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UPROAR OVER DEBT IN FRENCH CHAMBER

FAILURE OF ANTI-OPIUM CONFERENCE LIKELY OWING TO DIFFERENCES

EDITORIAL

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR COAL BUSINESS.

The elevator is to be built. It is announced that work will be suspended so that wheat may be shipped through it next fall. When that time comes it is to be assumed that ships will be here that will need bunker coal.

This is the opportunity for the owners of the interior British Columbia and Alberta coal mines to go out for business. There is at Telkwa a large coked coal deposit and there are other coal fields even closer to this port although so far not coked. There is also the big groundhog coal field so far unexplored. One at least of these should find a market for coal if this port.

Alberta's Opportunity

Failing British Columbia mines, there is a big market here for Alberta coal. What is needed is bunkers with which to handle it. Alberta has the coal. We shall provide the market, but somebody must build the bunkers.

Prince Rupert is the natural port for the shipment of the products of northern Alberta and especially is it the port of the city of Edmonton. The interests of Edmonton and Prince Rupert are closely allied. Edmonton has a large grain elevator especially designed to handle grain which is to be shipped to the coast. When the elevator here is ready much of that grain will go out by way of this port. The natural thing will be for the country contiguous to make a big bid for the coal business also.

Look to Interior

Vancouver has plenty of coal. It is close to the Vancouver Island mines. It cannot afford to buy Alberta coal to any extent because the other mines are so much more accessible. Prince Rupert is a long way from Vancouver Island. There is a bad stretch of water to cross in coming here. The result is that people here look to Alberta for a good proportion of their coal supply. So far the demand has been largely local but very soon there will be a demand for bunker coal and Alberta will do well to consider the possibilities of supplying the demand.

The trade commissioner for the province, Howard Stutchbury knows this port well. He has on several occasions been here with a view to increasing the market for Alberta product. This is the crucial time. Whoever gets in now and builds bunkers here and establishes the business is likely to retain it.

Foreign Shipping

A new condition has arisen with the erection of the elevator. Prince Rupert is about to change from a local port to a foreign shipping centre. The operation of the big mill combined with the new elevator will provide a good deal of tonnage for foreign shipment and coal will be needed all the time. It must be delivered here at a low rate and handled economically. Grade methods will not avail. This is the time for the development of the coal market, and it must be done right.

A. Wood, manager of the Talapin mine near Burns Lake, sailed this morning on the Prince Rupert for Vancouver.

Scene of Disorder in French Parliament on Payment of U.S. Debt

PARIS, Jan. 23.—The Chamber of Deputies was thrown into an uproar lasting 25 minutes and the session had to be suspended after Deputy Desjardines had criticized bitterly the action of the chamber in refusing to order the posting of Deputy Marche's speech in which he declared it would be moral insanity for the United States to compel France to pay her four million dollar debt.

It was such a scene of disorder as had never before been seen in the chamber.

POLICEMEN DISCHARGED

Officer in Janet Smith Case Fired Without Notice for Dereliction of Duty

VANCOUVER, Jan. 23.—A reorganization of the Point Grey police force was started today when the commissioners dismissed Constable James Green and Constable William Blair. Green was discharged without notice for dereliction of duty and Blair will be paid his salary to the end of February in lieu of notice.

No mention was made of the Janet Smith case but it was directly owing to this that Green was discharged.

Janet Smith case but it was

especially designed to handle grain which is to be shipped to the coast. When the elevator here is ready much of that grain will go out by way of this port. The natural thing will be for the country contiguous to make a big bid for the coal business also.

PEACE RIVER LEGISLATION

Alberta to Have Special Session of Legislature in Autumn to Deal With Railway

EDMONTON, Jan. 23.—The Legislature has been called to meet February 19 and it is announced that a special session will be held in the autumn to deal with providing a shorter and cheaper railway outlet for products of the Peace River country.

The announcement of the special session is thought to indicate that the Peace River railway legislation will not come before the present legislature which will mean delay until autumn.

INSURANCE ON MURDERED MAN

Court Authorizes Father Adelarde Delorme to Collect \$28,000

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—The superior court authorized Rev. Father Adelarde Delorme, recently acquitted of the charge of murdering his half brother Raoul, to "undertake in his own name" to collect insurance amounting to \$28,000 on the life of Raoul, who was found murdered on January 7, 1922.

BEER IS DELAYED

Word was received here yesterday from Victoria that a delay of one week had taken place in regard to the issuance of licenses to sell beer under the Liquor Control Board. It was expected the Gazette would have carried the information this week.

EPIDEMIC OF INFLUENZA IN JAPAN IS FATAL

TOKIO, Jan. 23.—An influenza epidemic has been raging in this city and although it commenced only 22 days ago the number of deaths so far is 4,700.

SOLAR ECLIPSE ON TOMORROW

Eastern Scientists Will go up on Dirinble Los Angeles to Observe it

LAKEHURST, New Jersey, Jan. 23.—The solar eclipse flight of the dirigible Los Angeles (formerly ZR3) will begin tomorrow at sunrise when the giant airship will leave her hangar here for a 24 hour trip. In the back of the dirigible will be a group of scientists who plan to get unobstructed observation of the eclipse. Their observations will be broadcasted by radio.

OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION OF ELEVATOR CONTRACT

Minister of Trade and Commerce Wires Fred Stork an Official Notification

Yesterday afternoon about half past four a telegram filed that day at noon was received from Vancouver from the special representative of this paper saying: "The Sun's press gallery correspondent wires definite confirmation that the Northern Construction Company has been awarded the contract for Prince Rupert elevator pier and foundation. The contract is awaiting the Governor General's signature." About the same time Fred Stork received the following: "Elevator contract awarded the Northern Construction Company."

"THOMAS A. LOW,
Minister of Trade and Finance."

OIL SHIP FOUNDERS: NINE LIVES ARE LOST

British American Co.'s Steamer Red Line No. 1 Goes Down In British Channel

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Lloyds announce that the British American Petroleum Co.'s steamer Red Line No. 1, founded in the British Channel with a loss of nine lives.

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This photograph shows the detail of one of the best war memorials of Italy, "The Love of One's Country," designed by Mario Sabatelli

Hopes for Peace River Railway Through British Columbia Are Brighter Than They Ever Were

VANCOUVER, Jan. 23.—Hopes for utilizing the P.G.E. Railway as a link connecting with the proposed railway outlet from the Peace River district have not been abandoned. Premier Oliver declared last night. He stated that from a survey of the situation and from information acquired during a recent visit to Ottawa, the prospects for the proposed line coming by either the Pine or Peace pass was better than they ever were.

If the line was built following either of those routes the P.G.E. would be utilized as a link and that would be sufficient reason for continuing the railway right through to Vancouver.

LUMBER CARGO IS TOP HEAVY

Steamer Develops List Off Victoria and Almost Turns Turtle

VICTORIA, Jan. 23.—Steamer Tormayman developed a serious list to port after leaving Vancouver with a cargo of lumber for a Cuban port. When off Ogden Point it was feared the boat would turn turtle and she was towed to Esquimalt where her deck load will be reduced.

BEAUTY SHOP BEING BROADCASTED FROM CALGARY TOMORROW

If local radio fans tune in on Calgary tomorrow night they may be able to hear a repetition of the "Beauty Shop" musical show which was staged here so successfully by the Elks a couple of months ago. Under the direction of G. H. Lewis, who conducted the show here, the "Beauty Shop" is having a three day run at Calgary, having opened last night. It will be put on the air tomorrow night at 8:15 Calgary time. W. E. Wilfiscroft, secretary of the local Elks Lodge has been so advised.

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RAILWAY FROM PEACE RIVER IS ASSURED FACT

EDMONTON, Jan. 23.—Hon. George Headley, minister of agriculture in the Alberta Government, assured delegates to the convention of the United Farmers of Alberta that an outlet to the Pacific Coast for the Peace River products was an accomplished fact but that he was not yet in possession of the proposed route. He claimed that with the building of the outlet the Peace River country would become the most prosperous in Canada.

PATTULLO COMING TO VISIT CONSTITUENCY

Word was received in the city this morning from Hon. T. D. Pattullo, member for this constituency in the Provincial Legislature stating that he expected to arrive here on February 11 on a visit.

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HOCKEY SCORES

Victoria 2, Edmonton 3.

Conference on Opium Smoking Is Likely to Fail Unless a Change

GENEVA, Jan. 23.—A private meeting between Viscount Cecil of Great Britain and Representative Porter of the United States in an attempt to save the opium conference from breakdown resulted in failure.

Porter stated that unless the conditions were changed radically he would return home within a few days. Efforts to save the conference continue.

The powers having opium colonies in the Far East made no new concessions but stand by the demands that the suppression of smoking be conditional on the reduction of opium production in China.

COMMITTEES FOR COUNCIL

Alderman Casey Deals With Finance and McMordie with Utilities

Concession to his long aldermanic experience, his high rank at recent polls and also the sweep that Labor made at the recent civic election were probably the motives that inspired Mayor Newton to appoint Ald. Casey chairman of the city finance committee for the year 1925. This was the only appointment that could be classed as a surprise when the list of standing committees for the year was read at last night's council meeting. Ald. McMordie and Ald. Perry, as had been expected, were named chairmen of the utilities and board of works committees respectively.

The full list of committees for the year is as follows:

Finance Committee—Ald. Casey (chairman), Ald. McMordie and Ald. Stephens.

Board of Works—Ald. Perry (chairman), Ald. Brown and Ald. McKechnie.

Fisheries—Ald. Smith and Ald. Larsen.

Hospital—Ald. Brown and Ald. McKechnie.

Exhibition—Ald. Brown and Ald. Perry.

Building commission—Ald. McKechnie (chairman), Ald. Brown, city engineer, fire chief, and medical health officer.

Reading room—Ald. Larsen (chairman), William McRae, George Smith, J. J. Gillis, George Sutherland, W. E. Denning and Fred Lanza.

Soldiers' Housing—Members of finance committee, city treasurer, city solicitor, and city engineer with mayor as chairman.

Library board—Ald. Smith (one year term), Mrs. W. J. Kirkpatrick, G. N. Wilkinson and F. J. Fuller (two year terms).

The mayor is ex-officio a member of all committees.

Mayor Newton announced that he was leaving today for the south on a trip which would necessitate his absence for a week or ten days. Ald. Casey was named acting mayor on motion of Ald. Perry, seconded by Ald. Smith.

Members of the court of revision on the 1925 assessment roll which will sit in February were named as follows: Mayor Newton (chairman), Ald. Casey, Ald. McMordie, Ald. Stephens and Ald. Smith.

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CONFERENCE OF MAYORS TO BE HELD EDMONTON

Prince Rupert to be invited to Take Part at Invitation of Blatchford

VANCOUVER, Jan. 23.—A conference of mayors of leading British Columbia and prairie cities to be called at an early date by Mayor K. A. Blatchford of Edmonton was announced on his arrival here yesterday. The cities are vitally interested in the development of the whole of Canada, he said, and he believes much good will result from the mayors of the cities holding together.

The conference is to be arranged in order that the cities may work on an agreed policy rather than as separate units. It is proposed to hold the meeting at Edmonton and from this province the mayors of Vancouver, Victoria, New Westminster, and Prince Rupert will be invited.

BEER LICENSE MONEY DIVIDED

Municipalities will Benefit from Distribution: Delay in Is-suing

VICTORIA, Jan. 23.—Money received from the sale of beer licenses will be placed in a fund consolidated with the liquor profits and like the latter will be divided amongst the different municipalities. Mayor Taylor said last night, following an interview with Hon. A. M. Manson and cabinet representatives.

Taylor said the issuance of licenses would be held in abeyance, probably until February 15.

Beer licenses will cost from \$700 to \$1,000. Mayor Taylor was given to understand about 75 licenses will be issued.

LOST HEADS FOR REFUSING

Christian Chinese to Number of 200 Said to Have Been Executed

SHANGHAI, Jan. 23.—A prominent missionary here today stated that 200 Christian Chinese farmers in Pekin province were beheaded by military authorities for refusing to grow opium.

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Why Do They Read This Stuff?

Why do people read this column? Sometimes it is difficult to understand why people do many things. Some things we think people do we find later that they do not do. Perhaps that is the case with reading editorial articles. The average newspaper reader does not discuss what he reads or at any rate not with the editor of a newspaper. Most of the readers are not known to him personally. And yet there is a feeling that they are part of his big family and that he would like to talk things over with them if there was only time to do so.

Readers of this column are people of divergent views. Many do not agree with what is said. Others agree only partially. It is impossible to get anyone who agrees with everything. Sometimes the writer himself does not agree with it a few weeks after it is written or perhaps the evening of the same day.

Now and then some reader takes the trouble to tell the writer that he liked something that was written and less frequently someone takes the trouble to disagree. Those are isolated cases, so there is not much to guide a writer in regard to the readers' likes and dislikes.

Truth Is Simply A Point Of View.

Truth is simply a point of view but it is the point of view of a right thinker. What is truth today may not be so tomorrow. The better educated a person is, the more he realizes that there is room for argument on almost any subject and that no person has all the truth. Most people speak the truth as they see it. Only the very small minority deliberately deceive.

Give Credit For Doing Good Work.

In a small community like this, where people know a great deal about each other, it is often difficult to get credit for faithful work done. People ascribe all sorts of motives for the actions of their neighbors and they are apt to make light of their good qualities and emphasize their bad ones. The one crime with many is to be successful. The successful person cannot be forgiven. If a person is wide awake to the opportunities he is a grafted and if he makes money he cannot have done it honestly.

Occasionally a local citizen has money because some relative has died and left him some. If he shows that he is better off than formerly, he at once becomes an object of suspicion. People wonder where he got his money and at once begin to suspect graft. If he ever takes part in political life, the supposed source of his wealth is at once spotted. He got it out of politics.

Getting money out of politics is one of those mythical things about which people talk, just as they do about fairies and winged angels and hell. They really know nothing about it and it probably does not exist. Occasionally a deal is put through, where people smell the brimstone of ill-gotten gain and that keeps alive the superstition that politics are rotten and that every person who goes in for political life is of necessity a rotter. We do not believe that many people in Canada have made money out of politics. We do not believe people who run for public office do so for sordid purposes. If there is a doubt, we give them the benefit of it. Let us get a little charity into our souls, if we have them, and not be always looking for the flaws in our neighbors.

Holding The Mirror That We May See Ourselves.

Often the editor of this column tries to hold up the mirror so that people may see themselves. A glance at themselves as others see them would often be sufficient to make them change their ways. The difficulty is to get them to look. They see the references to the foibles of their neighbors but do not ever get a glance at their own. Their vision is distorted. However, they sometimes see. If we could only get a good look at ourselves occasionally it would do us a lot of good.

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Possessing Good Climate and Potential Resources, Future of Q. C. Islands Is Assured

(By G. Harrison)

With a good climate, notwithstanding popular impressions to the contrary, large mining and timber industries, and an agricultural area more extensive, with one or two exceptions, than any other in the province, there seems to be a most prosperous future in store for the long isolated and despised Queen Charlotte Islands—another addition to the potential wealth of British Columbia, so long talked of and soon to be realized in a striking manner in all its diversified forms.

When the war commenced I offered my services to Sir Sam Hughes, the Minister of Militia and Defence for Canada. He acknowledged as follows: "I have much pleasure in acknowledging receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, relative to your desire to be of assistance in connection with this terrible war, for which please accept my thanks."

On August 27, 1914, I was authorized by Sir Percy Sherwood, Chief Commissioner of Dominion Police, to exercise each and all of the powers conferred upon the commissioners and constables of the Dominion police force by order-in-council of the 15th day of August, 1914, with reference to the arrest, detention and parole of German or Austrian or Austro-Hungarian officers, soldiers, reservists, or subjects in Canada coming within the provisions of said order-in-council.

Dated at Ottawa, Aug. 27, 1914.

I did my duty conscientiously in that capacity and Sir Percy Sherwood wrote saying: "I have to thank you and commend you for the attention given to Alien enemies in your vicinity, and I also have to thank you for the very excellent reports, etc."

On Tribunal

When conscription came into force, I was the first one appointed as a member of the Exemption Tribunal for the Islands, and on November 18, 1918, I received the following from the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917.

"My dear Mr. Harrison,

"I am pleased to be able to inform you that as a result of the armistice, it has been decided that no further exemption claims for the present are to be dealt with, and it is probable that you will in the near future be relieved from further duty as a Member of Exemption Tribunal No. 14.

On behalf of the Military Service Branch of the department of Justice permit me to express my sincere thanks for the hearty co-operation you have given me and the devotion to duty you have displayed in the arduous and self-sacrificing task which so suddenly devolved upon tribunal members."

Letter from Deasy

On September 26, 1919, I received the following letter written by Thomas Deasy, the Indian Agent in charge of all the Haidas on the Queen Charlotte Islands, on behalf of himself and the Indians:

"Dear Sir,

"On the eve of your departure for England, permit me to wish you a safe journey and a long, happy life.

"As one of the oldest pioneers in this country, addressing the oldest pioneer of these Islands, where I have known you for so many years, it is akin to losing a "landmark" which guided many of the settlers and illuminated their way through life. Your many years as a minister, and a friend of the Haidas, with the kindness shown them by Mrs. Harrison and yourself during the years you dwelt alone amongst them, aided us materially in bringing them to the condition they occupy today, as the most enlightened Indians on the Pacific coast.

"You baptized and married the living, and performed the last sad rites over their dead. In the pulpit you exhorted them "to love their God above all other things and their neighbors as themselves." As an expounder of the law, you dealt justly and firmly with them, and when others left the islands, or died, you remained from the days of difficulties and trials that few are now able to realize until now when you intend taking a well-earned rest.

"The world is prone to give thanks and speak of our goodness when we have passed away. None realize better than I do what your tribulations and trials were in the four decades you labored amongst the Indians of

these islands. Out on the last, lone islands of the Pacific, Mrs. Harrison and yourself have spent the best days of your lives, and your hospitality to Indians and others is proverbial. I am aware that you seek no Laudator. Actions speak louder than words in your case. Pioneering in the far West, during the early days of civilization and living entirely alone amongst warring tribes of aborigines, was no child's play.

Shadows Fall

"As the evening shadows fall across our pathway; as our experience will benefit others; as the civilization of modern times demands all we have, and to spare; as the sun-set of life follows the brightness of days of brotherly love—may we continue to the end in laboring for the benefit of humanity. Pioneers we are, in every sense of the word. From the same land across the seas our lot was cast to labor together in the new land of our adoption. You return to your native home; I remain, to continue the good work of which you 'Blazed the Trail.'

"I trust we shall meet again to con over one more our recollections of pioneer days. The Indians one and all wish you long life, and a safe journey.

"May your years be long in the land, and I trust you will accept this spontaneous feeling of gratitude expressed herein, as coming from one who will miss your cheery smile, and warm hand-shake in the days to come.

Yours sincerely,

THOMAS DEASY,
Indian Agent,
Queen Charlotte Indian Agency,
B.C."

On reaching Prince Rupert on my way home, our member at Ottawa, Brigadier General Peck sent me the following letter:

From Col. Peck

"Dear Mr. Harrison:

"I am very sorry to learn that you are going to leave the Islands permanently. However, you certainly deserve the rest, although you will be very much missed by everyone.

"I congratulate you upon your long and faithful citizenship and upon all the good work you have been able to perform for the Queen Charlotte Islands.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,
C. W. PECK."

(Editor's Note.—This is the nineteenth of Mr. Harrison's series of articles on the Queen Charlotte Islands. The twentieth and concluding one will appear in an early issue.)

The Man in the Moon

SAYS—

THE caste system is looking at one thing and seeming to look at another.

THERE is one advantage in having little. Your losses are sure to be small.

EVERY board of trade should have before it two well defined purposes. One is to urge economy on the Government and the other to ask for appropriations for the district.

A HICK town is one where people worry about what their neighbors say.

IF this Peace River discussion keeps up, some people will be learning something about the geography of northern British Columbia.

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January 28, 1915.

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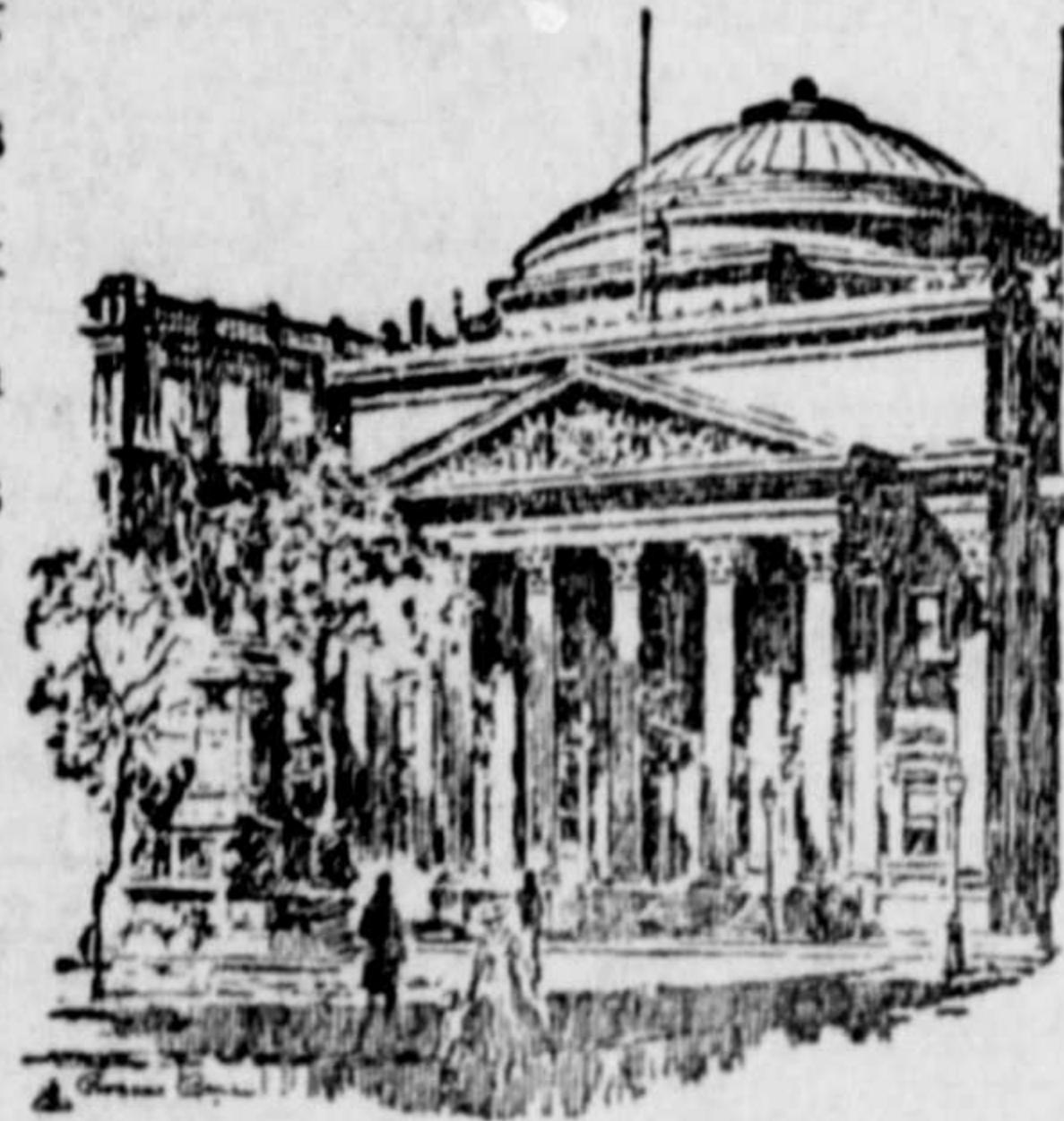
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RADIOMS HEAR ABOUT ECLIPSE

Lecture Given Last Night on To-morrow Morning's Solar Event

WINNIPEG, Jan. 23.—Stressing the importance of warnings which had previously been issued on that particular phase of the subject, R. Meldrum Stewart, director of the Dominion Observatory, Ottawa, repeated the admonition that all persons intending to watch the eclipse of the sun, which is to take place tomorrow morning, should provide themselves beforehand with smoked or colored glasses to protect their eyes from the direct glare of the sun, adding that a fogged photographic plate will serve almost equally well.

The director of the observatory gave on the C.N.R. radio a summary of the events preceding the eclipse and told listeners—in just what to look for as the moon comes between sun and earth, shutting off the light of the former, and in this connection Mr. Stewart recorded that in the past such events were looked upon with superstition as heralding disaster or pestilence.

Mr. Stewart said that among other points to be scientifically investigated tomorrow are the effects of the cutting off of the sun's radiation on the amount and direction of the earth's magnetic force which connect the action of the compass, and of the many peculiarities attending the reception of wireless signals with the curious vagaries so often observed.

Davis rafts may soon be a thing of the past as far as the transportation of logs across the stormy Heceta Straits from the Queen Charlotte Islands to the mainland is concerned if the big log carrying barges prove successful.

The British Pacific Transport Co.'s barge Bingamon has already made one voyage from Cumshewa Inlet with a big load of logs. Next fall there will be another similar barge in operation. It will be the former sailing ship Helwig Vinne recently purchased in San Francisco by Capt. Barney Johnson for the Heceta Straits Towing Co.

The Helwig Vinne arrived at Vancouver from San Francisco this week and, after a complete refitting for her new work, it is expected she will be ready to make here first trip to the Islands next fall. Capt. Johnson proposes to change her name to "Oyster."

The Helwig Vinne was built and launched at Leith, Scotland, in 1894 and her first name was Greenock. This was changed to Persimmon and again to her present name when she went into German hands. During the Great War, the vessel was interned at San Francisco and has been there since. She has a carrying capacity of 5,000 tons deadweight and will have three big open holds. Like the Bingamon, she will be equipped with a large travelling crane operated by a donkey engine.

The annual general meeting of the Prince Rupert General Hospital Association will be held on Friday, January 30, at the city hall at 8 p.m. Business—to receive reports and balance sheet for 1924. Election of Directors. It is earnestly hoped that all members of the Association will continue their interest and attend this meeting.

PRINCE RUPERT TIDES
Saturday, January 24

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STRAIGHT TALK BY DR. GRANT

Need of Education and Its Value to the Community is Discussed

Education consists in training the mind so that a person is able to tell the true from the untrue, according to Rev. H. R. Grant, D.D., who addressed the Rotary Club yesterday afternoon at their luncheon in the St. Regis Cafe.

Dr. Grant said everyone should be interested in education. Some had children at school or who would go to school. That was a sufficient reason for them to be interested in the subject.

Some people were interested because they were spending money on it. In British Columbia last year the cost of education to the province and to the municipalities was \$8,200,000 or about seventeen dollars head for the whole population. Only the other day he was reading that in the state of Minnesota \$21,000,000 was spent on education and that was half the income of the state.

A third reason why people should be interested was that most people desired to see progress. They were not satisfied with things as they are today.

Not Too Rapidly

The Doctor warned against trying to advance too rapidly. In it lay danger and the way to avoid it was to educate the people. Education, he declared, was a great stabilizer. Along with religion it was the greatest stabilizer in the world. Education and religion could hand in hand influence people along those lines.

Referring to Russia, Dr. Grant spoke of the primitive condition of the people from an education standpoint and of the dissatisfaction there with the conduct of affairs. Stability did not mean retrogression but simply a more steady advancement.

Dealing with the matter of education through reading, the speaker mentioned the unreliability of some of the things published in the magazines today. From them people got a false conception. By giving them an education they were able to sift the false from the true. Truth may be a point of view, as one of the members of the club stated, but it was the point of view of the best and not of the uneducated. He asked that children be taught to think in order that their mental machinery might become a real factor in judging what was true and what false.

System at Fault

Dr. Grant complimented the city on the splendid staff of teachers here and of the interest taken in education by the board of trustees. The system was handicapped, however, by the past. Stressing the value of the three Rs was necessary under primitive conditions. The idea he found still obtained that pupils should run through the mill—have information poured in so that they might be able to reach the High School. His conception of education was just the opposite to that. The pupils must be taught to think, but the present system allowed no time for that.

In ten years comparatively few pupils had gone to the university from here. Most of them took one or two years in the High School and then dropped out. The boys who dropped out had not had time to learn to think, partly because they were not old enough. He thought it might be possible to give half a day instruction to the older pupils. A firm in Cincinnati did that.

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Not Degrading

There was an idea abroad today that manual labor was degrading. His idea was that the man who worked with his hands was just as good as any other. He wondered if the messenger boys of the city might not work for half a day and have half a day in school. He would like to see something done to lengthen the time boys could stay in school in order that they might begin to learn to think. Any person could educate himself if he tried and he suggested reading history and other good books, those which dealt with the vital things of life.

WIRELESS REPORT

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DEAD TREE. — Snowing; calm; Bar, 29.76; temp, 24; sea smooth.

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Last Barrier

When the rate early in 1925 crossed the war-time "peg" point, it was felt that the last barrier in the way of sterling's march back to parity had been removed.

The approach of sterling to par was accomplished by reports that England was planning an early restoration of the gold standard. The visit of Montagu Norman, Governor of the Bank of England, to the United States lent color to these rumors, inspiring the belief that Great Britain first wished to ascertain America's future policy governing Federal Reserve Bank rates and gold movements.

First Collapse

The first great collapse in sterling came in 1919 following the withdrawal of artificial support which had been in effect for about two years. The abrupt decline from \$4.76 in March to \$3.80 late in the year was accelerated by the disquieting events of that period, foremost of which were the failure of the peace treaty to pass the United States Senate and the unsettled world trade.

Sterling's darkest days were encountered in February, 1920, when the cumulative effects of post-war disappointments were reflected in a veritable trading panic. A perpendicular break of 4 cents in four days carried the rate to the lowest point in history at \$3.49.

Rally Follows

A brisk rally followed. Announcement by the chancellor of the exchequer that the British treasury would pay off its portion of the Anglo-French loan, and if necessary ship gold to the United States to accomplish the liquidation, initiated the upturn. Thereafter rumors of gold shipments contributed to a steady advance, and though \$48,000,000 in gold, which was consigned to United States actually was for payment of an Argentine loan, the propaganda was effective in lifting the rate to \$4.06 3-4 by April 5. For the remainder of that year the course of sterling was governed by trade demands and gold shipments.

Further recovery in sterling took place in 1921, when the rate moved up from a low of \$3.53 1-4 to a high mark of \$4.24 1-8 late in the year. Among the factors which contributed to the improvement were the settlement of many internal problems, approach of the Irish settlement and the favorable impression created by the disarmament conference in the United States. This year saw the rise of speculative activities in exchanges on a scale hitherto unknown. These operations supplied much of the purchasing power which put sterling above the \$4 mark.

Recovery Starts

The gradual appreciation of sterling continued until December, 1922, when a violent upturn of about 20 cents in a week to a high level of \$4.69 attracted the world's attention to England's recovery. The rise was aided by favorable trade figures, the better condition of the British Treasury, the return to London of large balances by international companies and the "trapping" of a large number of speculators who had sold sterling for a decline.

By February, 1923, sterling at \$4.72 1-8 had reached its highest level since March, 1919. The uncertain trend of foreign political events, the growing strength of the Labor party in England and unfavorable trade factors, however, combined to force the rate down about 46 cents to \$4.26 by November.

Labor Effect

Accession of the Labor government in England, coupled with vague talk of a tax on capital and fears of an inflationary policy, started a "flight" of British capital to this country early in 1924 which depressed sterling still further to \$4.20. A turn in the tide came with the spring reaction in the stock market here, the extreme ease of American money rates and higher interest rates at London, all of which tended to attract funds back to the British capital.

Acceptance of the Dawes' plan accelerated the advance which gained momentum through the

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