautiful picture entitled "Home Again" is also included, and it is well worth the dollar alone.

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PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., 1911

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Lager Beer, from \$1 to \$3 per dozen. Scotch Whisky from 40c to \$1.80 per bottle.  
Rye Whisky from 40c to \$1.35 per bottle. Brandies from 40c to \$3.75 per bottle.  
Bourbons from \$1.35 to \$1.80 per bottle. (60 years old.)  
and everything else in proportion.

Send in your orders now for the holidays and avoid the rush. All orders delivered at your doorstep by the "Barefoot Boy."  
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## Christmas Dainties

FRESH AND SWEET

New Mincemeat, just like mother used to make; it's only 65c per quart.

We have just received a large shipment of New Raisins, Currants, Figs, Nuts, Table Raisins, Dates, Oranges, and Chocolates.

Shop early and avoid disappointment.

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## Empress Theatre

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—PRESENTS—

## "OUR REGIMENT"

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20, 1911

AT 8.15 P. M.

In Aid of Public School Library Fund

Seat Sale opens at Keeley's Monday December 18th at 10 a. m. Play produced by Mr. L. Bullock-Webster

Tickets \$1.00 Children 50c

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## Christmas and New Year Hampers

For twelve consecutive years the Gold Seal Liquor Company have had an assortment of Holiday Hampers unequalled by any other wine or liquor house in British Columbia. And why should this not be the case? It was this company that introduced Christmas Hampers on the Pacific Coast, and although others quickly copied the idea, we have regularly presented a list that for genuine value and popular variety of goods has always earned the expressed appreciation of customers.

### Hamper A

1 bottle Gold Seal "XXX" Fine Old Cognac Brandy  
1 bottle Sanderson's "Mountain Dew" Scotch Whiskey  
1 bottle Gold Seal Special Rye—8-year-old  
1 bottle "St. Elmo" Native Port Wine  
1 bottle "St. Ermine" Sweet Catawba Wine  
6 pints "Jack O' Hearts" Export Beer—Christmas Brew  
6 pints Gold Seal Dry Ginger Ale  
17 bottles NET PRICE \$4.40  
All freight charges prepaid to nearest freight station.

### Hamper B

1 bottle Gold Seal "XX" Fine Old Cognac Brandy  
1 bottle Sanderson's "Mountain Dew" Scotch Whiskey  
1 bottle Gold Seal Special Rye—8-year-old  
1 bottle "Two Eagle" California Port Wine  
1 bottle "Two Eagle" California Sherry Wine  
1 bottle "St. Vista" Old Sweet Catawba Wine—1895  
1 bottle Napa & Sonoma California Extra Claret  
6 pints "Jack O' Hearts" Export Beer—Christmas Brew  
6 pints Gold Seal "XXX" Stout or India Pale Ale—Xmas Brew  
19 bottles NET PRICE \$5.50  
All freight charges prepaid to nearest freight station.

### Hamper C

2 bottles California "Three Eagle" Zinfandel (Claret)  
1 bottle Napa & Sonoma "Three Eagle" Angelica Wine  
1 bottle Carter's Extra Fine Old English Ginger Wine  
1 bottle Sanderson's "Mountain Dew" Scotch Whiskey  
1 bottle Gold Seal "XXX" Fine Old Cognac Brandy  
1 bottle Gold Seal Special Rye—8-year-old  
6 pints Gold Seal Dry Ginger Ale  
12 pints "Jack O' Hearts" Export Beer—Christmas Brew  
25 bottles NET PRICE \$6.50

### Hamper D

1 bottle "Doctor's Special" Old Scotch Whiskey  
1 bottle "Three Seal" 9-year-old Canadian Rye  
1 bottle Gold Seal "XXX" Fine Old Cognac Brandy  
1 bottle Old Canadian White Malt Whiskey  
1 bottle Gold Seal "Selected" Old Irish Whiskey  
1 bottle Napa & Sonoma "Three Eagle" Port Wine  
1 bottle Napa & Sonoma "Three Eagle" Sherry Wine  
1 bottle Napa & Sonoma "Three Eagle" Muscat Wine  
1 bottle Napa & Sonoma "Three Eagle" Tokay Wine  
1 bottle (pint) Horace Clark Over-proof Jamaica Rum  
1 bottle (pint) Bond & Co's London Old Tom Gin  
11 bottles NET PRICE \$8.10  
All freight charges prepaid to nearest freight station.

### Hamper E

1 bottle Carnot Freres "XXX" Champagne Cognac Brandy  
1 bottle Sanderson's "Grand Special" Scotch Whiskey  
1 bottle "Three Seal" 9-year-old Canadian Rye  
1 bottle Johnson's Martini or Manhattan Cocktails  
1 bottle 10-year-old French Black Cherry Wine  
2 bottles Napa & Sonoma "Three Eagle" Zinfandel (Claret)  
1 bottle Napa & Sonoma "Three Eagle" Port Wine  
1 bottle (pint) Bardinet's Creme de Menthe  
6 pints Gold Seal "XXX" Invalid Stout—Xmas Brew  
12 pints "Jack O' Hearts" Pale Export Beer—Xmas Brew  
27 bottles NET PRICE \$9.15  
All freight charges prepaid to nearest freight station.

### Hamper F

2 pints Heidsieck's "Red Top Monopole" Champagne  
1 bottle "Eau de Noix" French Liqueur  
1 bottle "Old Mull" Scotch Whiskey  
1 bottle "Three Seal" 9-year-old Canadian Rye  
1 bottle Johnson's Martini or Manhattan Cocktails  
1 bottle Lion Amontillado Dry Table Brandy  
1 bottle "V. S. O." Rich Old Port Wine  
1 bottle Bond & Co's London Old Tom Gin  
1 bottle Horace Clark Fine Old Over-proof Jamaica Rum  
12 pints Best Blue Ribbon Beer—"Best Beer in the World"  
22 bottles NET PRICE \$15.10  
All freight charges prepaid to nearest freight station.

With each and every Hamper during the month of December, will be sent our Beautiful Holiday Souvenir Picture—a reproduction in colors of the world famous picture "THE BAREFOOT BOY." Wherever human hearts beats this picture has always appealed, and many of our customers will highly prize this excellent copy which is of a very limited edition and particularly suitable for framing.

All Hampers are in plain cases with no marks to indicate contents, and prices named are freight prepaid to nearest freight station. Write for handsomely illustrated 40-page catalogue.

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