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HOUSE OF COMMONS IS SITTING CONTINUOUSLY

WILLIAM H. TAFT BIDS FAREWELL TO PUBLIC LIFE—SUFFRAGETTE MEETING BROKEN UP

CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE AT SUFFRAGETTE MEETING

MILITANTS HAD PLANNED RAIDS ON PARLIAMENT AND WORSE OUTRAGES THAN PREVIOUSLY CARRIED OUT.

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, March 4.—A meeting of suffragettes at Wolverhampton, led by Miss Kenny, militant suffragette, was broken up today with great excitement. Sulphuretted hydrogen was liberated in the hall and considerable damage was done. It is reported that the militants planned raids on parliament and other outrages totally eclipsing any previous exploits.

PRES. TAFT SAYS FAREWELL 25 YEARS IN PUBLIC LIFE

EX-PRESIDENT HAS BEEN A PUBLIC SERVANT SINCE HE WAS 21 YEARS OLD—WAS SECRETARY OF WAR.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Washington, March 4.—William H. Taft, ex-President and public servant since he was 21 years of age, said farewell to his life to-day and became a private citizen once more. He left for home immediately after the inauguration ceremonies. His first came into prominence in connection with the Philippine Commission of 1900, of which he was President, and as Civil Governor of the Philippines from 1901 to 1904. In latter year he was appointed Secretary of War and visited in an official capacity in 1907. He succeeded Roosevelt to the Presidency in 1908. He was born in 1857.

Washington, March 3.—The day was overshadowed with enthusiasm attending the arrival of the Democratic Presidential. The sixty-second Congress is to say farewells to-day and prepare for a termination of business to-morrow.

Be sure and attend Millinery day. Miss L. M. Kuster on Monday. 54-56

Musical Comedy Tonight.
Everyone who enjoys a good laugh and anyone who has forgotten how should be at the performance of "The District School" tonight in the Presbyterian Hall. This two-act farce is produced by members of the Male Voice Choir and Gymnastic Club and is described as a cheerful, chirpy, crazy comedy and mirthful musical medley. The performers are composed entirely of the sex that has the votes, but in the play where they are not merely imperfect gentlemen they take the parts of "perfect ladies," whose beauty and grace is guaranteed to capture the hearts of all Prince Rupert's stage door johnnies and prospective millionaires. The school is presided over by Ezekiel Simpkins with an up-to-date spanking machine, and is visited by school trustees Deacon Tidd and Mrs. Quackenbush. The farce is full of jokes upon the local celebrities, noted or notorious, and the local spring poets have been working overtime.

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AVIATOR TRAVELLED 118 MILES AN HOUR

Fast Time Made by French Aviator Between Savigny-Sur-Braye and Paris.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, March 4.—Aviator Guillaux to-day made a successful flight from Savigny-Sur-Braye to Paris, a distance of 118 miles in one hour.

INVESTING THREE AND A HALF MILLION

Thousand Men Will Be Employed at Granby Bay Mines This Summer.

"We shall have over one thousand men engaged on construction and other work this summer in connection with the building of our proposed 2000-ton smelter at Granby Bay, Portland Canal district," said Mr. W. A. Williams, smelting superintendent of the Granby Consolidated, of Grand Forks. Mr. Williams is at the Hotel Vancouver and will go north tonight.

"The main furnace room will be 380 feet long and 83 feet wide. The Northwest Steel Company, of Vancouver, will supply the structural steel. The contract calls for delivery of the steel beginning May 1. All the contracts for equipment have been awarded, several Canadian firms being among the successful tenderers. While these improvements are being carried on we will build a railway from the mine to the smelter, build a dam and power line, and erect a hospital to cost \$10,000, and a \$15,000 hotel. The smelter will be in operation about a year hence. The total investment of the Granby company at Granby Bay, including mineral claims and their development, will reach about \$3,500,000.

"The smelter will treat copper ores. A lead stack may be installed later. M. E. E. Campbell, one of our mining engineers, is leaving tonight for the Hazelton district to report on the possibilities of ore tonnage."—Vancouver Province.

TURKEY NOT DECIDED ABOUT ADRIANOPLE

There is Little Change in the Balkan Situation—Turkey Clings to Adrianople.

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, March 4.—There is practically no change in the Balkan situation to-day. The Grand Vizier stated that Pour Parlers is still in progress but that Turkey has not actually decided to cede Adrianople. This would not necessarily be the decision of the Powers.

S. S. PRINCE GEORGE WELCOMED IN PORT

Arrived This Morning After Being Laid Off for Four Months—Capt. Donald in Charge.

The G. T. P. S. S. Prince George, Captain D. Donald, arrived in port this morning shortly before 9 o'clock with a large passenger list and an exceptionally heavy cargo of freight. The George, which had been laid off this run for the last four months, will during the next three weeks take the place of the Prince Rupert which is to undergo a thorough overhauling. Starting April 1st, the regular semi-weekly service will go into effect again, the Rupert arriving on Wednesday and the George on Saturday. Purser Cridge, who has been on the George since she started on this morning. Amongst the passenger list were the following:

Mr. Wilson, Miss Preston, Mrs. Corwan, S. Gourlay, Mr. Arnold, Rev. G. H. Raley, Chas. Bruce, Mrs. R. Boyd Young, Miss L. Roy, Mr. Gilroy, Mr. Carpenter, Miss Ray Lawrence, Mrs. E. Watts, Mr. Fernie, T. H. Horne, Mr. Agnew, Mr. Hempton, J. L. Bagg, Mr. E. Bucholz, Mr. Shady, W. Sutherland, D. Sutherland, Mrs. Hubley, Mr. Swanson, Mr. Latham, W. McAfee, Mr. Elliott, Mr. McAulay, T. Roberts, J. Fraser, Geo. L. Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Jappy, Miss Jappy, Mr. Cleamy, Mr. Donaldson, Mr. Wallon, Mr. Du Bernis, Mrs. Dillman, E. C. Skinner, D. Williams, C. Eastman, Dr. Kergin, wife and son, Capt. John Irving, E. C. Stephenson, C. H. Brown, Mrs. Becker, Mr. C. H. Naylor, Mr. Cartwright, D. T. Anderson, Mr. Lovell, Glen Hide, Mr. Neilson, W. A. Somers and wife, Mr. Bridden and wife, Mrs. Frost, W. Jenkins, L. Crippen, J. J. Chisholm, Mr. Renwake, Miss Criddle, Mr. Wyndham, Mr. Francis, Mr. Lublinski, A. S. King, Robt. Reid, Mr. Ferren and wife, Mr. McCaul, Mr. H. Kergin, Mr. Berry, Mr. Wooderaft, Mr. Bodwell, Mr. Davis and wife, Mrs. Miller, C. Ross, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Williams, J. A. Levin, J. A. Johnson, Wm. Rudio and wife, H. E. Jamés.

Mr. George L. Clayton, well known in this city as the man who had charge of the construction of the big Cold Storage plant at Seal Cove, arrived on the Prince George this morning from the South. Mr. Clayton has considerable contract work on hand in the city.

MINISTER OF INTERIOR FORCED TO GO SOUTH

Hon. W. J. Roche Must Take Vacation on Account of Illness—Will Go South.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, March 5.—Hon. W. J. Roche, minister of the interior, is forced to go south on account of ill health.

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR THE PIRATES

Defeated Men's Own Last Night by Score of 19 to 10—Now Hold First Place.

Probably put upon their mettle by their recent defeat at the hands of the Brotherhood Cubs at Indoor Baseball, the Pirates last evening rallied in full strength and succeeded in beating the Men's Own for the second time by a score of 19 to 10 with an innings to spare. There was nothing very spectacular in the way of play, the winning team being a little too experienced and practised for their more youthful opponents. Nevertheless the Men's Own showed great improvement and are coming on well. For a time the latter held the lead and kept the Pirates hustling to ensure themselves the victory. The game was fairly well attended and the rooters did their best to make their presence known. The Pirates now hold the lead, in matches so far played by the league. The next game will be between the Men's Own and the Cubs.

FIRST STAMP MILL IN MINERAL CREEK

Outfit Freight Up Gulch to Mountain King Group—Tunnel Contracts Let.

Valdez, Alaska, March 4.—The first stamp mill for the Mineral Creek district arrived this week from the States, and is now being freighted up the gulch to the Mountain King group.

The outfit consists of a stamp mill, machinery for a power plant and 40,000 feet of lumber. Compressors and drills are expected on the next steamer. This property is near the Mineral Creek Mining Company claims and is reported to have a very fine showing of high grade gold quartz.

Contracts have been let for development tunnels on the Big Four group, above the Mountain King, near the head of Mineral Creek. This property is being opened up by Southern California oil men, who took a bond on the claims last summer. The next payment on the ground is due in July, by which time they expect to have its value fairly well demonstrated.

Mr. H. T. Kergin, brother of Drs. W. T. and L. W. Kergin of this city, returned this morning from a short trip to the lower coast cities. Mr. Kergin, who has been a resident of Stewart for the last four years, left for that place on the Prince John at noon.

Eagles' Smoker to-night at K. of P. Hall at 8 o'clock. Some good boxing bouts, music and refreshments. Everybody welcome. 54

LOSS BY BOMBARDMENT WILL BE MADE GOOD

MEXICAN GOVERNMENT WILL RE-IMBURSE PROPERTY OWNERS FOR LOSS DURING RECENT TROUBLES.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Mexico City, March 4.—Announcement was made to-day that the government is prepared to re-imburse all commercial houses and all residences in the capital for all damages done during the recent bombardment.

Twenty-four Stowaways.
New York, March 4.—Twenty-four struggling, kicking stowaways were taken from the liner Cedric, shortly before she sailed to-day. This is the heaviest stowaway list ever known by the officers.

PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR MAKES REPLY TO "NEWS"

SAYS HE IS GRATEFUL FOR THE PART HE HAD IN VOICING CONTEMPT FOR A CERTAIN CLASS OF SINNERS.

To the Editor of the Daily News, Dear Editor:

If any justification were needed for the pointed remarks I made on Sunday evening, it was found in your editorial of last evening. Your implication that there may have been more than one guilty person present, and that the minister is affecting more deeply than he knows, shows only the urgent necessity of such plain speaking.

I am satisfied that no one knows to whom I referred in the congregation. Before I spoke I knew that no one was in a position to know anything regarding that young man. His sin had no connection with Prince Rupert. As I said in my address "He fled from his sin, and put miles between him and it." But if suspicion has fallen upon others, and if they, like the young man I referred to, are persisting in such low depravity that they are refusing to make the decent reparation which the past admits of and demands, then let the stings of public disapproval scourge them to the uttermost! I am only grateful for the part I

may have had in voicing that contempt.

But if the Daily News is right, and if suspicion has settled on some one, it is because before last Sunday he was not above suspicion. My remarks shed no new light on his sin. I said nothing to create suspicion against a man previously unsuspected. I gave no information which could direct suspicion toward anyone. My remarks, while seeming very personal, were in reality no more personal than every sermon ought to be.

However ill-advised my attempt might be in your estimation, I am still old-fashioned enough to believe in the old-fashioned doctrine of conviction of sin. I arraigned a certain type of sinner before the Judgment Bar of God. I knew that type of sinner was before me and I said so. The Daily News interposes and says it is distasteful.

Ordinarily I do not object to criticism but this criticism touches very deeply the prerogative of God.

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KERGIN RETURNS FROM EXTENDED TRIP

During His Absence He Visited Most of the Hospitals in the Large American Cities.

W. T. Kergin, accompanied by his wife and family, returned this morning on the Prince George after a six months' visit in the Eastern cities of Canada and the United States. Kergin's long absence from this city has not been by any means of the nature of a holiday. After spending a short time amongst his relations near the doctor crossed over to the United States and made a dramatic tour of the leading American cities with a view to bringing the latest knowledge of the doings of his chosen profession. Amongst the hospitals he visited were those in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago, as well as the world-famous Mayo clinical hospital at Rochester, Minn.

The doctor, who looks remarkably well after his long absence, said the fact that he has been undergoing very hard, remarked, in conversation with the Daily News, how delighted he was to be again in British Columbia in Prince Rupert in particular. Although occupied almost entire time during his visit with work connected with his profession, he found opportunity to talk about Prince Rupert, was surprised at the extent of acquaintance the Eastern doctor had with the upgrowth of the city, and was glad to see the Doctor's tour of the

eastern American cities, Mrs. Kergin and children had a most delightful time visiting relations and friends in Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa.

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SCOTLAND DECISIVELY BEATS ENGLAND

Inter-League Football Match Results in Win for Scotland by 4 Goals to 1

Glasgow, March 3.—In the International league football league on Saturday Scotland beat England by four goals to one.

Hibernians were beaten by Raith Rovers by one goal to nil in a re-played Scottish cup tie.

Scottish league games were as follows:

Kilmarnock 2, Rangers 3.
Airdronians 4, Third Lanark 2.
Morton 4, Hearts 2.
Hamilton Academicals 0; Clyde 1.

Aberdeen 4; St. Mirren 0.
Dundee 0; Motherwell 0.
Falkirk 3; Queen's Park 1.

Mr. J. J. Chisholm, manufacturer's agent and one of the pioneer business men of Prince Rupert, returned this morning from a month spent in the lower coast cities. Mrs. Chisholm, who accompanied her husband South, is visiting in lower California and will not return for some little time. Her many friends will be delighted to hear that her health has been greatly improved by the complete rest and change.

SPECTACULAR FIGHT IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

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The Rev. J. H. Raley, Methodist minister of Port Simpson, returned this morning from a short visit to Vancouver and Victoria and left for his home at noon on the Prince John.

COLONIZATION OF ALASKA PLANNED

Captain Siem Interests Governor Sulzer and Premier Borden in Scheme

Albany, March 3.—Capt. Conrad Siem, former Arctic whaling captain, with whom Governor Sulzer once went on a whaling expedition, talked with Gov. Sulzer today regarding a plan for colonizing Alaska after the Panama is opened. The governor favors the plan.

Capt. Siem met Premier Borden of Canada, being introduced to him by the governor as the man who put the domesticated reindeer in Alaska, and interested the premier in a scheme to introduce reindeer in Canada, or at least in some of the provinces. The premier was interested and asked Capt. Siem to send him what literature he can on the subject, as well as his experiences in Alaska.

Plans for the colonization of Alaska have not been completed but Capt. Siem says he expects co-operation of the Atlantic companies. Siem's friends are planning to have him named the next Governor of Alaska by President Wilson.

G. T. P. CONTRACTORS AT FORT FRASER

Houses Built and Supplies Being Stored for Season's Work.

Fort Fraser, B. C., March 4.—Grading camps for Grand Trunk contractors have been established here and there are at present about fifty men at work building houses and bringing in supplies for this season's work. It is the intention of the contractors to work in both directions from this point and the Fort Fraser camp will be the principal camp in the Nechaco Valley. The steam shovels are being brought up the river and are expected to arrive here shortly.

Another crew of men are now at work at Milnes Landing, raising the cable across the river so as to allow the Grand Trunk steamers to pass.

The manager of the Fort Fraser sawmill has been unable to supply all the wants of local builders, but this shortage will soon be overcome. There are now on the way to the mill more than five hundred thousand feet of saw logs.

A large ice house is being constructed on the river front, and work is being rushed as fast as possible in order to get it full before the ice disappears.

Accommodations are being arranged for some two hundred families, who will come in as soon as the good weather opens up.

Topic of the Day.
Everyone is talking of the bargains at Scott, Froud & Co.'s Big Shoe Sale. Have you got yours? 54

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DAILY EDITION

Wednesday, March 5, 1913.

PREROGATIVES OF PULPIT AND PEOPLE.

Rev. F. W. Kerr in a letter in today's issue makes an attempt to justify certain methods which he adopted in his sermon on Sunday night and which were the subject of criticism in these columns on Monday. The most careful analysis of his letter fails to reveal the faintest justification. Not only has he failed utterly to demonstrate the necessity of personal attacks from the pulpit, but he does not even attempt to show any good that can result.

That no one knew to whom he referred is the most far reaching source of evil in the whole affair. The reverend gentleman does not deny that suspicion is likely to fall on others and he intimates that he does not care what injury he thus causes. Surely that is not the kind of Christian spirit which should be exemplified in members of the cloth.

Rev. Mr. Kerr says in his letter that "excellent families have left here because they say they are unwilling to bring their children up in this atmosphere." Such a charge against the fair name of Prince Rupert is not only injudicious but undeserved. It is on a par with the reverend gentleman's methods under consideration. An innocent girl is safer from molestation and less liable to be led astray on the streets of Prince Rupert, day or night, than in most of the larger cities in the older parts of Canada.

That the reverend gentleman himself realizes that he has failed in his attempt at justification of his methods is evident in the fact that at least half of his letter is devoted to some sarcastic references to the source of the criticism. The insinuations that the "News" has adopted the "role of moral censor" and would become "spiritual adviser to one in the pulpit" are absolutely unfounded and misleading. Nevertheless so long as

the churches extend open arms to the public the "News" shall not shirk its duty to defend the "prerogatives" of the people against injudicious personal attacks from the pulpit that are likely to injure the reputations of respectable people.

ROOSEVELT ON THE WHITE SLAVE LAW

In a recent number of The New York Outlook, of which he is one of the editors, ex-President Roosevelt couples some stern denunciation of the "white slave" traffic with some vigorously expressed approbation of the bill lately enacted by the British Parliament to suppress it. The measure was carried through both Houses with almost unprecedented rapidity, and among modern penal laws it is almost unprecedentedly drastic. The penalty of flogging is permitted if not prescribed, and this innovation is unreservedly justified by Mr. Roosevelt, who calls attention to the significant fact that on the very day the bill became law there began a hurried exodus from London of men and women who had been practising their vile calling almost with impunity.

It is not likely that floggings under the authority of this law will be at all numerous; it is quite certain that they will do the convicted traffickers no harm. The utter debased wretches who have woven a network of co-operation in a traffic that has become widely international in its scope, are incapable of being made more hardened than they are now, and perhaps the infliction may help to humanize them. Every civilized nation on the face of the earth should enact prohibitions as drastic and penalties as deterrent as those contained in the British statute, and then no long interval would elapse until the most abominable traffic that ever disgraced any kind of civilization would be speedily exterminated.—Toronto Globe.

ENGLISH PUGS START AN INVASION

Boxers from Britain Will Cross to Try and Capture American Laurels

New York, March 3.—English boxers are again casting covetous eyes in this direction, and promoters are planning a series of international contests. The invasion of the United States of America has already started with Bombardier Wells in the van, and Jim Driscoll hooked to follow within the next week or ten days; Freddy Welch, the "two-time" champion lightweight of Great Britain, will also honor this country with his presence on the 15th of March. Bombardier Wells is here to do business with any of the leading white heavies. Luther McCarthy preferred. Driscoll will try to arrange a match for the international featherweight championship with Johnny Kilbane, the American title-holder and Welsh wants Willie Ritchie's scalp.

When Freddie was last in this country the demand for his services was not very brisk. It was then thought that the fast little Briton had shot his bolt as a boxer of the highest class. He spent several weeks in Gotham in a futile attempt to get a match and finally sailed away in disgust at the turn things had taken. But now it is very much different; Freddy lingered long enough at home to win back the lightweight title, and his services are eagerly sought by American promoters.

Welsh writes that his main object in making the trip is to get the match with Ritchie. He advances claims to the best right to first battle our new champion and it must be admitted his case is a good one. Freddy has a decision over Willie, and it is up to the latter to wipe that stain from his scutcheon. Welsh also calls attention to his own achievements of the last few months, during which time he defeated Matt Wells and Hughy Mehegan, champions of England and Australia, respectively, and points out that precedent and ring etiquette demand Ritchie should be the challenger.

I believe Willie would welcome a return match with Freddy. It was only by the narrowest of margins that Welsh scored on the other occasions, and Ritchie was hardly more than a begin-

ner at the time. Now that he has won his spurs and gained the experience and confidence that goes with a title, he is entirely a different proposition, as the clever Welsh may learn to his sorrow.

BIG AMATEUR HOCKEY SERIES IN TORONTO

Proposal to Hold Annual Tournament with All Champion Teams Taking Part.

Toronto, March 1.—If present plans materialize Toronto will in two weeks' time have a hockey competition that will settle the oft-disputed question as to which team is to be classed as the champions of Canada.

The Allan cup competition has been more or less of a farcical nature. The cup is now held in Winnipeg, and none of the eastern champion clubs is likely to go west to play for it. However, a project is on foot that will pave the way for a great annual competition that will be really and truly a championship tournament. The plan includes the formation of a Canadian Amateur Hockey Association on much the same lines as the Canadian Rugby Football Union, with an automatic system of movable annual games for the championship.

At present, however, it is the intention to hold the competition in Toronto this year, and invitations have been extended to the following teams to compete: Champions of the Ontario Hockey Association, probably St. Michael's.

Champions of the Intercollegiate Union—Toronto 'Varsity. Champions of the Manitoba Hockey Union—The Winnipeg Hockey Club, present holders of the Allan cup.

Champions of the Interprovincial Union—Either New Edinburghs of Ottawa or Grand Mere, Que.

His Anxiety.

She—You must see papa, dear, about our marriage. But don't be anxious about the outcome. He—What I'm anxious about is the income.—Boston Transcript.

Neil McIver arrived home last Saturday night, after spending a couple or three weeks with Vancouver and Seattle friends.—Omineca Herald.

CHINESE MAY BUY ALASKA JADE MINE

Canton Firm Will Send Representative to Examine Property Near Nome.

Valdez, Alaska, March 4.—Chinese capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of a jade mine at Kobuk, according to advices received by Walter Koen, owner of the property.

Koen says he took a ton of the jade from the mine last summer and shipped it to San Francisco, where it was bought by a jade cutting firm of Canton and sent to China.

Finding it to be of the finest quality the Chinese firm has notified Mr. Koen that they will send a representative to Nome this summer to inspect the property with a view to buying the claims.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Humphrey of Chicago, Ill., have arrived in Prince Rupert to take up permanent residence here. Mr. Humphrey will be connected with the office of C. E. Bainter, real estate dealer.

F. K. Wishart, who has been spending a few days in the city on business, returned to his home at Terrace to-day.

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And It Had Been Coming to Scoop for Three Years

Drawn for The Daily News by "HOP"

SON, IF ANYBODY COMES UP HERE AND ASKS FOR ME TODAY, YOU TELL 'EM I'M NOT IN, SEE? THEN IF AN OFFICER COMES TO SERVE A SUMMONS ON ME IN THAT LIBEL SUIT, HE WON'T FIND ME, THAT'S ALL! BOY - I'M LOOKING FOR A REPORTER NAMED SCOOP! GUY CALLED AN' LEFT THAT NOTE FOR YOU! DEAR SCOOP - SORRY YOU WEREN'T IN - I CALLED TO PAY THAT FIVE SPOT - YOURS - HARRY - WHICH WAY DID HARRY GO?

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES.

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WATER NOTICE.

For a License to Take and Use Water. Notice is hereby given that Jack Bonnar, of Kitsumakum Lake, B. C., will apply for license to take and use 150 miners' inches of water out of Hall Creek, which flows in a westerly direction through Lots 1432 and 1431, Range V., Coast District, and empties into Kitsumakum Lake near southwest corner of Lot 1432. The water will be diverted at a point about 1/2 mile up from the mouth and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as southerly portion of Lot 1431, Range V., Coast District.

For a License to Take and Use Water. Notice is hereby given that W. McIntomney, of Goose Bay, will apply for license to take and use 150 miners' inches of water out of Bonanza Creek, which flows in a southerly direction and empties into Goose Bay near Queen's Hotel. The water will be diverted at a point 1/2 mile up and will be used for mining purposes on the land described as Big Copper and Acaid miners' claims.

Take notice that Atlin Construction Company, Limited, has deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and with the Registrar of Deeds for the Prince Rupert Registration District a description and plans of works to be constructed on the following described lands: All and singular that parcel or portion of Prince Rupert Harbor and foreshore adjoining Lot Five Hundred and Forty-one (541), Range Five (5), Coast District, British Columbia, containing by admeasurement twenty-one and seven one-hundredths (21.07) acres, the same more or less, described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the intersection of the southerly boundary of said Lot Five Hundred and Forty-one (541) with high water mark, thence easterly and westerly, following high water mark, to the place beginning, containing 640 acres.

Take notice that after the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof, application for approval of such works will be made to the Governor in Council at Ottawa. Dated this 14th day of February, 1913. ATLIN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LIMITED.

Take notice that J. Filippo Panvini, of Prince Rupert, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on the following described lands: The west coast of Graham Island, commencing at a post planted one mile from the southeast corner of Coal use 7432; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east, to the place beginning, containing 640 acres.

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Take notice that James D. Peebles, of Vancouver, B. C., engineer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the west coast of Forcher Island, about 1/2 miles southeast of mouth of Humpback Creek, half chain from shore, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains following shore line to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Take notice that Robert Reid, of Vancouver, B. C., contractor, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the west coast of Forcher Island, about 1/2 miles southeast of mouth of Humpback Creek and at the north end of Chis-Passage, half chain from beach, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains following shore line to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

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Take notice that after the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof, application for approval of such works will be made to the Governor in Council at Ottawa. Dated this 15th day of February, 1913. ATLIN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LIMITED.

EDMONTON PREPARING FOR BOWLING TOURNEY

Alberta Congress Will Meet on March 24 to 29—\$1,200 in Prizes is Up

Edmonton, Alta., March 4.—Frank Simonton, president of the Alberta bowling congress, announces that the annual provincial tournament will take place in Edmonton March 24 to 29, under the auspices of the Olympic League. \$1,200 in prizes will be hung up in the competition, as follows: Five men team (open), first, \$250; second, \$125; third, \$50; five men team (open only to towns of less than 8,000 population), first, \$125; second, \$50; third, \$25; doubles, first, \$100; second, \$60; third, \$25; fourth and fifth, \$20; sixth, \$15; seventh, \$10; eighth and ninth, \$8; tenth, \$4.

There are fifty-four towns with bowling alleys in the province of Alberta," said President Simonton, "and we should have at least 150 visiting bowlers. Preparations are being made to give the devotees of the mineralite a good time, in addition to putting up the real article in the way of bowling. The Olympic League will enter five teams and the three newspapers and business houses here will put on at least double that number. Entries close March 14.

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PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR REPLIES TO NEWS

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tives and duties of the pulpit, especially those duties which "do not appeal to many of those present." There was a class of unfortunates for whom Christ had nothing but compassionate forgiveness; but no one is so direct and unsparing as Christ in the exposure of the hidden nurslings of sin. We have good reason for believing that many of Christ's utterances did "not appeal to many present."

But whatever slight pain I may have felt at your rigorous criticism, was more than counterbalanced at the pleasure of finding Saul among the prophets, and the newspaper in the role of moral censor. To criticize the moral and social policy advocated by the pulpit is always welcome; and even for a newspaper to become spiritual adviser to one in the pulpit whom it may count as less experienced, is welcome, provided that the newspaper has given ample proof of its moral reliability. But to enter into an arena like this, where a man was left alone with his God, implies either a very secure spiritual standing or a deficient sense of reverence.

Has the Daily News qualified itself to be reliable in moral censorship? Has it been strong and steadfast and consistent in its moral attitude? Even if it be not the duty of a newspaper to lead campaigns for moral and social betterment, when such issues have been forced upon the community has it made clear its position in no uncertain words?

People coming to our city say that our town fairly bristles with moral dangers. Excellent families have left here because they say they are unwilling to bring their children up in this atmosphere. Here are fields which may offer scope almost as great as the heinous offence of Sunday night which roused the moral ire of the News. But it is proverbial that it requires less courage to score the pulpit than to score social offenders; or to criticize on grounds of taste than on grounds of morals.

A few months ago I attended a show in the Westholme Theatre. The raw vulgarity of the show did not even appeal to a majority of the people present. I was informed afterwards that some of our citizens told the Director of the Company that such stuff was unpalatable to Prince Rupert audiences. Yet apparently it was not distasteful to the moral censor of the News. The report in your paper put a high estimate upon it.

So that on the whole, I feel that my judgment in this case is as reliable as your own. This is no new method of mine. It has all the best traditions of the church behind it; it has the example of our Master behind it; and I venture to believe that the large number of unknown, miscellaneous men in our congregation every Sunday, find their way there partly because in their hearts they have no desire of having their conscience lulled into sleep.

Yours sincerely, F. W. KERR.

PRACTICAL JOKER WORKS IN WALES

Hoaxed Military Authorities and on St. David's Day, Too.

Cardiff, Wales, March 4.—The Welsh military authorities were the victims today of a hoax similar to that which recently caused the entire German garrison at Strassburg to assemble for inspection by Emperor William, whose approach was announced by a practical joker.

Military and police officials received apparently authoritative instructions to begin the mobilization of the territorial troops on a war footing. Walls and billboards were promptly placarded with the mobilization order, and telegrams were sent to all territorial soldiers residing in outlying districts. The arrangements for billeting the men on inhabitants of the town were well under way before the hoax was discovered.

QUEBEC CHAMPIONS WILL VISIT COAST

Montreal Despatch Declares That Stanley Cup Holders Will Play This Month.

Montreal, March 4.—Manager Mike Quinn of the Quebec Hockey Club is said to have made the statement in connection with Lester Patrick's proposition for a series of games at the Pacific Coast to decide the Canadian hockey championship, that they would likely accept. It is evident in fact that they will go so far as they have cancelled arrangements by which they were to have played the Ottawas and Wanderers in a series of games in New York.

It was intended to have a world's championship series between the three first teams in the N. H. A., but Quebec objected to Wanderers being given the bye, and have called everything off. This is regarded as a subterfuge to enable them to go to the Pacific Coast to play. Manager Quinn of the champions, said his arrangements were not complete, but added that they would undoubtedly go to the coast, as the Patrick inducements were sufficiently attractive.

As for putting the Stanley cup as the stake, he said that was absurd. Quebec will only defend the Stanley cup at the Ancient Capital. Victoria must meet the N. H. A. champions on their own ice, or not at all, as far as games for the Stanley cup are concerned.

TREMBLAY LOSES TITLE

Lightweight Champion Wrestler Beaten in Montreal

Montreal, March 4.—In two straight falls Paradis, the New England wrestler, won the lightweight championship of the world from Eugene Tremblay here last night. The first fall took 55 minutes and the second 15 minutes. Tremblay had held the championship for nearly seven years.

Twin Misfortunes.

"Here I have an electric run about on my hands." "I'll match you. I've got a shocking run around on my finger."—Baltimore American.

NOTICE TO FISHERMEN. Any fisherman desiring to fish unattached from canneries must make application for license to the Fishery Officer at Prince Rupert before March 15th, 1913.

FERGUSON'S 'P. & O.' Liqueur Scotch Whisky. Dr. J. Nichol, Llandudno, reports:—"Your whisky is, in my opinion, an excellent and well matured spirit and as such I can conscientiously recommend to patients requiring such a beverage."

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Better than Ringing Door-bells. A PIANO manufacturer recently made a house-to-house canvass. He's one of those men with an absurd fear of the "waste-circulation" bugaboo—cannot get away from the haunting thought that only 10 out of every 100 readers of a newspaper may be possible buyers of his goods.

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