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A BAD MAN OUT WEST

In one of his stories O. Henry tells of a bad man out west who used to brow-beat everybody and talk about what fights he had been in and what fights he would like to get in. "And," said Henry, "he could fight just as well as he said he could. I know this is all wrong and contrary to all that is written in the pages of fiction. It is always the quiet man over in the corner who is brave and quietly rises and does things. At the same time if I have to choose whether I shall pull the nose of the bad man who is in the middle of the floor bragging or of the quiet man in the corner who isn't saying a word, I'll step over and pull that quiet man's nose." There may be something in the climate that does it. The Indians who were here before us were undoubtedly brave, but it kept an Indian mighty busy being as brave as he said he was.

A little villainy in a man is a good thing. It would not be there unless he believed in himself, and if he believes in himself it will be there, whether it crops out in his talk or not. But if a man who believes in himself is publicly committed by his words to any line of action, he will make a pretty smart attempt to deliver the goods.—Toronto Star.

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE COUNCIL

C. B. Schreiber Protests Against City's Rejection of Vancouver Cement

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Prince Rupert.

Gentlemen,—We wish to protest at your action in throwing out our tender (the lowest) for the supply of portland cement to the city. Not only was this grossly unfair to us, one of the oldest business firms in Prince Rupert, but as property owners and tax payers we consider it an unjustifiable waste of approximately \$350 of the public money.

In calling for tenders you did not specify that you required a particular brand of cement; you asked for Portland Cement to pass certain specifications laid down by the city engineer, which were in fact standard specifications. It is true, however, that we intended to supply the cement known as "Vancouver Brand," manufactured by the Vancouver Portland Cement Co., at Tod Inlet, Vancouver Island, for whom we are the agents in Prince Rupert, and for your information we wish to point out to you the following facts:

(1). The Vancouver Portland Cement Co. is the only company manufacturing cement in British Columbia. A very large amount of capital has been invested in the plant which is as modern and up to date as any on the American continent, and for these reasons should receive some recognition and support from this city.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Ry. are now using this cement on the work on their line out of Prince Rupert.

(3). The cities of Victoria, Vancouver and all municipalities within reach of the works have always been using it and have absolutely no complaint to make.

(4). The Canadian Pacific Railway use it continuously.

(5). It is specified to be used in most Provincial contracts where cement is required.

(6). The trouble with the reservoir at Victoria was infer-

ior workmanship. The city is repairing this under the supervision of Mr. Thompson, the eminent engineer of Seattle, who is also consulting engineer on our proposed waterworks and he is using "Vancouver Brand" cement for the repair work.

(7). We agreed with the city engineer to sign a most drastic contract which would have indemnified the city against any loss which might have occurred through the use of this cement. The particular clause we refer to is not only unusual but would not be signed by any firm unless they were certain that no loss would be incurred.

(8). The city has invested in an expensive cement testing plant, which if properly used should prevent any inferior cement going into any work whatsoever.

All the above statements are absolute facts and can be verified by overwhelming evidence; and we wish to be put on record as stating that it is such actions as this which you have thought fit to take which not only prevent traders who desire to do business in an honest and legitimate way from competing for the city's business, but deter capital from being invested in industrial enterprises which would be a credit to the province and furnish employment for large numbers of people.

We are, Gentlemen, Yours truly,
C. B. SCHREIBER & CO., LTD.
per A. G. Foster, Mgr.

FAN TAN FRAUDS BARED

Serious Embezzlements from Vancouver Banks Attributed to Chinatown Gambling

(Special to Daily News.)

Vancouver, May 8—Two bank clerks employed in the Merchants' Bank and one employed in the Imperial Bank have confessed to an amount involving \$11,000. Two schemes were worked on each bank. The officials involved say that Chinatown gambling is responsible.

BAD PROSPECT IS PREDICTED

Ulster Member Declares Passing of the Home Rule Bill Means Disruption of the British Empire.

(Special to Daily News.)

London, May 8—That Ulster will fight and that Ulster will be right, and that the firing of first shots in the conflict if the Home Rule Bill becomes law will rend asunder the British Empire and the British army is the prediction made in the Commons yesterday by Mr. Horner, an Ulster member.

WANT GOVT. TO INVESTIGATE

Much Larger Defalcations Disclosed in South Vancouver

(Special to Daily News.)

Vancouver, May 8—Defalcations in the South Vancouver school embezzlement charges, for which a warrant has been issued for Trustee Spencer Robinson, are now much larger than was at first suspected, by several thousands. The defalcation is said to have been going on for some time. A government investigation is wanted.

Union Jack Goes South

Victoria, May 8—H. M. S. Algerine has left Esquimalt station for Mexico to succor any Britishers among the refugees there, and from points affected by the revolutionary disturbances.

Try the Royal Cafe Merchants' lunch.

Very large stock of general hardware. Sole agents for Sherwin & Williams paints, at Howe & McNulty's.

GREAT PLACE FOR TOWNSITE

With Prince Rupert's Prospects, Scenery and Surroundings from Steamship Standpoint

Among the passengers on the steamer Camosun, which arrived at 11 o'clock this morning from Northern British Columbia ports, was Mr. J. H. Wellsford, head of the Union and Boscowitz Steamship companies, who made the round trip on the vessel, accompanied by Capt. Walker and Mr. John Barnsley, Victoria agent for the company.

Mr. Wellsford, who also controls the J. H. Wellsford, Ltd., of Liverpool, a well-known steamship concern, said this morning: "I was particularly struck with the great beauty of the coast between Vancouver and Stewart. It was a great panorama of beautiful scenery and if one part could be mentioned particularly it was the trip from Prince Rupert to Stewart along the Portland Canal. There are few places in the world which afford a better week's holiday than a trip to Prince Rupert for any possible monotony is broken by many varied calls."

SNOW SLIDE ON BEAR RIVER

Supplies of Surveyors are Lost When Slide Occurs at Foot of Big Glacier Near Stewart.

Buried under forty feet of river glacier lie nearly a thousand dollars worth of groceries and provisions, the property of the road department of the government and J. H. Gray's survey party. With a roar that could be heard for miles down the valley an immense amount of loose snow toppled over from the steep side of the mountain onto the glacier and then slid swiftly down the south tongue, completely obliterating everything in its path and piling high over the two and a half tons of supplies stored at the foot ready to be taken over the moraine by dog teams. Fortunately the dog team outfit had left shortly before the slide with a load to take over the glacier to the other side, and at the time it happened Wednesday noon, the cache was deserted. The loss of supplies will temporarily cripple the work of the surveying party as they are on the other side of the glacier and a new outfit will have to be taken in. The government supplies were going in ahead of the establishment of camps. Meanwhile the snow has become too soft to permit the use of a dog team and everything will have to be packed on men's backs, causing untold delay and added expenditure.—Miner.

Bryce to Remain

London, May 8—Sir Edward Grey, put the quietus today on the rumored retirement of Sir James Bryce, as Ambassador to the United States. The Foreign Secretary said in the House that upon Bryce's return from Australia in September, he would resume his duties at Washington.

"JOE" BAYLEY FIGHTS IN BASSANO

Bouquets Flying for Prince Rupert's Favorite Boxer "Joe," Who Will Meet Allen in June.

D. Salt, manager of Pat Scott, of Seattle, who fought a twenty round draw with Joe Bayley in Prince Rupert recently, was present at the tournament last night and was much struck with the evident interest taken in the boxing game in Victoria. He complimented the J.B.A.A. promoters on the able manner in which the bouts were conducted.

Salt was over with Archie Wyard, 145 lbs., of the Ballard A.C., a youngster whom he also is under his charge and who was slated to meet Tommy Knockton last night. Knockton did not make his appearance owing to an injury received while swapping punches at the club, it was claimed, and Wyard and Salt were much disappointed in consequence.

The Seattle promoter would like to get another match for Scott with Joe Bayley, and stated that he had tried to arrange the fight for May 24, but that Bayley had refused to enter the ring with anyone until after the fight with Allen in Bassano this June. Salt has a good word for Bayley and said that in his opinion Joe was one of the gamest, cleverest and cleanest fighters he had ever seen in the ring.—Victoria Times.

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He says that over fifty acres of the townsite has been cleared and an excellent baseball field has been prepared.

Mr. Richer purchased ten acres near the depot in Terrace.

LOCAL JOTTINGS

Baseball Meeting

A meeting of the baseball club will be held at police court rooms on Thursday, May 9th, at 8.30 p.m.—H. B. Campbell, president.

Everything for the launch or boat at Howe & McNulty's, 2nd Avenue.

Mr. T. M. Baird, assistant engineer for the Grand Trunk, formerly a resident of Prince Rupert, lately of Hazelton, is in the city, en route to the other end of construction on the railway.

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