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TO ARREST EIGHTEEN MEN WELL KNOWN ON COAST

HAWTHORNTHWAITE OBJECTS TO THE PRESENCE OF VISITORS

(Special to Daily News.)
 Victoria, Feb. 16.—Hawthornthwaite created a scene in the House today when he objected to the presence of Ralph Smith, ex-Prime Minister, John Oliver, Liberal leader, and H. Luginbuhl, the Colonist on the floor of the House as visitors. He engaged in a dispute with the Speaker which ended when a division was taken. Hawthornthwaite asked for a vote to place the House on record in the matter. This was done and only Hawthornthwaite and Williams were found supporting the motion. Apart from the above the other part of the proceedings was an attack by Brewster on the resolution on Asiatic immigration.

RESCUED BY QUADRA

Crew of Schooner Wrecked Off Otter Point.
 (Special to Daily News.)
 Victoria, Feb. 15.—The Seattle power fishing schooner Carrier Dove was wrecked yesterday at Otter Point, Cinque Island, Discovery Passage. As far as can be learned no lives were lost. The crew is coming here on board the Quadra.

SURE TO BE ELECTED.

Renfrew, Feb. 16.—Hon. G. H. Graham of Brockville, minister of railways and canals in the Laurier administration, and Dr. Maloney of Eganville, Conservative, were nominated for the Commons yesterday for South Renfrew.

TOUGH CAMP TALK

Toil Worn Pioneer of G. T. P. Pays Penalty for Talking Today.
 A toil worn tough of the grading camps was today fined \$10 and costs for having used camp language on the street. Magistrate Carss is very hard on users of bad language, and warns all who come before him for the offense that they will be sharply punished.

SIR GEORGE DOUGHTY NOT COMING HERE UNTIL JULY

WORK ON PORPOISE ISLAND PLANT NOT TO BEGIN THIS YEAR—WHAT MANAGER WILFRID DOUGHTY SAYS OF SKIDEGATE OPERATIONS.

Wilfrid Doughty, manager of the new fish industry company incorporated as the British Columbian Fisheries Co., Ltd., left this morning on the Prince Rupert for Vancouver, and will probably be away for about a month. One of the objects of his visit is to obtain specifications and let contracts for the enlargement of the plant which the company has purchased from the Simon Leiser Company at Skidegate, where Mr. Doughty spent the last two weeks. The Skidegate is but one of the company's proposed fishing stations, and in regard to it Mr. Doughty spent the last two weeks to have the oil branch of the business there in operation in a few days and the salmon cannery would be ready to make something of a pack before the end of the present salmon run. The white fish packing plant to be erected he hoped to see completed in the early summer, probably in June. As to the new cannery and packing plant to be established on Porpoise Island, adjoining the Prince Rupert townsite, the company was not contemplating doing any work there this year, but these plans might be changed upon the arrival of his father, Sir George Doughty, president of the company. He would reach Prince Rupert some time in July, and probably would be accompanied by one or two of the London directors of the company.

CHINESE ACCLAIM NEW REPUBLIC

Resounding Fusillade of Firecrackers Kept Up Till Late Last Night—Local Orientals Are All Republicans—Do Joss to Daily News Portraits of Great Men in the Revolution

All the wicked little devils—red, yellow, green and blue—which plague John Chinaman in Prince Rupert fairly trembled in their cloven hoof shoes last night.

heart of the business section way up to the Chinese quarters on the hill, where King Tai sits on his yellow throne in clouds of rare Oriental spices, the whole atmosphere was lively with rattling reports and spraying sparks. It was a mercy the night was rainy, otherwise the Chink celebration would surely have set the city in a blaze.

nervous systems, took refuge in unwonted corners, popping out fearfully every few moments as the firecracker din half subsided and making highly respectable



THE PRINCE REGENT.

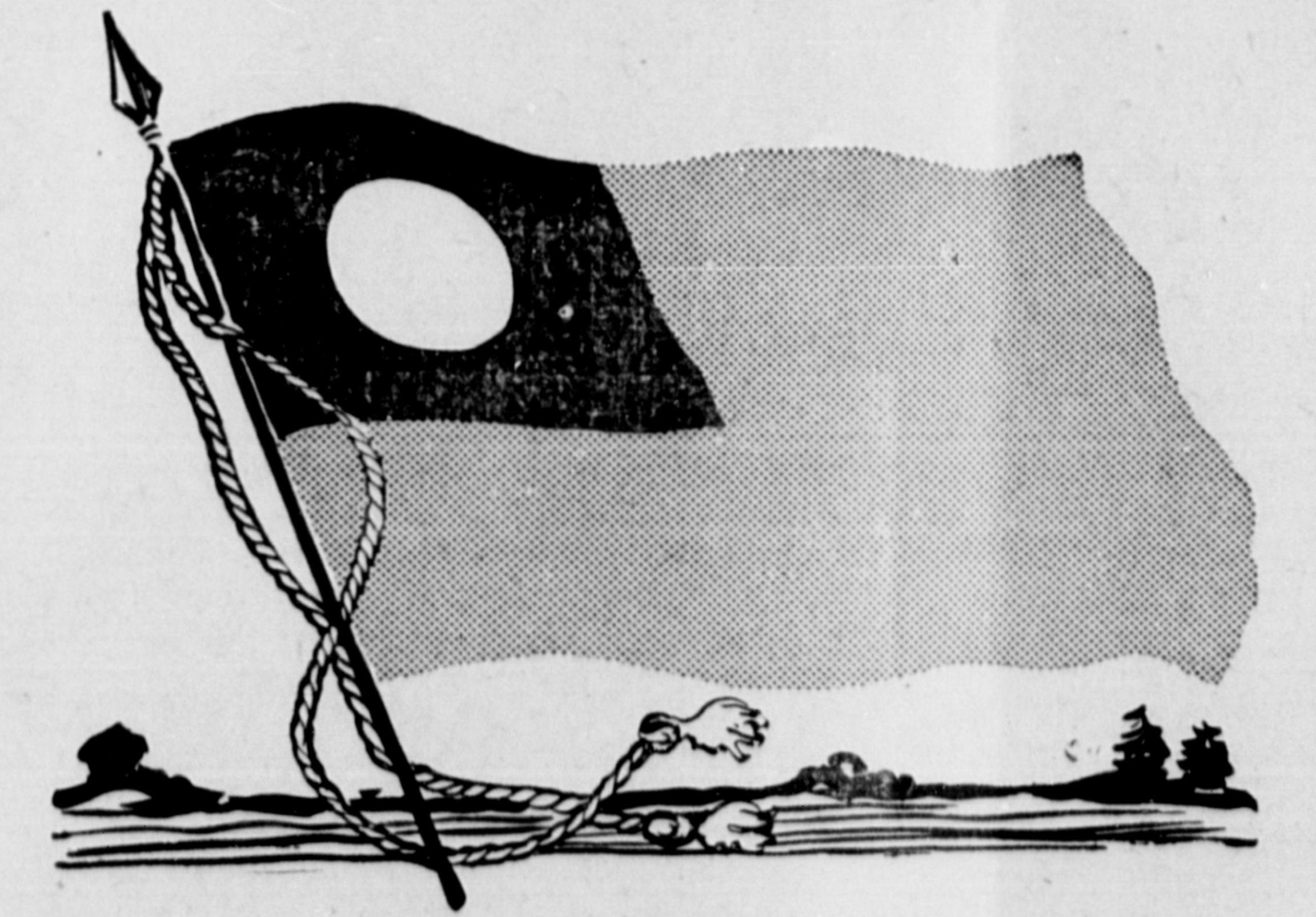


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PRINCE CHING.

when the fusillade of firecrackers celebrating the new Chinese republic blazed forth. Never since the last grand Chinese funeral in the Land of the Yellow Dragon, which they lately left, have the imps heard such a terrifying din. From the open space in front of the Dunn residence in the



THE FLAG OF THE REPUBLIC.

WARRANTS FOR EIGHTEEN PROMINENT MEN

Charged With Forming a Combination in Restraint of Trade by Monopolizing All Transportation Facilities of Skagway Wharf

(Special to Daily News.)
 Juneau, Feb. 16.—Telegraphic warrants were issued yesterday for the arrest of eighteen business men prominent in the affairs of Alaska and the Pacific coast on four indictments returned by the federal grand jury that has been investigating alleged violations of the Sherman anti-trust law in connection with the control of wharf facilities at Skagway. The following are among the indicted:
 J. C. Lord, president Pacific Coast Steamship Company.
 C. E. Houston, head of Pacific Coast Coal Company.
 A. L. Berdoe, formerly vice

president and general manager of the White Pass & Yukon Railroad Company.
 Charles E. Peabody, formerly manager of the Alaska Steamship Company.
 J. H. Young, president of the Alaska Steamship Company.
 John P. Bunch, traffic manager of the Alaska Steamship Company.
 E. C. Ward, superintendent of The Pacific Coast Steamship Company.
 F. B. Wurzbacher, C. E. Johnson, E. E. Billingshurst, W. H. Nansen, Ira Bronson, J. W. Smith, F. J. Cushing, W. B. King, V. L. Hahn and G. H. Higbee.

It is charged in the indictment that the North Pacific Wharves and Trading Company, the Pacific Arctic Railway & Navigation Company, the Pacific Coast Coal Company, the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, the Alaska Steamship Company and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company have formed a combination in restraint of trade and in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law to monopolize all transportation facilities at Skagway, the ocean terminus of the White Pass & Yukon Railroad and the principal seaport of Southeastern Alaska.

RAILWAY FOR GROUNDHOG

Provincial Government Proposes to Send Engineers to Survey a Line from Stewart to the Great Bear Field.
 Victoria, Feb. 15.—The British Columbia Government proposes to send a party of engineers to the country between Stewart and Groundhog Mountain to secure data for the proposed construction of a railway from the present head of the line from Stewart to the Groundhog Mountain coal fields. The line is to eventually form a link in another transcontinental system.

AUCTION SALE OF RUPERT LOTS

Good Prices Paid for Average Class Lots at O. M. Helgeson Co.'s Sale, Conducted by Frank Ellis Last Night.
 Prices ranging from \$255 to \$4,650 were realized last night for lots listed with O. M. Helgeson for sale by special auction sale conducted by Frank Ellis in the Empress Theatre last night. There was a good attendance of buyers and many interested citizens looked on. Certain lots went at what were thought "snap" prices, but from the point of view of the sellers and their agents the sale was considered very satisfactory. Considerable interest is aroused now in this form of real estate selling, which was planned by the Helgeson firm some time ago, and has been adopted by other real estate men also.

GAMBLING CASE TODAY

After Last Night's Raid on Cetinje Hotel, Case is Adjudged.
 The three accused in the Cetinje gambling raid appeared before the magistrate today. Louis Jackton pleaded guilty. Sam Rednich and Gulletta Mickinovich denied having played for money. Very little money was found on accused by the police, but there was a fourth man in the room who was in bed and who was not arrested. After evidence had been taken from Constable Cargill and Louis Jackton, the case was adjudged at the request of W. E. Williams, who is to appear in defense of the accused tomorrow.

J. E. Merryfield Bereaved.

This morning Mr. J. E. Merryfield left by the Prince Rupert to attend the funeral of his mother, whose death was announced to him by wire yesterday afternoon. Mr. Merryfield had intended to go south in the hope of seeing her again alive, but there was not time. On his last visit to Vancouver Mr. Merryfield saw her in fair health. She was 82 years of age.
 Best room in town at Savoy.

SAD ACCIDENT UP THE LINE

Watchman John Burke Falls from Railway Bridge and Crashes through River Ice—Body is Brought to the City.

A watchman employed at the railway camp of Messrs. Johnson, Perry & Helmer, Mile 56, during Wednesday night fell from a bridge onto the ice of the river below. His body was found in the water. He was brought here and taken to the new mortuary chapel of Haynor Bros., and today there was talk of holding an inquest, but the authorities concluded none was necessary.

Deceased was employed and known well in town by the name of John Burke. He used to stay at the Grand Hotel under that name. But in one of his pockets was found a pocketbook bearing the name of Jack Henderson, so he may possibly have two names. The date for the funeral has not yet been fixed.

The Henriette came in from Vancouver late last night and today is unloading a big cargo of oats and feed.

Indoor Baseball.

Pirates vs. Quill Drivers, at Auditorium, Feb. 16th. Game called at 8:15 sharp. Admission 25c. Skating after the game. 2t

PRINCE RUPERT TWENTY MINUTES AGO

Survey started for Alder's aerial wireway.
 Meeting of Dramatic Society announced for 23rd.
 Six Imperialist firecrackers refuse to go off.
 Mayor Newton is NOT expected by the Camosun.
 Acting Mayor Douglas shakes hands with himself.
 Jack Hilditch, with M. J. McNeill, doubtfully scrutinizes that bandstand sidewalk.
 Prediction is made that pipe line in city limits will be completed in a fortnight.

POLICE RAID LAST NIGHT

Cetinje Hotel Scene of Systematic Swoop of the Force on Alleged Gamblers—Three Charged This Morning.

At 2 a. m. today acting under instructions from Chief Vickers, the police raided the Cetinje Hotel, next to the Windsor, on First-avenue. For long Chief Vickers has suspected the pursuit of gambling games in these premises, and having prepared the way for a raid gave the word "Go" last night.

The police force swooped down like the wolf on the fold and gathered in Goletta Mickinovich, Sam Rednich and Louis Jackton, all of whom are charged with gambling. Cards, chips and money, the evidence of illicit gaming, were found and confiscated, and the effort of the police this morning was to make the charge stick.

THE WEATHER.

Twenty-four hours ending 5 a. m., February 16, 1912: Bar., 29.674; max. temp., 45.0; min. temp., 36.0; precipitation, .53.

publicans until the middle of the night in the drenching rain.

Prominently displayed in the gaily decorated residence of King Tai, who is the acknowledged Hi Ti Ee of the Chinese in Prince Rupert, were displayed the portraits of the various great figures in the Chinese revolution, which have appeared from time to time in The Daily News. With joss sticks and colored lights due homage was rendered the famous faces by the staunch republicans

ANOTHER NEW POWER BOAT

Capt. W. H. Noel is Having the Engine Fitted to a new Hull, 35 Feet Long, Built for Him in Port Essington for Local Use.

At the Rupert Marine wharf today is lying the hull of a newly launched 35-foot gasoline launch built at Port Essington for Captain W. H. Noel. The boat is for use in local waters. Today the engine, a new 16 horse power Standard, is being fitted by the Rupert Marine engine department.

LARGE HOTEL AT NEWTOWN

Railway Company Erecting Three Storey Hostelery Near the Present End of Steel—Will Be One of Number Along the Line.

People who came in on the last Prince Rupert, who in Victoria had seen the plans for the new railway hotel at Newtown, the station before Van Arsdol is reached, say that the plans of the elevation, give a somewhat showy but substantial building of three storeys, with wide piazzas on the first and second floors, wide eaves and many dormer windows—in short, a very handsome building. It is a type of the hotels the company will build at a number of points along the line between here and Fort George, the construction of which will rapidly follow the arrival of the track layers at the several points.

MANITOBA WINS.

No. 1 Hard Wheat Still to Bear Name of Province.

(Special to Daily News.)
 Ottawa, Feb. 16.—The House of Commons has decided not to change the name of standard wheat from Manitoba to Canada hard. A grain survey board will be established at Calgary to provide facilities for handling grain to coast points when the Panama Canal opens.

HAS HALLUCINATIONS

Hears Voice of a French Bull Cook Calling Him Names.

An Italian named Pastro Angelo, suffering from hallucinations which are apparently dominated by the shadowy personality of a French bullock at Mile 103 who "talks" evil names to him, appeared before the magistrate this morning. Magistrate Carss endeavored to find out if Pastro were sane, as he has been telling the police that people are after him to kill him. He will be medically examined.



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of the city. Today the rejoicings are being actively continued, and as long as the firecrackers hold out there will be noisy celebrations at nightfall, while by day the new republican flag flutters bravely in the breezes of British Columbia.