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# First Fish Car Is On Way To City

## MASSET INLET MILL WILL START CUTTING OPERATIONS IN NEAR FUTURE

**The Wonderful Valley of the Skeena River.**  
By the Editor

To those who have travelled over the Grand Trunk Pacific railway as far as Hazelton, doubtless, it must appear futile for a person to try to tell anything about the scenery along the route, and I have no intention of doing so. It is altogether too wonderful to describe and every time it is seen it is more beautiful than before. The rugged canyon of the lower Skeena and the picturesque peaks farther inland all have their distinctive beauty and it is a beauty that is hardly comparable to anything I have seen anywhere. I had not seen it before as early in the season as May. Later there is less snow on the mountains and the hills are more majestic.

The time cannot be very far distant when thousands of tourists will travel this way for the sole purpose of seeing the mountains of the Skeena. Winding along the banks of the river, the view from the train is an ever-changing panorama of stream and mountain, with the bright yellow-green of the cottonwood trees among the spruce and hemlock and making an admirable setting for the noble peaks above.

**Feast for the Eyes**  
Those who travel the route often play cards and never notice the view from the car windows. To them it is commonplace. To us it is a continual enjoyment, not for the eyes, but too much ready to be seen in one short half hour. The eyes tire and the senses become less receptive as evening approaches, but the scenery is just as grand as ever, as Hazelton is reached, some think even finer.

I pause and look out of the window, I see the turbulent muddy water, the wonderful green and the marvellous mountains. Except the adjectives. They mean little, but our language is not sufficiently expressive to tell of such a trip.

My son Dick and I are on a little journey of exploration. He and the staff of the Victoria Colonist and we each want to give our readers some idea of the country through which we pass. I shall set down as faithfully as possible a description of some of the things I see and hear. The country is not new, but we may possibly get a new viewpoint on it. We expect to meet the people and inquire some of their ideas and shall try to give their viewpoints.

I am anxious to know this interior country better, and I want through the columns of the Daily News to make Prince Rupert people interested in it. We have all heard about it, more or less, but not enough. If these letters prove tiresome skip them and read instead about Germany or the labor situation in Britain. I shall have nothing to tell, except about the simple life of the farmers, the struggle of the small towns, the life of the pioneers as they subdue the wilderness and make a smiling pastoral land of rugged valleys, converting the country into a fit dwelling place for those who come after.

**COURT MARTIAL GAVE STIFF SENTENCE TO ATTACKERS ON CROWN**

BURBANK, May 26.—Four civilians were sentenced by court-martial to fifteen years' penal servitude for attacking Crown forces at Newry on December 12.

## First Criminal of War Was Sentenced This Morning by High Court to Ten Months

LEIPZIG, May 26.—The first of the German soldiers to be tried on criminal charges arising out of the recent war was sentenced this morning. Sergeant Heyne, accused of ill treating British soldiers who were prisoners of war at Marne, Westphalia was sentenced to ten months' imprisonment by the high court.

There are several more trials to take place and these will be conducted steadily from now on. The first case was rather a light one but there are more serious ones to follow. Some severe punishments will be meted out, it is expected.

## BRITISH ADMIRAL DEAD IN LONDON

Sir Arthur K. Wilson Was First Sea Lord for Three Years; Long Career.

LONDON, May 26.—Admiral Sir Arthur K. Wilson, who was first sea lord of the British Admiralty from 1910 to 1912, is dead.

Admiral Wilson was born in 1812 and was commander of the Channel fleet from 1903 to 1907.

He served in the Crimean War in 1854 when but twelve years of age. He also saw service in the Chinese war in 1865 and elsewhere. He was promoted from captain to rear admiral in 1895 and to admiral in 1905.

## MINE NEAR ALBERT CANYON TURNED OVER

Waverley-Tangier Sold to Spokane Interests; Development Plans Announced

REVELSTOKE, May 26.—The Waverley-Tangier silver lead mines, eight miles from Albert Canyon, have been sold to G. H. Walters and interests of Spokane. Twenty thousand dollars has already been paid and ten thousand dollars is to be spent on development work.

## SIXTEEN HORSES ON WAY TO STEWART

Will be Used in Packing and Teaming of Ore at the Mining Camp.

Sixteen horses bound for Stewart arrived in the city on the Prince Rupert yesterday and will be taken north on the Prince Albert this week. The horses are consigned to the Premier Gold Mining Co. and private individuals. Some of them will be used for packing and others in general teaming.

## Buckley Bay Mill Is To Reopen At Once and Will Operate All This Season

E. L. Buckley, general manager of the Massett Timber Co., sailed last evening for Massett Inlet on the Prince Albert and took over with him forty mill men.

The mill at Buckley Bay is to be reopened at once to cut the large number of logs that are piled up in the yards. Operations will continue until the end of the year and if the lumber market is then favorable logging operations will again be resumed. For the season's cutting there is already an ample supply of logs out.

Senator Stevens, a Montana cattle man and a personal friend of Mr. Buckley's, accompanied him to the islands.

## ENOUGH CARS TODAY'S FISH

Six Carloads Arrived and Sold at Fish Exchange This Morning.

There were ten refrigerator cars available for shipment to the United States at the fish exchange this morning and six carloads of fish were bought, cleaning up all the arrivals. This afternoon the fish is being prepared for shipment east by the various concerns who bought haulout.

The following were the arrivals and sales:

Valid, 12,000 pounds; Hi Gill, 5,000 pounds; and George, 6,000 pounds, sold to the Pacific Fisheries at 14.3c and 5c.

Nildares, 14,000 pounds; Fanny E., 4,000 pounds; and Mayflower, 5,000 pounds, sold to the Pacific Fisheries at 14.3c and 5c.

Vivian, 8,000 pounds; Kincome, 3,000 pounds, and Dolphin, 12,000 pounds, sold to the Royal Fish Co. at 10.7c and 5c.

Ahi, 24,000 pounds, sold to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. at 10.9c and 5c.

Kinimount, 6,000 pounds; M. and L., 4,000 pounds, and Sapperton, 15,000 pounds, sold to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co. at 14.1c and 5c.

N. and S., 8,000 pounds; Murineag, 6,000 pounds, and Saturn, 9,000 pounds, sold to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. at 14.1c and 5c.

Torberg, 4,000 pounds, sold to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. at 10.7c and 5c.

First Place sold 300 pounds of red salmon to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. at 10.2c.

## PICTURE OF COURT HOUSE RECEIVED AT OFFICE OF DAILY NEWS

A photograph of the proposed court house and grounds at Market Place, on which work has already commenced, has reached the office of the Daily News through the courtesy of Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands and timber for this district.

The picture fully bears out the descriptions that have already been made of the building and still further show that the new building is to be the finest yet erected in this city.

Its architecture is marked by the substantial lines of the building, but it is none the less handsome. It will be massive in appearance, being of two storeys and very long.

## RIOTS IN NORTH OF IRELAND FOLLOW TAKING OF VOTES

BELFAST, May 26.—The excitement on Wednesday following the North Ireland elections caused rioting in several places. There was one death before the rioters were dispersed by armed police and the military forces.

Counting of ballots is now going on steadily but the returns are not expected for some days.

COUNTESS VISITING LONDON.



Countess Isabella de Lalain, daughter of Count de Lalain of Belgium, is now paying a visit in London, England, where she is extremely popular in society.

## DUBLIN CUSTOMS HOUSE NO MORE

Completely Destroyed by Incendiaries—National Documents Lost.

DUBLIN, May 26.—The famous Dublin customs house has been burned down by Sinn Fein incendiaries. One was killed and several were burned as the building was consumed by the flames. Fifty persons have been arrested in connection with the affair.

Entry was forced into the building by those who started the conflagration. Others held up the firemen and prevented them getting the blaze.

Invaluable national documents and records were destroyed, it having been impossible to remove them to safety.

### Smouldering Ruins.

Nothing but smoking ruins today mark the site where the historic customs house stood before it was burned yesterday afternoon by the raiding party of civilians whom it is believed were Sinn Feiners. Mahon, customs official, was among those who were killed in the fight in and around the buildings.

## MEN OFFERED SETTLEMENT

But Premier Gold Mining Co. Refused Terms so Strike Continues.

The following telegram on the Premier gold mine strike situation at Stewart was received this morning by J. H. Burrough, the general secretary of the Central Labor Council here:

"The men have offered to settle on a fifty-fifty basis. The company refused to do this so the strike is still on."

### STRIKE COMMITTEE."

## LADY TILLEY DIED IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Was Widow of Distinguished Politician of Maritime Province.

TORONTO, May 26.—The death has occurred at St. John, New Brunswick, of Lady Tilley, widow of Sir L. A. Tilley, who was successively premier of New Brunswick, finance minister of Canada and lieutenant-governor of New Brunswick.

## GREEK COLONY HAD BAPTISMS LAST NIGHT

The local Greek colony gathered last evening in force to attend the baptismal services held by the Rev. G. D. Liacopoulos of the Orthodox Greek Church who is passing through the city en route to Vancouver. The baptisms were held at the house of N. Christopher on Sixth Ave. Two children of the latter, a boy and a girl, were christened in the names of Chris and Emily. J. Killas' baby boy was given the name Nicodemus. J. Apostolos provided three more candidates, two girls and a boy, while one little Montenegrin completed the roster. The happy affair was the occasion of very pleasant little meetings of the smiling parents and their friends meeting thus together tonight in a bout for the gathering being reminded of similar gatherings in their homeland.

## New Refrigerator Car Now Reported on Way to Rupert

Word was received by N. B. Walton, local Canadian National superintendent, yesterday afternoon that the first of the new Canadian National steel underframe express refrigerator cars for the local fish business had left Winnipeg on Tuesday and was now on its way west. This is the first delivery of an order of twenty similar cars that has been placed by the railroad.

The new car, and the ones which will follow it, will be similar in every respect to the old Grand Trunk refrigerator cars and they will be available for shipment to all points in the United States or Canada, differing from the present Canadian Government Railway cars which can be used only for shipment to Canadian points.

The announcement of the arrival of the cars in the near future was received with pleasure by the local fish packing concerns, the officials of which feel, however, that these twenty cars will but fill a portion of the requirements.

The fish business is growing rapidly, most noticeably in the past few weeks, and the demand for more cars is steadily growing greater. There is a good deal of revenue offering the Canadian National Railway alone in the fish business out of this port and it is hoped that the railway will continue in its efforts to meet it.

## BOMB THROWN AS KING STANDS ON STEPS OF PALACE ZBYSZKO TO DEFEND TITLE FROM STECHER TONIGHT AT KANSAS

SOFIA, May 26.—As King Boris stood on the balcony of his palace today reviewing a parade of school children, a bomb was thrown from the window of a house near the Royal Palace. Ten children were injured. Attributing the outrage to the communists, a mob fired the communists' club building.

### ZBYSZKO TO DEFEND TITLE FROM STECHER TONIGHT AT KANSAS

KANSAS CITY, May 26.—Zbyszko, the heavyweight wrestling champion, will meet Joe Stecher party, the smiling parents and their friends meeting thus together tonight in a bout for the title.









