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RUPERT'S GLORIOUS EMPIRE DAY IS DETAILED

IDEAL OUTING ON EMPIRE DAY AT TERRACE

With Baseball and Football, Boxing, Dancing, Rambling and Scrambling, Lunching, Laughter and Songs, a Big Party of Prince Rupert People Made Merry Holiday Yesterday

(By Special Correspondent.)
Terrace, B. C., May 24.—Queen's weather greeted the three hundred Prince Rupertites that just comfortably crowded the cars of the excursion train to Terrace today. A perfect trip along the beautiful tide water shores and up the banks of the swift Skeena, brought the pleasure seekers to the busy little town at the entrance to the Kitsumkalum Valley.

Ideal Spot

After a welcome lunch served by Boniface Gordon at the Lake-else Hotel, the crowd dispersed to seek enjoyment as they would. Some chose to linger in the shade, some to walk up the track as far as the Little Canyon, and some went down to Kitsumkalum. Yet others took their positions in the natural amphitheatre, the floor of which George Little had converted into an admirable recreation ground. It would be difficult to praise too highly the result of his unsparring expenditure and enthusiasm for this splendid park.

The Ball Game

The first event on the athletic programme was a baseball game between teams representing Rupert and Terrace. The Terrace team were short a few players, but with a spirit of fair play, enough players were recruited from the visitors to make a side that gave a very creditable account of themselves.

A pitcher's battle ended with a win for Prince Rupert by a score of 3 to 1. The soft condition of the grounds gave the twirlers some advantage; many hits that would have gone through the infield on good grounds were not good for more than one base. The score was as follows:

R. H. E.	
Prince Rupert	3 3 4
Terrace	1 3 2

Football Match.

The next event was an association football game between the Caledonia team representing Prince Rupert and a picked team representing Terrace. The game resulted in an easy win for the Caledonians by 4 to 0. Following are the teams:

Caledonians—Goal, R. C. Killin, backs, J. Currie (captain) and Carrs; half backs, Lamb, J. H. Kelly, S. Currie; forwards, O. R. Stewart, Gardiner, C. Paterson, McLean and Willisroft.

Terrace—Goal, Timmer; backs, Turnbull and Nicholson; half backs, Ferguson, Dick and Morrison; forwards, Livingstone, Allen, Little, Bell and Martin.

Linesmen—McMeekin and Holmberg.

Referee—A. Clapperton.

Goal Umpires—J. Kelly and W. G. Dennis.

The match was for the Overseas Club cup. A half time the score stood 2-0 for the Callies. First goal was scored by Willisroft, second by J. Currie. Third and fourth by McLean.

Boxing Bout.

After the football game three boxing contests were the next feature. They were well conducted and quite sporting features. First was a four round contest, Red Blythe vs. Phil Hannafin. It was a draw, although our old timer Phil was publicly considered the faster. The second and main feature was a four round bout between the well known pug, Richard Smith and Shin Timmer. The purse of \$17 went \$10 to Shin and \$7 to Smith, the latter being slightly the bad. The third bout was between two Callies, Messrs. M. M. Lamb and W. B. Kerr. The former quit in the second round owing to a well directed blow on the nose by his able opponent. An excellent dinner was

served at 5 p. m. in the Lakelse Hotel and after dinner the business men of Prince Rupert played a tie ball game with the business men of Terrace.

Prof. Hoffman and assistant rendered choice music for those who cared to dance in the large hall of the Lakelse Hotel. Owing to the ardent wish of the pleasure seekers the departure of the excursion was delayed until 9 p. m.

On the way home the journey was enlivened by vocal efforts in music of no mean sort rendered by the Callies with Scotch songs, and others of the excursionists, who contributed comics and the latest ditties from the eastern theatres. At 1 a. m. a tired but delighted crowd streamed off the train at Prince Rupert and wended their way homeward.

Special! This week at Sloan & Company, Ltd., knitted silk ties and washable chamouiseude gloves, 50c. See our window.

MARTIAL DRILL BY EARL GREYS

Empire Day Celebrated by Feud-Joie with Cheers for the King and the Royal Salute—Regiment Looked Soldierly.

Those who were out early enough yesterday morning were favored by witnessing a martial ceremonial performed by Earl Grey's Rifles which gave the necessary touch of militarism to the celebration of Empire Day in Prince Rupert, and was most effective.

At 9 a. m. the company marched out of the drill hall and formed in "company line" on the smooth surface of Second avenue, specially sprinkled by the fire department. Here a feu-de-joie was fired, three rounds of ammunition being shot into the air, followed by the royal salute and three cheers for the King.

Afterward the company marched around the parade ground and then executed the "march past" most effectively, the soldierly appearance of the regiment being remarked upon by all. Later the company be-took themselves to the ranges across the harbor, where a successful match was shot off with the civilian riflemen.

Choiceest liquors and cigars—Savoy.

Baptist Services Sunday.
"The Mockery of Jesus' Trial" will be the subject of Rev. Warren H. McLeod's sermon tomorrow evening at 7:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock and Bible school at 2:30 p. m. Strangers and visitors cordially invited. All services held in McIntyre Hall, Third avenue and Sixth street.

Lime Juice at 35c, 50c and 70c the bottle. See Stalker & Wells.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4.

Presbyterian Services.
"Prayer as Life's Highest Duty" will be the topic of Rev. F. W. Kerr's sermon tomorrow night in the Empress Theatre. Morning service in the church hall on Fourth avenue at 11.

FREE! FREE! FREE!
A big beautiful 88 key electric player piano, worth \$1,200 given away to the pool players in the Basement pool room, Empress Theatre building.



MISS ETHEL CORLEY
As Stella Darbisher in "Captain Swift" at the Empress tonight.

COMPRESSED NEWS NOTES

Items of Interest Extra Hard Boiled That Time and Space May Be Saved While Still You Are Told of Them.

Tonight Postmaster R. L. McIntosh will remove staff and postal machinery into the new premises on Third avenue, the Hilditch block. The old place will be demolished.

George Ross, I. S. O., chief post office superintendent for the Dominion, is in the city superintending post office matters and making arrangements for the future.

V. G. Bogue, one of this continent's leading harbor engineers, is here opening an office and going carefully into the prospects and facilities of the harbor with a view to taking the very best advantage of them for the future.

Next meeting of the City Council will most likely be held in the new city hall, which is now completed far enough for occupancy. Incidentally, the red devil will remove around this week-end into its palatial new quarters in the proper fire hall.

The Canadian Club proposes to entertain Chinese Consul Dr. Chang Kang Jen, stationed at Vancouver, if the distinguished Oriental will accept an invitation sent him to come to Prince Rupert.

Fresh flowers at Wark's today.

WESTHOLME ...OPERA HOUSE....

AMATEUR Vaudeville

Important Announcement

On account of the great success of the Friday Night Amateur Vaudeville Entertainment, it has been decided by the management to repeat it this evening

Saturday, May 25

Some New Turns will be put on, also new pictures. Absolutely the last opportunity to see the

GREAT PICTURE

"A Pageant of Empire"

Two Shows—7:30 and 9 o'clock

Prices: Entire downstairs 25 cts.; balcony 15 cts. Children 10c.

THE YOUNGSTERS' EMPIRE DAY--WINNERS

Fast Series of Children's Sports Pulled Off---Exciting Boys' and Girls' Races Run on Second Avenue

The children's sports pulled off on Second avenue in front of the Empress Theatre yesterday forenoon proved a great success and were keenly enjoyed by a big crowd of onlookers as well as by the large gathering of kiddies who participated in them. The different events were hotly contested by the children, who ranged in ages from two years to quite big girls of fifteen. It was commented on by the spectators that the girls were in no way behind the boys when it came to prowess on the track, and the girls' races were, if anything, the most exciting of them all.

Chief of Police Vickers, to whose energy and enthusiasm the getting up of the sports was due, was unable to be present on account of official business calling him to Vancouver. No one would regret this more than himself.

Mayor Newton, who very ably presided over the events, distributed the numerous prizes kindly

donated by the citizens from the front of W. D. Allen's book store. Messrs. W. R. Whitely, G. S. Fitzmaurice and J. H. Thompson efficiently carried out their duties as starter, time keeper, tape holder, etc. Below are the winners of the various events:

Girls' race, under five years of age—First, Helen Bennett; second, Bessie Pace.

Boys' race, under five years of age—First, Douglas Frizzell; second, Peter Black; third, Fred Macdonald.

Girls' race, five to seven years of age—First, Dora Adams; second, Helen Bennett.

Boys' race, five to seven years of age—First, Bobby Watson; second, Clarence Pace.

Girls' race, seven to nine years of age—First, Thelma Nehring; second, Reta Grove.

Boys' race, seven to nine years of age—First, Tommy McKay; second, Leonard Sherman.

Girls' race, nine to eleven years

of age—First, Lena Shrubalski; second, Rose Adams.

Boys' race, nine to eleven years of age—First, Tommy Sherman; second, G. Donaldson.

Girls' race, eleven to thirteen years of age—First, Lena Cohen; second, Reta Grove.

Boys' race, eleven to thirteen years of age—First, Jack Naden; second, Joe Cavillieri.

Big girls' race, won by Margaret Sherman.

Boys' sack race—First, T. Sherman; second, Howard Frizzell.

Boys' three legged race—First, J. Cavillieri and L. Donaldson; second, G. Donaldson and F. Legget.

Girls' three legged race—First, Reta Grove and Clara Knott; second, Rose Adams and Mabel Adams.

Boys' tiny tots' race—First, Douglas Frizzell; second, Milton McLeod.

Girls' tiny tots' race—First, Edna Watson; second, Hilda Bennett.

YOUNG BOY'S EARLY DEATH

A particularly regrettable death has occurred in the general hospital over Empire Day. Young Russell Milles, 14 years old, son of Henry A. Milles, and a native of Ontario, though a pioneer boy of this country, passed away as the result of internal trouble, from which he had suffered for some time. Russell was the lad who was unfortunate enough to break a leg at Haysport not very long ago, and many will recall him owing to that accident. His death was, however, not in any way due to the effects of the accident, but entirely from natural causes. Russell was a favorite among old timers and well known as a pioneer in early Stewart days. He will be buried at Garden Island on Sunday at 1 p. m. Rev. F. W. Kerr officiating, and the arrangements are in the hands of E. L. Fisher.

Prince Rupert Passengers.

The Prince Rupert arrived this morning with the following passengers: W. Fuller, D. G. Morrison, Mrs. Morrison, C. M. Leyland, George P. Hartley, Mrs. Hartley, P. E. Harris, Miss K. Du Bois, P. O. Paine, S. E. Paine, S. Anam, A. Tillard, H. Watson, Mrs. Watson, C. M. Dunfield, F. A. Kilburn, Mrs. Kilburn, N. Morrison, Miss E. Bishop, R. J. Briddell, Mrs. Briddell, C. M. Gards, Mrs. Potts, W. E. Erickson, D. M. Grant, Mr. Welch, William Deans, P. B. Pemberton, M. Taylor, G. C. Gunsford, H. Graves, E. Price, R. F. Price, Mr. McLaughlin, S. D. Sewall, G. E. Player, Peter Tarnbarin, D. Francis, B. Hall, Leo Landry, C. S. Thurborn, J. K. Bridenbeck, W. P. Newsam, F. Ballard, Stewart Allard, C. B. Clark, Mrs. Bonson, Mrs. Stewart, Miss K. M. Loring, A. E. Barnes, O. J. N. Berbeck, Master Rogers, Mrs. Dana, W. H. Minns, Mrs. Minns, Miss Larson, Miss Dorothy Monns, W. H. Pierce, Mrs. Pierce, Thomas Silverside, P. J. Dack, G. A. Hebberson, R. W. Rogers, Mrs. Alice Miller, Mrs. R. W. Rogers and children, J. M. Clements, H. Harding, P. H. Moore, Mrs. D. H. Smith, Miss Kate Carr, Mrs. E. V. Soule, E. McEwen, J. Y. Baker, E. Faskin, F. Lewis, T. A. Singleton, A. Anke, W. Ferguson, A. E. Woods, J. Smith, S. M. Meni, M. Dydiek, J. I. MacLaren, P. Boline, C. E. McKinnon, W. J. Carr, Leslie Walter, J. Dodgson, Mrs. Brand, Rev. Fleevin, E. Cliffe, E. Cavennile, Mrs. Cavennile, T. F. Fnaas, B. Shringel, George Hawkins, Bertha Bertin, A. J. Patterson, H. Martin, J. H. Prof. H. B. McEwen.

"CAPTAIN SWIFT"

Tonight's Fine Play Presented by May Roberts Co.

"Captain Swift," the bush-ranger play, is scheduled for the Empress this evening. It is one that employs the entire strength of the Roberts company. Like many other well written plays, the characters are all good, giving not only the leading actor and actress fine opportunity, but likewise all the subordinate members.

The play embraces many sides of human emotion and is one that pleases especially the bank president, the man of literature, the lady of fashion, the business man, the man who earns his livelihood by the sweat of his brow and the news boy. Miss Roberts has a beautifully emotional part that her admirers will be glad to see her in.

Many will be glad to see Mr. Victor Gillard back on the stage playing the principal part opposite Mr. Cornell. The two men make an excellent foil for each other and some excellent acting may be looked for.

THE WEATHER.

For twenty-four hours ending 5 a. m., May 25th: Barometer, 29.710; maximum temperature, 58; minimum temperature, 45.

THIS AFTERNOON AND TONIGHT

—AT THE—

Empress Theatre

May Roberts

AND HER COMPANY

Present the 4-Act Comedy Drama

"Captain Swift"

Afternoon performance starts at 3 o'clock. Night performance at 8.30 sharp.

Reserved Seats Now on Sale in Theatre Office

DR. TREMAYNE JOURNEYS EAST

An Important Trip to Grosse Isle, Quebec to Investigate Quarantine Methods During Height of Immigration Rush.

On Monday Dr. H. E. Tremayne, quarantine officer for the port of Prince Rupert, travels south by the Prince Rupert in order to go east on a tour of some weeks' duration. Mrs. Tremayne will accompany the doctor. This trip is an important one from the point of view of Prince Rupert. Dr. Tremayne is going east as far as the famous Canadian quarantine station of Grosse Isle, where he is to investigate the arrangements and methods of dealing with the heaviest rush of immigration for the year by the quarantine officers there. This with a view to applying the methods at Prince Rupert station.

It is unlikely that Mrs. Tremayne will journey farther than Toronto, where she will remain with friends awaiting the doc-

tor's return from Grosse Isle. Much good will from Prince Rupert citizens will accompany Dr. Tremayne and his wife on their trip east. They have not had a prolonged eastern trip for some time, and apart from the importance of the genial doctor's mission for Prince Rupert this time there is every wish that he may have a prosperous trip personally.

HAPPY MARRIED PAIR

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Large on 13th Anniversary.

On the thirteenth anniversary of their wedding day Dr. and Mrs. Large of Port Simpson were visited by a merry surprise party arranged by the nurses of the Port Simpson Hospital. All the citizens of Simpson and district shared in the ceremony and an impromptu concert was held. Mr. James Sharp gave a brief congratulatory address carrying the great good will of the citizens to Dr. and Mrs. Large, who afterward left by the Port Simpson for Wrangell and the Stikine on a further instalment of their honeymoon.

Fresh flowers at Wark's today.

PRINCE RUPERT TWENTY MINUTES AGO

Proposal made by picnicer that Prince Rupert park commission should take a trip to Terrace to see that ball ground. After his Empire Day energy with the sunshine spreader, the weather clerk is taking a rest in the shade.

The most belated launch of all just limping home across the harbor. Owner had to get out and shove.

Wireless from Billy Vickers: "Glad the youngsters had such a good time of it. Give 'em my love."

Athletes now breathe freer getting their wind in good shape for Dominion Day.

Merely Mabel says she got quite a shock when she heard that "Sainted Sam" was mentioned on the stage last night. She didn't know he was so famous.