

## EFFETE EAST IS SHOCKED BY SMALL EARTHQUAKE

### THE REDISTRIBUTION BILL GIVES B.C. THIRTEEN MEMBERS—THE VICEROY OF INDIA TO RESIGN

#### COMPLAIN HOSPITAL CHARGES MEDICAL FEES ARE TOO HIGH

MEETING OF CITIZENS' LEAGUE CALLED FOR LAST EVENING WAS TO DISCUSS QUESTION—NOT MANY PRESENT—ANOTHER MEETING NEXT WEEK

The meeting of the Citizens' League called by Mr. Garopp to be held in the Presbyterian hall last evening was adjourned for lack of a quorum. Eight or ten persons dropped in, but not enough to make a meeting. The subject to have been discussed was the management of the city hospital and the alleged excessive fees charged by the hospital and the attendant physicians. A petition has been circulated for presentation to the city council and provincial government asking for the appointment

of a resident physician with the object of getting cheaper attendance. This petition has been quite largely signed but some think it does not go far enough. Particular stress is laid on the charge of medical and hospital service in maternity cases. These excessive charges work a severe hardship on the family of limited means. It was decided to call another meeting next Tuesday evening at a place to be selected later, probably the city hall. The complaints will then be discussed.

#### THE REDISTRIBUTION BILL IS OUTLINED IN HOUSE COMMONS

LARGE INCREASE FOR ALL WESTERN PROVINCES—BRITISH COLUMBIA TO HAVE THIRTEEN MEMBERS—YUKON UNCHANGED—THE ISLAND LIKELY TO BE REDUCED

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, Feb. 11.—British Columbia will have thirteen members in the next parliament by the redistribution bill to be brought down by Mr. Borden. Outside of naming the number of members for each province the bill is not in detail. A report of the constituencies will be left to a committee of seven to be named after the bill passes its second reading. The figures for Prince Edward Island are left blank. It is a vexed question whether the island gets four or will be reduced to three members, as the British North America Act requires. This will be

fought out in committee. If Prince Edward Island is granted four members the total in the house will be 234. All western provinces have increased representation, no less than 23 new members in all. Manitoba and Saskatchewan will have 15 and 16 respectively, Alberta 12, British Columbia 13, and the Yukon unchanged. The premier explained the two main principles to be considered by the committee, one being the question of equality of population in the ridings, the other the following of the boundary lines of municipalities. The duty of the committee was to harmonize both these principles.

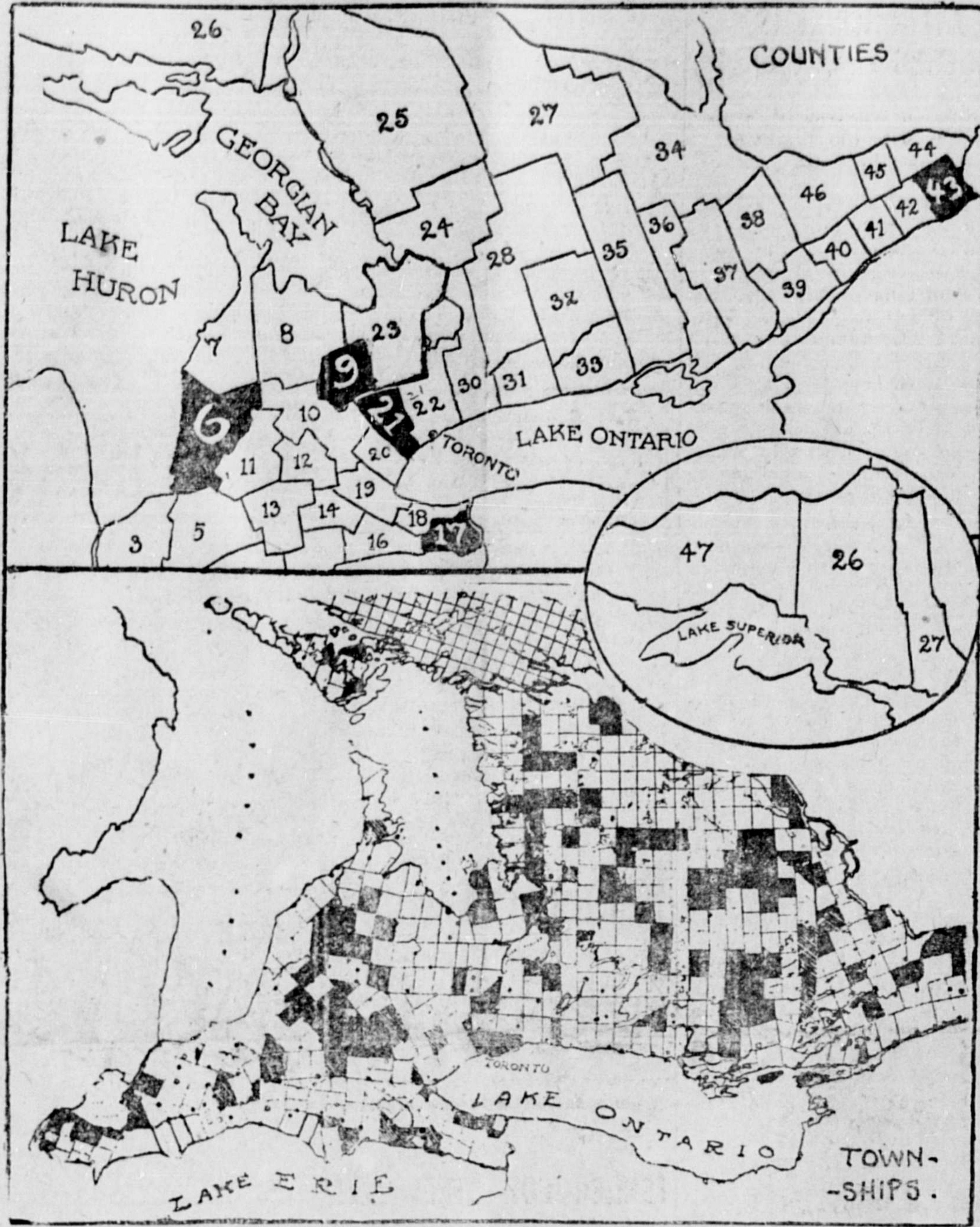
#### MAYOR GOING SOUTH TO TACKLE BOWSER

Wants to Arrange an Extension of Credit for Government Bill

A special meeting of the city council will be held at 8 o'clock this evening to appoint a temporary mayor. Mayor Newton leaves Friday for Victoria for the purpose of interviewing the provincial government to get an extension of credit on the amount due the government. When the amount for the treasury notes sale comes in \$125,000 has to be first paid to the provincial government under the present agreement. The city council realizes that the government takes theirs there will be insufficient money left to carry out the hydro-electric scheme. Therefore they want to stand the government off.

Turkey has given English capitalists contracts to reorganize its naval arsenals and dockyards with all the latest appliances known to naval construction. Daily News "Want Ads." get results.

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OLD ONTARIO GETS DRYER EVERY DAY

The counties of Huron, Peel and Welland voted majorities in favor of the Canada Temperance Act on January 29, and thus added large slices to the temperance map of the province. The black areas on the upper map show entire areas that have gone dry. Peel, Huron and Welland through the Scott Act; Dufferin and Glengarry through local option. The counties are designated by numbers as follows: 1, Essex; 2, Kent; 3, Lambton; 4, Elgin; 5, Middlesex; 6, Huron; 7, Bruce; 8, Grey; 9, Dufferin; 10, Wellington; 11, Perth; 12, Waterloo; 13, Oxford; 14, Brant; 15, Norfolk; 16, Haldimand; 17, Welland; 18, Lincoln; 19, Wentworth; 20, Halton; 21, Peel; 22, York, including Toronto; 23, Simcoe; 24, Muskoka; 25, Parry Sound; 26, Algoma; 27, Nipissing; 28, Victoria and Haliburton; 29, Prince Edward; 30, Ontario; 31, Durham; 32, Peterboro; 33, Northumberland; 34, Renfrew; 35, Hastings; 36, Lennox and Addington; 37, Frontenac; 38, Lanark; 39, Leeds; 40, Grenville; 41, Dundas; 42, Stormont; 43, Glengarry; 44 and 45, Prescott and Russell; 46, Carleton; 47, Thunder Bay. In the lower maps the dry townships (as contrasted with black above) are in white. In some of the counties not yet dry there are several townships under local option.

#### HARDINGE TO RESIGN AS VICEROY OF INDIA

Believed Kitchener Will Succeed Him—Other Important Government Changes

(Special to The Daily News) London, Feb. 11.—It is quite likely that Hardinge will resign at an early date. The conviction is growing that Kitchener will succeed his as viceroy of India. It is believed that John Burns, president of the local government board, will succeed Sydney Buxton as president of the board of trade. Mr. Masterman will go to the local government board.

Dr. McNeill Back

Dr. N. McNeill, who has been absent for the past four months, returned on the Prince George this morning. The doctor put in six weeks in London, England, hospitals, and ten days in the Royal Infirmary hospital in Edinburgh. He was accompanied by Mrs. McNeill, who visited in England, Scotland and France. They returned to New York some weeks ago. The doctor intended putting in some time in the hospitals there, but the call of Prince Rupert was too strong when he reached the shores of America. He came back a little earlier than he anticipated. Mrs. McNeill and her sister, Miss Ray, are spending a couple of weeks in Vancouver prior to coming to Rupert.

#### BANDIT IS CAPTURED TOGETHER WITH GANG

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 11.—A despatch to the Times from a staff correspondent at Cumbre carries the report that Maximo Catillo, the bandit held responsible for the tunnel disaster, was captured with the remnant of his band.

The most particular people in the city eat at the Royal Cafe. Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4.

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#### GREAT EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS NEW ENGLAND

Quake Lasted for About Half a Minute—Severely Felt Also in Lower Eastern Canada

(Special to The Daily News) New York, Feb. 11.—An earthquake lasting from 15 to 30 seconds occurred here shortly after 10:30, being felt virtually all over New York state, New England, and generally through lower Eastern Canada. At Albany the shock was severe enough to shake pictures on the walls. At Binghamton a laborer was killed by a trench caving in on him.

#### "LOVE AND WAR IN MEXICO"

Good Program at the Empress Tonight  
The management of the Empress theatre are to be congratulated on being able to secure the great Lubin military production "Love and War in Mexico." The picture is in two parts and is a masterpiece in the line of military reproduction. The scenes are laid in old Mexico and existing conditions in this unfortunate country are faithfully reproduced. These pictures will be on exhibition tonight and tomorrow night.  
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#### WANT U. S. CONSULAR OFFICE LOCATED IN PRINCE RUPERT

BOARD OF TRADE COUNCIL WILL ASK SECRETARY OF STATE TO RECOMMEND IT—STANDING COMMITTEES ARE APPOINTED—WANT CITY TO HELP IN PUBLICITY

There are sixteen members on the council of the board of trade. At yesterday's meeting fourteen of them were present and one member was out of the city. Apparently the business men realize the board of trade has got to get busy this year. The meeting discussed a multitude of routine business items and disposed of the correspondence. The publicity committee reported they had received no reply from the city finance committee in respect of their request for a grant, excepting the information published in the city press. It was decided to ask the city council to appoint a committee to work in conjunction with the board's committee in trying to raise funds from the transportation companies and from other sources. The most important business was the request which will be forwarded to the Canadian secretary of state asking him to use his influence to have a United States consular office created at Prince Rupert. In view of the opening of the railroad this is

deemed necessary to expedite United States traffic passing through this port. The following standing committees were appointed: Finance—M. P. McCaffery, A. J. Morris and F. G. Dawson. Membership—H. B. Rochester, M. P. McCaffery and M. J. Hobin. Publicity—W. M. Law, T. D. Pattullo and M. J. Hobin. Fisheries—G. W. Nickerson, W. E. Williams and F. G. Dawson. Legislation—W. E. Williams, G. D. Tite and J. H. Thompson. Railway and navigation—A. J. Morris, J. G. McNab and H. B. Rochester. Freight rates—W. P. Lynch, F. G. Dawson and A. Davidson. Trade and commerce—G. D. Tite, J. H. Thompson and A. J. Morris. Mining—L. W. Patmore, A. Davidson and W. M. Law. Insurance—T. D. Pattullo, M. P. McCaffery and M. J. Hobin. Port—A. Davidson, J. G. McNab and L. W. Patmore. Civic—J. H. Thompson, W. M. Law and G. D. Tite.

#### MISS PANKHURST HAS RETURNED FROM EXILE

Noted Suffragette Back in London and Successfully Evaded the Police

(Special to The Daily News.) London, Feb. 11.—Emmeline Pankhurst has just returned from Switzerland and fooled the police into making a false arrest. She addressed the crowd from a window of her residence and taunted the government with cowardice. She announced her coming was a challenge to the police to rearrest her. Forthwith a woman emerged from the house. A crowd surged around to protect her. A lively scuffle followed. The woman was arrested and with seven others was taken to the station, when the police discovered they had been tricked by a woman attired to represent Miss Pankhurst.

The Methodists are preparing to do full honor to the anniversary of their church this year. A grand concert is to be given on Monday evening, March 2nd, which will be of the highest order. It is also expected that Rev. S. D. Chown, D.D., Methodist superintendent for all Canada, will be here to preach on the anniversary Sunday, March 1st. 34-35  
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#### CROWDS ATTACKED JAP. PARLIAMENT

Incensed Over Attitude of Government on Graft Charges—Many Injured in Fight

(Special to The Daily News) Tokyo, Feb. 10.—A riotous mob attacked the Japanese House of Parliament today. They were driven back by the police only after the entrance gates had been broken down. Scores of people were injured in the fighting. Fifteen persons were pushed into the canal during the fight near the office of the government newspaper, but all were rescued. The Diet rejected by a vote of 205 to 164 a resolution of want of confidence in the government introduced by the opposition as a protest against the attitude of the cabinet in connection with the graft charges. While the session of the House was in progress large crowds packed the neighboring streets. Several mass meetings were held during the day. The people after resolving to impeach the cabinet marched towards the house of parliament, attacking several government officials on the way. When they reached the entrance to the diet they came in contact with the police. In the course of the struggle the gate was broken and several were injured. Many have been arrested in connection with the riots.

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Wednesday, Feb. 11, 1914

As a matter of right and justice the provincial government has no claim in the world on the \$125,000 they now demand. A large part of this amount was used for local improvements that enabled them to get big prices for their lots at the auction sales. They took hundreds of thousands of dollars out of Prince Rupert, largely on the strength of those local improvements, and now they insist on getting paid again.

It is a great pity that Prince Rupert had not a representative in Victoria who carried some weight with the government. The present incumbent seems to spend his entire time in pouring unreciprocated praise upon his superiors. Why does he not try to get something for Prince Rupert? Other municipalities get concessions that we do not get. The sewer system of Greater Vancouver can get any assistance required because they have men who fight for it. Why doesn't William Manson do likewise?

It is bad enough for Bowser to hold up Prince Rupert and demand the payment of our debt in cash. It is much worse, however, when he compels us to break the law in order to do so. The law specifies that money voted for one purpose shall under no circumstances be diverted to any other channel. The treasury certificates about to be sold belong to the hydro-electric bylaw, yet Bowser insists that out of that fund the debts to the provincial gov-

ernment shall be paid. What sense of justice can such a man have? What reverence can he have for law? How can the people trust the affairs of this country to a man so entirely devoid of principle? Surely it is not necessary to appeal to party motives in opposing him. It has become entirely a matter of defending our British institutions.

In his own laconic way James J. Hill once said that the problem of the cost of living was rather the cost of high living. In that statement there is no doubt some truth, but still it does not cover the ground. The fact is that there are a large number of causes that contribute to that end and not the least of which is our high tariff.

Another cause of striking importance is our apparent lack of thrift and economy. We seem to have forgotten the old adage: "Take care of the pennies and the dollars will take care of themselves." Consequently the saving of a few cents here and there is a matter of no concern.

One of Prince Rupert's leading grocers has recently put this to the test. He decided to offer the public a big reduction in staple articles and advertised that fact throughout the town. The result was that hardly one individual took advantage of the offer to make a very material saving. On the other hand a striking advertisement often

induces people to buy at even advanced prices.

Before we can completely solve the high cost of living we must learn some lessons in the art of frugality. One dollar a week saved on your grocery bill will give you \$52 at the end of the year. Supposing that there are three thousand families in Prince Rupert, that would be a total saving of \$1,560.

It is useless, however, to preach this doctrine of economy to an extravagant age. The only cure for extravagance is want, and the high cost of living will never be solved till the pinch of want will compel both rich and poor to reverence the divine law of economy.

NEW ATLIN STRIKE IS RICHER THAN CHISANA

Confirmation Received of Report of Pay Dirt Running \$90 to the Pan

Richer than Chisana is the verdict of the new strike at O'Donnell's Creek, in the Atlin Country, where, according to reports which have just been received, four or five ounces to the pan have been taken out. One letter tells of a pan yielding \$90 being washed at Prescott and White's Drift, this being five ounces to the pan.

The sources of this information are thoroughly reliable, being vouched for by a prominent business man and there is no question that a strike far richer than Chisana has been made.

According to advices received the whole population of that section of Atlin is stampeded towards the new diggings, applications having also been made by the discoverers for a post office, while prospective storekeepers are making a move to be first on the ground.

News of this strike was first brought out some three weeks ago, being received by a Vancouver business man, who has several prospectors working for him in that territory. Until the first reports could be properly verified it was considered premature to make any announcement regarding the strike, especially as the richness of the placer ground seemed to be too good to be true.

A large number of claims have been staked along O'Donnell's creek, one company having no fewer than eleven staked.

UNION COMPANY MAY BUY BIGGER BOAT

Loss of Vadso Will Keep Company Busy Handling the Freight—Valued at \$40,000

It is causing the officials of the Union Steamship Company a great deal of worry as to how they will fill the gap caused by the loss of the Vadso. For the present, two small freight vessels, the Capilano and the Coquitlam, have been put in commission, and will run every week until some other arrangement is made. At the present time what will be done in the future has not been finally decided, but one of the officials of the company stated this morning that they would undoubtedly get a new and larger boat.

The Vadso was valued at \$40,000 and was insured for something over half that amount.

If you are in the market for a good reliable engine for business or pleasure, see Akerberg, Thomson & Co., machinists, cor. Manson Way and 1st Avenue.

Newest Notes on Science

High caste women in India, who live lives of seclusion, are beginning to wear corsets and show a decided preference for American models.

For advertising purposes there has been invented a miniature aeroplane, driven by electricity as far as its feed wire will permit it to go.

Rye grass is believed to be the oldest grass specially raised for forage, having been thus cultivated in England more than two centuries ago.

Six electric locomotives, the most powerful of their type in the world, have been ordered for service in and out of a New York railroad terminal.

The construction of a pipe line 220 miles long has enabled oil to replace wood for fuel for navigation and other purposes in the interior of Congo.

Five separate articles can be cooked over a single gas burner at once without interference by the use of a utensil that an Ohio woman has patented.

The Philippines Assembly is considering offering a substantial prize for a means of destroying a tobacco insect pest without injuring the tobacco.

Many requirements are filled by a new electric light base fitted with a suction cup bottom by which it can be attached to almost any smooth surface.

Charles Tellier, the Frenchman who invented the ammonia refrigeration process and was known as the father of the cold storage, died recently in France.

A rather elaborate easel and box for paints and brushes and which holds until it resembles a suit case, has been invented for artists by a California man.

Of German design is a jointed lamp post, the upper portion of which may be lowered by a rope for trimming street lights without the use of a ladder.

A convenient clip has been invented for holding a spoon on the edge of a medicine glass or cooking utensil where it will be within reach when wanted.

Two Cannery Boats Lost

Ketchikan, Alaska, Feb. 10.—The crew of the fishing schooner Alice, owned by E. A. Sims of Port Townsend, and the schooner's cannery tender have arrived here and reported the loss of both boats. The Alice struck on a rock off Cape Decision on Kuiu Island in a snowstorm and when the tender went to its rescue both boats were thrown on the rocks, where they were pounded to pieces.

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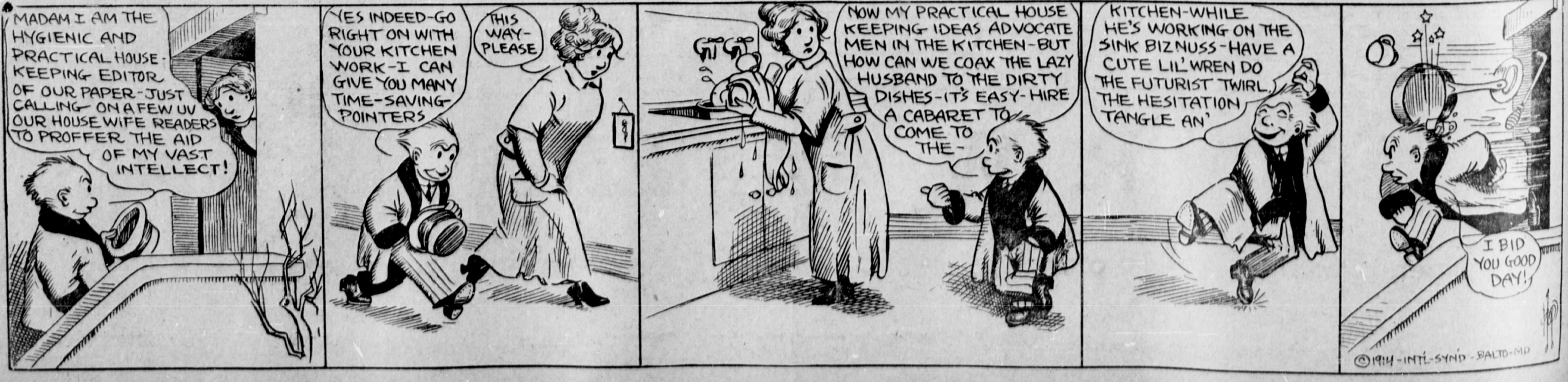
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## DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE PLAN TO ERECT PUBLIC HALL

**ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS THAT SOCIAL FUNCTIONS WERE MUCH MORE POPULAR THAN BUSINESS MEETINGS — FINANCIAL REPORT SHOWS SUCCESS**

The annual meeting of the Queen Mary chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire was held in the Knights of Pythias hall on Monday afternoon, February 9, 1914. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Regent—Mrs. J. C. McLennan.  
 First vice-regent—Mrs. H. L. Robertson.

Second vice-regent—Mrs. McMullin.

Secretary—Miss C. M. Martin. (Owing to the difficulty of this position being filled Miss Martin has consented to act pro tem.)

Treasurer—Miss A. F. DuVernet.

Standard-bearer—Mrs. G. R. Naden.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer are as follows:

**Secretary's Report**  
 The fourth annual report of Queen Mary Chapter, Daughters of the Empire:

The Queen Mary chapter now has 58 members.

From January 13, 1913, to January 5, 1914, five business meetings have been held. These business meetings have taken place either at the hall of the Knights of Pythias or at the residence of the regent, Mrs. J. C. McLennan. The members have not attended as regularly as they might have done, the greatest number present at any one meeting being only twelve.

February 27, Paardeburg day, was observed by the giving of a tea at the residence of Mrs. Palmer. The Rev. Mr. Kerr gave a most interesting address on "The Results of the Battle of Paardeburg as Seen Now."

The annual Daffodil ball given on Easter Monday was generally admitted to have been a great success. It is the aim of the chapter to make this ball the event of the season and each year make it a little better than the one held on the previous Easter Monday. In addition to this five dances have been given. In May an exhibition of club-swinging and physical drill by

children was given in the Westholme theatre.

During the fall of 1913 a series of successful bridge tournaments were given under the auspices of the Queen Mary chapter.

The proceeds from the various entertainments have gone to lessen the debt incurred by the chapter on the two lots bought at the last government sale.

It may not be generally understood that it is the purpose of the Queen Mary chapter to erect on these lots, in the near future, a hall suitable for entertainments. It is hoped that this hall may be useful to the public in many ways, not only for entertainments as a means of money-making, but for any charitable or philanthropic work undertaken by the citizens of Prince Rupert. To the chapter this seems a cause worth striving for and it is to be hoped that the public will view it in the same light.

As our ward in the hospital was sadly in need of refurnishing, a few of our members decided to have a sale of plum-puddings and mince meat, a considerable sum being raised, and the ward now looks much more attractive.

The chapter is also greatly indebted to a number of our citizens who kindly gave subscriptions toward lessening the debt on our lots.

The executive hope that this debt will be fully paid up within the next few months.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. M. MARTIN, Secretary.

#### Financial Statement

For the year January 15, 1913, to February 4, 1914.

	Receipts	Expend.
Dances, six	\$ 691.00	\$ 406.22
Children's concert	133.00	104.50
Bridge tournaments	172.75	
Donations—		
J. C. McLennan	50.00	
J. W. Stewart	50.00	
T. D. Pattullo	25.00	
W. M. Manson	15.00	

C. W. Peck	15.00	
Dr. W. B. Clayton	5.00	
	\$160.00	
2—DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE		320.00
Payment on loans		177.06
Interest and taxes		27.00
Dues		58.00
Adv. and printg.		59.60
Fudding bee		24.55
Miscellaneous		7.70
		7.05

\$1,247.00 \$1,101.43  
 Bal. Jan. 15, 1913 77.69

\$1,324.69

Balance in bank Feb. 4, 1914 \$223.26

**Assets**

Lots 19 and 20, Section 6 \$6,000.00

Furniture in D. O. E. Ward at

Prince Rupert Gen. Hospital 199.25

Flax 35.00

Dumb-bells, flags and clubs 19.50

Balance in bank 223.26

\$6,477.01

**Liabilities**

Due government on Lots 19 and

20, Block 2, Section 6 \$3,750.00

Interest on lots at 7 per cent

from Aug., 1912, to Jan., 1914 318.75

Loan, Bank of Commerce 330.00

Loan, Mrs. Du Vernet 150.00

\$4,548.75

Surplus \$1,928.26

\$6,477.01

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ALICE P. DU VERNET, Treasurer.

I certify that I have examined the books of the Daughters of the Empire and have found them correct in every particular, the balance as at February 4, 1914, being \$223.26.

C. C. PURDY, Auditor.

Prince Rupert, B. C., Feb. 5, 1914.

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## Local and Personal

Capt. Clark, an old Prince Rupert boy, is in the city.

Mr. Ralph Harrup is ill and the doctors fear he has typhoid.

The monthly meeting of the board of trade was held in the board rooms Friday evening.

Mr. H. S. Irwin, district forester, left this morning on a business trip to New Hazelton.

Mr. George Leek leaves this afternoon for the Chelohsin for Nelson to attend a meeting of the Orange grand lodge.

Joe Chappell, who has been hunting and prospecting on Prescott island, returned to the city this morning.

Miss Green arrived this morning and will visit her sister, Mrs. Herbert Ward.

Mr. V. G. Gamble, who has been in Vancouver, returned today.

Mr. A. T. Walker of the provincial government agricultural department returned to Telkwa today, after a visit to Victoria.

Weather conditions are now very favorable for railroad traffic and the trains are running on time.

Mr. H. H. Little and bride returned on the Prince George this morning and left on the train for their home in Hazelton.

A number of local sports attacked a herd of sea lions across the harbor a few days ago but they were unable to capture any of them.

Mr. Arthur Cox, provincial architect, was expected up today with the plans for the new provincial buildings, but did not arrive.

Mr. T. D. Pattullo returned this morning after a three weeks' absence in Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle.

Three drunks, one common assault and one obscene language charge made up this morning's police court docket. Each paid \$5 and costs.

Does your piano need tuning or is your player out of order? Mr. A. L. Sparriner, of Vancouver, an expert in this line of work, is in the city and will attend to orders left at Kauffman's Music Store. 331f

Mr. Charles L. Munroe has increased the building limits of the city considerably. He is erecting a residence on Tate street, being on the extreme end of section two. He is putting up a cosy little home for himself.

Rev. F. H. Stevenson, formerly clergyman at Atlin and later at Aldermere, and now located in Ladysmith, is in the city on a short visit. He came up with his daughter, who is taking a course in nursing at the Prince Rupert hospital.

Subscribe for the Daily News.

Bob Jennings, district road superintendent, went up to Hazelton today.

Henry Airson, government health inspector, went up the line this morning.

Mr. R. O. Boulton and family have just taken the cottage vacated by Rev. Mr. Kerr on Seventh avenue east.

Editorials are usually discussions of live subjects. If you don't read them you don't know what the country is doing.

George Waddell is not collecting for The News now and has not been since the beginning of the year.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will hold a Valentine tea on Friday, Feb. 13th, from 3 to 6 in the church parlor. Collection. 31-33-34

A good many people of this city have supported William Manson in the past. Take notice that he does not even try to hold off the claim of Bowser for his pound of flesh.

Mr. P. R. Harris of The News staff has just received notice of the death of his father, Mr. H. C. Harris, in Tacoma. He had been ailing for a number of years and was 78 years of age.

The mayor's organ does not do any boasting this year about the short council sessions. The present sessions seem to be just as short as those of last year. They are also conducted in secret. Why don't you howl?

The Presbyterian manse is approaching completion. The outside is practically done and pasturing is about to be commenced. The Presbyterians will have a nice clean home for their new minister.

W. J. Bowser, the attorney-general, whose duty it is to enforce the law of this province, insists that Prince Rupert shall break that law in order that he may get some cash. See editorial.

Friends of this paper would confer a favor by patronizing our advertisers. Run through list once in a while and notice the people who are helping to make The News a success. Those who are never with us are against us.

### THE WEATHER

Furnished by Mr. F. W. Dowling Observer

For the 24 hours ending 5 a.m., February 11, 1914  
Barometer reduced to sea level ..... 29.855  
Highest temperature.... 45.0  
Lowest temperature .... 38.6  
Rain ..... .38

### Deposed Manager Elected

(Special to the Daily News)  
New York, Feb. 11.—Evers, the deposed manager of the Chicago National league club, has been appointed successor to Frank O'Day.

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### NIGHT AND DAY SHIFTS GRADE CONSTRUCTION

Railway Contractors Rushing the Work to Have it Completed by First of April

This morning's train took 75 laborers up the line to distribute among the various construction camps. Nearly all of the contractors are now putting on night crews in the rush to have the grading completed by the first of April.

The weather conditions are now favorable to night work and many of the gangs laid off in the severe weather are now being taken back.

Unless something unforeseen occurs all the contractors will be through and ready for the track-laying crew on the specified date. The Nechaco river bridge will be the last point to be joined up, it is anticipated.

### Special Hockey Train

The G. T. P. will run a special train for the Smithers hockey enthusiasts tomorrow night. The Smithers team will play in Old Hazelton. The old town team has a number of expensive importations and the Smithers boys think they can trim them. Both teams are confident. The Smithers supporters will go to New Hazelton on the regular train tomorrow and a special will take them home after the game.

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Provincial Horticulturist Expects Appropriations for Work in This District

"The agricultural department has given me every encouragement in my suggestions for the department work in this district, and I expect the necessary appropriations will be made."

This was the statement of Mr. A. Tomlinson, provincial horticulturist, who returned this morning from a trip south. He has been in attendance at the farmers' conventions at Victoria and Chilliwack. He describes these conventions as being enthusiastic and showing an air of progress which augurs well for the future of agriculture in the province.

Mr. Tomlinson says he anticipates putting in several five-acre experimental plots in different parts of the district with a view to making demonstrations for the benefit of the ranchers in the district. These plots will be worked under instructions from his department, although the land used will be on the farm of some settler.

"This district, as well as the whole of British Columbia, must realize that mixed farming is going to be the profitable farming," said the horticulturist. "The farmers are beginning to see the need of it."

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The new Alaska government-owned railway will create quite a boom all through that north country. Mr. McLean says that Seward expects to be the seaport terminal of the new road.

Mr. McLean spent some time in the Seward peninsula. He claims Juneau is very quiet and that the Chisana gold field is a frost.

"I have travelled over 700 miles along this coast since I was here last," said Mr. McLean, "and Prince Rupert looks best of them all to me. I am glad to get back."

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