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KOVNO TAKEN AFTER BRAVE RESISTANCE

DARDANELLES SUCCESS — GERMANS REPULSED IN VOSGES — ZEPPELIN RAID

JAP WHO KILLED PITTMAN IDENTIFIED BY ROBERT ANGUS

AT PRELIMINARY HEARING OF THE PORT ESSINGTON MURDER CASE YESTERDAY, WITNESS POSITIVELY STATED THAT NAGANO, THE COOK, COMMITTED THE MURDER

At the preliminary hearing of the Port Essington murder case, before Magistrate McMullin yesterday, Robert Angus gave evidence very similar to that given at the coroner's inquest. He identified Nagano as the man who committed the crime. It seems that Angus, Murphy and Pittman were eating in the Oriental Cafe at 11:10 p. m., when Carlson called for some soup. He got the soup. Later Kameda and Ohara took Carlson into a corner and started to beat him, because he had not paid for the soup.

Carlson ran out of the cafe and a few minutes afterwards two Japs brought him back. He had blood on his nose and around his mouth. Witness told the Japs they had gone far enough. He had just said this when Ohara struck him over the eye. He saw Kameda striking Carlson with a crutch.

Carlson ran out and witness followed him. Someone said "they are murdering me." Witness went back to the door and found Murphy lying down in a corner. Nagano was in the opposite corner with Pittman. Witness picked up saucers and threw them at Kameda and Ohara, who were with Murphy.

Pittman and Murphy went out and witness followed them. Nagano came out after him and passed him, following Pittman to the bottom of the steps. At the foot of the steps, Pittman turned as though to grab Nagano. He saw something glitter in Nagano's hand like a knife. Pittman then said "Bob, I'm stabbed." Witness said, "run." The cook, Nagano, then turned round on witness. He dodged under the cook's arm twice, but was stabbed in the head coming back. Witness then ran down the street after Pittman towards the pool room. He passed

Pittman, who dropped right at his heels. He saw no one else at the time.

Witness ran and got his partner, Gus Schorneck, who was in bed. They came back and found Pittman lying dead. Tommy Darve and another man came along with Murphy on a truck. They put Pittman on the same truck and took him on to the hospital.

Cross-examined by Mr. Peters, witness said Kameda had nothing to do with the restaurant as far as he knew. He had no doubt the stab Pittman got at the foot of the steps was the one that caused his death. It was not Kameda that stabbed him it was the cook.

Provincial Constable Robert V. Leese testified as to the finding of the body, the condition of the restaurant, and the arresting of Nagano, Kameda and Ohara.

After further cross-examination by Mr. Peters the hearing was adjourned until today.

PARTY ROAD WORK ON PORCHER ISLAND

Spiller P. O., Porcher Island, Editor, Daily News.

Dear Sir:—We wish to draw your attention to the way in which road work is handled in this district. We have been settlers in this district for seven years, and in view of the hard times, applied to road foreman Mendem for a share of the work being done here, understanding that such work is divided amongst the settlers.

The road foreman positively refused to give us a share of the work, stating that we did not need it. Now, we ask you, would a man ask for pick and shovel work if he did not need it? The real reason is, we suppose, that we do not belong to the right political bunch. There are 22 men working on the roads around here, and three of these are from one family, yet we are refused our share. We have been settlers here for seven years and are surely entitled to some consideration. Surely it is only fair that the work should be divided amongst the 24 of us instead of the 22 favored ones.

Yours truly,
John Warner.
Frank Armstrong.

SKAGWAY TO 'FRISCO IN A 25-FOOT BOAT

Billy Woodworth, Cy Confer and Andy Anderson, who are making the trip from Skagway to Frisco in a 25-foot boat, arrived in the harbor this morning.

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ATLANTA MAYOR DEFENDS LYNCHING

(Special to The Daily News.)

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 18.—Mayor Woodward, in a speech at a banquet, defends the lynching of Leo Frank. He says the efforts to secure justice and avenge the murder were blocked in the courts. He warns Former Governor Slaton to keep out of Georgia for a year or more.

Governor Harris announces that there will be a rigorous investigation into the lynching.

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TERRIBLE EFFECTS OF TEXAS HURRICANE

(Special to The Daily News.)

San Antonio, Texas, August 18. The storm damage at Houston is estimated at \$1,000,000. Six persons were drowned. Eight were drowned at Morgan's Point. Galveston is isolated.

All elevators have been blown down and the causeway wrecked, one vessel being blown through it. The property loss is estimated to be greater than in the storm of 1900. It is feared that hundreds are dead. Eighteen soldiers are dead in Texas City. The barracks were blown down and 50 injured, damage to the extent of \$400,000 being done. The damage to the cotton crop amounts to millions.

KOVNO TAKEN BY GERMANS AFTER STUBBORN RESISTANCE

LONDON BELIEVES EASTERN SITUATION CRITICAL — BRITISH ADVANCE IN DARDANELLES — DIPLOMATIC PAUSE IN GREECE — ZEPPELIN RAID — ENEMY REPULSED IN VOSGES

(Special to The Daily News.)

Berlin, August 18.—The fortress of Kovno has been captured after a most tenacious resistance, with 240 guns and 4,500 prisoners.

Situation Critical.

London, August 18.—The fall of Kovno makes the eastern situation critical. The Germans are showing no relaxation in their efforts to reach Brest and Litouik.

Dardanelles Advance

Sir Ian Hamilton reports that the British left wing has gained 500 yards, including a Turkish trench. The Australians repulsed all Turkish attacks.

Diplomatic Pause.

There is little change in the

diplomatic situation. Venizelos has asked for four days in which to study conditions before he attempts to form a new Greek cabinet.

Zeppelin Raid.

There has been a Zeppelin raid on the east coast near London. Ten people were killed and 36 injured. Property damage was slight. One of the Zeppelins was hit.

Germans Repulsed.

Paris, August 18.—German attacks in the Vosges have been repulsed. Prisoners taken from the German Crown Prince's army have printed orders to capture Verdun and at any cost to end the war by December.

ENQUIRY RE FACILITIES FOR MAKING MUNITIONS

(Special to The Daily News.)

Victoria, August 18.—Earnest McGaffrey, head of the Provincial Bureau of Information, has been ordered to make a report to the government regarding the facilities in Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo for the government manufacture of munitions. Two thousand mechanics are idle in Vancouver.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, August 18.—A mild earthquake shock was felt from the Okanagan to Vancouver at 6:06 this morning.

FLOWER SHOW AIDS FUND

Competitors in the cut flowers class at the flower show today are donating their exhibits to the Red Cross Fund. Purchasers will receive their flowers at the close of the show.

At least we are much more sure of the Canadian business situation than the kaiser is of his war indemnities.

FARMING DEVELOPMENT IN PRINCE RUPERT'S HINTERLAND

BULKLEY VALLEY IS PRODUCING FINE CROPS OF WHEAT AND OATS—PROMISES TO BE GREAT STOCK RAISING COUNTRY—FARMERS GETTING DOWN TO REAL BUSINESS

(By F. S. Wright)

The Bulkley valley is a comparatively small part of the hinterland of Prince Rupert, but 1915 indications are that it is a district that has gone past the experimental stage.

Gone are the days of feverish real estate speculation, gone the day of the contractor and railroad builder and his following. No more do long strings of freight teams pull out of Aldermere with supplies for the construction camps. In their place the man with the plough has arrived, has cleared and sown, and this year the experiments of previous years have shown that the Bulkley valley can produce, along mixed farming lines.

You will go a long way before you will see better looking grain hay and feed. The quantity, true, is not great, measured with the prairie provinces' output, but the quality is there absolutely. Seldom can cleaner or heavier grain be seen than that growing in the Bulkley valley. Another eight days with ordinary farmer's luck will see it cut and shocked, and then Bulkley valley will show by actual marketing of a surplus, that they at any rate can farm and make a living in the north.

Their hay crop is roughly 4,000 tons, equal to the finest Washington hay. Their wheat crop is sufficient to supply the district with all the wheat required for poultry feeding. They expect to ship at least six carloads of oats, and two of barley.

Stock—At the present time the Bulkley valley heard consists of about 700 head of cattle, 400 head of sheep, 700 pigs, and about 100 Angora goats. They have six pedigreed bulls in the district, and as a stock raising district, the Bulkley will be hard to beat in future years.

The settlement of the valley has increased about 15 per cent. over 1914 with a good class of settler farmers, with families, knowledge and experience. The birds of passage who made a bluff at farming are gone, and their place has been taken by serious producers.

Today in the Bulkley you can see the farmer who is employing hired help on his place. He needs the help and has the cash to pay for it. Saturday night in Telkwa is a busy night these days. The town has a look of prosperity about it quite refreshing in these days of war and crisis.

They are holding a fair on the 18th and 19th of September, a district fair, replete with good, attractive features, horse racing and stock competition, etc. On the 1st of September they are holding a picnic at Round lake. This is a yearly affair, where the farmers from the whole district gather to renew acquaintances. It is well attended each year, and a

word to the Prince Rupert business man might not be amiss.

Why not slip out of town about this time, away from city cares and get acquainted with this sturdy bunch of farmers. These farmers' one complaint is that Rupert, although it expects to see the interior trade pass through the city, does not make any appreciable effort to get in touch. They can grow the stuff, they look to Prince Rupert to help market what they produce, and here is where the Prince Rupert business man can help them. The trade is not in settled channels yet, it is perfectly possible for it to get away from Prince Rupert, and it will require effort on the part of Prince Rupert if they are to get their share. There are a few in Prince Rupert who are reaching out for it, but mighty few.

The people up there will see that a party of business men views all there is to be seen and have a good time in addition. It would mean going to Smithers, and from there arrangements would be made to take the party through the valley to Round lake by motor. They would see for themselves the possibilities of the country, and ask anyone who knows whether it would not mean education and a surprise. Mr. business man, there is one of your markets waiting for you to jump into—small as yet, but increasing rapidly and the first man in gets the plums. Are you going to be first?

A business man's trip would
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BORROWING VS. PRODUCING

C. R. Drayton, the Vancouver financier who has just returned from Europe, states that the people of British Columbia must first of all put out of their minds the idea of getting money from Europe for years to come. "We will have to look to ourselves to create our own wealth, as hard and slow as it may be," he said, in an interview with the Daily Province.
This was just as true of British Columbia before the war as it is now. The war is not responsible for the financial conditions in British Columbia, in fact, the war has done a certain amount of relief work in this province by removing thousands of unemployed across to Europe. Land speculation dropped from a dizzy height long before the war was dreamt of; the Dominion Trust Company was rotten to the core two years before war was declared, and the farming lands, coal lands, and timber limits of the province had been handed over to the speculator long before the war clouds darkened the horizon. British Columbia's troubles are internal, not external. It is not a case of wait till the war is over, but work for the boom is over. British Columbia must produce and keep on producing. The province has piled up a huge load of debt, and further borrowing would only add to a liability which is already more than the province should have been burdened with. British Columbia is exactly in the position of a man, who, by improvident living, is absolutely up against it. Luxuries must be dispensed with and the whole province must get down to business. From the struggling farmer, merchant and wage-earner down to the land-grabber and the politician who says "No," when Bowser says "No," and "Yes" when Bowser says "Yes," and looks wise but says nothing when the dictator is silent, every man must get

to work.

The most expensive luxury in the province is the McBride government. Some day we will know exactly how luxuriously costly it has been. It certainly cost a huge sum to put it in, and it has cost an enormous amount to keep it there. Conservative machinery, whether in Manitoba, British Columbia, or at Ottawa, is a luxury which Canada cannot afford again. British Columbia needs a government which will devote its energies to the conducting of the business of the province, instead of running an expensive party employment bureau; a government which will produce work instead of jobs, and results instead of jobbery. Had the farming lands of the province been developed instead of exploited, they would have been producing crops today and British Columbia would have been reaping the benefit. This province will only succeed as a producer when party politicians are replaced by business men; when the real business of the province will be the first care of the government, instead of mere party expediency.

The irresponsible McBride government, given enough rope, has carried out the proverbial hanging operation. In history, its name will always be coupled with that of Manitoba. Like Rogers and Roblin, McBride and Bowser mistook a momentary wave of real estate excitement for a great flood tide of genuine prosperity and went the limit. The war did not cause the breakdown in either case, but simply served as a background on which was shown up the terrible state of affairs. With careful guidance real prosperity will come to Manitoba and British Columbia. The Roblin-Rogers gang have been shut out, and the McBride-Bowser bunch must be driven out, to make room for men who will place the province far above party.

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The Public and High Schools will open on Monday, August 23. The Board of School Trustees, having passed the resolution authorized by Section 8 of Chapter 38, of the Statutes of 1912, hereby notify the parents and guardians of any child from the age of 7 to 14, who neglect to send such child to school, that he or she is liable to the penalties provided in Section 141, of Chapter 206 R. S. B. C., i. e. That a fine not exceeding \$5.00 shall be imposed for the first willful offence and double that penalty for each subsequent offence. W. D. VANCE, Secretary of Board.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN THE MATTER OF THE ADMINISTRATION ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROSARIO MAZZEI, DECEASED, INTERESTATE TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor F. McB. Young, local judge, dated the 18th day of May, A. D. 1915, I have been appointed administratrix of the estate of Rosario Mazzei, late of the city of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, deceased, intestate. AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the said Rosario Mazzei, who died on or about the 28th day of April, A. D. 1915, are required to send to Patmore & Fulton, barristers, Prince Rupert, B. C., on or before the 31st day of July, A. D. 1915, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them, duly verified, and after that date I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed. Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 29th day of June, 1915. GAETANA CITRINA MAZZEI, By Patmore & Fulton, her solicitors.

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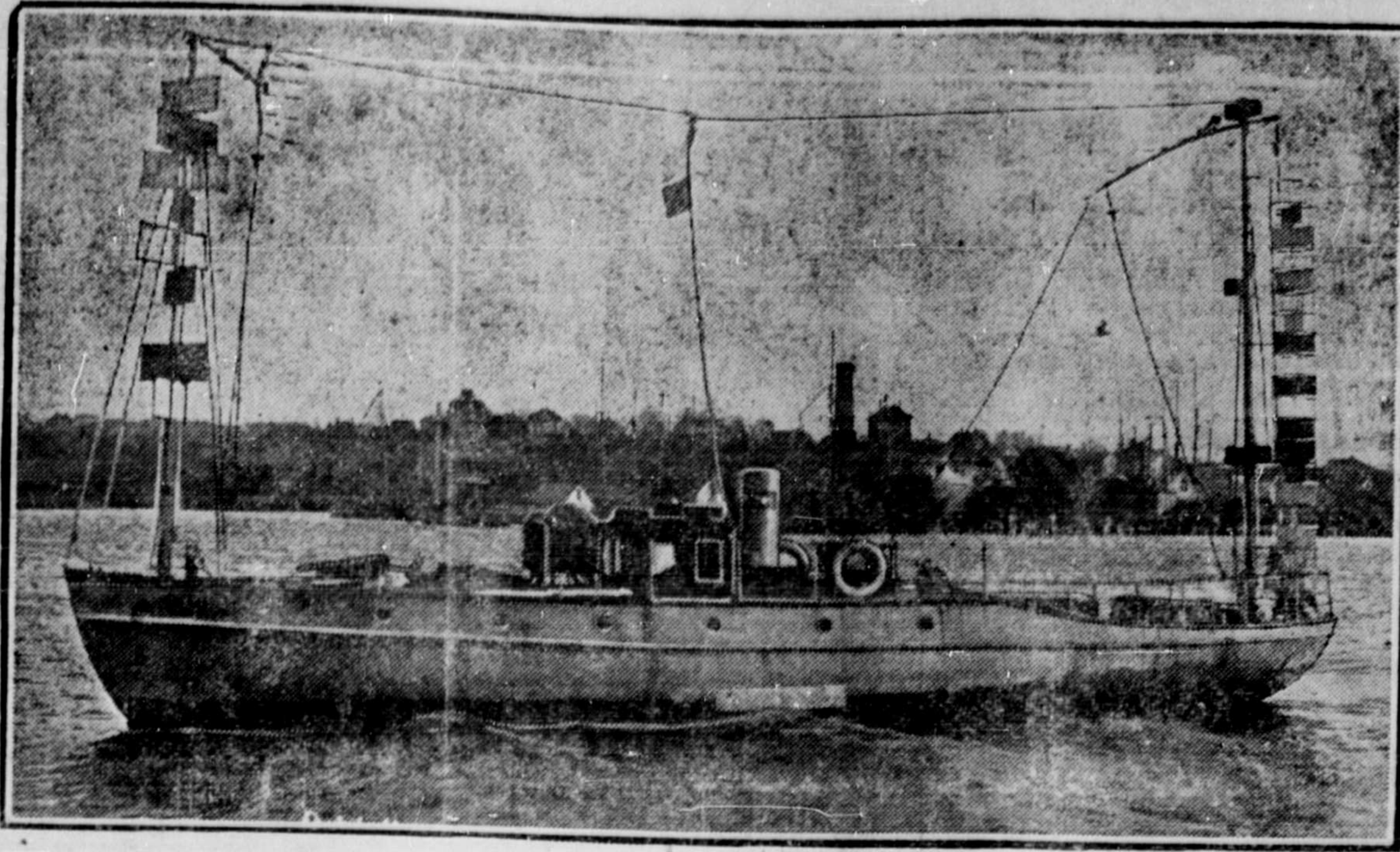
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NEW HAZELTON NOTES

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John Bostrom went up the line Monday night to look over some land near Endako.

Messrs. Thompson and Hadden were working on the Rocher de Boule Wonder group.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hentzen, of New York, were guests at the Northern Hotel a few days this week.

Roy McDonell and Red McDougall left this week for the harvest fields in Saskatchewan and Alberta. They expect to be away until about Christmas.

Some development work that has been in progress on the Haz-

elton View group on Rocher de Boule mountain has shown up a nice bunch of copper ore. This group is on the river side of the mountain and connects on to the Rocher de Boule group.—Omineca Herald.

LAND NOTICES

Skeena Land District. Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—Graham Island. TAKE NOTICE that I, Grant Thorburn, of Prince Rupert, hotel man, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for the Province of British Columbia for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum: Starting at a post planted two miles west of the northwest corner of Section 6, Township 9; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less. Dated the 16th day of March, 1915, at the northwest corner. GRANT THORBURN. Samuel Horner, Agent. 112-140

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The rub, rub, rub at the board has no place in the Sunlight way—so with the hardest part of washing cut out you'll feel like making it a good day's work by doing at least part of the ironing.

Follow the directions that cut your work in half and remember there's nothing in Sunlight to injure fine fabric or dainty hand. A \$5,000 guarantee backs this statement.

Sunlight Soap

All grocers sell and recommend it

