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GRUNTY GRUNDY SAYS:

The weather man, like the McBride government, seems to have got into a rut of wasteful extravagance.

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## POWER PROPOSAL BEFORE CITY COUNCIL TONIGHT

### PRIVY COUNCIL DECIDES ON FISHERIES QUESTION--HIGH COST OF LIVING INVESTIGATION

#### WANT CITY TO TAKE POWER UP TO 3000 H.P. FOR TWENTY YEARS

COUNCIL MAY OFFER OPTIONAL PROPOSITION — WILL DISCUSS HYDRO-ELECTRIC OFFER THIS EVENING

After intermittent dickerings with several city councils the Prince Rupert Hydro-Electric Company will submit an offer to the city council this evening which, if rumor is correct, may be an acceptable one to the citizens.

The details will not be known until this evening, when it will be formally placed before the council, but from sources interested in the proposed deal The Daily News got a hint of what will be in the offer.

The agreement as finally adjusted for presentation to the council will ask the city to take any amount of power up to 3,000 horsepower for a period of 20

years. The power is to be delivered at a point outside the city limits and the city is to do the distributing. There will be no franchise. The council may have a readjustment of prices every five years. If at any time the city uses more than 3,000 horsepower it may put in its own plant.

It is understood that the city council will also submit an alternative bylaw to raise money for a city auxiliary plant, as the present plant is totally inadequate for the work now being done. The electors will probably have both propositions placed before them at the forthcoming civic election.

#### HUERTA'S GENERALS ARE QUITTING HIM

Seven of Them Ready to Surrender and Break Backbone of His Army

(Special to The Daily News.)

Juarez, Dec. 3.—Seven Generals of the Mexican regular army are ready to surrender and to break the back-bone of Huerta's dictatorship in the north. A peace commission arrived here last night bearing the terms of surrender. The proclamation stated that Huerta and his government were bankrupt and unable to pay his soldiers.

London, Dec. 3.—The Times despatches from Mexico draw attention to the desperate situation that is developing in consequence of the attitude of the United States. They declare that if the American tactics of watchful waiting continue to be pursued there are no words too strong to paint the disastrous results that will ensue.



ENGLAND'S NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC CRAZE

Society women in the Old Country are having themselves photographed as statuettes these days. The fad may come over to Canada any time. The above is a reproduction from a recent photograph of a prominent London leader of fashionable society.

#### MAN HUNT THAT HAS ALREADY COST SIX LIVES HAS ENDED

DESPERATE MURDERER IS PROBABLY SUFFOCATED IN MINE WHERE HE TOOK REFUGE—TWO HUNDRED DEPUTIES STILL ON WATCH.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Bingham, Utah, Dec. 3.—No sound has been heard since yesterday morning from the Utah Apex mine, in which Ralph Lopez, the desperado and murderer of six persons, had been driven to bay by the posse. The previous evening smudges were lit early in the workings. With all the exits to the mine except that of the Andy tunnel sealed with mud and with poisonous gases floating back into the depths of the workings, it was expected the fugitive would make a break for liberty.

A large amount of dynamite is stored in the mine, and knowing Lopez could easily blow out one of the bulkheads, the seven sher-

iffs early today stationed a dozen deputies at each of the fifteen tunnel mouths with orders to shoot him on sight.

The ten thousand inhabitants of this canyon-walled mining town, deep in drifts of snow, were waiting in tense excitement for the denouement of the man hunt that already has cost six lives.

Last night it was believed that the gas-filled mine had become the fugitive's tomb and the tense watchfulness of the seven sheriffs and over two hundred deputies was somewhat relaxed. But the number of guards was not lessened and poisonous gases were generated in the lowest level of the mine.

#### FEARED PARTY OF FOUR LAND STAKERS LOST IN OPEN SEA

LEFT OVER TWO WEEKS AGO FOR PRESCOTT ISLAND — DUE BACK IN FOUR DAYS—SMALL FOOD SUPPLY

J. W. Chappel and party of land stakers who left here over two weeks ago for a four days trip to Prescott Island, have not returned. It is feared they have been lost at sea. They had only a few days' grub. The intention was to stake some land on Prescott Island, which is outside Porcher Island on Dixon's Entrance.

With Mr. Chappel was Mr. Fel-lowfield, and a man known as Jimmy-the-Smuggler. They ex-

pected to return two weeks ago and as there has been several periods of favorable weather since then it is supposed that they are either marooned by an accident on the island or have been blown out to sea.

If they are ashore they will be all right as far as food is concerned.

The marine department has been informed of the missing men and a launch has been sent out to look for them.

#### TAIL END OF A STORM

Wires Down and Crossed, Windows Broken—What Might Have Been

It has been a bad one! Three days of wind and rain. It has been a general storm all along the coast. Prince Rupert got the tail end of the blow and most of the precipitation. It has been the longest continuous rain fall on record here, but it might have been worse. A meteorological mathematician has figured out that had it been snow we would have been tunneling under six feet of it.

The damage by wind has been trifling compared with previous storms. The telegraph wires suffered considerably, there being a number of breaks and interruptions.

The city telephone department had a great many cross wires and a few breaks. They are not all repaired yet.

The city lighting plant suffered a few breaks but these are all repaired. Down in the business section three plate glass windows blew out—two in the Hays' block and one in German's shoe store.

#### TOMORROW EVENING

Anglican Church Bazaar Offers a Good Chance to Get Presents

The ladies of the Anglican church will tomorrow night make a splendid display of Christmas gifts in the K. of P. Hall. There will be gifts of all kinds, not only for the children but for the grown-ups also. But a special effort will be made to please the little ones, and the fairy booths will be a most important feature. The "Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe" will be there, and many other favorites of the young, and there will be home products, arts and crafts, flowers, candies and all the rest of it.

#### CAME NEAR TO CHURCHILL

His Companion Aviator on Monday Killed Yesterday

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Dec. 3.—Major Lushington, head of the aviation corps with whom First Lord of the Admiralty Churchill took a forty minute flight on Monday, was killed yesterday, when his aeroplane fell to the earth.

#### REVENUE FALLING OFF

First Result of New United States Tariff

(Special to The Daily News.)

Washington, Dec. 3.—Under the new tariff of the United States the customs revenue for November fell off to the extent of four and a half million dollars.

#### HIGH COST OF LIVING TO BE INVESTIGATED

Suggestion That it be Made by Parliamentary Committee of Both Sides of House

(Special to The Daily News.)

Ottawa, Dec. 3.—Political interest at the capital at present centres around the proposal to appoint a royal commission to investigate and make report on the high cost of living. Several suggestions have been made, among them that enquiry be made by a parliamentary committee of both sides of the house with W. F. Nichol, of Kingston, chairman. Another is that enquiry be made by a single commissioner of outstanding prominence.

Petitions were received by Premier Borden from Winnipeg, Montreal and Toronto city councils asking for an investigation of the high cost of living. The question was discussed at the cabinet council yesterday and there is to be an inquiry sometime, but just how conducted has not yet been determined.

#### UNIONISTS IN CANADA

Request an Ulster Officer to Make Inspection Tour

(Special to The Daily News.)

Belfast, Dec. 3.—A request received from Ulster Unionists with headquarters in Canada for an officer to be sent to the Dominion to inspect Ulster volunteers in Toronto and Winnipeg.

#### Bonaventura Arrived Today

The steamer Bonaventura with structural steel for the dry dock and rails for the railway tied up at the dry dock at two o'clock this afternoon.

Our sale extends to Saturday and we have the best bargains to be had in the whole city. Demers. 283-284

#### CONDENSED DESPATCHES

(Special to The Daily News.)

Wellington, N.Z.—Naval Defence Bill, which provides for the contribution of officers and men in lieu of money, introduced into House.

Ottawa — Japanese immigration, as well as Hindu, shows a great increase.

New Westminster—Seven men charged with assaulting Constable Taylor during Nanaimo riots, declared not guilty by jury.

Paris — Government defeated last night and have handed resignations to President Poincare.

Blythe, Cal.—Two robbers entered Palo Verde Valley bank, shot and killed cashier and got away with \$5,000.

#### Registry Office Revenue Growing

One very good indication of the growth of Prince Rupert and local business is shown by the land registry office receipts. In May, 1909, they amounted to \$78; a year later they were \$483 for the month. In May, 1911, they increased to \$629. May, 1912, brought in \$1425, and the same month this year the revenue jumped to \$2540. This latter sum has been about the average for every month this year.

Don't miss the chance of the Xmas season. Our sale extends to Saturday. Demers. 283-284

The Daily News has the largest circulation in Northern B.C.

#### PROVINCE APPEAL ON FISHERIES QUESTION

Long Judgment delivered by Lord Haldane Favoring Rights of the Dominion

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Dec. 3.—A long judgment was delivered yesterday by Lord Haldane of the Privy Council, in the appeal of the Government of British Columbia in respect to fishing rights. The law lords have decided the fisheries question in favor of the Dominion and declare that the fishing in tidal water is open to all exclusive of the power of regulation, which rests with the Dominion parliament. The right to fish in arms and estuaries of the sea is declared a public right of the same character as that enjoyed by the public on the open seas.

#### SOUTH AFRICAN HEAD TAX

Secretary of State for India Desires Investigation

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Dec. 3.—The Marquis of Crew, Lord of the Privy Seal and Secretary of State for India, in reference to the treatment of the East Indians in South Africa declares opposition to the poll tax that is imposed in that country. He declares that it serves no good purpose. He associates himself with Lord Hardinge, the viceroy of India, in favoring a full investigation into the whole question.

#### Lots of Wood Selling

"It is surprising how much wood is being sold in the city now," remarked a man on the waterfront this morning. The wood is brought in from Smith's Island. A chopper is working in the slough there and the cordwood delivered in the city costs \$7 or \$8. Wood is also being taken from Section Two and finds a ready sale.

Loose Leaf Ledger forms at the Daily News office.

#### THE GEORGE SALVED BIG GASOLINE BOAT

Was Broken Down and Being Driven on the Rocks in the Gulf of Georgia

When the G. T. P. steamer Prince George arrived on Saturday evening at Vancouver from Prince Rupert she took in the big gasoline launch B.B., which she found broken down in the Gulf, and about two and a half miles off Siwash Rock.

The Prince George, Capt. Donald, was racing in from Prince Rupert and the officer of the watch and look-out heard cries for help. The big coast liner slowed down and turned her searchlight loose and the beams picked up the B.B. rolling helplessly in the trough of a big sea. The Prince George put a line aboard and started to tow but the first line parted. A stouter hawser was made fast and the launch was taken into Vancouver harbor.

#### AMBITIOUS KIRMESS

Miss Ethel Gray Engages Westholme for Function

Miss Ethel Gray announces that she will give a kirmess in the Westholme Opera House on the 12th, upon the lines of the one which Prof. Douglas gave here so successfully last year, and the much larger one given by him in Seattle in which Miss Gray took part. The Kirmess is to be given on the stage of the opera house, with special scenery and appointments. The performers will be twenty pupils, selected from Miss Gray's classes, ranging in age from four to twelve, and they will illustrate all the latest dances, Scotch, Irish and Egyptian. Also they will give the latest songs, accompanied by the Westholme orchestra.

In order to give everybody a chance of our sale we have extended it till Saturday. Demers. 283-84

#### JOLLY SKATING PARTY

Given at Auditorium Last Night by Mrs. Roberson

Mrs. Roberson was hostess at a very jolly skating party in the Auditorium last night. The floor was in excellent order and with all new selections of music the conditions were all that could be desired.

During the evening Mrs. Roberson served a pretty luncheon and the party was brought to an end about 10.30 by the singing of "God Save the King."

Among those present were the following: Mrs. Roberson, Miss Drummond, Miss S. Jenks, Miss McCroskie, Miss Fisher, Miss Thompson, Miss Grant, Miss Ellet, Messrs. Linnell, Lane, McFarlane, Gamble, Newcombe, Crippen, D. B. Hunter, Roach, H. O. Crew, S. Harrison, E. D. Harris and A. H. Tomlinson.

#### WHEN IS AN INDIAN

Mary Watson Claims to be White but the Police Say She is a Klotch

Is Mary Watson, Indian or White? That is a question which is bothering police court officials. Mary gets drunk and is a general nuisance among the Indians. Yesterday she was found in the Grand Hotel and was fined \$10 today on the drunk charge.

A charge of supplying liquor to an Indian also arises out of the case. The man's name is Robert Russell, but he pleads not guilty; also Mary pleads that she is white. She is the daughter of a Port Simpson chief. Nine years ago she married a white man and for some time lived in Rupert. During the summer when her husband was away she lived on the reserve at Simpson. The police say her home here is like an Indian's, and under the Indian Act as interpreted by the police, anyone living the life of an Indian or being on the reserve is an Indian.

Mary says herself it's a funny proposition.

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**:: Grand Kirmess ::**  
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THE DOUBLE
STANDARD POWER

Rev. F. W. Kerr has become
famous for propounding theo-
ries that are both startling and
convincing. In his sermon on
Sunday night he had the
courage to handle a subject
that statesmen will only men-
tion beneath their breath,
"Shall Britain Retain the Double
Standard Power?"

In support of that proposition the
people of Great Britain stand
ready to bleed themselves
white and the Dominions
themselves bid fair to become
a partner in the mad fight.

Why? The Germans are the
only people who seem to chal-
lenge that supremacy and we
have their reiterated assuran-
ces that their policy is entire-
ly for defence. Possibly in-
deed they would like to get a
slice of the rich lands that are
now inhabited by barbarians.

From what we see of the
Germans we know them to be
men of industry. They are not
a warlike people. War is de-
structive and the leading idea
of the German is constructive.

did not maintain the double
standard power, no nation in
the world would ever dare in-
vade our shores.

In view of these facts why not
let the German catch up in the
race for power. Instead of
building Dreadnoughts let the
British use these many mil-
lions in paying off the national
debt. With this debt paid off
their people prosperous and
their treasury full, what na-
tion would dare attack them?

The Western Mail of Lon-
don, Eng., is featuring a lot of
Indian stories of some British-
er who paid a tourist visit to
a prairie Indian village. The
Indians may be very picture-
que to a man soused with Fen-
imore Cooper literature, but
they represent a very trifling
phase of Canadian life, and
they are not a feature which
Canadians want used as an ad-
vertisement.

Making roads with a mattock
and a shovel in these days of
road machinery, is an apt il-
lustration of the backwardness
of the McBride government in
their policy of developing the
country. Certainly their rec-
ord in Skeena district is not
one to be proud of.

After prohibiting the use of
automobiles for years the
Prince Edward Island legisla-
ture now allow motor cars on
the roads three days a week.

Tellier, the French inventor
of cold storage, recently died
of starvation. His invention
will be one of Prince Rupert's
greatest industries.

The newest dance is called
the "shark swish." It was in-
vented by the ladies to test the
sobriety of their prospective
partners. A man who can say
it without stuttering could
probably dance without stum-
bling.

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SIR WILFRID LAURIER SAYS HIGH COST OF LIVING IS MORE
IMPORTANT THAN COST OF DREADNOUGHTS
TO CANADA.

In the despatches of yesterday
was a brief announcement that
the Liberals of Ottawa desired
Sir Wilfrid Laurier to go further
in the policy he mapped out for
the opposition than he did in the
course of his speech at Hamilton.

"It is true I might say some-
thing about reciprocity," said Sir
Wilfrid, "but I have no recrim-
inations to make. The problem
is before us; let us bury the past
and look to the future. There
our duty lies. The situation re-
quires action and prompt action.

"Certainly I do, but somebody
will tell me that the tariff which
is in force today is the Fielding
tariff of 1897. So it is, but the
Fielding tariff was made for the
needs of that time, not for all
eternity. It has been the policy
of the Liberal party at all times
to stand so far as possible for
stability in tariff, but when the
needs of the people call for ac-
tion, action must be taken.

"What is of immediate inter-
est to the people of Canada to-
day?" he went on. "Not the price
of dreadnoughts. There is one
thing which at this moment en-
gages the minds of the Canadian
people from the Pacific to the At-
lantic coasts, it is a far more
prosaic and far more vital ques-
tion—it is the question of the
high cost of living.

"A table of statistics lately
compiled by the British Board of
Trade, which is known for its
accuracy, has stated that the cost
of living has increased 7 per cent.
in Great Britain during the last

decade and in Canada 51 per cent.
Now just one point here. Reflect
that Canada produces nearly 200,-
000,000 bushels of wheat yearly,
while the consumption is only
50,000,000 bushels, and the sur-
plus has to find a market abroad.
Up to this time practically the
only market has been the market
of Great Britain. If, then, we re-
flect that Great Britain has to
import all the wheat which she
consumes and if we reflect fur-
ther that the price of the wheat
and the price of bread is cheaper
in Great Britain than in Canada,
then you would have to agree
with me that there must be some-
thing rotten in the state of Den-
mark, Canada.

"And I have not reached the
end of the high cost of living.
The cost of living will be higher
in two or three years than it is
today. What is the cause? By
the reductions in the American
tariff, milk, cream, swine, sheep,
beef and many other articles
have been placed upon the free
list in the United States. There-
fore these products are already
rushing toward the United States.
We know in the matter of cattle
alone they are rushing carloads
every day from all parts of Can-
ada where there are cattle toward
the American market.

"But these articles I have
named cannot come back free
from the United States into Can-
ada and if no products of the
same kind can come back the re-
sult is that these articles, which
are the staple food of the people,
are growing scarcer in Canada
and the price increases, as that
is a natural condition of things.
"The situation requires prompt
action and the policy which I
give you, the policy which I
think patriotic Canadians ought
to support at the present time, is
that the duty of the government
at Ottawa is to give us absolute
free food of all kinds, with no
duty."

The ways of the coal man are
cru-el;
He was trained at a burgulars'
schu-el.
The ice man was bad,
His successor's more sad;
Each small chunk of carbon's a
ju-el.

ATTEMPTS MADE TO
BLOW UP THE MINE

Strikers Placed Dynamite Near
Compressor House

Calumet, Mich., Nov. 27.—The
Michigan copper mine strike took
a serious turn again tonight
when an attempt was made to
blow up the compressor house at
the Ahmeek mine. A heavy charge
of dynamite was exploded by
time fuse, but the force of the
explosion was spent outside the
building. The most serious dam-
age consisted of shattered win-
dows.

Business.

Lady of the House (to persist-
ent peddler)—If you don't go
away immediately I shall whistle
for the dog.

Peddler (calmly)—Then let me
sell you a whistle, mum.

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I'M GONNA QUIT HAVIN'
STAGE FRIGHT AN'
WALK RIGHT IN AN'
ASK FOR A JOB LIKE
I WAS SOMEBODY-
IT'S FRONT
THAT COUNTS
EDITORIAL
ROOMS-
MORNIN' SIR- HOW
GOES IT- NICE DAY
AIN'T IT- I'M LOOKIN'
FOR A J-
← SPOKEN
BREEZILLY
AND AT
HOME-LIKE
- FOR AH
UH- JUH-
JAH-
REAL
FAST
GEE- I'VE
FORGOTTEN
WHAT I
WAS
LOOKIN'
FOR!
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CANADA OFFICIALLY WELCOMES THE TANGO DANCE

While the careful dames of London and New York are debating on the advisability of permitting the Tango Dance at their popular functions, and Queen Mary has absolutely tabooed it, Canada has given it a sort of official welcome.

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MATHIEU'S SYRUP OF TAR & COD LIVER OIL

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Ground Hog, Mountain Goat and Eagle mineral claims, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Farmian mineral claim, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

IN THE MATTER OF THE WINDING UP ACT, BEING CHAPTER 144 OF THE REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA AND AMENDING ACTS AND IN THE MATTER OF THE PRINCE RUPERT FISH AND GOLD STORAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

WATER NOTICE.

For a License to Take and Use Water. Notice is hereby given that Joseph Ulmer, of Goose Bay, B. C., will apply for a water out of Boulder Creek.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, Nov. 30th, for the erection of an apartment building for the Prince Rupert Housing & Investment Co.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

The heavy loss of life and property sustained as a result of the recent tempest on the Great Lakes and which inevitably will hit the insurance companies affected hard, revives the question of the establishment of a Canadian Lloyds.

The ex-hangman, James Berry, who had executed more than 500 men, died the other day at Bradford, York.

It is very evident that the British war office intends strengthening the position of its representatives in India, for instead of appointing an officer of the British army to the important position of commander-in-chief in succession to Sir O'Moore Creagh, Sir Beauchamp Duff has been selected from the Indian army.

Aged one hundred and eight years, Thomas Grant has just died at Killeavy, County Armagh. Three weeks ago Grant was working in the fields assisting to stack the corn.

An expenditure of \$2,500,000 for good roads in the Province of Manitoba was announced by Sir Rodmond Roblin at Minnedosa last week.

During the hunting season, which ended Sunday, there were 135 lives lost in twenty-one states of the United States.

More than one-third of Australia's residents live in four cities—Sydney, Adelaide, Melbourne and Brisbane.

The Hamburg-American Line has decided to reduce the steerage fare to New York to \$29.50 and the fare to Boston and Philadelphia to \$27. The other members of the Atlantic steamship pool are expected to adopt the same rates.

A congressman has introduced a bill to prevent shipment of any goods which have been in cold storage over ninety days. This would suit the dealers in canned goods.

In the federal prison at Atlanta, Georgia, prisoners are no longer identified by numbers, but their names are used. A further step forward is taken and the prisoners are permitted to use aliases to conceal the names which they bore before imprisonment.

Sammy Good vs. Lem Kegg of San Francisco, the main boxing event on the card at the Eagles' smoker, Tacoma, went four hard, fast rounds to a draw. Kegg is from Prince Rupert.

The Kaiser has taken drastic measures to suppress the tango craze, which has obtained a firm grip on society.

EXCUSABLE HOMICIDE

Ten Cases in Montreal in Less Than a Month

Montreal, Nov. 27.—Statistics at the Montreal morgue from the first of November to date include the following: Accidental deaths, 21; from natural causes 14; excusable homicide, 10; suicide, 4; murder, 2; homicide, 4.

Loose Leaf Ledger forms at the Daily News office.

The Australian defence forces show a grand total of 240,065, of which 281 officers and 7,507 men are connected with the navy, while 4,885 officers and 227,422 troops are attached to the army.

If Ortie E. McManigal comes to Canada, as is reported in press despatches to be his intention, he will be turned back by the immigration authorities as an undesirable, according to a statement by the superintendent of that department.

MAY SEIZE RAILWAY

Rebels Threaten One in Mexico Owned by Canadians.

El Paso, Nov. 20.—General Francisco Villa threatened today to take over the Mexican Northwestern Railroad, a property owned by Canadian capitalists, if the officials did not themselves immediately repair and operate the line.

CHINESE POLICEMAN

To Think of Finding the First in California.

Los Angeles, Nov. 30.—Los Angeles acquired the first Chinese policeman in the United States today, according to Chief of Police Sebastian, who made Lung Yip, a member of a Chinese business firm, a special officer.

He Got His.

"Father, you say there are ten cords of wood here. I say there are twelve, a difference of two cords."

BOYS' FATAL SHAM BATTLE

The sad result is that the one in the centre is dead and the other two are held for murder. The latter are sixteen and seventeen years of age and are in a serious situation as the result of an impromptu sham battle they indulged in among themselves at Fort Credit, Ontario.



CECIL BABCOCK, 101 OTTER AVE. SAID TO HAVE FIRED FATAL SHOT.



THOS. CRISP, THE YOUNG VICTIM



WM. SHERMAN, 126 MUTUAL STREET, A PARTICIPANT IN THE BATTLE.

Advertisement for Mathieu's Syrup, including product image and text describing its benefits for coughs and colds.

General News Notes section containing various news items, including 'Excusable Homicide', 'May Seize Railway', 'Chinese Policeman', and 'Boys' Fatal Sham Battle'.

Large advertisement for 'The Poor Man's University' featuring an illustration of a man reading a newspaper and text promoting knowledge gained from advertisements.

Advertisement for Perrin's Gloves, featuring a logo with a dog and text: 'Wear them — Give them PERRIN'S GLOVES'.

Advertisement for the Daily News Job Printing Department, listing services like envelopes, letterheads, business cards, and printing.

Large advertisement at the bottom of the page: 'Advertise in the "Daily News" Has the Largest Guaranteed Circulation in Northern B.C.'

