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# Irish Home Rule Bill Is Now Safe

## GRANBY SMELTER AT ANYOX IS GIVING THE BEST PRODUCTION IN AMERICA

### Parliament and Lords Agree on Irish Home Rule Question

Senates to be established in connection with both the North and South Parliaments---method of formation left with Ireland

LONDON, December 21.—The Irish Home Rule bill is now safe and will become law this week in a slightly amended shape from which it left the House of Commons. The House of Lords agreed to all the amendments, one of the principal ones being the creation of senates for both Northern and Southern parliaments. As proposed by the government the question of the method of the establishing of these senates was left to the decision of the new Irish parliaments.

Today the bill finally passed the Commons and now but waits the royal assent before it is officially law.

### JAP SMUGGLERS ARE CAUGHT BY COAST GUARD

Revenue Cutter Boards British Seiner in Face of Armed Japanese Crew.

SEATTLE, Dec. 21.—After an exciting chase and eventually running down a British purse-seine vessel yesterday, Captain Lichtenberg, master of the coast-guard cutter Scout, boarded the vessel in face of an armed Japanese crew. After searching the vessel, a consignment of Christmas liquor was found on board from British Columbia intended for Seattle.

### DOLLY VARDEN ROAD CLOSES

Taylor Mining Co. Will This Winter Direct Efforts Towards Development.

ALICE ARM, December 21.—The Dolly Varden Railway closed down last week for the winter on account of snow and quite a number of men have been laid off and are leaving here.

No actual mining will be done at the Dolly Varden this winter, but the entire efforts of the Taylor Mining Co. will be directed to further exploration and development of the mine. Between operations at the mine and at the beach about 100 men are now employed by the company here.

### VANCOUVER IS FIRST WINNER

Defeated Seattle at Hockey Last Night by Score of 2 to 0.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21.—In the opening game of the Pacific Coast Hockey League last night, Vancouver defeated Seattle by 2 to 0. Victoria, the third team of the league, is idle.

### NATIONS SAFE FROM ATTACK OF GERMANS

PARIS, December 20.—Under the German Disarmament Act which is now in force, European countries will be safe from attack by Germany, says Premier Leguay.

### IRISH ISLE WAS RAIDED

Two Men Shot, Others Wounded and Prisoners Taken by Military Police

DUBLIN, Dec. 21.—Parties of military police, in boats, surrounded the main island of the Aran group on Sunday to carry out a search. Two men were shot attempting to escape and a number of prisoners were taken. It is understood that Inishman Island was used by the Sinn Feiners for prisoners taken in Galway.

### EARTHQUAKE IN SOUTH AMERICA

In Three Argentine Towns Not a House is Standing

Buenos Aires, December 20.—Much loss of life and property is reported from the Argentine slope of the Andes Mountains, following an earthquake. In three towns not a single house remains standing.

### GIRLS' MINIMUM WAGE NOT LAW

Victoria Magistrate Decides Wage Board's Edict of no Effect.

VICTORIA, Dec. 21.—The order made by the Minimum Wage Board setting the minimum wage for girls under eighteen years employed at office work at \$12 a week is declared by Magistrate Jay here to be of no effect. The magistrate holds that the order has not been legally in force since its promulgation by the board on July 17, 1919.

### VANCOUVER BOYS TIE UP ELECTRIC SYSTEM

Broke Insulators by Throwing Stones and Lights, Motors and Cars Stop.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21.—Breaking of insulators by boys throwing stones put every light, electric motor and electric car in Vancouver, North Vancouver, New Westminster and the Fraser Valley out of business from four to twenty minutes yesterday afternoon.

### RAILWAY BOARD REFUSES ORDER

OTTAWA, Dec. 21.—On the ground that notwithstanding the criticism to which the board has been subjected, its findings cannot, on most searching analysis, be classed as other than just and reasonable, the Board of Railway Commissioners, in its judgment today, refuses the application of the governments of Manitoba and Saskatchewan for an order suspending the railway rate increases in the order issued on September 8th.

### CRIME WAVE IN NEW YORK

After Temporary Lull, Thugs Kill Man and Steal \$400

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—After a lull in the crime wave, thugs covered the clerk at the Seamen's Mission here Sunday and forcing open the safe, took \$400. James Russell, aged 50, who attempted to interfere, was shot dead.

### NEW YORK DRUNKS WILL HAVE TO TELL WHERE GOT LIQUOR

New Plan to Assist Enforcement of New York Prohibition Laws

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Persons arrested here for drunkenness hereafter will have to face a federal grand jury and state where they obtained their liquor under a new plan by which United States Attorney Ross of Brooklyn, N.Y., has instituted to assist in the detection of bootleggers in his district. Not only the offenders, but their wives too, may be called to give evidence against those who are still defying the Volstead Act.

### NEW RHODES SCHOLAR FOR MANITOBA.

J. King Gordon, son of Rev. Dr. Gordon (Ralph Connor) who was chosen as the Manitoba Rhodes scholar for 1920, this week.



"So we left him alone with his glory." — News of the World.

### Council Changes Stand On Tarvia Street Plan

Ald. Perry Wins Over to Favoring Side and Report of Board of Works, Turned Down Before, Passes

Alderman Perry was won over to the side of those favoring the surfacing of Second and Third avenues and tributary streets with tarvia B at last night's council meeting and the report of the board of works recommending this action was adopted when the question was brought up again by Alderman Kerr for reconsideration. After another long discussion, during which Alderman Rochester took the chair, the report was adopted, Aldermen Kerr, Currie, Perry, Rochester, Dybahn, Murray and Mayor McGlynn favoring the proposal and Ald. McLennan standing out against it. A bylaw will now be brought in as quickly as possible.

#### New Rock.

In opening the question Alderman Kerr stated that one point had been overlooked in last week's discussion. That was that a new and better rock than Smith Island rock was to be got in large quantities at half the price. This would lessen the cost of the rock by \$7,500 and it would not need to be crushed.

Answering a question of Alderman McLennan's, Ald. Kerr stated that the new rock was a hard brown quartz which disintegrated readily into solid cubes. It was of volcanic origin and was the best rock that had ever been used in the city. Combined with local rock and sand it was also suitable for the tar application.

Ald. McLennan pointed out that all the rock for the bases of the city streets would have to come by water and that was a reason why he was standing out for water-front facilities. He wanted to see the roads in good shape as much as anyone else but his only objection was in the manner of financing. It might well next year to try out the various methods of street surfacing block by block.

#### Mayor Favors.

Mayor McGlynn stated that there were but two questions. Were the streets to be improved? If so, what method of financing was to be adopted. In the matter of financing he did not agree with Ald. Perry's suggestion that the question be left over until the new G. T. P. assessment was out. That would make no difference to the general plan and no advantage would be gained by waiting. The money for this work, the mayor thought, could be raised by local canvas.

Alderman Perry could not see any advantage in rushing the thing through now. It was like the school question, the estimate was not complete and no one knew yet how much the work would cost. Last week it was to have cost \$55,000, now it was found it would be \$70,000. Fur-

### Granby Continuing While Others Stop

Northern Copper Plant Running Closer to its Capacity than Any Other in North America

VANCOUVER, December 21.—The Granby Co. has received the decision of the employees at Anyox on the acceptance of a slight reduction in wages. The vote taken showed 750 persons accepting the reduction and 175 against it.

The agreement reached, which takes into consideration a reduction of 75c per day, will run for January, February and March.

While several other copper smelters have been compelled to suspend their operations or curtail their production, the Granby Co. is allowed to continue by this decision. It is running closer to its capacity than any other copper smelter company in North America.

The average laborer's wage for the first three months of the new year will be from \$1 to \$1.25 and skilled labor will be much higher. Anyox is now paying a heavier scale than any other copper camp in Canada.

### LIQUOR CASES HAVE STARTED

FINAL RESULTS ON THURSDAY

M. M. Churchill Pleads Guilty and is Remanded for Sentence — Eva Pennington Tomorrow.

M. M. Churchill, charged with selling liquor, pleaded guilty in the police court this morning and adjournment for sentence was made until tomorrow. In pleading guilty, A. M. Manson, counsel for the accused, recited the circumstances which the defence states surrounded the deal. One of the special constables had obtained the liquor from him on the statement being made that his wife was seriously ill. First a bottle of rum or brandy had been asked for but the accused had neither a bottle of American bourbon nor a bottle of Canadian whisky.

To test this statement, the two detectives, Wm. Schreiber and R. Howe, were called to the box. The former said he had not made a statement to the accused that his wife was ill. Howe stated that it was not until the third bottle had been given that any mention was made of Schreiber's wife being sick.

Some give and take discussion followed between Mayor McGlynn and Ald. Perry and finally the latter gave way and intimated that he would vote for the report if the bylaw was proceeded with right away. The vote was then taken and the question closed, council adjourning.

### BRITISH NAVAL GIFT ARRIVES

Officially Welcomed at Halifax by Governor-General and Government Leaders.

HALIFAX, Dec. 21.—The cruiser Aurora and destroyers Patriarch and Patriot due here last Friday steamed in yesterday and were welcomed officially by naval salutes and sirens. The Governor-General, Premier Meighen and Hon. G. C. Ballantyne, minister of marine, were present to welcome the gift of the British Government to Canada.

The Aurora and both destroyers went through the battle of Jutland, the former having sunk several hundred naval boats in her career. All the vessels carry many Canadian officers.

Accused then took the box and gave evidence corroborative of Wright's.

There was a large crowd of spectators on the public benches.

The case of Eva Pennington, on a similar charge, has been remanded until tomorrow morning, W. O. Fulton, of Patmore & Fulton, appearing for the accused.

Gifts for men, women and children—Wallace's, 300 in the United States.

### AMERICANS COME INTO DOMINION

Immigration Figures from Ottawa for November are Very Satisfactory.

OTTAWA, Dec. 21.—Over two-thirds of the immigrants who entered Canada by way of the United States during November were United States citizens. There were 3,258 immigrants and 2,664 of these were citizens of the States. Of the latter 738 were Canadians returning to Canada.

November immigration figures for Canada do not show an alarming influx from Central Europe, such as is causing apprehension in the United States.

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DAILY EDITION.



Tuesday, Dec. 21, 1920.

Rescinding Luxury  
Tax Will be Popular.

There can be no disputing the fact that the rescinding of the Luxury Tax shows wisdom on the part of the Dominion Government and the news of the action comes with relief to nearly everyone. The tax has practically just arrived at a stage of proper operation and its effect is particularly noticeable at the season of Christmas buying when ten, twenty or thirty per cent, or even more is being demanded for articles that many ordinary persons would be loath to classify as luxuries at all. Its rescinding will be anything but an unpopular move.

Government Claims  
Revival of Trade.

It is to be hoped the claim made by the government that there will be an impetus of trade as a result of the repealing of the tax will prove fact. Trade demands industry and industry is sadly on the wane all over Canada this winter. From east and west and north and south comes the word "unemployment," that word of curse. Now the situation may become more encouraging. At any rate, if industry does not revive instantly, the difficulty of buying will be somewhat lessened.

Is Prince Rupert a  
Hopeless Case? No!

When ever the general situation of the country is discussed, a citizen of Prince Rupert must think of Prince Rupert. Many persons in Prince Rupert almost seem to be discouraged with their lot and the place but looking at it from a general standpoint, is it so bad? Is it worse or as bad as many other places? We think not. Winter always has been a quiet time in this country where climatic conditions hinder almost every industry. In the spring will come the same old optimism, a well founded optimism on potential resources and undiscovered wealth. Every place is having a hard present but not everywhere has as bright a future as is undoubtedly still in store for Prince Rupert and district.

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## PRINCE RUPERT TIDES

## Monday, December 20.

High, 8:38 a.m., 19.2 feet.  
21:30 p.m., 16.4 feet.  
Low, 1:59 a.m., 8.4 feet.  
15:20 p.m., 7.4 feet.

## Tuesday, December 21.

High, 9:32 a.m., 20. feet.  
22:32 p.m., 17.2 feet.  
Low, 3:41 p.m., 8.7 feet.  
16:23 p.m., 6 feet.

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight.

The table given is for Port Simpson but the time for Prince Rupert varies only a few minutes on some days and on others is the same. The range of the tide may be computed as 5 per cent greater at Prince Rupert than at Port Simpson both at springs and neaps. Therefore the rise in the Prince Rupert harbor is slightly greater than Port Simpson.

The height is in feet and tenths of feet above the average level of lower low water.

## TIMBER SALE X 2837.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forester, Prince Rupert, not later than noon on the 22nd day of December, 1920, for the purchase of Licence X 2837, near Seaton, B.C., to cut 6,000 Hemlock and Jackpine Ties.

One year will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, or the District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

## MINERAL ACT.

## Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.—"Copper Cliff," "Copper Cliff No. 1," "Copper Cliff No. 2," and "Copper Cliff No. 3" Mineral Claims situate in the Nass River Mining Division of Cassiar District, Where located—Kitzuit River, Alice Arm.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George A. Young, Free Miner's Certificate No. 36595-C, acting for myself and as agent for Joseph Wells, Free Miner's Certificate No. 40628-C, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of improvements.

Dated this 6th day of November, 1920.

## CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Iron Duke Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2331; Iron Duke No. 2 Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2332; Epsom Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2333; Derby Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2337—All adjoining mineral claims situated in Queen Charlotte Islands, B.C., in the Prince Rupert District, Where located—On Louise Island.

TAKE NOTICE that I, C. J. Jensen of the City of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, Canada, do hereby nominate and appoint for Neils Person, of the said City of Vancouver, Free Miner's Certificate No. 9375-B, Acting on behalf of myself and as agent for Neils Person, of the said City of Vancouver, Free Miner's Certificate No. 9372, intend, sixty (60) days from the date hereof, to apply for a Crown Grant of the above claims.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED this 3rd day of December, A.D. 1920.

C. J. BENSON.

## LAND ACT.

## Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.

In Cassiar Land District, Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate about one and one half miles east of the head of Alice Arm and adjoining lots Nos. 51 and 54.

Take notice that I, Joseph Edgar Trethewey, Post Hamster, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southern corner of lot 51, then 80 chains northerly 40 chains easterly, then 80 chains south; thence 40 chains west to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

JOSEPH EDGAR TRETHEWEY.

Dated November 23, 1920.

AUSTRIAN JEWS  
ARE KIDNAPPED

Budapest Police Can Neither End It nor Detect Criminals

BUDAPEST, Dec. 21.—Mysterious kidnapping of rich Jews continues here and the police seem unable to end it or detect the criminals.

Recently three wine merchants who had gone to the country disappeared. The police followed their tracks to the Lake Balaton, where the water washed ashore a boat in which the hats of the merchants were found. All further trace was lost and there fate still is unknown, although there is every indication of murder.

The case of Jacob Reissman, a rich piano manufacturer, belongs to the same category. Reissman was carried away from his home in Budapest by three men who pretended to be detectives of the military police. Reissman vanished with him and the contents of his safe. It is considered certain that the unfortunate manufacturer was robbed and killed, although neither the perpetrators nor the body of the victim were found.

The Man in the Moon  
SAYS—

THAT Greece always was slippery, and flickle too.

THAT it is an unknown quantity.

THAT the dropping of the luxury tax has its appeal and election time is near.

THAT it is a great vote catcher, anyway.

THAT Brennan wasn't satisfied with being knocked out, but comes up smiling and asks to be killed.

THAT where there's sporting life there'll be a white hope and some of them are very optimistic.

THAT the small boy who can't be good these days is hopeless, indeed.

THAT South America says she can run a League of Nations if somebody else finds the league.

THAT you never know your friends or your enemies either.

THAT it is said some persons were in police court this morning to get an introduction.

THAT some were surprised and others weren't.

THAT if you don't feel remorseful today it's because you haven't bought your Christmas presents yet.

THAT those who bought theirs last week and paid as high as 50 per cent luxury tax, are feeling the pangs today.

THAT they told us two weeks ago to do our Christmas shopping early, too.

Ten Years Ago  
in Prince Rupert

December 21, 1910

The well-known firm of Kelly, Douglas, of Vancouver, wholesale grocers and produce dealers, who have shown their faith in the future of Prince Rupert by deciding to open up a branch here, have their fine building on First Avenue almost completed and ready for occupancy.

After being fast aground on the mud flats at the entrance of the Narrows since yesterday morning the Prince George was hauled off this morning. She was not at all damaged and proceeded under her own steam on her journey to Prince Rupert.

The Prince Beatrice made a late call at Prince Rupert last night, only remaining in port a short while, taking on passengers for the southern coast cities for the Christmas holidays.

The city council held an "extraordinary" meeting last evening at the Empress Theatre and successfully refuted charges of a slanderous nature made against them by a certain section of the press of this city.

The theatrical artists will be sorry to hear that eggs are now being put up in several odors.

## MAIL SCHEDULE

## For the East.

Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 10:15 a.m.  
From the East.

Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:45 p.m.

## For Vancouver and South.

Tuesdays ..... 7 p.m.  
Thursdays ..... 11 p.m.

Sundays ..... 8 p.m.

December 4 and 18.

## From Vancouver and South.

Sundays ..... 8 p.m.  
Wednesdays ..... 10:30 a.m.

Saturdays ..... 8 a.m.

December 13 and 27.

## For Anyox and Alice Arm.

Sundays ..... 10 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 9 p.m.

## From Anyox and Alice Arm.

Tuesdays ..... 10 a.m.  
Thursdays ..... p.m.

## For Port Simpson, Arrandale, Mill Bay, Wales Island and Naas River.

Tuesdays ..... a.m.  
Saturdays ..... p.m.

## Bay, Wales Island and Naas River.

Sundays ..... 10 p.m.  
Thursdays ..... 11 p.m.

## From Pt. Simpson, Arrandale, Mill Bay, Wales Island and Naas River.

Tuesdays ..... a.m.  
Saturdays ..... p.m.

## Try a classified advertisement if you want to buy or sell or if you want anything. A lot of business is done that way.

## BYLAW 356.

## CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT.

Notice is hereby given that four (4) days after the last insertion of this notice in this paper, application will be made to the Chief of Police of the City of Prince Rupert for the grant of a license for the sale of beverages as defined in the above bylaw in and upon the premises known as Tom's Place, situated at 816 Third Avenue, in the city of Prince Rupert.

Dated this 21st day of December, 1920.

TOM MARTINSON,  
Applicant.

## CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Iron Duke No. 3 Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2329; Iron Duke No. 4 Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2331; Iron Duke No. 5 Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2332; Iron Duke No. 6 Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2333; Gardner Mineral Claim, Lot No. 2338—All adjoining mineral claims, situated in Queen Charlotte Mining Division, Prince Rupert District, Where located—On Louise Island.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Alex Rogers of the City of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, Free Miner's Certificate No. 32793-A, holder of mineral claims situated in the said District, McDonald, to apply for a Crown Grant of the above mineral claims.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED THIS 3RD day of December, 1920.

ALEX ROGERS.

## NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT.

Revised Statutes of Canada  
(Chapter 115).

THE CANADIAN FISH AND GOLD STORAGE CO., LTD., hereby gives notice that it has undertaken the delivery of the fish products of the salmon fisheries of the Nass River, at the port of Prince Rupert, B.C., to the Canadian Fish and Gold Storage Co., Ltd., at the port of Prince Rupert, B.C., and that it has engaged the services of the Canadian Fish and Gold Storage Co., Ltd., to construct the said wharf.

THE CANADIAN FISH AND GOLD STORAGE CO., LTD., will under section seven (7) of the Navigation Protection Act, cause the wharf to be built in the Skeena River, on the land covered by water known and described as "the site of the proposed wharf" in the said Nass River, B.C., in the Coast District, in the Province of British Columbia.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, THE CANADIAN FISH AND GOLD STORAGE CO., LTD., will under section seven (7) of the Navigation Protection Act, cause the wharf to be built in the Skeena River, on the land covered by water known and described as "the site of the proposed wharf" in the said Nass River, B.C., in the Coast District, in the Province of British Columbia.

AND TAKE NOTICE that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED this 10th day of November, A.D. 1920.

LEWIS W. PATMORE.

## MINERAL ACT.

## (Form F).

# FISHERMEN! NOTE!

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Store open evenings till Xmas—Wallace's. 300

Basketball tonight, Exhibition Hall, from 8 to 10. 25¢ and 10¢. \* \* \*

Special for Christmas French ivory goods engraved free at Bulger's. 99

Women's cosy felt slippers, all colors, from \$1.65. Royal Shoe Store. \* \* \*

Substantial Gifts for Xmas—Any article in furniture or carpets at Tite's Store at extra special reductions. 01

Presbyterian Sunday School Christmas tree Wednesday, December 22nd at 7:30. Come and see Santa Claus. 99

M. P. Tom, formerly chief cook at the Dominion Cafe, has bought the Royal Cafe. First class meals served at right prices. 98

Major C. B. North, superintendent of the Dolly Varden mine, Alice Arm, is in town today on the Chelohsin en route south for the holidays. \* \* \*

D. S. Cameron, provincial constable at Alice Arm, arrived in town today on the Chelohsin on a private business trip. He will return north tomorrow night. The city is to apply to the provincial government for another loan of \$50,000 under the Better Housing Scheme. It is understood further funds are now available under the act. \* \* \*

A letter from A. W. Gray, the secretary of the Union of B. C. Municipalities, asking the city for its views on the municipal taxation question was referred to the city treasurer for report by the council last evening. \* \* \*

City Clerk Ernest A. Woods is to be returning officer at the next municipal election at a stipend of \$25. He will have five deputy returning officers at \$10 apiece. Nomination day will be on January 10 and election day, January 13.

Gloves—silk, kid, chamoisette—Wallace's. 300

The memorial site bylaw transferring the lots of the Great War Veterans' Association on the hill back of the city hall for the canteen premises on Third Ave. was put through its first readings last night at the council meeting and will come up for final adoption on Monday next. \* \* \*

Store open Wednesday afternoon—Wallace's. \* \* \*

A new workshop is to be built by the city for the utilities department, according to the decision of the council last night. This department, in the past, has stored supplies and equipment in the fire hall and elsewhere but the new shop is needed to take care of everything adequately. The proposed building is a frame structure 60 by 60, and will be built on Fraser Street. \* \* \*

### NOTICE.

To whom it may concern:—Take notice that M. P. Tom has bought the Royal Cafe and all accounts against said business must be rendered on or before December 24, 1920.

M. P. TOM.

# MACDONALD'S CUT BRIER

MACDONALD'S "BRIER" has become a Canadian institution. Smoked by the men who made history. In the bush, on the trail, in mining camps, prospectors' huts, factory yards, on trains, steamships, in the luxurious homes and downtown clubs of our Canadian cities—Macdonald's has always been recognized as *the smoke*.

MACDONALD'S CUT "BRIER"—the same tobacco but in new form—maintains every Macdonald tradition since 1858, and gives to smokers—*more tobacco for the money*.

### The Tobacco with a Heart



Sausage meat for turkey dressing—Atkins' Meat Market. 01

Fancy goods, china, Community silverware and toys at clear-up prices for the last three days, at Tite's Store. 01

See our windows for bargains in fancy slippers, suitable for Xmas presents. All colors and all prices—Royal Shoe Store. 01

Martha Wesley, Indian, charged with being a common prostitute, was remanded on appearing in the police court this morning. \* \* \*

Harry Platoff was fined \$50 in the police court this morning for having firearms concealed on his person. The pistol which he carried was confiscated. \* \* \*

The amendments to the building bylaw, which have been under the consideration of the council for some weeks, were finally passed at last night's council meeting. \* \* \*

Try Smeeton's for home made Christmas Cakes, Puddings, Mince Meat and Bullen's Melton Mowbray Pork Pies; pure and of finest quality. Place your orders early. Corner Second Avenue and Second Street. 302

Wallace's Xmas drawing, three prizes. Tickets with every dollar purchase. 300

TOM BASSOFF WILL HANG TOMORROW AT LETHBRIDGE JAIL

LETHBRIDGE, Dec. 21.—Tom Bassoff, the Russian train robber and murderer, who killed Corporal Usher and Constable Bailey last July when they were pursuing him for robbery, goes to the scaffold tomorrow morning.

ECZEMA You are not to go to bed when you are ill. Use Dr. Chase's Ointment. It relieves at once and gradually heals the skin. Sample box Dr. Chase's Ointment free if you mention this ad. Price 25¢ postpaid. Stamp for postage, tax, a box; all dealers or Edmans, Bates & Co. Limited, Toronto.

### To Be Dyspeptic Is to be Miserable

The poor dyspeptic suffers untold agony after every meal, and any one who has dyspepsia knows what joy it would give to eat three square meals a day and not be punished for it after. Nearly everything that enters the weak stomach acts as an irritant, and even the little that is eaten causes such torture and is digested so imperfectly that it does little good.

Before you can eat heartily, and not pick and choose your food, you must put your stomach into such a condition that it will manufacture its own digestive ferments.

For over forty years Burdock Blood Bitters has been toning up and restoring weak stomachs to a normal healthy condition so that the food no longer causes distress, but is thoroughly digested and assimilated, and enables one to partake of all the wholesome food required without fear of any unpleasant after effects.

Mrs. Alice Beckwith, Fesserton, Ont., writes—"I have been a great sufferer from indigestion and dyspepsia for several years. I could not eat anything without almost dying from the pain in the pit of my stomach. Seeing Burdock Blood Bitters highly recommended I tried a bottle, and can gladly say it relieved me. I can eat anything now, and am in perfect health."

B. B. B. is manufactured only by The Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

### GRAVEYARD UNEARTHED OF GREAT ANTIQUITY

Contains Urns and Adornments of Prehistoric Men of Germany

STARFORD, West Prussia, Dec. 21.—A prehistoric graveyard, believed to be at least 2,000 years old, has been unearthed here by German investigators under the direction of Professor Zakrzewski. In one of the graves the excavators found six black urns and one red urn with black stripes filled with clay and ashes. Among the remains were some glittering substances which the investigators believe once had been adornments of prehistoric men and women.

Handkerchiefs from 50¢ box—Wallace's. 300

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so we are dropping our prices.

### Now is The Time to make your purchases

Only a few days left.

FRENCH IVORY, JEWELLERY, TOILET SETS, MANICURE SETS, TRAYS, LADIES' PURSES, MIRRORS, PIPES, WALLETS and LADIES' UMBRELLAS

### McLAGAN PHONOGRAPHS

A FEW LEFT

This is a genuine sale and these goods must go.

### McCUTCHEON'S

Corner Second and Sixth

The Largest Drug House in Northern B.C.



### Alfalfa Hay

We have just taken into our warehouse a car of CHOICE NO. 1 ALFALFA HAY. Get our price on this hay which has been bought on the lowest market.

We are always pleased to quote.

Mail orders have our prompt and careful attention.

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This advice, from whoever it may come, is founded on experience and knowledge, and carries conviction whenever it is given. It is a certain assurance that your Diamond Ring will pass all inspections. It is advice which means the elimination of all doubts as to quality.

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Our Price is  
Reasonable  
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Give us a trial. Phone Black 502**LING TAILOR**  
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Cars, Limousine  
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Huntley Tate.**FOR RENT**  
**Furnished Rooms**  
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Studio 137 Second Avenue  
PHONE Blue 421 or 444**EDSON COAL CO.**

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Phone 58 Green 548

**BRINGING UP FATHER****COMMISSION  
IS INVITED**Council Answers Railway Board  
Asking for Session  
Here.

In reply to the enquiry by the Railway Commission from the city asking the stand the city would take on the Cameron Cove closing question, the council last night decided to ask the Railway Commission to hold another session here, as Mr. Garrell promised, and then the matter would be fully considered. A motion to this effect was made by Alderman Perry and seconded by Alderman McLean and carried.

The mayor, this being his last appearance other than a private citizen, said that he had always stood out for the city's rights on this question in the five years he had been in the council. He would still stand out for the city obtaining a good piece of waterfront if the bay was closed up and would come in and assist to this end if any council was inclined to give away the city's rights.

The motion was passed, but there was considerable discussion among the aldermen before the next business was proceeded with.

**IS MAKING SURVEY OF  
WHALEN OPERATIONS**S. H. Garrigan to Make Extensive  
Investigation of Plants

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21.—S. H. Garrigan, of Port Arthur, Ont., representing Reliance Mill and Trading Company, a New York concern, which is taking over the operating of the Whalen Pulp and Paper Company's plants at Howe Sound, Port Alice and Swanson Bay, has reached the city. He left immediately for Howe Sound, where he will conduct an investigation of the plant there, leaving later for Port Alice and Swanson Bay and will here until Wednesday.

T. W. McGarry, president of the Whalen Pulp Company, is daily expecting the arrival of U. M. Waite, vice-president of the Reliance Company, to take charge of the company's British Columbia plants. Mr. Waite was formerly pulp mill manager of the International Paper Company and of the Great Northern Paper Company.

**CITY RECEIVED THE  
TENDERS FOR COAL**

Tenders for the supplying of a carload of coal for the city hall were received at last night's council meeting and referred to the utilities committee with power to act.

The tenders were as follows:

Albert & McCaffery, mine run coal, \$10.50 per ton.

Prince Rupert Coal Co.—Pembina Peerless Egg Coal, \$10.99 per ton.

Prince Rupert Supply Company—Mountain Park Coal, \$11.20 per ton.

Edson Coal Co.—McLeod River Coal, \$10.60 per ton, car weight; \$10.75 per ton, over weigh scales.

**Dr. Chases  
Kidney Liver Pills****Fiume Aviators  
Fly Over Italy**One Was Interned by San Marino  
Government When He  
Landed.

ROME, Dec. 24.—Aviators from Fiume have been repeatedly allowed to fly over Italian towns dropping propaganda leaflets. They have gone so far as to use an Italian aerodrome for refueling their fuel.

One Fiume aviator flew over the parliament buildings and dropped an insulting message calling for the conclusion of the Italian-Jugoslav treaty at Rapallo, after obtaining a supply of gasoline for the return journey to Fiume.

On the journey home the aviator encountered engine trouble and was forced to land in San Marino, the little republic with about 7,000 population, within the boundaries of Italy.

The San Marino government, seeing that he was a military aviator, considered the landing a violation of their boundaries, confiscated the machine and interned the aviator.

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Is Lighter in Gasoline Than Oils in Southern Alberta.

Pacific Milk is the only milk canned within the province. In fact there is no other milk canned outside Ontario. If you like British Columbia's good milk be sure you get Pacific.

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### ELKS WERE BEATEN BY VETERANS LAST NIGHT'S BILLIARDS

The Great War Veterans were successful over the Elks at billiards last night by a score of 1050 to 1004. Following is the result of the play:

Pillsbury (Elks), 200; Jepson (G.W.V.A.), 144; Wakefield (Elks), 197; May, 200; Roherge (Elks), 151; Youngman (G.W.V.A.), 200; McLachlan (Elks), 200; Campbell (G.W.V.A.), 129; Self (Elks), 94; Hemming (G.W.V.A.), 200; Lepine (Elks), 145; West, G.W.V.A., 200.

### CANDY MAKERS WANT THEIR TAX LIFTED

Manufacturers and Merchants Bombard Government Protesting Non-inclusion.

### Order Early

Scotch Shortbread  
Currant Bun  
Xmas Cakes  
Plum Puddings

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Phone 177 P.O. Box 258  
Third Avenue

**PRINCE RUPERT**  
Central Labor Council,  
O. B. U.

Affiliated Units and Dates of  
MEETINGS

Building Trades Unit, First and Third Mondays, 8 p.m.

Central Labor Council, Every Tuesday, 8 p.m.

Women's Auxiliary, First Wednesdays, Dance & Social at 9 p.m.; Second Monday, Business Meeting at 8 p.m.

Political Economy Club, Every Thursday at 8 p.m.

Metal Trades, First and Third Fridays.

Shipbuilding Unit, Second and Fourth Fridays at 8 p.m.

Fishpackers, First Saturday

OPEN FORUM (commencing Sept.) Second and Fourth Sundays, 8.30 p.m.

### Hotel Prince Rupert

EUROPEAN PLAN  
\$1.50 per day and up.

FIRST-CLASS CAFE  
A La Carte.

### XMAS TREES!

Violets, Cut Flowers, Holly wreaths, Ferns, Cyclamens  
CITY MARKET

Today is Being Observed With Solemnity at Plymouth Bay, Massachusetts.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Dec. 24.—On the shore of Plymouth Bay where "the breaking waves dashed high" when the Pilgrims set foot on Plymouth Rock December 21, 1620, their descendants are today joining with other distinguished men of this generation in Great Britain, Holland and America, to observe with all solemnity the tercentenary of the landing.

Two-color window cards take the eye quickly. See them at the News Job Department.

## WILL BUILD WAREHOUSES

Double Structure for Provincial Government Wharf to be Erected by Mitchell & Currie

Mitchell & Currie have secured the contract for the building of the double fish warehouse on the new extension to the government wharf, their tender for \$6,250 being the successful one among several others.

Building operations will commence right away and the building should be ready for occupation by January 20. The Atlin Fisheries and Pacific Fisheries will then move in, for their time at the present stand on the Grand Trunk wharf is already up, grace being given until the new building is finished.

### CHRISTMAS TREE BY THE PYTHIAN SISTERS

Kiddies Have Royal Time When Santa Claus Visited Castle Hall Last Evening.

The Pythian Sisters' Christmas tree yesterday afternoon was a great success and much joy was dispensed to the crowd of children which numbered eighty or more and was not confined alone to the children whose parents belong to the Pythian orders.

Tea was served and then games were played and it was about 7 o'clock when Santa Claus arrived to distribute the gifts. Loud cheers were set up and continued until nearly 8 o'clock when he hurriedly departed.

Mrs. George Leek was convenor of the committee in charge and she was assisted by Mrs. George Johnston, Mrs. Iverson, Mrs. Hemblin, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Bayne, Mrs. E. Large and Mrs. Linsey.

### IMPLEMENT CRIME TO BOTTOM OF SEA

"Burial at Sea" Beyond Three Mile Limit Decreed by Law at New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Fourteen hundred weapons, consisting of machine guns, revolvers, daggers, black jacks, brass knuckles, razors and other nondescript articles, collected by the police from criminals during the year recently were dropped to the bottom of the ocean beyond the three mile limit. The "burial at sea" is decreed by law.

### TREATMENT FOR COLD IN THE HEAD

Prompt Action Will Break It Up in 24 Hours.

Every reader will be glad to know that there is a thoroughly reliable household preparation on the market which will break up a bad cold in a night and even conquer a case of grippe in 24 hours.

Get a box of Grip-Fix from your druggist today. Keep it in the house—carry it in your pocket. Start taking it as soon as the first sign of the cold develops. For over 10 years it has been conquering colds. It will conquer yours.

Grip-Fix comes in capsule form. It acts quickly. It contains just what your physician might prescribe—the ingredients are stated on each box. It is a safe remedy for household use—no physician could prescribe better.

On sale at all druggists, 35 cents per box.

## Music and Christmas Are Inseparably Associated

MUSIC is the means that has been adopted throughout the ages for communicating the joy of the Christmas message.

The spirit of the festival is more inspiringly expressed by the music that has always accompanied it than by any other single medium.

For music reaches our innermost selves, taps a channel leading to our higher nature and brings us in tune with the Infinite.

Millions attend church at the Christmas Season because of the special Christmas Music of the organ and the choir. They are reached through music as they are reached in no other way.

Music speaks the language of the soul, but it likewise speaks the language of life—the language of the heart.

When we speak from the depths of our religious nature, we have recourse to music and we sing our praises to God.

When we are stirred by any emotion in secular life, we likewise resort to music for its expression. We sing love songs and patriotic songs. We sing songs of sadness and songs of gladness—songs of home and songs of childhood, and our nature responds and vibrates with the magic of the message brought to us.

*Music transposes joy and softens sorrow.  
It should shed its blessings in every home.*



ORMES' DRUG STORE  
McRAE BROS., LTD.  
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W. W. WRITHALL  
WALKER'S MUSIC STORE  
CHAS. W. TEETZEL, SINGER SHOP

Number 28A

## STATION AGENT WAS HELD UP

MISSION CITY, Dec. 24.—G. Fletcher, station agent for the G.P.R. here, was held up by a masked bandit on Saturday night and was forced to allow the latter to take the contents of the office cash drawer. The money in the safe was not taken.

### MEXICANS HAVE NEW HOLIDAY TO MARK

MEXICO, Dec. 24.—Mexico has a new holiday to add to the many already observed. Congress has decreed that November 20 shall be a legal holiday, commemorating the revolt of Francisco V. Madero against the Huerta regime.

### WATER NOTICE. USE AND STORAGE.

TAKE NOTICE that Kitimat Pulp and Paper Company, whose address is 701-5 Vancouver Block, Vancouver, B.C., will apply for a license to take and use one thousand second feet and to store five hundred second feet of water out of the Skeena River, Lowe Inlet, B.C. also known as Verney Falls, which flows westerly and drains into Lowe Inlet about at its head. The storage-place will be located at (1) Lowe Inlet, (2) Upper Lake, (3) Simpson Lake.

The capacity of the reservoir to be created is about 250,000 acre feet, and it will flood about 4,000 acres of land.

This will be done from the stream at a point about at the head of Lowe Inlet and will be used for power purposes upon the land described as Kum-o-wa-dah Indian Reserve No. 1, crown lands.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 23rd day of November, 1920. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

Lowe Inlet, Lowe Inlet River, First, Second, Third Lakes, Simpson Lake,

Upper Simpson Lake, and the watershed of the river flowing into Lowe Inlet being approximately 150 square miles between the head of the river and the mouth of the river.

Kitimat Pulp and Paper Co., Appellant,

by Noel Humphreys, Esq.

The date of the first publication of this notice is December 13, 1920.

## Xmas Cakes.

Place Your Order in Good Time  
with

**LA CASSE BAKERY**  
717 3rd Ave. Auto Delivery Phone 190



I'm hungry! So am I! I was! You won't be if you eat at  
**THE EMPRESS CAFE**

Empress Hotel Block. Newly opened for business  
Strictly clean. White help only. Open day and night

## DAMON AND PYTHIAS

### ONE OWES A LITTLE BILL AND THE OTHER PAYS IT UNDER PRESSURE



