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WEATHER WEST AND EAST.

While we in Prince Rupert, the city which has been burdened by a rain lull in spite of all that its citizens know to the contrary, are welcoming every drop of rain we can get in this merry month of May, because a positive water famine is liable to occur if the rain shortage gets any shorter, it is interesting to note what the rain man is doing in the east. Here is an extract from the Toronto Star of May 21st. It reads like a Vancouver visitor's version of the Rupert rain lull:

"The month of May promises to hold the record for the greatest amount of rainfall in many years. The average rainfall for May, based upon the records of past years, is 2.85 inches. So far this month rain to the depth of 4.4 inches has fallen; and since Sunday evening, when the present steady downpour commenced, as much as 2.07 inches of rain has fallen.

"Nor can the weather man promise any immediate cessation of the deluge. He reports that rains are general over the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, and that at least two days more of unsettled weather are in sight. These next two days may be varied by occasional gleams of sunshine, but rain will be the rule, and sunshine the exception.

"We hope to see fair weather set in thereafter, but this is merely a hope, as we have nothing definite to go on. Outside the fact that the next two days will probably be unsettled, we can say nothing.

The scientific explanation of the present wetness is that Toronto is in a trough between two areas of high pressure which are causing the rainfall. Torontonians will agree that the city is in a trough in more than the scientific sense of the word. The scientist and the man on the street see with single eye for once."

ABOUT VACATIONS.

The trouble about vacations is that not one person out of a hundred will wisely use a vacation. Most men and women, freed from the usual cares, are inclined to go to extremes in the one season of the year which ought to be a period of wholesome rest and recreation.

Some men seem to think that a protracted spree is the right thing at vacation time, and that really is about all a great many men get out of their vacations. Some men think they cannot rest unless they are politely drunk, and they think it so strongly, and so sincerely, that they live up to the idea.

But, of course, there are other and better and wiser ways for a man to spend his vacation.

As a rule, books, even bad books, in some instances, are good companions. Men and women can do a certain amount of reading during their vacations, and if their work is such as not to require a great amount of freeding it will be a good thing for them to spend a part of their vacation reading and thus becoming acquainted with the thoughts of men and women who have been trying to do something for humanity.

Or they can fish, or hunt, or climb mountains, or boat, or do any one of a number of things that will be of physical and mental benefit to them in the season of vacations.

The main thing is not to overdo anything. The middle of the road philosophy is a good thing to keep in mind during vacations.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

DEFENSE OF
OLD SCOTLAND

Quick Firing Guns Now for the
Orkney Islands, Where German
Warships Have Been Seen
Reconnoitering.

Information has now reached Kirkwall, says a Glasgow paper, that there is a great future for the First Orkney Royal Garrison Artillery. Most of the leading channels will be protected by quick firers. Mobile and garrison batteries will be supplied on points of vantage in and around the islands, which will be worked under and in connection with the admiralty.

HEART IN WRONG PLACE

French Sailor Displays Extraordinary Internal Development.

Paris, May 28.—A sailor on board the battleship Petrie has suddenly jumped into prominence in the medical world by the discovery that his heart is located on the right side and the other organs are all on the wrong side of where they are supposed to be. This freak of nature has served five years in the navy. He complained of ill health recently and the doctors found that his liver was on the left side, etc. A further examination showed that all his organs are twisted.

DR. McQUEEN
AS MODERATOR

Prominent Edmonton Presbyterian
Probable Church Leader at
this Summer's General Assembly.

Toronto, May 28.—Representative Presbyterians in this city say that the Rev. Dr. D. G. McQueen, of Edmonton, will be the moderator of the next general assembly of the church. The Assembly will meet in the First Presbyterian church of the Alberta capital on June 5. It is said that no name will be brought forward except that of Dr. McQueen. He has been minister of the first church for almost a quarter of a century, having been a resident of the place for some years before the railroad was built north of Calgary. He has been nominated for the honor by Presbyterians in both Eastern and Western Canada, and will without a doubt be elected. He will have the extraordinary honor of welcoming the members of the general assembly in a modern church in a new metropolis, to which he went when it was a remote outpost on the outskirts of civilization.

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ON CANADIAN
RAILROADS

Collingwood Schreiber, Engineer
Well Known in Prince Rupert,
Addresses the Canadian Society
of Civil Engineers.

Some interesting facts and figures respecting the development of transportation facilities in Canada were given some time ago by Mr. Collingwood Schreiber at the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers. He tells us that gradually the success of the experiment of the introduction of railways in Canada become firmly set in the public mind, and that about 1852 the Erie & Niagara Railway, the Great Western Railway, the Grand Trunk Railway and the Northern Railway were financed and construction was undertaken. It was pointed out that the latter road would pierce a forest country, sparsely settled, and with no immediate prospect of a return for the capital invested therein; hence it was more difficult to finance than the two other roads, but through energy, perseverance and earnestness displayed in the project by the late Mr. Capreol and Mr. (now Sir) Sandford Fleming, its construction was undertaken. There was, however, a desire to keep the expenditure down as low as possible, resulting in a rather temporary work; nevertheless, it served a good purpose until the country through which it passed developed sufficiently to warrant it being rebuilt a few years later. The Grand Trunk, the Canadian Pacific and the Canadian Northern are three examples of the Canadian railroad today.

In the early days in Canada it was difficult to obtain money with which to construct the railways, especially in cases where the railways ran through sparsely settled districts, and a return for the investment could not be expected for some years. For this reason many of our railways were constructed of a temporary character, requiring the structures to be rebuilt in a few years. This, however, appears to have been a wise policy, as the less the road cost in first construction, so much less revenue was required to pay dividends for some years until the country was settled and

the traffic increased, when a road would be in a position to increase its capital expenditure in making renewals and improvements. Even at the present day it is, perhaps, wise in cases in which railways are being built through a country difficult of access and where immediate traffic would be light and the cost of the transportation of permanent structural material very heavy, to make comprehensive plans in the first instance for present and for future requirements, and to use the less costly and less permanent material in construction; by this means accommodation in the way of works for the immediate business would be provided, and improvements could be made and the facilities for traffic increased as the business of the road developed.

DUKE WILL
MIXED FARM

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Approval of the Duke of Sutherland in Canada.

The Duke of Sutherland will encourage the system of mixed farming on his holdings near Brooks, Alta.

R. B. Sangster, manager of the duke's farms, has purchased a herd of registered Holstein milch cows from the C.P.R. demonstration farm at Strathmore. These will be kept for breeding the most desirable dairy stock for distribution to the tenantry. Mr. Phillips, a Scotch settler who recently purchased a farm from the Sutherland holdings, also purchased two registered heifers from the C.P.R. farm.

This is the first sale of registered Holsteins by the C.P.R. It was the desire of the superintendent, Prof. Elliott, to establish a herd of 100 of the best Holsteins adapted to the climate and conditions of Southern Alberta, and to this end the selection of stock has been carefully made and all registered heifers have been retained on the farm.

The distribution of this stock to settlers on the estates of the Duke of Sutherland will have considerable effect toward the development of the dairy industry in connection with mixed farming in the south country.

STATE LIFE
INSURANCE

Plan Has Not Proved Such a
Success as Had Been Anticipated
in New Zealand—Management Not Live.

The experiment with state life insurance in New Zealand has failed to produce the results anticipated notwithstanding that the government of the dominion is generally held up as a model for imitation, says the Standard of Boston. The following concise review of the present conditions of the experiment appears in a recent issue of the Travelers' Agents' Record:

"State insurance in New Zealand has been paraded before the public as a great success. Recent facts and statistics, however, make evident that the whole system is practically at a standstill. In seven years the number of policies in force increased from 44,194 to 48,932, an increase of only 4,738. The total insurance in force increased in these seven years by only \$5,000,000.

"The increase in 1910 over 1909 in policies in force was only 916, and in new insurance in force less than \$124,000, an insignificant amount.

"Considering that all the new entrants into the civil service must insure with it, that its agents have the same monetary incentive to exertion as the agents of private companies and that it has behind it the prestige of the state, by whom its contracts are guaranteed, no other conclusion can be reached than that its progress is at a standstill and its decline is imminent. The ratio of expenses to premium amounted to 20.2 per cent. Its bonuses are outclassed by several competitors, its lapse rate is abnormally high; it has, in fact, undergone that same process which history regards as often attendant upon business done by the state, lacking in real responsibility, incapable of ordinary business efficiency, perfunctory in its management and lacking in initiative."

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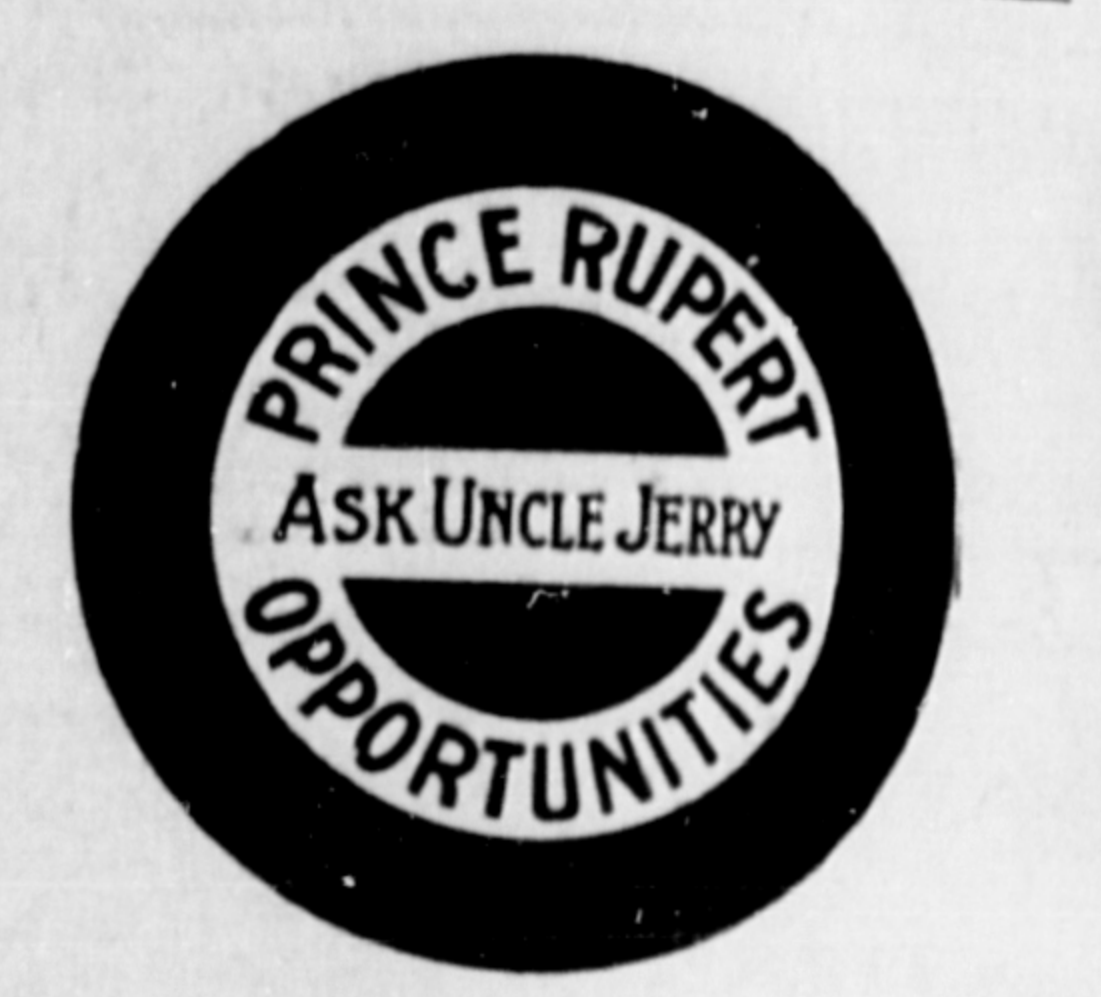


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This notice was posted on the ground on the 10th day of April, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert. Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.
Queen Charlotte Fishing Company, Limited, Applicant.
By Samuel A. Moulton, Agent.
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