

A \$20,000,000 FIRE MAKES THOUSANDS HOMELESS

C.N.R. BOND NEGOTIATIONS ARE CAUSING TROUBLE -- CITY COUNCIL FEARS PUBLIC CRITICISM

TWENTY MILLION FIRE TOOK PLACE TODAY IN SALEM, MASS.

ONE THOUSAND BUILDINGS DESTROYED; TEN THOUSAND ARE HOMELESS—MANY HISTORIC STRUCTURES WERE DESTROYED

(Special to The Daily News)
Salem, Mass., June 26.—Nearly half the city of Salem, containing rich historic buildings, was devastated by fire today. The loss is \$20,000,000. The fire destroyed 1,000 buildings, including a score of manufacturing establishments, and made 10,000 residents homeless.
The fire originated in the Kern Leather Factory on the west side and swept through the shoe leather district ruining every building in a curving path two miles long and more than half a mile wide.
The burning embers carried by a strong wind started fires in other sections. For a time it looked as if the whole city seemed doomed. Several buildings were dynamited.
No fatalities are reported, but fifty persons were injured and are being treated in the hospitals.

HITCH OVER C. N. R. BOND ISSUE --- RAISING MONEY THEMSELVES

TROUBLE OVER DETAILS OF MORTGAGE SHOWS THAT MACKENZIE AND MANN CAN GET MONEY WHEN THEY ARE UP AGAINST IT—THINK THEY OWN GOVT.

Ottawa, June 26.—It is stated on good authority that there is a serious hitch in connection with the issue of C. N. R. bonds provided by Parliament last session. The report is to the effect that the Government is insisting on certain conditions being placed in the mortgage which the C. N. R. claim is not provided for in the Act.
The Government desires a minimum price to be fixed for selling the issue so that there will be as little sacrifice on the face value as possible. In consequence of the hitch, it is understood that Mackenzie & Mann are borrowing on their own security in the New York market to tide over the situation till the matter is settled.

INQUIRY ON DISASTER --- EVIDENCE IS CONFLICTING

STORSTAD HAS WITNESS THAT SHIPS STRUCK AT 40 DEGREES --- ALSO THAT ONLY ONE WATER-TIGHT APARTMENT WAS AFFECTED

(Special to The Daily News)
Quebec, June 26.—Mr. Reid, an expert called by the owners of the Storstad, told the inquiry into the Empress wreck that the ships came together at an angle of forty degrees instead of eighty as laid down by Hillhouse, and that only one watertight compartment was penetrated by the collision's nose, against two claimed to be opened by Hillhouse. He suggested that the enlarged rudder was inadequate.
Hillhouse was recalled and stated that the liner's rudder was in greater percentage to the submerged area than is usual in modern liners.
After the long list of witnesses was exhausted, an address by George Gibson, counsel for the National Sailors' and Firemen's Union was heard.
When counsels' speeches are made the commission will hold a conference in private when all the evidence will be sifted.
It is expected that the session will last two weeks.
R. W. Cameron is going to give special advantages to jewelry buyers in this city. A portion of his large and high class stock will be sold at auction in order to effect a quick sale. There is sure to be some dandy bargains going.

The Empress Theatre TO-NIGHT "The Flying Circus"

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2. "THE MASCOT."
3. "LEOS' VACATION."
4. "MR. BINK'S GOUTY TOE."

Admission: 15 Cents Children: 10 Cents

TAX PAYERS HAVE TO PAY

"I notice the Mayor is kicking over the court's decision in the private quarrel which the City Council took into court at the expense of the public," said a business man to The Daily News this morning. "The only injustice I see in the verdict is that the city is stuck for several hundred dollars of costs instead of the City Council."

British House Divide

(Special to The Daily News)
London, June 26.—The division on the Finance Bill resulted in 303 for and 265 against; the majority being 38.

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DECORATIONS FOR JULY 1st

As secretary of the committee in charge of the coming 1st of July celebration, I am instructed to suggest to the citizens of the City of Prince Rupert that should it be their intention to decorate their homes or places of business that they use as far as possible the Union Jack or Canadian Ensign. The 1st of July commemorates the birthday of our Dominion and it is felt that national decorations are those most appropriate for this occasion.
I am also instructed to state that the colors emblematic of Prince Rupert have been decided upon and are to be purple and gold.
ADAIR CARSS, Secretary.

NO WAGON ROAD

"The prospector who said the road department is spending \$9,000 on a wagon road up Alice Arm is entirely mistaken," said R. Jennings, the Road Superintendent this morning. "We are not building any wagon road. The whole appropriation is \$3,000 and it is being spent on a trunk trail up the Ilbance Valley."

Hindus Fighting for Entrance

(Special to The Daily News)
Vancouver, June 26.—An order for the deportation of one of the Hindus on the Komotaga Maru has been signed. The application for a writ of habeas corpus has been refused. An application will be made to the court of appeals of which there will be a special sitting to hear the appeal.

CITY COUNCIL NOT TRYING TO SELL THE LONG TERM DEBENTURES

Financial Meeting Last Evening Did Not Produce Results--Taking Expert Advice of Bank and Sitting Tight--Treasury Notes Might be Renewed at Another Discount--Mayor Fears Censure--Average Rate of Interest 7.59 per cent.

The Mayor's long promised financial meeting was held in the city hall last evening. It brought forth a lot of talk, criticism and abuse and the fact that the Council has done nothing towards selling the big debenture issues. In fact, several offers were received but were turned down. The Council admitted placing itself entirely in the hands of the Bank of Montreal, and claiming the bank advised against selling. The correspondence, however, did not bear out this latter statement as the very last letter from the London office advised selling if they got a reasonable offer.
The hall was comfortably filled, and the Mayor opened the meeting with the presentation of a memo of the city's financial affairs:—

Memo on City Finances

Sold five per cent treasury certificates at 96 1/2 to the amount of \$393,660.
Out of that sum \$109,825 have been paid on the Government debt.
After deducting charges on the sale of the Treasury Certificates, \$267,361.66 was left to complete the hydro-electric system.
Four year six per cent debentures have been sold at 95 net to the amount of \$50,210 for plank roadways, walks and temporary sewers, while another \$20,000 issue of the same denomination has been arranged for re-decking purposes should that system be finally decided upon.
\$20,000 worth of twenty year five per cent debentures, at 85 net, have also been sold for permanent water mains in Section Two, Seventh Avenue in Section Seven, and in other parts of the city where most needed.
Ten year five per cent debentures to the extent of \$20,000.00 have been sold at 85 net to meet the cost of the new school.
To provide for recreation grounds, \$30,000 worth of twenty year five per cents have been disposed of at 85 net.
The total issues so far sold this year amount to \$533,870.
In addition to the above mentioned undertakings, \$10,212.00 is being expended for telephone extensions and \$9,600 for light extensions, the money being secured from the reserve accounts of these two utilities.

Summary of Debenture Sales

Debt Issue	Debt Total	Proceeds	Cost of Money per Year
Treasury Certificate Issue	\$393,660.00	\$377,774.24	9.20%
Water Extension Issue	20,000.00	17,000.00	6.55%
Recreation Grounds Issue	30,000.00	25,500.00	6.55%
Schools	20,000.00	17,000.00	8.10%
4-Year Local Improvements	50,210.00	47,699.50	7.64%
Total	\$643,870.00	\$484,973.74	
Total Debentures Sold		\$513,870.00	
Total proceeds		484,973.74	
Total Loss		\$28,896.26	
Average rate of Interest, 7.59 per cent.			

\$40,000 have also been voted to the hospital, and another \$5,000 to aid the Fair Association in the erection of its exhibition building.
\$4,200 have been provided for a garbage auto, and outside capital has been arranged for in connection with the Morse Creek bridge by the G. T. P. agreeing to appropriate \$30,000 and the Provincial Government \$35,000.
The following is a list of the estimated expenditures on Public Works for the year 1914:—
Hydro-Electric scheme, \$260,000
Morse Creek Bridge, 35,000
Recreation Ground, Acropolis, 30,000
New School, Borden St., 20,000
New Water Mains, 20,000
New Telephone bldg., 52,000
Market Place Grading, 9,000
Section 1 Grading, 40,000
Local Improvements (passed), 50,210
Local Improvements (In abeyance), 23,200
Garbage Wharf etc., Section Two, 6,000
New Garbage Scow, 2,500
City Market, 1,200
Water, 20,000
Annual Estimates, 36,300
Total, \$605,410

A question to be decided is, shall the Council stop after carrying out the present programme, or shall it attempt to sell further issues at the prevailing price and proceed with further undertakings.
If the latter course is decided upon, the Bank, as the city's fiscal agents, are willing to place the unsold issues except those covering the treasury certificates on the American market only. These unsold debentures amount to \$1,016,719.
The Bank advises against any effort being made to sell the long terms, providing for the redemption of the Treasury Certificates until the end of the present year.
A question, therefore, arises as to what course the citizens would wish the Council to take.
The reason the long term issues have not been dealt with is owing to the depressed state of the market.
Another question arises as to the wisdom of further permanent grading and the effect it will have upon provision being made for the permanent sewerage system, especially in view of the necessity for levying a three mill rate to provide for local improvement delinquencies.

Mayor Opens Discussion

The Mayor opened the discussion with a lengthy speech. In fact the Mayor and Ald. Morrissey did most of the talking for the first two hours. The audience were invited to discuss any question but the moment a head came above the tops of the chairs with a question or a critical remark, the Mayor and the chairman of the finance committee hurled a sand bag of words at them.
The Mayor said the bank had strongly advised the Council not to sell the long term debentures at the present time as the bank feels the financial depression will clear away. If the debentures were sold now the money would have to lay in the bank at 3 1/2 per cent until next June to take up the Treasury Certificates then due. The bank said the city need have no fear of not being able to sell them at the end of the year, but if the city was crowded the certificates could be re-located.
G. R. Naden asked if any offers

MERCHANTS' SOCCER TEAM DEFEATED DRY DOCK BOYS

OPENED GAME IN DOMINION DAY CUP COMPETITION WAS INTERESTING THOUGH ONE-SIDED -- GROUNDS GOOD--FAIR CROWD OF SPECTATORS

Last night the local soccer enthusiasts had their long looked for opportunity of witnessing a full eleven-a-side game, when the City Merchants played the Drydock Club in the initial game of the City Cup Competition.
Previous football games have always been confined to the rather limited space of Second Avenue, but now that a ground has been prepared it is to be hoped that the soccer boys will be accorded the support which their game in itself warrants.
The new ground, though as yet rather soft, will no doubt improve as the season advances, and to the Drydock Club is indeed due all praise for the arduous work of its members in making the ground what it is.
The following was the line-up of the teams before a fairly large gathering of spectators, viz:—
City Merchants: Youngman, Dodson and J. Currie; Arthur, Garnet and S. Currie; Campbell, Brighton, Dennis, Allan and Hardy.
Drydock: McGrath; Smith and Armstrong; Davidson, Duff and

Archie; McIlvey, Service, Elliot, Hughes and Lowe.
Right from the start the Merchants made progress on the left, and, following a mix-up in goal-mouth, Currie opened the scoring for the Merchants with only a couple of minutes gone. Fortune certainly favoured the city team for immediately afterwards Brighton accepted a rebound from the goalkeeper and added number two. This early success seemed to dishearten the Drydock men for with the exception of a few disjointed rushes of their forwards, the game waged mostly on their own half. At this point Allan went through and added a third goal. The play of the city forwards so far by no means justified their commanding lead for had the opposing defence covered up better they might have been more successful.
Another brace of goals from Currie followed quickly, but just to prove that hope had not died within the hearts of the Drydock men, a piece of forceful play on

had been made for the long term debentures.
The Mayor said when they first took office the market was active and being new in office they were a little careless and slow to act as they wanted to investigate. There were many communications but none were definite.
Communications were then read from a London firm making an offer of 86 net and from a Mr. Longmuir offering 87, also from Stimson of Toronto, and M. M. Stephens representing a London firm. These were all informed eventually that the long term debentures were withdrawn from the market.
The Mayor said the feeling was general around town that nothing short of 90 should be accepted, and the city could not keep up the expensive cablegram communication.
G. R. Naden: Did the bank advise not to sell at 86 net?
Mayor: We did not ask the bank's advice but bank advised against selling debentures to cover Treasury Certificates.
The correspondence from the Bank of Montreal was then read. The gist of it was that the bank advised the city not to advertise their bond issue in London as this is an antiquated method of selling and would hurt the issue; also not to sell the bonds covering the treasury certificates but that the balance might be offered in America.
Mr. Naden wanted to know what logic there is in selling \$500,000 at 7.59 per cent and turn down a two and a half million offer at a trifle over six per cent.
The Mayor said there were certain pressing requirements for which they were willing to pay a high rate.
Ald. Morrissey said the Stephens offer was only an option. It had been kept quiet so as to save Mr. Stephens' feelings. He would not stand for it being called an offer.
Mr. Stephens said Ald. Morrissey did not see all his correspondence and when he wrote the

Council he had a bone fide offer at 85, and he was prepared to come through with it. All this offer cost the city was a one-cent stamp.
Ald. Morrissey refused to accept any one's word for it.
Mr. Pattullo considered the Stephens offer a genuine one. If the Council had any doubt about it they could have asked for a deposit. The Mayor had said they were careless with the offers. The trouble was they had a preconceived idea that they must have 90 and did not care for a lesser

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Friday, June 26, 1914

The decision in the Mason vs. Prince Rupert Publishing Company's case has created a good deal of discussion, largely, of course, by those who through personal spleen would like a different decision.

A foolish and spleenish article in Wednesday's Empire would have the public believe that it is a thousand times less libelous to attack a clergyman and refuse an apology than to accidentally publish something about a city engineer even if a suitable apology was rendered.

dent than to accidentally associate his name with a wrong, even should full apology be made.

It might also be pointed out that a judge is getting out of his sphere when he lectures a jury because of their verdict. The duty of a judge is simply to interpret the law and assist the jury to sift the evidence and not to tell them what the verdict should be.

Time alone will justify the stand taken by The Daily News on the Hydro-Electric situation. If the plant being



A RECENT PHOTO OF THE GERMAN CROWN PRINCE AND HIS FAMILY

The German and English Royal families most run to boys. It is a curious coincidence that the Kaiser had only one daughter out of a large family, and his son, the Crown Prince, has not even one. King George of England has but one little Princess in his home.

put in at Woodward Lake turns out to be a wise undertaking for Prince Rupert it will do so in the face of all the canons of the business world and men will conclude that business foresight is a delusion.

Even the News-Advertiser admits that the campaign in Ontario is very uncertain. The "Abolish the Bar" slogan is confounding the old fashioned politicians.

CITY COUNCIL NOT TRYING TO SELL LONG TERM BONDS

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offer. He criticized the Council for selling the \$109,900 treasury certificates to redeem the Government debt. If the treasury certificates have to be renewed it will mean another loss of four or five per cent and even then if the Council sells the bonds at 90 they will have less than if they sell now at 85.

The Mayor denied, saying they were careless. If they had not sold the treasury certificates they could not have carried out the city hydro-electric scheme and held that franchise. "Why did not Pattullo sell last year? We haven't wasted the city's money this year, Pattullo took the ground last year that the city should sell at 90."

Mr. Naden said as chairman of the finance committee last year he had advised selling at 85. He was always opposed to treasury certificates.

Ald. Morrissey went off on a

half hour target and declared it was politics and Fifth Avenue citizens who wanted permanent roads at the expense of the city. He also referred to the "illustrious and distinguished city engineer."

John Buckley said he thought the meeting was going to talk finance, but all he heard was an hour's talk to the gallery by Morrissey. It looked as though there would be no permanent improvements while Morrissey is chairman. The speaker then left the hall.

Mr. Stephens said he wanted to disabuse the Mayor of any idea that Pattullo knew anything about his offer before coming to this city.

W. M. Law said the Council should have called the meeting when the offers were made. He said the Council should sell bonds at 85 rather than redeck the streets. No street that wears out should be redecked. The Council placed the city's credit too high.

The Mayor: We were censured for selling at 85.

Mr. Law: I don't think you were criticized much. Don't be afraid of the bank.

The Mayor: Will we sell at 85?

M. M. Stephens: Take a plebiscite. Include the whole issue.

Ald. Montgomery: We took expert advice from the bank.

The City Clerk here read another letter he had just found. It was from the London office of the Bank of Montreal and advised accepting any reasonable offer.

Ald. McClymont said the finance committee had been a unit. He favored the plebiscite but wanted a fixed rate.

Ald. Maitland said Stephens made a straight offer.

W. H. Shaw advised leaving the question with the Council.

Wm. Manson said the Council was elected to take the responsibility. He advised against a plebiscite.

T. D. Pattullo agreed with Mr. Manson on that point. He said the bank would naturally put off one city if they could when many cities were urging them to sell bonds. It is necessary to keep pressing them to take care of the city.

H. E. Gampp wanted sewers first.

Mr. Alberts advised against permanent grading under the present indebtedness.

Geo. H. Munro wants sewers first.

Mr. Gampp suggested re-decking out of general fund.

Mr. King said it was all from selfish motives. He was willing to leave it with the Council.

Ald. Maitland said permanent grading has to be done before sewers are put in.

Mr. Naden said the Mayor had said all the debentures for absolute necessities had been sold, yet the \$350,000 for trunk sewers was not sold and that is the most urgent need of all.

Meeting adjourned.

Alaska Excursions

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District Fair Dates

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MAY STRIKE OIL ON GRAHAM ISLAND WITHIN THREE WEEKS

DRILLER NOW GOING IN—REPORT BASED ON INVESTIGATIONS OF GEOLOGISTS—COMPANY GOING TO WORK AT ONCE

It is predicted that an oil well will be brought in on the west coast of Graham Island in the course of the next three weeks, according to authentic information which has come from the experts now in the field.

The B. C. Oil Fields, Limited, which had been drilling near Otard Bay and had been compelled to cease operations for lack of money to continue, has been financed again, and Mr. Frank Egan, of Petrolia, Cal., the driller, who had been employed there, is now going into the field.

The company has sunk to a depth of 850 feet. Experts who have since examined the property contend that oil will be struck within the next 450 feet.

When seen in Vancouver and asked how long it would take to drill this additional depth, Mr. Egan said he could drill at the rate of forty feet a day with the improved outfit the company is prepared to use. However, allowing for whatever delay may occur and the time it will take Mr. Egan to get on the ground and get things running properly again, it is confidently expected that the oil reservoir which is believed to be there will be tapped in the course of three weeks.

Large Sum Expended
Should a well actually be brought in in British Columbia a great impetus would be given to the companies owning leases on the west coast of Graham Island. The company which has been drilling there has been at work, periodically for the past three years, and more than 550,000 has been expended. While this seems a sum large enough to have sunk a well to the twelve or fifteen hundred feet which it is thought will tap the oil, to those familiar with the difficulties encountered in this pioneer work it is easily understood.

Up until a year ago conditions of transportation to Graham Island, and particularly to the rocky west coast, were probably as poor as to any inhabited place on the continent. There were times when none but chartered gasoline boats would make the trip from the mainland to the island for many weeks. Then it was necessary to await favorable weather to get from Masset Inlet

to the dangerous west coast, which is open to the sweep of the broad Pacific.

The company spent considerable money in making a summer trail from Naden harbor to their camp. This was to make it possible to correspond more quickly with the head office in Vancouver. When accidents occurred to the outfit and a piece of machinery was lost or broken, it was weeks before the part could be supplied, which meant the laying off of the men except for those who were kept in camp getting out wood.

Geologists' Reports

The first outfit installed was a second hand one and two sets of drill tools were lost before things finally began to run smoothly, by which time this pioneer company had used up all its money. The hole now being drilled, and which it is said is so close to the oil reservoir, is the third hole sunk.

No volcanic disturbances have visited the Graham Island oil fields and the reports of geologists who have been sent there both by the government and private parties are that oil in all likelihood exists. They base their assertions on the surface indications and the formations which came under their observation, which consist of profuse seepages of oil tar, paraffin wax in a pure state and petroleum saturated holes.

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Vancouver Island Strikers Vote to Continue Fight, But Expect to Lose Help

Nanaimo, B.C., June 25.—While not officially made public it is stated on reliable authority that the miners of Vancouver Island, on strike for over a year, have voted by a majority of 1,250 to continue the industrial struggle. The action of the strikers in voting by so large a majority to continue the fight is said to be because the men feel confident that the international organization will soon stop paying relief money, and are anxious for the men to call the strike off, which action on the part of the men would enable the United Mine Workers of America to let itself down easy, and say it had paid relief as long as the strike continued.

Although having voted to continue the strike a big majority of the strikers feel confident that word will soon be received from Indianapolis to the effect that relief money has been stopped in which case the strike will at once collapse, as the strikers will feel that they have been turned down by the international organization, and find it impossible to further continue the struggle without outside financial assistance.

BRITONS STAY AT HOME

Emigration Statistics for Four Months This Year Show Decrease From 1913

Ottawa, June 26.—Emigration from Great Britain this year received a great check. The emigration statistics issued by the British Board of Trade show an enormous decline for the four months ending April last, the total of British subjects leaving the United Kingdom for various parts of the Empire being 53,161, as compared with 102,032 in the same period of 1913. These figures represent a return to the normal emigration before the boom years of 1910, 1911, 1912 and 1913.

Canada has been largely affected by the decline. For the four months the total number of emigrants to the Dominion was 31,011, against 66,930 in the same period last year.

Breathes there a woman with soul so dead that she cannot resist reading an article on "How to be Beautiful?"

1,000 TONS WEEKLY FROM YUKON MINES

Seventeen Cars Daily Come Into Skagway From One Mine

Skagway, May 25.—Ore is now being shipped regularly six days in the week by the Atlas Mining Company from the Pueblo mine to the Tacoma smelter, the daily shipments being in the neighborhood of 240 tons. Some of the ore is from the 200-foot and some from the 400-foot level.

A regular train has been put on the spur by the railroad people, the first time since last November, a crew having arrived from Skagway on Tuesday. "Tad" Hillery is conductor and Engineer Cox is at the throttle.

General Manager Greenough of the mining operations has requested the railroad to supply him with fourteen ore cars daily and as an average of seventeen tons is loaded on each car, this is 238 tons every day. It is probable that ore shipping will be continued until winter, maybe during the winter.

CANADA NOT RESPONSIBLE

Sir William Van Horne Speaks of Recent Suspensions and the Canadian Conditions

London, June 26.—Sir Wm. Van Horne takes exception to the attempt that has been made here to saddle Canada with some of the responsibility for the recent suspensions.

"The failure of some London people to secure control of the Grand Trunk Railway and the attendant results of that failure," says Sir William, "have been disagreeable to Canada. I fail to see any possible connection between this circumstance and Canadian conditions. The Grand Trunk securities have been mainly confined to the London stock exchange ever since I can remember, and the failure of such an attempt by speculators here in London might as well reflect upon South Africa or Australia as upon Canada. There is no scarcity of money in Canada for legitimate business."

Sir William added: "While there has been over-speculation in city property in the East as well as in the West, I do not think that values have gone beyond what is justified by the great development that has taken place."

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Messrs. E. H. Wilson, of San Francisco, J. F. Gibson and F. M. Gibson of Seattle, are registered at the Hotel Prince Rupert.

The sockeye run on the Skeena has been poor during the past few days although it was good on the opening days. No big runs are anticipated yet as the season is early.

J. W. Stewart, the well known contractor, came in at midnight on a special from Fort George and registered at the Hotel Prince Rupert. He left this morning for the south. Before going he congratulated the managers of the hotel on their handsome and comfortable house.

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Chet Neff, who is to box Rough House Burns here on the evening of June 30, will arrive on the Beatrice today and will work out with Monte Label at the Windsor tonight. The bout will be the best ever staged in Rupert and the fans will see some clever work. Neff is confident he can beat Burns.

A judge is only wise and good when his decisions please the Empire. Yesterday in referring to the Ritchie case the Editor said the decision of the judge was "a mean and dirty slur upon the integrity of the Council." If that isn't contempt of court it is pretty hard to say what contempt is.

H. S. Irwin, District Forester, has just returned from a trip to Bella Coola where he met L. Lundgren of Portland, who is a U. S. Forester and Mr. Surface who is making special studies for the Provincial Government. They accompanied Mr. Irwin back to Rupert and will look over the district here.

BROKE HOT TAMALES SIGN— THEN PAID \$2.50 FOR IT

Yesterday two colored boys had a vigorous dispute on Comox Avenue. Eventually they started throwing things at each other. One threw a bottle and the enemy returned a stone. The missile went through the glass of the hot tamales sign which is the property of one of the contestants. That ended the battle for the time being, but this morning it was resumed in police court, Jones, the man who threw the stone, paid the court charges and \$2.50 for the broken glass. After this decision was arrived at the hot tamales man clamored that Jones be "put under \$500 peace bonds." "We'll put you under bonds if you don't keep quiet," remarked the counsel for Jones and that ended the case.

MERCHANTS' SOCCER TEAM DEFEATS DRYDOCK BOYS (Continued from Page One)

their left and a rather loose ball lofted over to the right, gave McIlravey the opportunity of beating Youngman on the second attempt. Having opened their account the Drydock men now tried desperately to improve their position but such was not to be, as Allan, after a nice solo run, added a sixth for the Merchants. Shortly afterwards the whistle sounded for half time with the Merchants leading by 6 goals to 1.

Immediately on resuming the Merchants forced a corner which was abortive while at the other end Elliot, who had taken up the outside right position, with a good shot struck the upright and with the goalkeeper misjudging the ball, McIlravey lost a golden opportunity to increase their total. At the other end Hardy had better luck with a shot from long range, the goalkeeper seeming to misjudge the ball, with the result that the Merchants increased their total to seven. With the exception of a corner which was unproductive, and one or two shots from well out, the Drydock had very little to show for their work, while the Merchants still continued to score with rather much freedom.

Interest in the game seemed to be waning now, though the Drydock men still battled on against heavy odds. Goals by Brighton and Currie put the Merchants still further ahead. A final break-away by the Drydock at this point nearly brought results for with Youngman miskicking, the Drydock secured a corner which however was cleared. Play was now transferred to the other end where before the final whistle blew, Allan and Hardy had each

the satisfaction of scoring. The final whistle to a very one-sided game soon afterwards sounded, with the Merchants winning by 12 goals to 1.

On the Merchants team two players worth special mention were Brighton and Allan in the attack, while their defence was never at any point of the game fully tested so that criticism is unnecessary.

The Drydock team did not impress one as being in condition, but will no doubt improve with a little more experience and a little more strength on their attack.

Mr. W. Macleod, who acted as referee, seemed to be rather unacquainted with the offside rule, but otherwise performed his duties well.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

Northwestern Seattle, 2; Portland, 1. Vancouver, 5; Tacoma, 2. Spokane, 0; Victoria, 1.

National New York, 6; Boston, 7. St. Louis, 1; Pittsburg, 4. Brooklyn, 7; Philadelphia, 8.

American Boston, 2; New York, 3. Boston, 4; New York, 3. Philadelphia-Washington game called in fourth inning on account of rain. Detroit, 4; Chicago, 3. Cleveland, 6; St. Louis, 3.

TATTERSFIELD TROUBLES SETTLED BY COURT

The Alfred Tattersfield domestic troubles were aired in police court this morning. The husband pleaded guilty to being drunk and was given until Saturday to get out of town. Failing in that he is to report regularly to the police and put under bonds to keep the peace.

The man's wife showed a document signed by Tattersfield to the effect that everything in the house belonged to her. Tattersfield was in a magnanimous mood and admitted the fact. He even went farther and presented the woman with a mining certificate. "Are you satisfied?" he asked his wife. "Yes," she responded. "Then good-bye," and he marched out of the court room.

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Much Music for July 1st

The musical program of the Dominion Day celebration promises to be a splendid feature. Chairman Woodlands has been busy on it and is going to give the citizens lots of music on that day. There will be three bands in the procession and discoursing throughout the day.

In the afternoon about 400 children will assemble on the Market Place and sing patriotic songs. They are being trained by Prof. Kauffman and Principal Hunter. A male voice will also sing "O, Canada!" An orchestra will accompany the children's chorus.

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NOTICE FOR TENDERS Sealed tenders will be received by the Secretary of the Prince Rupert School Board, up to 4 p.m. July 2nd, 1914, for the construction of a school building on Borden Street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by James Gillies. Plans may be obtained from the Architect, 135 Second Avenue. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all tenders. W. D. VAN DYKE, Secy. School Board. 146-152

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