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GALE HERE LAST NIGHT WAS FIERCE ONE

PREMIER OLIVER MAKES PRONOUNCEMENT REGARDING REDISTRIBUTION BILL

Gale Last Night Proved to be Worst of Season with Seventy Mile Wind at Times; Average 50

Last night's gale was the worst of the year. H. O. Grewen, Dominion meteorologist, reported this morning that it averaged fifty miles an hour and reached a peak early this morning of 70 miles.

While other parts of the city felt the blow and some slight damage was done through the breaking of windows, blowing down of signs, etc., Westview seems to have been worst hit. In the vicinity of Alton Avenue and Seventeenth Street, three blocks of electric light and telephone poles were flattened to the ground and some fell over the streets and on houses. The cross-arm of an electric light pole which fell on Hubert Ward's house penetrated the roof. Some of the residents of the west end had to crawl out of their houses under a maze of collapsed wires while others, for similar reasons, had difficulty in running their motor cars. Lights and telephones in that section of town were put out of commission shortly after midnight and were out all night, the city utilities department turning out first thing this morning with a crew of men and equipment to make repairs which will not be completed before late this afternoon, if then. It is estimated that 100 telephones in the city were out of commission this morning.

Telegraph lines suffered to some extent near the city and shipping has been held up, the Prince John being delayed in arriving from the Queen Charlotte Islands as well as the steamer Princess Mary which was due last night from Alaska. Fuller's Grocery delivery car, parked on Green Street in front of the hospital, was picked up by the gale and turned over with its wheels in the air. The top was badly damaged but the chassis is intact.

The Government is developing a great deal of strength in unexpected quarters and especially among working men. It is quite impossible to forecast what the result will be, but one thing seems certain, the Conservatives will have a preponderating power in the next Parliament. The important thing is whether they will have enough followers to control the House of Commons. Without that they can do little.

The labor leaders have been fighting out at both Liberals and Conservatives and in the event of a coalition being necessary it seems as if they would be as likely to support Baldwin as either Lloyd George or Asquith.

Polling takes place on Thursday of next week all over the country.

EXPRESS RATES HIGH ENOUGH

Fruit and Berry Men Oppose Increase in Tariff: McGeer Acting

VANCOUVER, Dec. 4.—Any increase in existing express rates would not only have a disastrous effect on the fruit business of the province but would have the result on the revenues of the companies interested directly the reverse of what they are seeking, according to the claims of fruit and berry men of British Columbia who appeared before the board of railway commissioners sitting here yesterday.

The express companies have applied for an advance in rates and the application is being opposed by the provincial government through their counsel G. McGeer.

P.G.E. Appointment

VICTORIA, Dec. 4.—T. Sutherland, formerly connected with the freight department of the P.G.E. Railway has received the appointment as manager of the main office and warehouse at Wickstrom, Buckley Bay; J. B. Lambert, Lockport.

MILD WEATHER TO EDMONTON

Prince George Coldest Point But Very Warm West of Endako

RAINS EAST TO TELKWA

Telegraphic reports received this morning from points between Prince Rupert and Edmonton indicate that the heavy rains on the coast extended also to the interior as far as Telkwa. Usk reported the heaviest rains in some years with wind.

The temperatures are all low. While at Prince Rupert this morning the temperature was 45 it was only 35 at Telkwa. At Burns Lake there was a light east wind with temperature 35 but neither rain or snow.

East of Endako there was a lowering of temperature from freezing point at this end to 45 degrees at Prince George with light winds and half an inch of snow on the ground.

Edmonton reports a light westerly wind with temperature 20 above zero and a light scattering of snow on the ground. It is cloudy.



A book written in nineteen hours has won for J. Warner Bellah, an undergraduate until last June at Columbia University, the annual Alfred A. Knopf prize. Publication and circulation of his work is his reward.

WILL NOMINATE FORD FOR PRESIDENT OF U.S.

Convention of Ford For President Clubs Called for December 12

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 4.—Henry Ford will be formally nominated as a presidential candidate at a convention of Ford for President Clubs to be held at Dearborn on December 12. No platform will be adopted but it is understood the Ford magnate is likely to run on an independent ticket.

S. R. Harper, who has been transferred from the local branch of the Royal Bank to the main office at Vancouver, is sailing for the south on the Prince Rupert tomorrow evening.



Walter W. Head, the newly chosen head of the American Bankers' Association, as he appeared on a recent visit to Wyoming where Mr. Head is just as much at home as he is in his bank president's chair.

NEW METHOD OF HANDLING BEER

Absolute Check Upon Sales Will be Possible Under Plan in Force Today

VICTORIA, Dec. 4.—Today sees the start of the new central distributing system of beer for British Columbia in accordance with the plan drawn up some days ago by the amalgamated brewers of the province and confirmed and placed on a practical working basis at a meeting in Vancouver this week at which were represented the principal brewing companies of the province.

Under the scheme there will be but two distributing warehouses in the province. The main office and warehouse will be at Vancouver and a branch office in Victoria. With the exception of Victoria all orders for beer from all parts of the province will be filled from the Vancouver warehouse.

Under the new plan it is believed an absolute check will be possible on every case or barrel of beer manufactured in the province as each brewery has to make returns at stated intervals of the product supplied to the central distributing warehouses at Vancouver and Victoria and stocks are held subject to orders from the Government liquor office store only.

ANOTHER WHISKEY VENDOR LIBERATED

Failure to Affix Seal Given as Reason by Chief Justice Hunter

VANCOUVER, Dec. 4.—The omission of Magistrate McClymont of Prince Rupert to affix his seal to a warrant committing Elizabeth Biddlecombe to jail for six months on the conviction of selling whiskey last November 9 resulted in the woman obtaining her liberty from Chief Justice Hunter on Friday. Hunter said he must follow his previous decision in another case.

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Redistribution Bill Will be Amended States Premier Oliver Nothing Cut and Dried About it

VICTORIA, Dec. 4.—That the provincial government is not attempting to railroad a cut and dried redistribution bill through the Legislature but is willing to accept any reasonable changes in the measure was made evident yesterday when Premier Oliver announced that he himself intended to move an amendment to his own measure.

"I'm prepared to leave every clause of the bill to the House and I intend to offer certain amendments," the premier told a representative of the Times. "We have not brought down a finished product, a cut and dried proposition before the Legislature with the idea of forcing it through without changes. On the contrary reasonable changes designed to improve the redistribution plan will be welcomed."

"So that proposed changes may receive full and intelligent consideration it is proposed to refer the whole matter to a select committee of the House."

DAWSON, Dec. 4.—The Klondyke has no bananas today. Fifty degrees below zero is registered in the upper Yukon Valley and Dawson is very warm. The great cold is striding southward and the Yukon's warmest autumn is at an end.

COMPLETE SESSION OF LEGISLATURE LIKELY BEFORE THE HOLIDAYS

Several Contentious Measures Yet to be Discussed and Estimate to be Put Through

VICTORIA, Dec. 4.—Legislators are beginning to wonder if they will be able to conclude their work and get away before the Christmas holidays. There is yet a good deal to do and many measures that are contentious will have to be discussed.

The action of the brewers in getting together has to some extent simplified the beer question but even today no one seems quite sure what is to be done with the beer problem. While there is a section of government supporters led by Ian McKenzie who would like to see beer sold at retail, there is another section, sitting tight and saying little, that is opposing it.

Now that the budget is down and discussion of it should be easily completed next week, the estimates will be put through rapidly and the way cleared, it is thought, for prorogation a week before Christmas or thereabouts.

So far the government has shown no signs of weakening. There have been few divisions this year and each time there has been a large majority. Apparently the members do not want an election yet.

NEW COMPANY FORMED FOR PRINCE GEORGE

VICTORIA, Dec. 4.—Provincial incorporations this week as and Alexander Spence, all fishermen shown in the B.C. Gazette include men, were drowned on Lake A. L. Johnson Lumber Co., Manitoba when they went out on Ltd. a private concern capitalized at \$25,000 with head office at fell through. The recovery of Prince George.

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SHIP INSULIN INTO DAWSON

Supply Has Run Short and Dr. Thompson is Getting it in Over Trail

DAWSON, Dec. 4.—Whether or not insulin, the new diabetes cure, will retain its virtues through a long trek in the Klondyke winter will be demonstrated shortly. Dr. Alfred Thompson, former member of Parliament for the Yukon is treating a diabetes patient with marked success. A new supply of virus is required, however, and must be shipped 400 miles over the Arctic trails. Notification has been received from Dr. G. H. Best in Toronto that a quantity of insulin has been shipped to Dawson.

MILL WORKERS FOR 8 HOURS

Charge Made by Alberni Member That Intimidation Used to Oppose Bill

VICTORIA, Dec. 4.—Sawmill workers of British Columbia are overwhelmingly in favor of an eight hour day in spite of vigorous efforts by operators to persuade them to oppose a reduction in working hours. Hon. A. M. Manson, minister of labor, was told today by a delegation representing the mill employees of the province.

Richard Burde, member for Alberni, who introduced the mill workers delegation to Mr. Manson, followed up their assertions with the charge that the mill owners were intimidating employees to petition against the eight hour day.

LOCAL SHRINERS ARE GOING TO SEATTLE

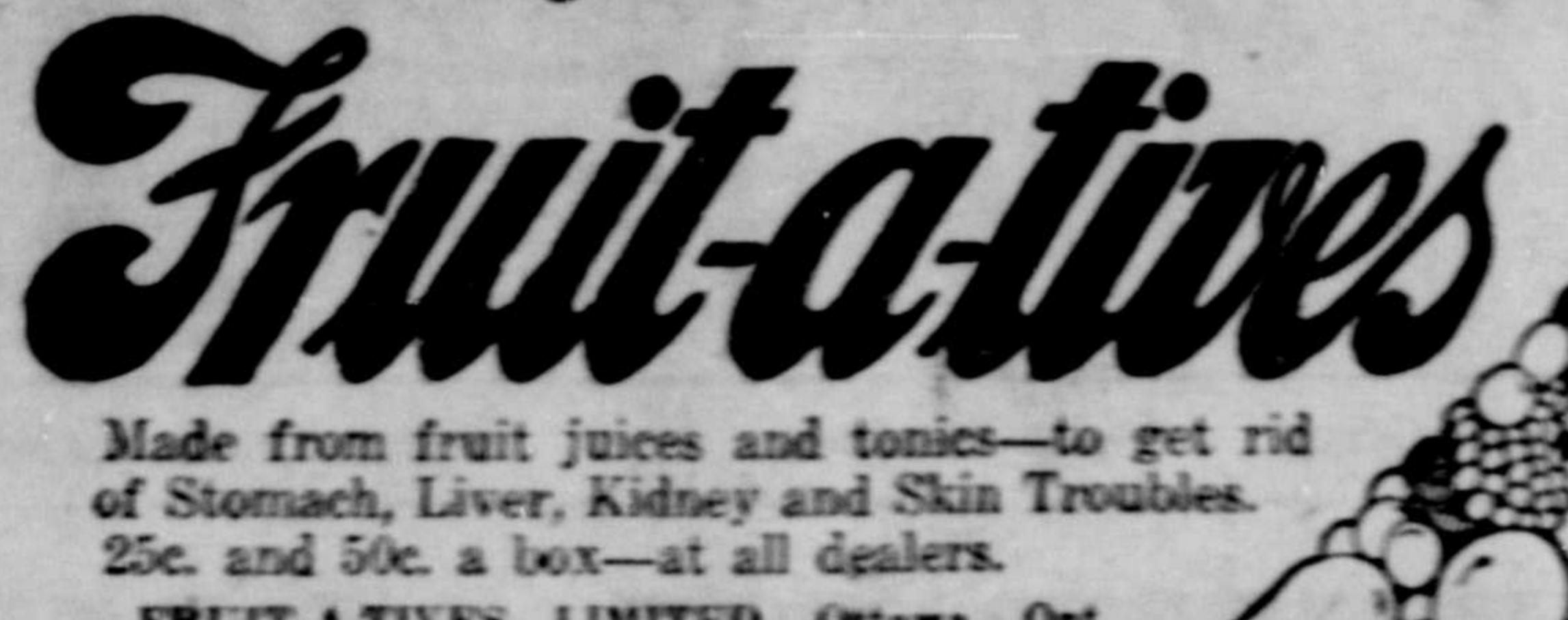
Will Attend Ceremonial of Amalgamated Northwestern Temples in Puget Sound City

A party of local Shriners is leaving tomorrow night on the steamer Prince Rupert for Seattle where they will attend a ceremonial of amalgamated northwestern temples. Among those going will be R. V. G. Lepine, D. Jabour, Jack Nelson, Jack Barnsley, A. E. Bazzett-Jones, George Frizell and R. A. Bell.

FOUR FISHERMEN LOSE LIVES IN MANITOBA

DAUPHIN, Man., Dec. 4.—George Sabiston, his two sons, and Alexander Spence, all fishermen shown in the B.C. Gazette include men, were drowned on Lake A. L. Johnson Lumber Co., Manitoba when they went out on Ltd. a private concern capitalized at \$25,000 with head office at fell through. The recovery of Prince George.

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What Sir Henry Really Said.

The other day Sir Henry Thornton gave an interview to the newspaper boys at Winnipeg and a summary of it was telegraphed through to Prince Rupert. This is what he really said, according to the Winnipeg Free Press:

"There is an increasing feeling that more wheat should be marketed through Pacific ports, according to the statement made today by Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, and with that idea he is in complete accord."

"Wheat, said the president, must seek the cheapest route, and that route is the shortest land journey, so long as it does not imply too long a water voyage, and so long as the water route is practicable. He said there was some place on the prairies, though the exact spot had not yet been fixed, where there would be dividing of the ways, where wheat grown west of it should be shipped by Pacific ports to the world's market, and where wheat grown east should be shipped eastward. That, of course, would not be a hard and fast rule, he declared, because in the event of congestion at either end of the rail journey, it should always be possible to switch shipments so there would be no holding up of traffic. Then, too, he said, there was developing quite a market in the Orient for Canadian cereals, and this development would mean that shipments might have to be made through Prince Rupert, which port was about 500 miles nearer the Orient than any other Canadian port. Any present lack of adequate elevator facilities was a detail which could be corrected, and which was in process of being corrected."

"Vancouver and Prince Rupert were always ports, because of natural conditions, but until there were the economic conditions, backed by population somewhere, they were of little or no use, but now there were the markets of the Orient and the markets of the Old World, the latter being available through the Panama canal."

"He had no fear that the ships would not come if the grain was there for them. The matter of shipping more and more grain by way of the Pacific ports was receiving the most careful attention of the directorate of the Canadian National Railways, Sir Henry said. He also desired to express his pleasure at the excellent work done by the western region staff, from general manager to train crews, all of whom, he said, had "turned in and bucked to it," and it was largely through their efforts that the system had been bringing in the grain, and the absence of severe frost had postponed the cutting down of engine loads, so that long trains could still be moved eastward."

John Hart As Budget Maker.

Hon. John Hart has received compliments from financiers and businessmen in almost every part of the world for his finance statements. But all John Hart can do is so arrange the taxes that they will prove as equitable as possible and so tell about the business that the common people may understand what it is all about.

John Hart, backed by the other members of the cabinet, has this year decreed that the tax of one per cent on personal property shall be sliced in two and that the half only of a farmer's real estate holdings shall pay taxes. The difference he is making up by placing a tax on fuel oil and another on gasoline.

By reducing the personal property tax Mr. Hart is following out the desires of most business people. Even the members of the government have never been able to defend it. They inherited the system and until this year have never dared to change it because they needed the money. Now they have taken a step in the right direction. The merchant who makes no profit will thus pay only half as much on his stock as he did last year.

Taxes Must Be Raised Somewhere.

Those who object to paying taxes must remember that the money to carry on the business of the country has to be raised somewhere. Each one has to pay a share and there is no objection to paying as long as we are earning. What galls a businessman is having to pay heavy taxes by raising a loan to do it.

Most of the seventeen million dollars the province has to pay is a fixed charge arising from interest on indebtedness, mostly railway indebtedness. This must be paid, but it should be an awful example of what not to do in future. Roads will have to be built, undoubtedly, but railways should be built either by the Dominion or by private corporations.

The Man in the Moon SAYS—

THIS is a land of promise. It is the place where most of my debtors promise to pay.

ONE of my campy friends suggests something new for this column. He wants us to say "a rolling stone gathers no moss." The man must be sure deaf. Who is there in this part of the country that wants to gather moss, since the war is over?

JUDGING by the signs, peace is likely to break out in Europe at any time.

A CORRESPONDENT wants me to tell her which I like best, blondes or brunettes. I am waiting to give the answer after I have seen the color of my correspondent's eyes.

THINKING it over I find that I really am fond of brunettes if they have the right kind of squeeze to their hands and blondes also attract me if they say the right thing at the right time. It all depends.

IF I was married I should not dare to have an opinion, for my wife would be the one to say what I thought about other girls.

I ONCE asked a girl what sort of men she liked. The reply was that she was not concerned about his map as long as his signature was all right at the bank.

REAL hardship is when a woman has to powder her face with stale soda cracker crumbs.

THIS city's run

(This isn't news)
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School trustee
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We share the fame,
If they are punk,
We share the blame;
Although a man
Might sell his pelt,
There's no way to
Elect himself.
He must go forth
'mong sheep and goats
And see if he can
Get their votes.
And so who wins
The fight this year
Is there because
His views are clear.
Now every soul
Within the town
Should amble forth
Without a frown
And mark a ballot,
With this thought:
"This is the biggest
Job I've got!"

WE wish to draw especial attention to the fact that the last day for purchasing Christmas presents is close at hand. Any failing to make their purchases before the date set by law will find themselves unable to give anything unless they rummage over the old presents received during the last five years and take a chance.

RAMSAY Macdonald thinks the Dominions are selfish in taking none but the best from the mother land. He says he thinks she might take some of the second grade men as well as the best. That's us too, Ramsay. The kind you are sending us are altogether superior. Give us a few second graders. They



might learn something.

IF I were the Dominion Government looking for settlers I would insert in the British want ad. columns an advertisement something like this: "Advertiser is prepared to receive applications from a few Englishmen who wish a home away from home. Must not be too good and should not know everything. Must be able to enumerate at least six things he cannot do."

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Peculiar are the ways of Fate
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The hunter aimed his rifle
straight
And shot a deer.

GREAT TIME ANNUAL BALL

Scotsmen Foregather at Auditorium and Dance Until Early Hours

The annual ball of the St. Andrew's Society was well up to the standard of similar events in the past. It was held last night at the auditorium and in spite of the gale that was blowing, the attendance was large and all seemed to enjoy the event.

D. C. Stuart, in highland costume, made a most efficient master of ceremonies and no one needed to miss a dance. The quadrilles were of course among the events of the evening for then it was that the real Scotsmen were seen to advantage.

The supper served in the gallery was of unusual excellence. The decorations included a plentiful display of the colors of the society and added much to the general appearance of the hall. Music was provided by the Westholme orchestra with Art Easson's saxophone added and prior to the arrival of the players Miss Blanch Curtin, Howard White and George Rorie, Jr. provided most excellent substitute music.

The general arrangements were in the hands of a committee consisting of J. Simpson, G. Abbott, W. Reid, T. Beattie, and J. S. Irvine, and they received many congratulations on the excellence of the work they had done.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Commissioner Hodder, who has command of the Salvation Army in Western Canada from the Great Lakes to the Pacific Coast and Alaska, and Mrs. Hodder, will conduct special meetings this week end, assisted by Lt.-Col. Taylor, field secretary, Staff Capt. Carruthers, divisional commander and Ensign T. Mundy, the commissioner's private secretary. Meetings will be held in the Citadel on Saturday at 8 p.m., Sunday 11 a.m. and at 7.30 p.m.

In the Empress Theatre a lecture will be given by Commissioner Hodder at 3 p.m. entitled "The Salvation Army in Many Lands." Mayor Newton will preside, supported by leading citizens.

Commissioner Hodder has had command of Salvation Army work in Japan, New Zealand, Holland and Great Britain.

Eric Mackintosh is sailing tomorrow night by the steamer Prince Rupert for the south enroute to San Francisco where he will join his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Mackintosh, who moved to California recently. On his way south he will stop off at Vancouver and Seattle.

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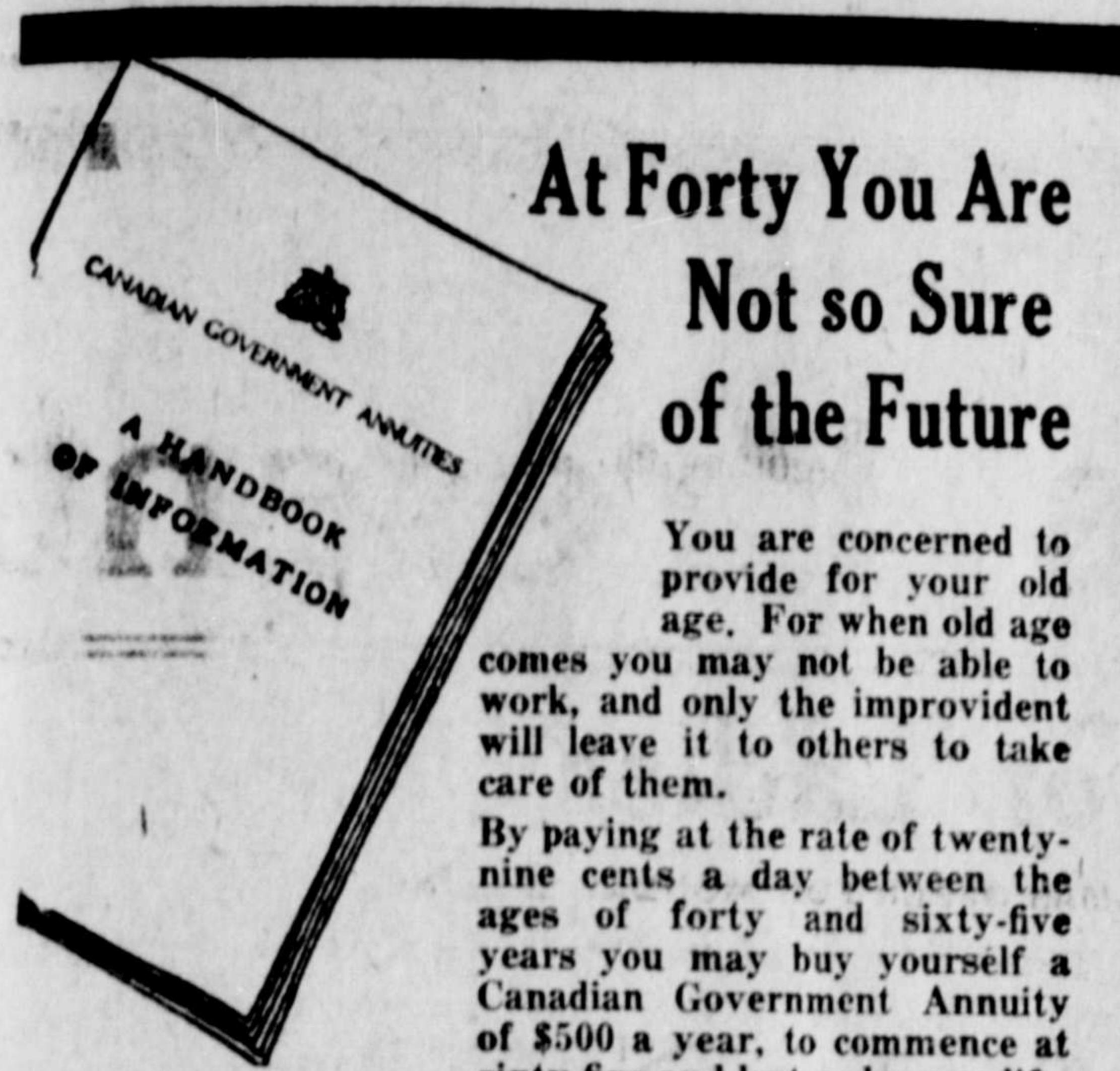
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W. O. Fulton left on last

night's train for Port Edward on

a hunting trip.

The fire department responded

to two alarms during the month

of November. There was no

damage.

Leslie V. Lane reached the

city by last night's train from

Smithers and is registered at the

Prince Rupert Hotel.

Mrs. J. H. Hilditch sailed this

morning by the steamer Venture

for Seattle being called south on

account of her mother's serious

illness.

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versary Service will be held on

Sunday evening at the Presby-

terian Church. Members will

meet at the rooms at 6:45 p.m.

T. Ross Mackay is sailing this

evening by the Princess Mary

for Vancouver where he will at-

tend the convention of the Pro-

Vincial Party which opens next

Tuesday.

Henry W. Mustard, inspector

for the federal department of

Agriculture with headquarters at

Vancouver, reached the city last

night after a trip through the

interior district. He is regis-

tered at the Hotel Prince Rupert.

John W. Allen gasboat inspec-

tor for the Dominion Fish-

eries department, is returning to

Vancouver by the Princess Mary

this afternoon after having

spent the past week in the city

inspecting the progress on the

two cruisers under construction

at the Canadian National ship-

yard.

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The Admiral of the Mosquito fleet reports that weather conditions have considerably improved on the deep sea fishing grounds and both the American and Canadian fishing fleets are getting back into their old stride. The bad weather experienced in the past two weeks has caused quite a bunching up of the boats and, as is usual under these circumstances, they have been arriving in port in the same manner. However, the fine weather experienced for the past few days has materially assisted the schooners in marketing their catches and the landings for the week have greatly increased. No serious happenings have been reported by incoming skippers for the period under review although several boats were severely tested in the recent storms. The volume of the landings of halibut this week, taking into account the very severe weather handicaps experienced recently on the high spots, speaks volumes for the tenacity of purpose and bravery of the members of the high boat squad. Prices offering on the Fish Exchange this week have had a tendency to drop slightly as against the corresponding period for last week and more specially is this the case with American landings.

Trappers Out

The first snowfall of the season was marked along the waterfront by a number of small boats emigrating to various points of the compass on trapping excursions. The skippers of the trapping fleet keep their destination a secret and their leaving port is not marked by any complimentary gun salutes. To date a number of trappers have left for distant trapping grounds and the New Year will have been ushered in before any of them return. The Gardner Canal district, and inland from there, appears to be the favorite rendezvous for a number of fur chasers.

Buying for Xmas

The home base around Cow Bay has taken on the appearance of a Hudson Bay post. Several native boats came to anchor in the old familiar spot during the week from the various Indian settlements. The skippers and their families are in port to purchase Xmas presents and also to make sure that during the larder lacks for nothing during the festive season. The various boats are being crammed with good things to eat and wear, the result of a remunerative fishing season. It looks as though Santa Claus has a particularly warm spot in his heart for the native charges.

Frank Davies, the financial wizard of the Atlin Fisheries Ltd., has been confined to his home this week suffering with a touch of turketitis. According to the fleet surgeon this malady is brought on by too much anticipation of winning the waterfront Xmas crib turkey.

William the Conqueror

Yes sir, William the conqueror has returned to the fold. When the steamer Cardena drew up to the wharf on Sunday night the Cow Bay orchestra struck up "See the Conquering Hero Comes," as Bill Shrubshall smilingly walked down the gangplank. Bill has returned from a busy business trip to Vancouver.

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Record Flight of Gulls

According to old timers along the waterfront a record flight of seagulls passed over the bay on Wednesday last. The sky was literally darkened with thousands of gulls flying in a southerly direction and is claimed to be the most sustained flight of gulls seen in this part of the country for years. According to the Admiral the seagulls were flying south to join their mates at the Seagull convention now in session at Victoria.

The power boat Glen is engaged in the nearby forests getting out building piles.

The Doreen, a native boat from Massett, put into port during the week for Xmas supplies. She will leave over the week end for the home port.

Fish Business

During the week 895,700 pounds of halibut has been marketed on the Fish Exchange. Americans were high at 15.4c and 11c and low at 13.7c and 8c. Canadians were high at 14.2c and 10c, and low at 13.4c and 9c. The arrivals were: E. Neilson, Forward, Venus, Seattle, Viking, Republic, Anna J. Iris, Lineola, National, Pair of Jacks, Virginia, Tordenskjold, Johanna, Majestic, Albatross, Rolfe, Zadora, Annie Tuck, G. E. Foster.

Too Much Squawk

Here is a brief story of how Capt. Hoomes K. Freeman, of Narborthong fame, scared the deer away with his new squawker instead of bringing them towards his trusty rifle. It was quite a few years back that the following episode took place in Cap's young life and the scene was Porcher Island, where the porchers come from. Cap with a friend had hied over to the island to take in a little deer hunting. His pal took a northward trail while Cap went in a southerly direction both agreeing to take a belt line route. Having tramped for several miles by lunch time without seeing a thing to shoot at, not even a butterfly, our hunter was feeling kind of blue with the cold and hungry. At this juncture he chanced to fall in with a party of fellow hunters trekking for the beach and each one carrying a fine big buck. For something better to do our hero passed the time of day with the company and incidentally asked how they came to get such a fine bag of deer. The leader of the party, an old hunter, thereupon produced a deer squawker, which is a piece of elastic or a leaf stretched between two sticks and when blown through makes a noise like a deer or a piece of grass. The old hunter demonstrated the use of the squawker to Cap and then proceeded on his way. Being anxious to try the squawker and to witness herds of deer leaping his way Mr. Freeman plunged into the forest. Priming his rifle for action Cap blew several blasts on the new instrument but after repeated efforts nothing happened. Being out of breath, tired, hungry and

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Waterfront Whiffs

(Continued from Page 5) despondent our hero commenced to take his lunch of shredded wheat. While in the act of sinking his teeth into the shreds for the last time he was surprised to see his pal come dashing through the bush waving his rifle in his excitement and yelling to him to forget the lunch business and come to help him pack in the deer. Upon arriving at the scene of carnage Cap was dumbfounded to see two fine big bucks stretched out cold. Said his pal "I had not seen a bloomin' deer until some unearthly noise started up and then a regular avalanche of deer rushed straight at me. If I was not a dead shot I would have been trampled to death." It then dawned upon Cap that the unearthly noise was his squawker and he cursed his luck for having put the wrong kind of squawker into it. Instead of the deer coming his way to answer the call of their supposed mate they had turned and fled in the opposite direction at the first sounds of his newly acquired instrument. Cap now explains that it is all in the way one holds their mouth when using a deer squawker as to whether deer hunting is a success or failure.

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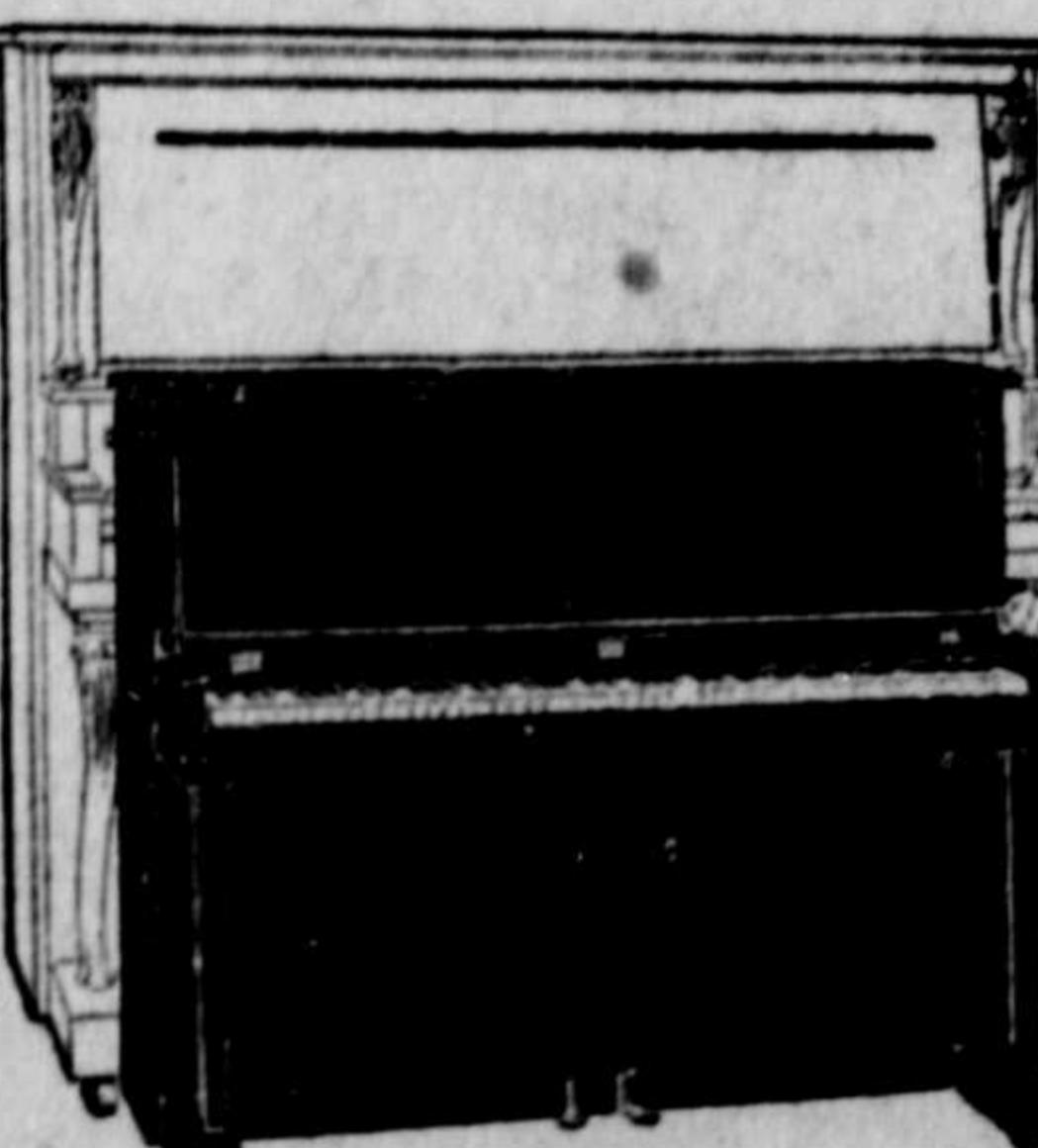
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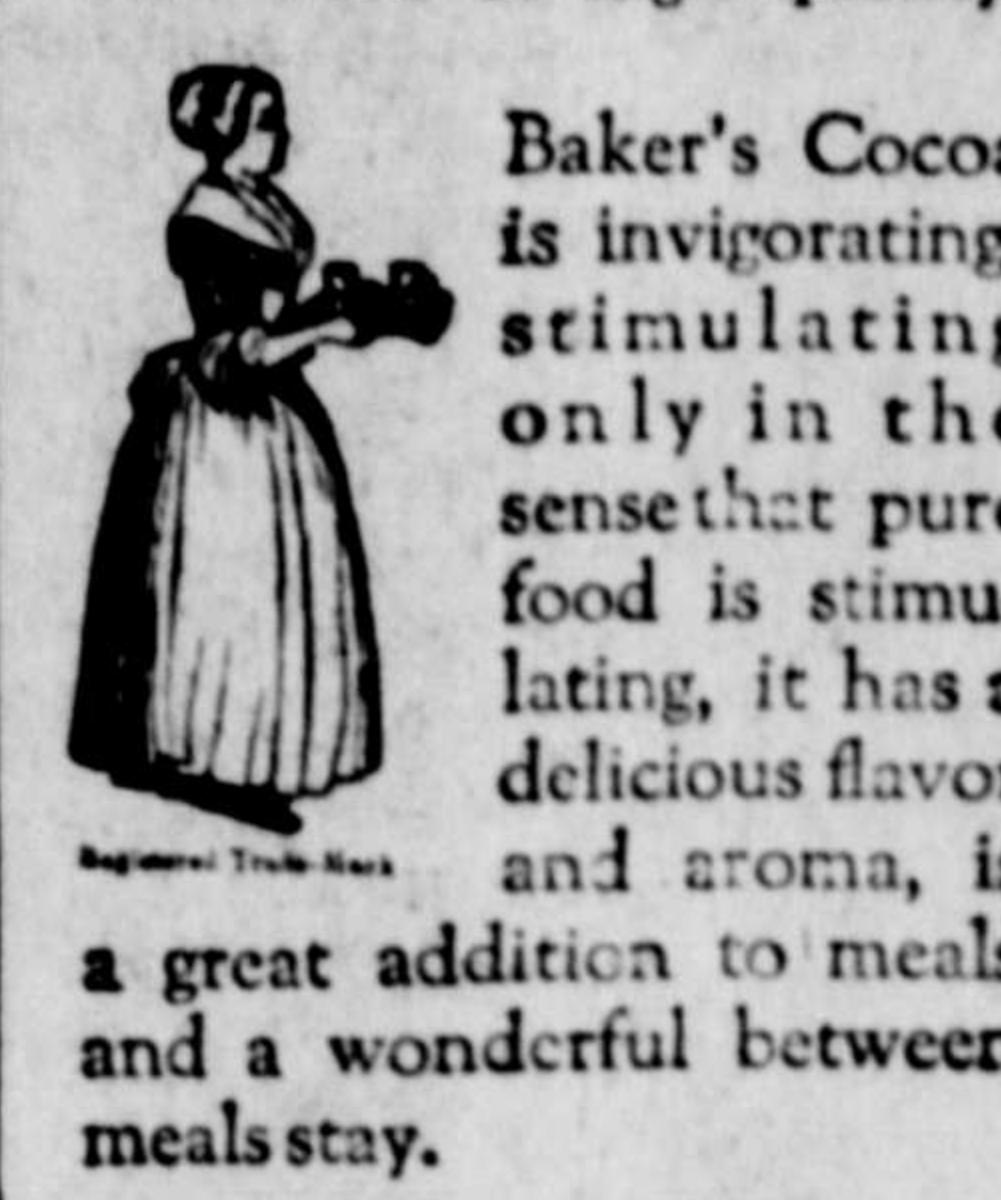
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The new plant will hold a lot of work for Victoria which has been going outside. In the past the company have imported a great quantity of cedar logs, and have many on hand which have been accumulating. Instead of the logs being exported for the making of shingles, the shingles will be made in Victoria. A good market is anticipated in the prairies and in Eastern Canada, and it is also hoped to ship quantities to the Atlantic Coast by water.

The city has agreed to release the foreshore rights to the company for a period of twenty-one years with an option of renewal, and with the stipulation that the rights shall revert to the city during that time, on one year's notice, should they be needed for railroad purposes.

Myhill Hung Up

Word comes to hand that skipper Myhill-Jones, launch Oh Baby, caused quite a deal of worry to his family and the fleet recently. Myhill had gone out on a secret trip but had not returned on schedule and the phone in the Admiral's quarters was soon ringing in an SOS. Upon receiving the message that Myhill was missing all available boats were sent out to the four points of the compass to make a thorough search of the surrounding waters.

The Narbethong was Johnny on the spot and steamed down Tucks Inlet way, her search being rewarded by finding the missing skipper aground at the powder wharf. It did not take long to haul her off and bring the wayward girl back home. No damage was done to Oh Baby.

Barbers Cause Stir

The fleet barbers caused a stir this week. The chief barber, Mr. Shears, intimated to a member of the fleet that the barbers of the fleet were not going to cut hair any longer. Upon the barbers being paraded before the old man and severely questioned it was learned that the whole thing was a joke. What Mr. Shears meant was that while the barbers of the fleet were not going to cut hair any longer they still intended to cut it shorter as heretofore. The parade was dismissed with a caution.

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