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SERIOUS FLOODS EXPERIENCED IN EUROPE

VANCOUVER HAS SERIES OF SHIPPING ACCIDENTS ACCOUNT OF DENSE FOG

Much Land in Britain is Submerged; France and Continent Suffers

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Rapid thawing of snow and continued heavy rains are causing serious floods in many parts of the British Isles. Vast tracts of lands are being submerged and in Glasgow shipping is tied up owing to the rapid rise of water on the Clyde River.

A serious situation is also reported from France and in many sections of the continent. Many lives are being lost in Roumania and Hungary.

EXPLORER HAS GONE BANKRUPT

Herschel Parker Files Petition in Federal Court at Portland

PORTLAND, Dec. 30.—Herschel Parker, explorer and scientist, filed a petition of bankruptcy in the federal court here yesterday. The debts include two notes aggregating \$8000 owed to the Bank of Anchorage and to Thomas Fulton, also of Anchorage. The only asset listed is a half interest in 320 acres of wild land in the Kootenay district of British Columbia.

OLD ACT IS TO BE ABOLISHED

Reforms to be Effected in Succession Privileges in Great Britain

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Abolishing provisions which have existed since feudal days in Great Britain, a new act dealing with the administration of estates will come into effect at the New Year. It is provided that elder sons and fathers who die leaving no will possess no advantages over younger brothers. Males and females will also rank equally in the division of estates.

BURIED ALIVE IN COAL MINE

Two Miners Meet Tragic Fate at Black Diamond, Washington

SEATTLE, Dec. 30.—Trapped 2,000 feet below the ground in the Pacific Coast Coal mine at Black Diamond, W. R. Bruner and Emil Piquet were buried alive. W. R. Bruner's body, with life crushed out, was recovered last night.

FIVE FIREMEN HURT GOING TO XMAS FIRE

MEDFORD, Mass., Dec. 30.—Christmas candles which set fire to the window curtains of a dwelling here resulted in injury to five Medford firemen, when the truck on which they were responding to the alarm skidded from the road and turned over in a clay pit 20 feet below the highway.

Acting Provincial Police Inspector W. Spiller returned to the city on the steamer Prince Rupert this afternoon after having taken prisoners to Okalla prison farm.

WEATHER REPORT

(Government Telegraphs)

Prince Rupert—raining, light southeast wind; temperature, 44.
White Horse—cloudy, calm; 25 above.
Dawson—cloudy, calm; 10 above.
Yukon average—cloudy, calm, 15 above; some new snow fell yesterday and during the night.
Terrace—raining; windy; 35 above.
Aiyansh—cloudy, calm; 32 above.
Hazelton—Cloudy, calm; light frost.
Burns Lake—cloudy, calm; light frost.
Smithers—Cloudy, calm; light frost.

OLD SCHOONER IS POUNDED TO PIECES

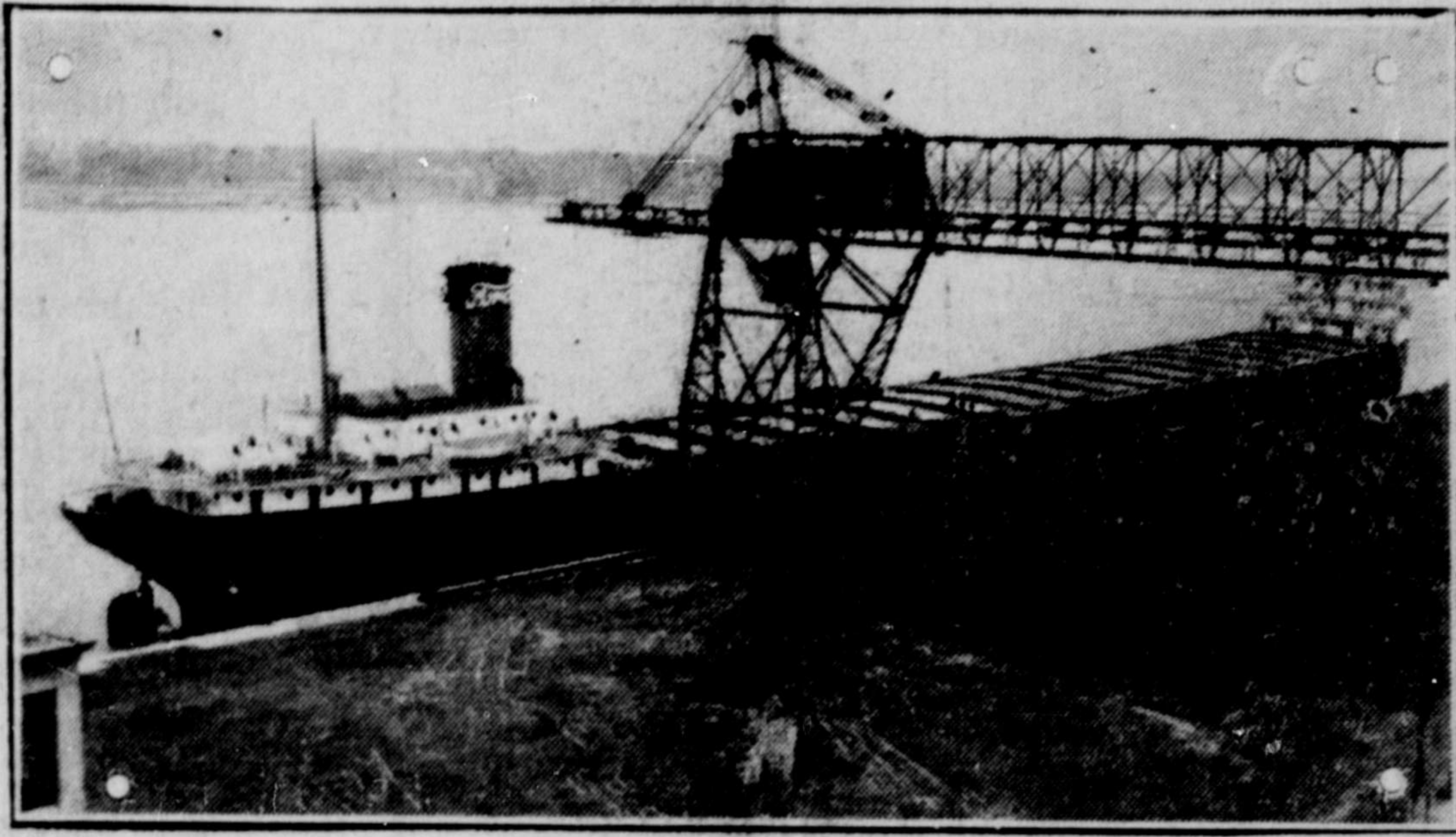
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—The four masted schooner Honipu, one of the oldest vessels on the Pacific coast, was pounded to pieces by heavy seas on Washington Island in the South Pacific according to word received here yesterday. Members of the crew were marooned until they were picked up by the power schooner Doris Crane, which is now proceeding to Honolulu.

OFFICERS HERE.

B. G. Keeley, Pacific coast manager of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine; D. B. Carswell, superintendent engineer with headquarters in Montreal, and P. W. Baldwin, local auditor, Vancouver, arrived on the steamer Prince Rupert this afternoon for the purpose of making final arrangements for the taking over of the Canadian National dry dock here on January 1. Mr. Keeley will return south on the Prince Rupert on Friday morning. Mrs. Keeley and Mrs. Baldwin are also making the trip.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

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B.C. Silver	1.63	1.75
Dunwell	1.33	1.36
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L. & L.	.13	.15
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Terminus		.50
C. P. R.	148.00	
Daly Alaska		.13
Howe Sound	27.50	
Silvercrest	11 1/2	12 1/2
Ruth Hope	.34	.36
Granby	20.00	
Rufus		.18
Lucky Jim	13 1/4	.15
Hazelton		.01 1/2
Indian	.05	.06
Hazlet	.08 1/4	.10
Bayview	.05	.09 1/4
National Silver	.14 1/4	.15



The giant crane at the new Ford dock at Ford City, Ont., handles coal at the rate of 350 tons per hour. The "Benson Ford," 8,700 ton lake boat, named after Henry Ford's grandson, is pictured making her initial call with a cargo of coal.

DIED SUDDENLY IN HER HOME

Death Came in Tragic Manner to Mrs. George Grate Yesterday Afternoon

With tragic suddenness, the death occurred yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at her home, 525 Seventh Avenue East, of Mrs. Amy Charlotte Grate, wife of A. G. Grate, city police constable. Without warning, deceased collapsed and expired.

The late Mrs. Grate was of Irish descent and was born in the United States thirty-five years ago. She came to Canada 24 years ago and has resided in Prince Rupert since 1910.

Besides the widower, deceased is survived by four children, Grace, Harvey, Lloyd and Georgina. Her mother, Mrs. Emil Evanson, lives at Portage North Dakota, and there is a brother in Portland, Oregon.

Deceased was a member of the local lodge of the Women of the Mooseheart Legion.

Funeral arrangements, which will be announced later, are in the hands of the B.C. Undertakers.

VANCOUVER BOAT IS FOUND ADRIFT

Seventeen Foot Launch Picked up off Waldron Island by U.S. Coastguard Service

VICTORIA, Dec. 30.—A seventeen-foot launch supposed to be owned in Vancouver has been found adrift off Waldron Island, Washington, the customs department here has been notified by the United States coastguard service. Vancouver newspapers and empty food containers of Vancouver origin were found in the boat.

STOLE MONEY AT ANYOX: SENTENCE BY JUDGE RESERVED

John G. Edwards, having elected for speedy trial and pleading guilty to a charge of theft of various sums of money at Anyox, appeared before Judge Young in the provincial police court yesterday afternoon, and was remanded for sentence. The prisoner was brought down from the north yesterday on the Gardner by Provincial Constable Smith.

Log Carrying Barge Bingamon Ashore at Vancouver Tuesday; Motorship is off Siwash Rock

VANCOUVER, Dec. 30.—The log carrying barge Bingamon, which went ashore near Point Grey in the fog while in tow of the tug Gaz and with nearly one million feet of logs aboard, got off at high water on Tuesday with the aid of two tugs after unloading some of the logs into a temporary boom.

The Pacific Steamship Co.'s motorship Boobyalla, ashore near Siwash Rock, was finally refloated early this morning after three tugs had worked with the vessel yesterday afternoon and through the night. The vessel lower making two inches of water an hour. She immediately underwent a survey and it was found she is not seriously damaged.

The fifth day of the fog finds shipping out of the port completely tied up with only a few coastwise vessels moving. Deep sea boats are remaining at Victoria until the weather clears.

MONEY FOR BUSINESS

Head of Bank of Commerce Says Capital is Ready for Industry

TORONTO, Dec. 30.—Approximately \$125,000,000 more is available in Canada today for general business purposes than is usual at this time of the year, Sir John Aird, president of the Bank of Commerce, states. He further declares that there is plenty of money available for the financing of new undertakings needed in the development of Canada.

VANCOUVER DENTIST DIES AT HIS WORK

Dr. Daniel W. Massey Collapsed in His Office and Succumbed a Few Minutes Later

VANCOUVER, Dec. 30.—Dr. Daniel W. Massey, dentist, aged 51, collapsed in his office at 1708 Charles Street yesterday while working on a patient and died a few minutes later.

VANCOUVER SHIPS 5,250,000 BUSHELS WHEAT IN DECEMBER

VANCOUVER, Dec. 30.—The Merchants' Exchange reports 5,250,000 bushels of wheat shipped from this port during December to Europe and the Orient.

Local Totem Pole Raised on Fifth Avenue, New York, is Proving Centre of Interest

A totem pole from the Queen Charlotte Islands recently erected by the Canadian National Railways in front of the company's offices on Fifth Avenue has attracted a lot of attention in New York City. The New York Herald Tribune of December 20 commented on the pole as follows:

During a considerable history there have been a number of things on Fifth Avenue: parades, principally, and shops. The Irish have paraded on Fifth Avenue on March 17 for years; so have the police; also the firemen, and during the war years there was of course, an unlimited parade. At that time life on Fifth Avenue was just one procession after another.

Yesterday something came to Fifth Avenue which had never been there before. The Canadian National Railways was responsible for the innovation. The innovation was a totem pole. Never before had Fifth Avenue had a totem pole.

The Canadian National Railways formerly had New York offices in a building at Broadway and Thirty-third Street. Last year that company signed a long term lease for the ground floor of the premises at 505 Fifth Ave, which is immediately north of Forty Second Street on the east side of the Avenue. The new offices were opened yesterday for business, and the totem pole came right along.

This particular totem pole was brought from the reservation of the Haida Indians, in British Columbia. It is, probably, the ugliest thing on Fifth Avenue, not excluding the public library's celebrated and simpering lions. The figures, according to the official announcement sent out by the railroad "are true or heraldic emblems of the family to which the totem belongs." The totem itself is really a memorial column intended to preserve the memory of tribal leaders and to secure public acknowledgement of the title to the successors. The crests are in effect coats of arms.

No totem pole is a thing of beauty; and the particular specimen exhibited in the Canadian National Railways office is nothing that might ever be expected to win an Atlantic City beauty pageant. Its three grades, according to those who are expert in the interpretation of totem poles, which is itself a life long study, represent "a sculpin, a shark and a sea monster, in semi-human form." Any one who sees this totem pole will realize immediately that a sculpin, a shark and a sea monster in semi-human form, when crowded together on one totem pole do not make the sort of an ensemble which a man should observe closely after a rough night at a rough night club. A less attractive combination no totem pole architect was ever able to imagine.

The totem pole attracted a lot of attention on Fifth Avenue yesterday. It is to be a permanent exhibit, as is the oil painting in the front office of Mount Robson, in the Canadian Rockies, and the bronze tablet beside the entrance which displays the arms of the Dominion of Canada, and of the various Canadian provinces.

LIGHTS WENT OFF.

The city electric power went off last night, between 9:40 and 10:10 o'clock, owing to the fly-wheel on the oil pump supplying the governors at Shaw's Lake power house breaking loose.

Motorship Norco, Capt. Len Williams, is due in port this afternoon from Ketchikan with a cargo of frozen fish for transportation East over the Canadian National Railway.

CUSTOMS HOUSE IS BROKEN INTO

Thieves Received Little Reward, However, For Their Pains

During the night, thieves visited the private office of Jarvis McLeod, collector of customs, in the post office building. Entrance was gained by breaking the transom over the door in the hallway. Nothing of value was stolen as the office only contained papers peculiar to the customs business. Mr. McLeod's desk was ransacked and papers were strewn over the floor. Discovery of the burglary was not made until this morning when the customs staff came on duty. The city police were immediately notified and Sergeant Bailey is in charge of investigations.

FATALITY AT SEA REPORTED

Officer on Board City of Vancouver Washed Overboard During Heavy Storm

VICTORIA, Dec. 30.—It is reported here that an accident has occurred on the steamer City of Vancouver now enroute to this port from the Orient. Although no definite information has been received, it is believed that one of the ship's officers was washed overboard during heavy weather. The ship, which is coming in ballast and making slow time, will not arrive here until Thursday night.

HANGED HIMSELF IN RAILWAY SHED

Ernest Rodgers of Regina Committed Suicide in Vancouver Last Evening

VANCOUVER, Dec. 30.—A man believed to be Ernest Rodgers of Regina committed suicide in the Great Northern freight sheds last night. He hanged himself from a beam by kicking a barrel from under his feet.

OCEAN CITY IN MARYLAND SWEEP BY CONFLAGRATION

OCEAN CITY, Dec. 30.—Fire which swept the summer resort city yesterday with an estimated loss of \$400,000 was brought under control late in the afternoon when a shifting wind carried the flames seaward.

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Census Figures Are Conservative.

Mr. McLennan's estimate presented to the city council this week gives the first intelligent idea of the population of Prince Rupert that has been forthcoming for some years. It is likely, however, that there are more people in Prince Rupert than the 6,464 shown in his report.

Mr. McLennan took on the work of census taking in addition to his regular duties as assessor and without extra emolument. His records cover only people who were living on city and other property that he was called up to inspect in course of his assessment work. This being the case, it may be expected that some people were missed in the count—perhaps, several hundred.

Taking Mr. McLennan's estimate as a basis, it may be assumed that the population of the city at the present time is just about 7,000. This seems to be a little more than a good many people thought.

Pulp And Paper Development Here.

That extensive timber cruising operations which have been going on this fall in the Kitsumkalum and Lakelse districts may result in the ultimate establishment of a pulp and paper industry in that region is the interesting suggestion that is now made. The district abounds in timber more suitable for pulp and paper manufacture than for any other purpose, and sooner or later undertakings along that line will undoubtedly be embarked upon.

With the raw material for pulp and paper gradually becoming depleted in other parts of the continent, it may not be many years before the manufacturers turn their eyes in this direction and start actual production. When that time comes, there may be several large plants started in the immediate vicinity of Prince Rupert in the interior, on the coast and on the Queen Charlotte Islands.

There is an abundance of raw material, the development of which would not only be greatly beneficial to the city and district but would also be in the best interests of the district timber stands. Pulp and paper manufacture has for some years now been recognized as the logical use for the greater part of the timber wealth of this territory.

In The Civic Election Arena.

With the municipal election scheduled to take place on January 14—two weeks from Thursday—it is now getting about time for the candidates for the mayoralty, five aldermanic seats, three school trustees and two police commissioners to be announcing themselves. So far only one definite announcement has been made—namely that of Co. S. P. McMordie for the mayoralty. People are beginning to wonder, especially in view of the rumors that have been going around lately—whether there will be anyone to oppose him.

It is desirable that the citizens should take a keen interest in municipal affairs but, during recent years, about the only time any such interest has been shown has been just immediately prior to the elections. Civic government is just as important to the people residing in the city as federal and provincial representation. Candidates should make their intentions known early instead of holding back until the last minute to see what "the other fellow" is going to do. It is to be hoped that a list of good names for the various offices will be placed before the electors and that this will be done early enough so that the citizens may have the opportunity of learning what the policies and aims of the various candidates may be, thus being enabled to exercise their franchise accordingly.

ANGLICAN CHURCH HAS GOOD ENTERTAINMENT

Successful Affair Took Place Last Evening in Church Hall

The annual Anglican Christmas tree entertainment, held last night in the church hall, was a great success the hall being filled to capacity with children and their parents.

An impromptu concert was given by the children prior to the distribution of gifts. Those taking part in the program included Miss Audrey Parkin, violin solos; Miss Margaret Gilchrist, piano solo; Stanley Dalby, Frank Miller and Billy Collison, Christmas carols; Miss Lenore Miller, dances and songs; Miss Winnifred Tucker, recitations. Mrs. Dave Wilton acted as accompanist.

At the conclusion of the musical program Santa Claus appeared on the scene and presented every child present with a suitable gift.

E. W. Tucker, superintendent of the Sunday school, assisted by Mrs. McCoskrie and Mrs. Tucker, was responsible for the success of the evening.

ANGLICAN XMAS TREE AT SMITHERS

Presentations Made to Mrs. Hoskins and F. Page

SMITHERS, Dec. 30.—The annual Christmas tree and social of the St. James Anglican Church was held on Tuesday evening and proved to be a most enjoyable affair. Before supper was served the children and grown-ups enjoyed an hour or two at games and after supper an impromptu concert was held, this was followed by the entry of Santa Claus. To the delight of the youngsters, he proceeded to hand out the presents with which the tree was laden.

On behalf of the congregation Santa greeted Mrs. S. H. Hoskins with a pair of brass candlesticks as a mark of appreciation of her services as organist during the year. F. Page, the peoples' warden, was also the recipient of a gift from the congregation.

TO RAISE BLACK FOXES IN SOUTH

Leonard E. MacKenzie of Prince Edward Island is Brother of Mrs. G. A. Woodland of this City

Leonard E. MacKenzie, president of the Magic Silver Black Fox Co. of Summerside, Prince Edward Island, and brother of Mrs. G. A. Woodland of this city, is now in Victoria for the purpose of selecting a site in that vicinity for the raising and earling of black foxes. Mr. MacKenzie represents one of the largest fox industries in the East and is considered one of the foremost authorities on the business in Canada.

In a recent issue of the Victoria Times appeared a picture of Mr. MacKenzie and a shipment of live foxes said to be the largest consignment of silver foxes ever received on Vancouver Island.

THREE KILLED AT CHRISTMAS DANCE

Quarrel Over Partners Followed by Shooting in South Brooklyn

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Three unidentified men were shot and killed last week as the climax of a Christmas dance at the Adonis Social club, a south Brooklyn resort.

The police state that the men came at midnight to the club, where dancing was going on. They were accompanied by girls and it is believed that a quarrel arose between the strangers and the dancers over choice of partners.

The triple crime was discovered when a policeman found one of the bodies lying in the street. He made his way to the dance hall and found the other two dead men lying amid broken furniture, which had apparently been wrecked in a terrific struggle. The hall was deserted. Residents of the neighborhood said that they had heard no shots nor any sounds of a struggle.

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THE MAN IN THE MOON

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CHIEF Vicker's New Year motto is—everything comes to him who underweights.

IT was an optimistic boy who gave his father a walking stick for a Christmas present.

THERE seems to have been a corner on mistletoe this festive season. I'd like to have seen a little more mistletoe in the corner myself.

MY idea of a snappy honeymoon would be to take the young wife out to listen to the fog signals.

BECAUSE a man is knight of the Garter it does not necessarily follow that his duties are elastic.

DURING this frosty weather and judging from the manner in which some people hobble along, it would seem possible that they would get along faster if they had a pair of studded mitts or their hands instead of rubber heels on their boots.

IT was tough luck on the aspiring heavyweight who dropped the horseshoe out of his right mill on to his own head.

A WOMAN boxer has recently married an Italian count. Women are sure to take the count sooner or later.

IF all the bottles of whiskey purchased between now and New Year's eve were placed end to end along the railway track doubtless several prominent citizens would get run over.

THE man took the cake who sent his girl something for her neck at Christmas. A box of Palmolive soap.

NO need to buy a new diary for 1926. A scientist has again predicted that the world is coming to an end in February.

A GOOD example of a hero is the man who rescued a bottle of beer from a fire on Christmas day.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

December 30, 1915.

The Prince Rupert Amateur Athletic Association is arranging to have the Hazelton hockey team down here for a game on New Year's Day. The local boys have a good team at their command and, if the ice on Mors Creek holds, a real game should result.

The Prince George did not arrive until after noon today, having been held up during the night by a blinding snowstorm.

A. Bailey of Inverness cannery came north this morning accompanied by Mrs. Bailey.

Pearl Fleming, the well known real estate man of Victoria, arrived from the south this morning and left for the interior.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land in Queen Charlotte Islands Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate two and one-half miles west of Alford Bay, Skidegate Inlet.

TAKE NOTICE that B.C. Fishing & Packing Company, Limited, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation parkers, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the west end of small Bay one hundred yards east of mouth of unnamed stream; thence south five chains; thence east sixteen chains; thence north to shore line; thence following shore line to point of commencement, and containing seven and three-quarter acres, more or less, all per M. M. English, Applicant. Dated December 7th, 1925.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Administration Act; and In the Matter of the Estate of Lawrence M. Hughes, Deceased. TAKE NOTICE that I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of Lawrence M. Hughes, under and by virtue of an Order of His Honor Justice Young, dated the first day of September, 1925; any persons having any claims against the estate are to file them with me, the undersigned, at my office within thirty days from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to the estate are required to make payment forthwith. Dated this 19th day of December, 1925. WATMAN & WATTE, Official Administrator.

The Man Who Talked at Random

HE sat in the window-corner of the Pullman's smoking compartment, and breathed fatly and uttered large opinions in a suety voice. It grew late, as so often it does; and he put the quietus on a discussion with the ponderous statement:

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Then he glanced at his advertised watch and sought his lower birth.

In the morning the ad-skeptic contorted himself out of his advertised pyjamas into his advertised underwear, drew on his advertised socks, adjusted them with his advertised garters, got into his advertised clothes, laced his advertised shoes and added himself to the congestion in the wash-room.

There he shaved with an advertised razor, using advertised shaving cream; brushed his teeth with an advertised toothbrush and advertised dental cream, washed with advertised soap, and brushed his hair with an advertised brush. Buttoning his advertised collar on an advertised button, he neatly knotted his advertised tie, gave his advertised suspenders a tug or two, and finished dressing.

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LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on north shore of Shannon Bay, Queen Charlotte Islands, B.C.

TAKE NOTICE that James Fielding Strang and Robert C. Gosse, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation claimers, intend to apply for a lease of the following described foreshore at Shannon Bay, Queen Charlotte Islands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Shannon Bay about 500 feet in a southwesterly direction from southwest corner of Lot 1548, said post being 128.5 feet to the high water mark of an island being an application to lease by Robert C. Gosse; thence northerly, westerly and southwesterly following the high water mark of said island to a point 960 feet south and 267 feet west of southwest corner of Lot 1548; thence west 128.5 feet to the high water mark of an island being an application to lease by Robert C. Gosse; thence northerly, westerly and southwesterly following the high water mark of said island to a point 960 feet south and 1153 feet west of southwest corner of Lot 1548; thence west 130 feet; thence north 530 feet, more or less; thence east 956 feet, more or less, to the point of commencement, and containing 8 acres, more or less.

ROBT. C. GOSSE and JAS. FIELDING STRANG, Applicants. Per Wm. G. Mitchell, Agent. Dated November 10th, 1925.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert and situate on the east shore of Bernard Cove, Princess Royal Island, Range Four, Coast District.

TAKE NOTICE that Somerville Cannery Company Limited of Vancouver, B.C., occupation parkers, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the northeast shore of Bernard Cove, Princess Royal Island, Range 4, Coast District; thence easterly twenty chains; thence southerly sixty chains; thence westerly forty chains; thence northerly five chains, more or less, to high water mark; thence following high water mark in an easterly and northerly direction to point of commencement, and containing one hundred acres, more or less.

SOMERVILLE CANNERY CO. LTD. Applicant. Per W. J. Thomas, Agent. Dated October 24th, 1925.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply For Lease of Land.

In the Prince Rupert Land Recording District and situate on an unnamed Islet forming one of the Narrows group of Islets in Hudson Bay Passage opposite Gore Langton Point, Blue Print B. M. 14.

TAKE NOTICE that Harris Kerr of Prince Rupert, B.C., Master Mariner, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post on the shore on the East side of the above described Islet, thence 3,000 feet northwest; thence 3,000 feet northeast; thence 3,000 feet southwest to the point of commencement, containing 200 acres, more or less.

HARRIS KERR, Applicant. By his Agent, Joseph S. Rogers. Dated December 4th, 1925.

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COMPILING DICTIONARY OF AMERICAN ENGLISH

Words Originated and with New Meanings Supplied on this Side of Atlantic Will be Included

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. — Call a man "awful," a play "awful" and a meal "awful" and you make use of a word moulded into its sense by New Englanders. In England they refer to the same group of dislikes by the word "frightful."

Add "bogus," "caucus," "germynder," "boom" and "buncombe" to your vocabulary and you have increased it by six purely American words, says Prof. William A. Craigie of the University of Chicago.

The professor came to Chicago from England, where he edited the Oxford dictionary, to compile a dictionary of American English which is to include only words that have originated in America and those that have had meanings supplied by American writers.

Need of Dictionary

While at work in England, Professor Craigie discovered that no serious effort had been made to trace the history of the whole vocabulary which had been in use in America from the coming of the first colonists.

"Early American writers and records, if cited at all," Professor Craigie points out, "were usually quoted for the use of some uncommon word or phrase, while modern writers are commonly cited only for some Americanism."

"The natural conclusion was that there was a need for a dictionary of a new kind—one of the American tongue as a whole."

The cooperation of laymen and students throughout the country will be secured in compiling the dictionary. The method consists in writing out on separate slips of paper, such passages from selected books as contain either unusual words or phrases, or good examples of the use of common words and phrases.

"Not only will the main stream be clearly mapped out," says Dr. Craigie, "but there will be many little tributaries and quiet backwaters to explore for those who delight in the byways of knowledge."

Special Studies

Special studies in the vocabulary of particular authors of definite periods, of types of literature, of areas of the country, of farming, mining and lumbering; the names of plants, trees, birds and fishes will be made by the same method of noting each item on a separate paper with clear indication of the source.

From these millions of slips the editors, under Dr. Craigie's direction, will begin the process of tabulation and compilation.

The place for slang, Professor Craigie says, is either on the tongue of those who like it or in a slang dictionary. He admits, however, that a small percentage of the slang of one generation will be the usual speech of the next and will in the end become a natural part of the written language.

To this extent he says it must be recognized in any dictionary, and one of American English will afford numerous examples of this rise and fall of words.

P. M. Ray, local manager for the B. L. Johnson Co., Ltd., returned to the city on the steamer Prince Rupert this afternoon after having spent the past ten days in the south on a combined business and pleasure trip.

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Scandinavian Dance on New Year's Eve in Boston Hall. Lindsoth's orchestra. 303

Archie Watt, C.N.R. master mechanic, arrived on this morning's train from Prince George.

We can once again supply dry kindling by the bundle. Prince Rupert Transfer and Taxi. Phone 189 and 112. 302

Hogmanay Dance, under auspices of St. Andrew's Society Ladies' Auxiliary, in Auditorium tomorrow (Thursday) night, December 31. Invitations.

On New Year's day the post office registration and general delivery wicket will be open from 9 to 11 a.m. The lobby of the post office will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Parties who have heard the new Brunswick Phonograph pronounce it an amazing instrument. Electric process throughout. Hear it before you buy. We expect our samples early in January. MacLaren's Music Store. 307

Attached to this morning's train arriving from the East was an International Correspondence School instruction car which will remain here for a few days for the benefit of local railway employees. J. Gill of Montreal is in charge of the car.

With the Gardena due for her annual overhaul, there will be a change of steamers within a week or so in the Union Steamship Co.'s local service. It is expected that the Catala will take the place of the Gardena on the Prince Rupert-Stewart run and that the Venture will replace the Catala in the Prince Rupert-Anyx cannery route.

Sidney Bazell-Jones will leave next week for San Francisco where he has accepted a position with a large accounting firm. On a recent visit in Frisco, he successfully passed examinations qualifying him as a chartered accountant there. Sid has been active in athletic and service club circles here for a number of years and his departure will be regretted by many friends.

C.N.R. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. H. Nodden, having been delayed by fog and storms coming up the coast, arrived in port at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Passengers for Prince Rupert included Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Keeley, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Baldwin, D. B. Carswell, J. H. Hunter, Mrs. E. Edwards, W. Spiller, P. M. Ray, C. O. Montgomery, Miss Adeline Christensen and Mrs. Duff; for Stewart, J. Crawford and N. Belysis.

PATENAUDE RALLIES HIS DEFEATED ARMY

OTTAWA, Dec. 30. — Hon. E. L. Patenaude would now gather together the pieces of the balloon which burst on October 29 last. He has sent out a call to the candidates whom he so successfully led to defeat on that date to meet in convention for the purpose of solidifying their position as the new Nationalist movement and again to serve notice to Mr. Meighen that he is not the man for Quebec.

As a counter-demonstration to this Patenaude activity there is the liveliness of Senator David L'Esperance, who is seeking to reconcile the Quebec people to the Conservative party, and who, it is said, cherishes ministerial ambitions should Mr. Meighen be called upon to form a government.

Between the cabinet aspirations of Messrs. L'Esperance, Fauteux, Monty and Bellay, on the one hand, and the attacks of Mr. Patenaude on the other, the fortunes of the Conservatives in Quebec, according to local comment, will be subjected to some interesting vicissitudes.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

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TO END OF DECEMBER, 1924.

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Mrs. P. Stephen sailed last evening on the Gardena for a two week visit in the south.

Miss Adeline Henriksen, who has been holidaying with relatives in Vancouver, returned to the city on the Prince Rupert this afternoon.

One of the most enthusiastic send-offs ever given a bridal couple in Prince Rupert was that which was accorded Mr. and Mrs. Cecil G. Nason when they sailed for the south on the Gardena yesterday afternoon following their marriage earlier in the day. There was a host of friends at the dock to see them off and wish them happiness and prosperity in their wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. Nason will proceed to California for their honeymoon and will later return to Vancouver where they will reside.

SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emption is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e. carrying over 8,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 5,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner. Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of \$10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price for first-class (arable) land is \$5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land \$2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partly free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to 100 head.

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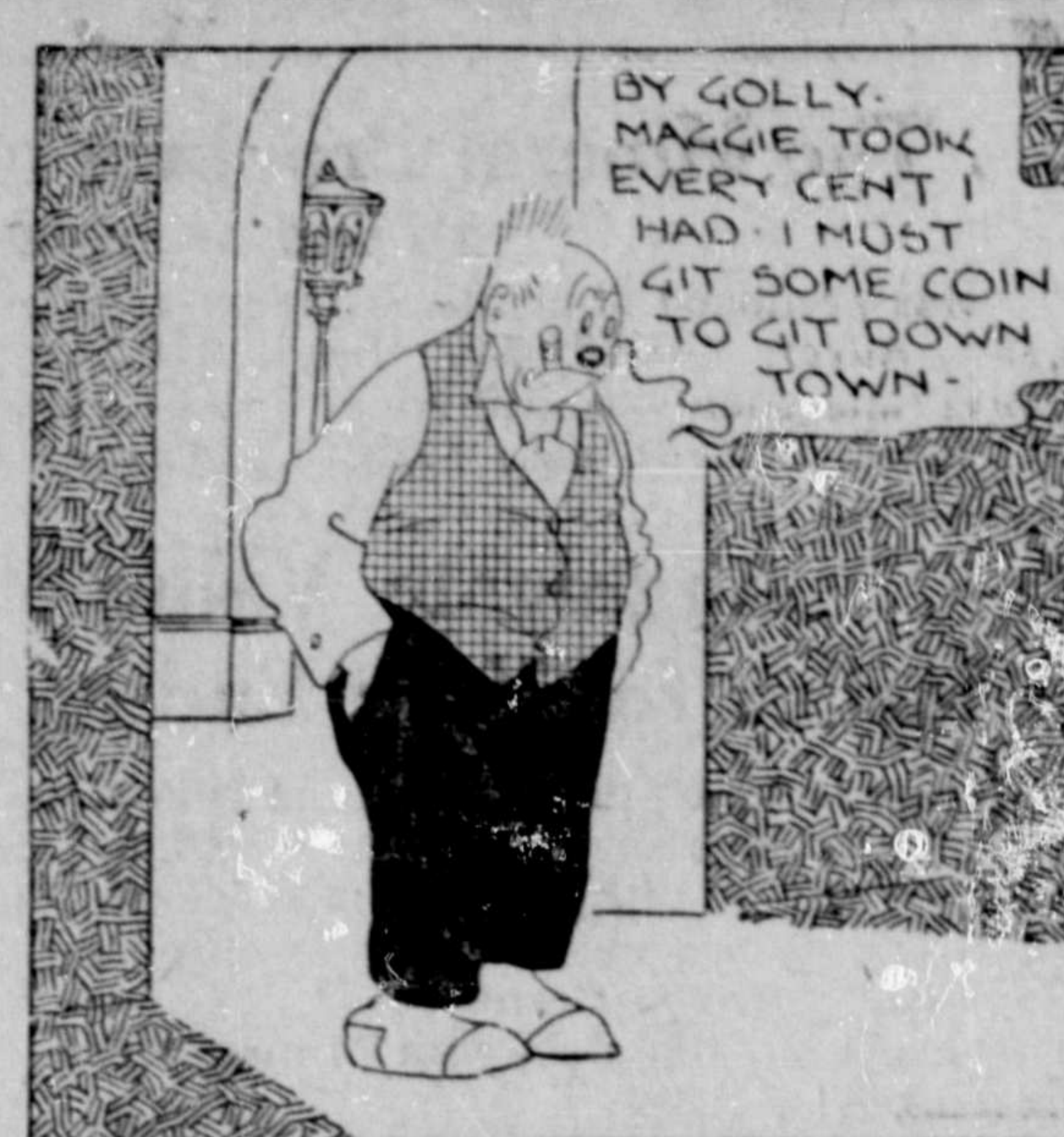
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BRINGING UP FATHER



THIS WOMAN STILL NEEDS HER HAIRPIN

Declares She Will Never be Caught Again Without One

LONDON, Dec. 30. — Even in these days of shingled locks the hairpin remains a woman's indispensable tool in mechanical emergencies.

Mrs. Elliott Lynn, the airwoman who was lost in a fog for several hours while making a solo flight to qualify for her pilot's certificate, has admitted that she almost regretted her shingled coiffure when she was forced to land and borrow a hairpin to make a connection in the ignition system of her aeroplane.

"I was a dispatch rider for the old flying corps and drove for the navy in France during the war, and during all that time I never was caught without a hairpin, and I never will be again," she declared firmly.

The test, which includes the cutting five figures of eight at 600 feet and landing within 50 yards of a set mark, will be taken again by Mrs. Lynn, as it was through no fault of her own that she did not succeed.

Mrs. Lynn, after leaving the London Flying club at Edgware, ascended to 6,000 feet as required, passing through a thick bank of fog. When she came down again she found herself over strange ground. She had neither compass nor map, and, being unable to see the sun, took the wrong direction.

Mrs. Lynn does not see any reason why women should not take up flying as a profession, and feels that there should be room in the commercial world for women pilots who "love the game."

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE TO OPEN FEBRUARY 10

Little of Contentious Nature on Agenda so Far

TORONTO, Dec. 30. — No legislation of a contentious nature is as yet upon the horizon for the approaching session of the Ontario legislature, which will convene on February 10. Announcement of the opening date was made by Premier Howard Ferguson, following a lengthy cabinet meeting at which routine matters



TIMBER SALE X 7370.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria not later than noon on the 21st day of January, 1926, for the purchase of Licence X7370, to cut 650,000 lineal feet of Cedar Poles and Piling on an area situated about three miles west of Port Clements, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Island District.

Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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

LAND ACT. Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land in Queen Charlotte District Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate at Shannon Bay.

TAKE NOTICE that Robert C. Gosse of Vancouver, B.C., occupation canneryman, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on an unnamed island lying S. 60 deg. W. 1/4 (14 chains, more or less) from southwest corner of Lot 1448, Q.C.D. Range 5; thence following the shoreline of said island to point of commencement, and containing 2 1/2 acres, more or less.

ROBERT C. GOSSE, Applicant. Per Wm. G. Mitchell, Agent. Dated October 5th, 1925.

LAND ACT. Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land in Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Coast Range 5, and situate on North Rachel Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Alfred Swanson, of Prince Rupert, occupation Mariner, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south point of North Rachel Island; thence around high water mark to the point of commencement, and containing 60 acres, more or less.

ALFRED SWANSON, Applicant. A. E. Wright, Agent. Dated October 24th, 1925. Prince Rupert, B.C.

were cleared up preparatory to most of the ministers leaving to spend Christmas at their homes. The date chosen indicates that a short session is expected by the government, since Premier Ferguson times the opening with a view to Easter adjournment.

ALBERTA WHEAT POOL IS GROWING

Total Membership Now Nearly 36,000 with 3,457,597 Acres Signed

EDMONTON, Dec. 30. — A total of 5,192 new members have signed contracts with the Alberta wheat pool between January 1 and December 15, 1925, according to a statement issued this week from the head office of the pool in Calgary. This increase in membership represents an additional area of 501,707 acres signed up to the pool during this time.

On December 31, 1924, the membership for the pool was reported to be 30,711, while at December 15, 1925, this had risen to 35,903. The total acreage signed up to the pool had increased in the same time from 2,952,890 acres to 3,457,597 acres. Officials of the pool are very gratified that the drive for additional membership, which has been in progress for the past few months, has been attended by such successful results.

PROTEST METHODS OF SECURING CONVICTIONS

Hotel Keepers at Head of Lakes Allege False Pretences

PORT ARTHUR, Dec. 30. — Hotel keepers at the head of the lakes, it is said, may appeal to the Hotel-keepers' Association of Ontario for protection against operatives in the employ of the Ontario Government Liquor License department, registering at standard licensed hotels under assumed names and inducing persons in the employ of hotels to secure liquor for them in order to secure convictions under an amended section of the O.T.A.

The action is being taken, it is stated, because of the arrest and conviction before a local magistrate of a bell-boy from the Prince Arthur hotel, owned and operated by the Canadian National railways, for obtaining liquor. The boy's evidence in the court was to the effect that the men urged him to procure a bottle of liquor. The boy secured a forty-ounce bottle from a taxi-driver, he said, and was given a fifty-cent tip by the men, who afterwards had him arrested. The lad was fined \$200 and costs and thirty days in prison. Friends have appealed the case.

A Fort William doctor was also sentenced to jail under what friends declare as evidence secured by false pretences.

LAND ACT. Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land in Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Coast Range 5, and situate on North Rachel Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Alfred Swanson, of Prince Rupert, occupation Mariner, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south point of North Rachel Island; thence around high water mark to the point of commencement, and containing 30 acres, more or less.

ALFRED SWANSON, Applicant. A. E. Wright, Agent. Dated October 24th, 1925.

LAND ACT. Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In the Prince Rupert Land Recording District and situate on Whitesand Island near Dundas Island, Blue Print R.M. 14.

TAKE NOTICE that Joseph Stinson, of Prince Rupert, B.C., Secretary, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post on the shore on the East side of Whitesand Island; thence 3,000 feet northwest; thence 3,000 feet east; thence 3,000 feet south; thence 3,000 feet west to the point of commencement.

JOSEPH STINSON ROGERS. Dated December 4th, 1925.

THESE RUSSIANS NEVER HAD BATH

IRKUTSK, Siberia, Dec. 29. — Government sanitary inspectors have discovered several hundred miles from here a large community of Russians who have never washed or bathed and who have never used water for any other purpose except to drink.

When the inspectors tried to induce the natives to bathe, there was almost a riot. The first man who was compelled to bathe was reported to have died of fright.

The members of the community, who live in great isolation and under the most primitive conditions, had never even washed their clothes or their cooking and eating utensils.

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS TO YOKOHAMA IS SLOW

TOKYO, Dec. 30. — The destruction of Yokohama by the 1923 earthquake drove many foreigners from that port. There were but a few hundred left after the catastrophe. The progress of construction work, however, caused many to return, and at the end of October it was estimated there were more than 3,500 foreigners living in Yokohama. This is less than one-half of the number who resided there at the time of the earthquake.

HOTEL ARRIVALS Prince Rupert

J. W. Strombeck, Alice Arm; W. Smith, Anyox; Mrs. S. R. Donaldson, Port Essington; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Aiken, Oscar Olander and Mrs. D. W. Cassel and daughter, Terrace.

Central Paul Paulsen and Jensen, Anyox; E. G. Newham, Nass River.

SMITHERS

D. A. Smith, of Quesnel was a business visitor in town on Tuesday.

C. L. Dimock, assistant district engineer of the provincial department of public works, left for Hazelton Tuesday evening on a business trip.

A. W. Howlett of Prince Rupert arrived in town Tuesday and entered into his duties as assisting accountant at the local branch of the Royal Bank.

C. H. Sawle, editor of the Omineca Herald, New Hazelton, was a business visitor in town on Tuesday.

Another jolly dance and house party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. MacMillan on Monday night.

Miss Durham of Terrace is spending a few days in town the guest of Mrs. J. Fea.

After being out of commission for several days, the Kelly trucks started again on Monday hauling ore down from the Duthie mines. The colder weather of the last few days has greatly improved the road up to the mine and the trucks are being worked to full capacity to get the ore bins cleared and haul up supplies.

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Work is progressing steadily and will continue all winter at the property of the Ore Mountain Mining Co. in the Bitter Creek section. Results are said to be very gratifying.

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from the Dunwell mine to the Stewart dock, will commence moving the ore. There are now well over 100 tons sacked at the mine awaiting shipment.

Stewartites visiting in the south include Harry Tanner, A. McDonald, and Allan Carolan.

SPORT CHAT

Mild weather which has been prevailing so far throughout the north has delayed the starting of the skating season and hockey schedules at various points where by this time of the year, the sport is usually well under way. At most of the places the rinks are still wet and outdoor lakes and ponds have had little more than a skim of ice upon them. The advent of Jack Frost is being awaited with a good deal of impatience at such places as Alice Arm, Smithers, Burns Lake, Vanderhoof and Prince George.

The finish of the first half of the basketball schedule at Anyox found a winner in only one league—namely the Ladies' where the Mine Girls won. In the Intermediate League, the Concentrator and High School are tied while, in the Senior League, the Elks, by winning two straight games at the very end, upset the dogs and made it all even with four wins for each team. With the situation such as it is, there will be a great deal of interest attached to basketball when schedules resume after the New Year in the smelter town.

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Wednesday, December 30		
High	1:51 a.m.	18.4 ft.
	13:29 p.m.	20.6 "
Low	7:37 a.m.	8.2 "
	20:17 p.m.	3.0 "
Thursday, December 31		
High	2:32 a.m.	18.6 ft.
	14:06 p.m.	20.5 "
Low	8:15 a.m.	8.2 "
	20:51 p.m.	3.1 "
Friday, January 1		
High	3:09 a.m.	18.7 ft.
	14:42 p.m.	20.1 "
Low	8:52 a.m.	8.2 "
	21:24 p.m.	3.3 "

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Wednesday (via train) 11:30 a.m.
Friday (via train) 11:30 a.m.
Saturday (via train) 11:30 a.m.
December 18, Jan. 1
To Anyox, Alice Arm, Stewart & Port Essington
Wednesdays
To Anyox, Port Simpson and Nass River
Points—
Thursdays
To Vancouver—
Dec. 14, 28
To Queen Charlotte Island Point—
December 19, 25

IN-COMING.

From the East—
Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays
From Vancouver—
Sundays
Wednesdays
Thursdays
Dec. 14, 28
From Anyox, Alice Arm, Stewart & Port Essington
Points—
Friday
From Anyox, Port Simpson and Nass River
Points—
Saturdays
From Alaska Points—
December 18, January 1
From Queen Charlotte Island Point—
December 19, 24

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver—
Tuesday—ss. Carden
Friday—ss. Prince Rupert
Saturday—ss. Catala
ss. Princess Beatrice
Jan. 1—ss. Princess Mary
From Vancouver—
Sunday—ss. Carden
Wednesday—ss. Prince Rupert
Thursday—ss. Catala
Friday—ss. Prince Rupert
Saturday—ss. Princess Mary
Dec. 28—ss. Princess Mary
For Port Simpson and Nass River—
Thursday—ss. Catala
From Port Simpson and Nass River—
Saturday—ss. Catala
For Alaska—
Dec. 28—ss. Princess Mary
From Alaska—
Jan. 1—ss. Princess Mary
For Stewart, Anyox and Alice Arm—
Sunday—ss. Carden
Wednesday—ss. Prince Rupert
Friday—ss. Prince Rupert
For Anyox—
Thursday—ss. Catala
From Anyox—
Saturday—ss. Catala
For Queen Charlotte Island—
Dec. 12—ss. Prince John
Dec. 26—ss. Prince John
From Queen Charlotte Island—
Dec. 10—ss. Prince John
Dec. 24—ss. Prince John

YEAR'S MINING MAKES RECORD

Total Value of Production Was \$61,491,600 as Against \$48,704,604 Last Year

VICTORIA, Dec. 30.—All previous records for annual mineral production in the Province of British Columbia were broken during 1925, according to the preliminary estimate of the year's production just issued by the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines and Provincial Secretary, and based upon figures compiled by John D. Galloway, Provincial Mineralogist.

It is estimated that the total monetary value of the mineral production of the Province for the calendar year 1925 will be approximately \$61,491,600.

This is a record output for the mining industry of the province and is a large increase over the previous year of 1924 when aggregate production was valued at \$48,704,604. The actual increase amounts to \$12,786,996, or 26.2 per cent. The increased output is mainly due to increased quantities of several of the products of the industry, and partly due to increased metal prices. The estimated production of the various metals and minerals for 1925 as compared with the previous

year of 1924 is as follows:

Production Table	
Quantity	Value
Gold, Placer, oz.	19,351 \$ 400,000
Gold, Lode, oz.	214,109 4,425,631
Total Gold, oz.	233,460 4,825,631
Silver, oz.	7,303,755 5,044,703
Lead, lb.	236,408,000 18,581,668
Copper, lb.	71,803,000 16,109,802
Zinc, lb.	97,782,000 7,720,638
Total metalliferous	\$46,281,902
Coal, tons	2,329,164 811,645,820
Coke, tons	80,554 563,878
Building materials	3,000,000
Total value	\$61,491,600
1924	
Gold, Placer, oz.	21,907 \$ 420,750
Gold, Lode, oz.	247,716 5,120,535
Total Gold	269,623 5,541,285
Silver, oz.	8,341,768 5,292,184
Lead, lb.	170,384,481 12,415,917
Copper, lb.	64,845,393 8,442,870
Zinc, lb.	79,130,970 4,266,741
Total metalliferous	\$35,958,997
Coal, tons	1,939,526 9,097,630
(2240 lbs.)	
Coke, tons, ditto	30,615 214,305
Building Materials, etc.	2,833,672
Total value of production	\$48,704,604

All Deductions Made

In the above table the estimated quantities of metals for 1925 are the amounts of refined metals recovered by treatment processes of the various ores, whether treated in British Columbia or outside the province. All deductions for treatment and slag losses have therefore been made.

The prices used in calculating the various metals are—for gold, the world's standard price of \$20.67 an oz.; for silver and copper—the estimated average price of these metals on the New York market, and for lead and zinc, the average price on the London market converted to cents a lb. by using the average rate of sterling exchange. In former years the New York metal market price has been used in valuing the lead production for the province; similarly for zinc the average St. Louis price has been used. As all lead and zinc ore and concentrates are bought and sold in British Columbia on the London prices of these metals, it is considered that these prices should be used in order to obtain a correct valuation.

Price of Lead

The average lead price in the New York market is nearly always considerably higher than the London price, owing to the United States tariff on lead and zinc ores. The London price is the recognized world market price, whereas the New York price is an artificial one applicable only to the United States. The estimated lead production of 236,408,000 pounds if valued at the average New York price for the year would have a valuation of \$21,418,564, or an increase of \$2,836,890 as compared with the valuation given in the above production table. The average London price for the year for zinc (December estimated) is slightly higher than the St. Louis price, the difference being approximately a quarter cent a pound. By using the London price for the provincial zinc production, instead of the St. Louis price, an increase of \$254,878 is obtained in the valuation.

The above production table, Mr. Sloan points out, shows that the largest increase in metal production was in lead, followed by zinc and then copper. The large increases in lead and zinc production are due to the increased output of the smelter and refinery of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, Ltd., at Trail; the bulk of the production coming from the company's Sullivan Mine at Kimberley, and of the remainder from the treatment of customs ores and concentrates.

Increase at Anyox

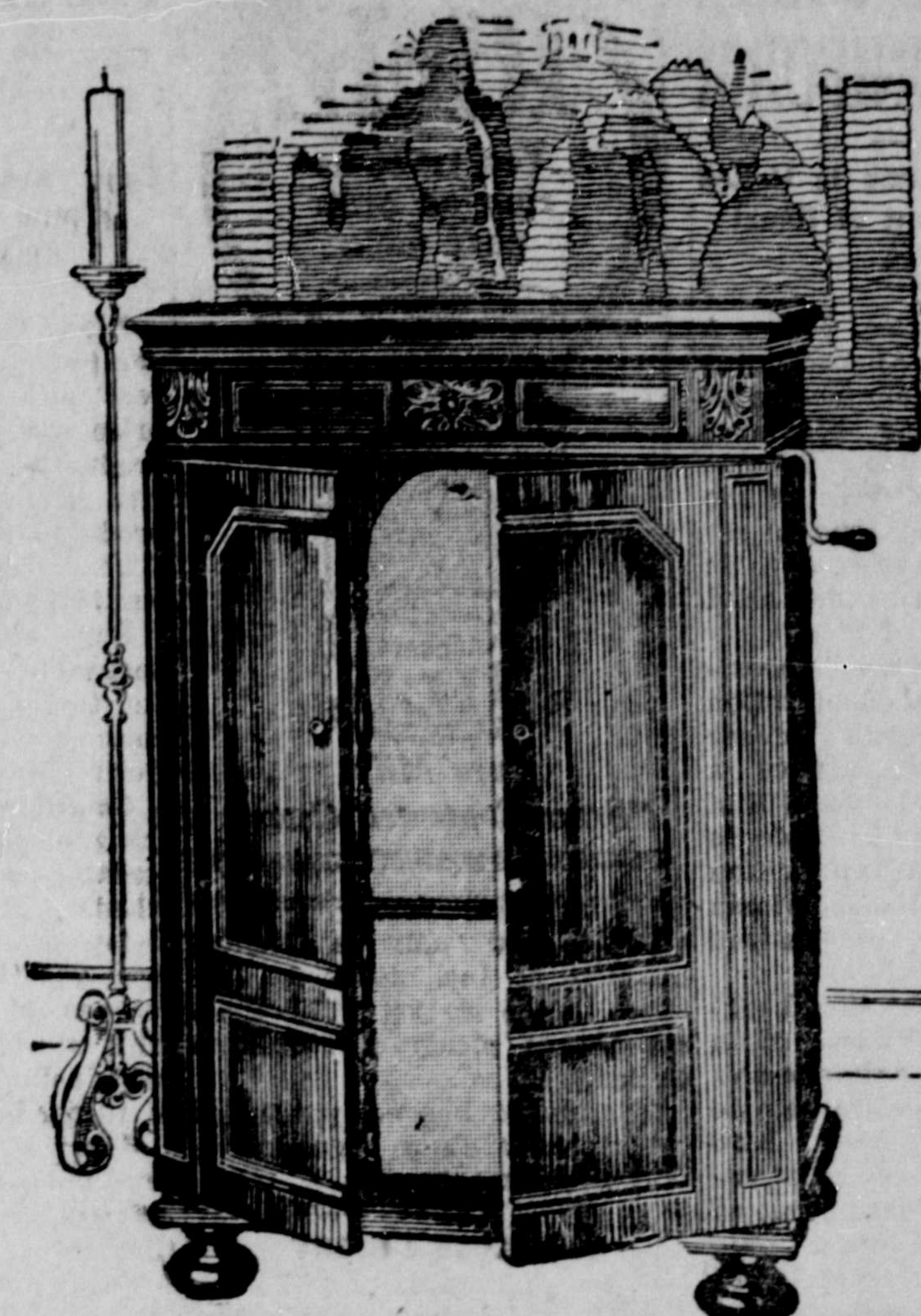
The increased production of copper due to increases from the Granby Company's mine, mill and smelter at Anyox, and the Britannia Company's mine at Britannia Beach, and to the commencement of operations in August of the Allenby Copper Company's mine and mill near Princeton. Offsetting these increases, there was a large decrease in copper output from the Rossland mines of the Consolidated Company, which were not producing appreciably during the year. The estimated production in 1925 shows an increase of 6,957,607 lbs. as compared with 1924. The average price of copper on the New York market for the year 1925 (December estimated) is 14.98 cents a lb. which is nearly a cent a lb. higher than the average of 13.024 cents a lb. for 1924. During the year 1925 the price fluctuated considerably, going up to 14.3 cents a lb. and then declining. The outlook is for a price level of about 14½ cents for the year 1926.

Mr. Sloan points out that although the production of placer gold in 1925 was slightly less than 1924, the year was a very active one in placer development and testing of low grade deposits of gravel. An interesting feature of the year's placer mining was the successful operation of the Kafue Development Company's dredge near Barkerville, which made an output of gold valued at \$100,000.

Lode gold shows a decrease of \$694,004 as compared with 1924. This is accounted for by a greatly decreased production from the Rossland mines, which were non productive during most of the year.

Minister Satisfied

Mr. Sloan expressed his satisfaction at the substantial increase in coal production in 1925, as compared with 1924, the increase amounting to approximately 389,638 long tons. The large increase in output was from the Crows Nest Pass district, where over three times as much coal was produced as in the preceding year. The mines in this district were closed during a large part of 1924 owing to labor troubles, but have been reopened, and less than normal. Amicable arrangements have now been made with labor, lost markets have been regained, and the industry is now in a healthy condition in the Crows Nest district. A decrease in production of coal occurred in 1925 in the Nicola-Princeton district, and a very slight decrease in the Vancouver Island District. Competition from foreign crude oil is still keenly felt by the



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WATER NOTICE

Diversion and Use.
TAKE NOTICE that Gosse-Miller, Limited, whose address is 223 Howe Street, Vancouver, B.C., will apply for licence to take and use 100,000 gallons per day of water out of unknown, also known as Unknown, which flows northerly and drains into Shannon Bay, O.C.I., B.C., about 16 chains, more or less, westerly from northeast corner L. 1548 (T.L. 8255P). The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about eight chains south from Shannon Bay and 14 chains westerly from northeast L. 1548, and will be used for cannery purposes upon the land described as L. 459 being part of L. 1548 (T.L. 8255P).

This notice was posted on the ground on the 10th day of November, 1925. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act" will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert, B.C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is November 30, 1925.

GOSSE-MILLER LIMITED, Applicant.
Per Wm. G. Mitchell, Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Notice to Contractors.

Biological Building, Prince Rupert.
SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Biological Building, Prince Rupert," will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday the fifth day of January, 1926, for the erection of a Biological Station at Prince Rupert in the Prince Rupert Electoral District.
Plans, specification, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 17th day of December, 1925, and further information obtained at the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, and at the following offices of the Government Agents at Vancouver and Prince Rupert.
Copies of plans, specifications, etc., can be obtained from the Department on payment of a deposit of ten dollars, which will be refunded on return of the plans, etc., in good condition.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

P. PHILIP, Deputy Minister and Public Works Engineer, Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated at Shannon Bay, Queen Charlotte Islands, B.C.
TAKE NOTICE that Gosse-Miller, Limited, of Vancouver, B.C., intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 15 chains, more or less, west from north-east corner of Lot 1548 (T.L. 8255P); thence north 223 feet; thence south 65deg. west 890 feet, more or less; thence south 400 feet to the high water mark, in a north-easterly direction 800 feet, more or less, to the point of commencement, and containing six (6) acres, more or less.

GOSSE-MILLER, LIMITED, Applicant.
Per Wm. G. Mitchell, Agent.
Dated November 27th 1925.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.

In Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated on the south shore of Captain Cove, Pitt Island, Province of British Columbia.
TAKE NOTICE that William Joseph Jefferson, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation cannery man, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the south shore near the head of Captain Cove, Pitt Island, Range 4, Coast District, Province of British Columbia; thence south twenty chains; thence west twenty chains; thence north twenty chains, more or less, to high water mark; thence east along high water mark to point of commencement, and containing forty acres, more or less.

WILLIAM JOSEPH JEFFERSON, Applicant.
Per W. J. Thomas, Agent.
Dated December 14th 1925.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In the Queen Charlotte Islands District, Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated on the Foreshore of Vestalton Bay, Massett Inlet.
TAKE NOTICE that Eugene H. Simpson, of Massett, occupation cannery manager, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the high water mark about 90 chains west from the northeast corner of Lot 1550; thence north 300 feet to low water mark; thence northwesterly 500 feet, more or less; thence west 150 feet to the north-west corner of E. H. Simpson's application to lease; thence southeasterly following the high water mark to the point of commencement, and containing two acres, more or less.

EUGENE H. SIMPSON, Applicant.
Per Fred. Nash, Agent.
Dated November 9th 1925.

LAND ACT

Form of Notice.

Range 5, Coast Land District, District of Prince Rupert.
TAKE NOTICE that Wallace Fisheries Ltd., of Vancouver, B.C., occupation cannery, intend to apply for a lease of the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 16 chains southerly from the northwest corner of Lot 20, Range 5, Coast District; thence west 6 chains, thence south 10 chains, thence east 3 chains, more or less, to high water mark of Skeena River; thence following the high water mark of Skeena River to point of commencement. WALLACE FISHERIES LTD., Applicant.
Per Roy L. Howe, Agent.
Dated 15th November, 1925.

Vancouver Island mines. A slightly increased output of building materials is estimated for 1925, as compared with the preceding year, owing to greater activity in building and construction work.

Steady Increase
"It is interesting to note," said Mr. Sloan "that the mineral industry of British Columbia has steadily increased with but few yearly setbacks. Thirty years ago, in 1895, the province only produced minerals to the value of \$5,643,042, and even ten years ago in 1915, the production was less than half that of the present year, being only \$29,447,508.

"The year 1925 has, however, been an important one, not only for a record production, but also for the large amount of development, exploration and prospecting that has been carried out. Production in any one year is largely the result of previous development, so that to have a healthy industry, development and prospecting must keep pace with production. It may be conservatively said that in the year 1925 a greater amount of real development has been done than in any previous year in the history of the province and much of this development has been satisfactory in adding substantial new ore reserves to the industry. A large number of prospects have been bought or optioned and more or less development work done on them. Prospecting has been fairly active and some new discoveries have been reported. The movement which has taken place in acquiring and developing prospects which have lain dormant for years, will be a great incentive to still further prospecting next year," said Mr. Sloan.

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- Crisco, 1 lb. tins, 30c
- Crisco, 3 lb. tins, 90c
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CHANGE OF COLOR ARMY UNIFORM

This is Contemplated in United States on Account of Khaki Shortage

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. — A careful survey of American resources for the manufacture of khaki breeches has convinced army officials that if it became necessary to put a force of two million men into the field in less than eight months, most of them would have to fight in their shirt tails.

Faced by this appalling possibility, the industrial mobilization wing of the national defense planning machinery started a study of its own. It found that it would be entirely possible to completely uniform two million men from head to foot in fifteen days, provided blue cloth instead of khaki was used.

The trouble with the khaki outfit is that not enough cloth of that color is in ordinary civilian use. There are ample stocks of blue and gray, both wool and cotton fabric. The result has been the working out of a tentative blue training uniform which would be supplied in ample volume for a mobilization, to be discarded as units completed their preliminary preparation and moved out for final training near the zone of operations.

By that time complete khaki outfits with tan leather trappings would be ready for them, giving them the necessary degree of low visibility in the field. The contemplated blue training uniforms would consist of a four button blouse, dressed with red shoulder knots to give a military touch, blue cloth overseas caps; blue breeches, tan canvas leggings of the facing variety and black shoes. Tan shoes would be preferable, but the sur-



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vey disclosed only a limited quantity of tan Munsion last shoes in the market while there are always plenty of blacks to be had.

WIRELESS REPORT

8 a.m.
DIGBY ISLAND. — Cloudy; fresh southeast wind; barometer 30.02; temperature 45; sea moderate.

DEAD TREE POINT. — Overcast; fresh east wind; barometer 30.02; temperature 40; sea smooth.

BULL HARBOR. — Overcast; fresh southeast wind; barometer 30.02; temperature 41; sea moderate; 8:55 p.m. spoke steamer Prince Rupert ahead Fog Rocks northbound; 7:15 a.m. spoke steamer Cardena off Ivory Island southbound.

Noon
DEAD TREE POINT. — Overcast; light east wind; barometer 30.02; temperature 47; sea smooth.

BULL HARBOR. — Overcast; fresh south east wind; barometer 30.11; temperature 49; sea moderate.

FLOUR PRICE IS ON RISE

Eggs Are Down on Account of Mild Weather—Tangerines Almost Over

Flour has advanced 50 cents per barrel recently and the present outlook portends that the price will continue to creep up gradually. Consequent upon the rise in flour, wheat and wheat products have also advanced. Wheat has advanced 20 cents per 100 pounds or \$4 per ton.

Eggs are down 10 cents per dozen due to the mild weather and the excess number of pullets coming in. Butter, lard and cheese prices remain firm.

Cauliflower will soon be a thing of the past also bothhouse tomatoes are pretty nearly finished.

Jap oranges are practically over and the last shipment of the season is on the way. This fruit will be higher in price probably selling at around \$1.00 and \$1.10 per box.

Sugar is steady and from present indications the sugar market will remain firm for some time.

From present indications the tea and coffee market is going to advance rapidly, due, it is thought, to an over-estimate of the crop.

The following list shows market prices prevailing today:

Butter	
Brookfield, Shamrock and Woodland, lb.	55c
E. C. D.	55c
Vanderhoof	55c
Lard	
Pure	28c
Compound	25c
Cheese	
Ontario solids	35c
Stilton, lb.	35c and 45c
Kraft	45c
Norwegian Goat	60c
Napoleon Limberger	70c
Roquefort	75c
Edam, lb.	40c
Swifts' Buttercup, lb.	45c
Gorgonzola, lb.	75c
McLaren's Cream, jars 45c & 85c	
Gruyere	50c
Golden Loaf, lb.	45c
Eggs	
Alberta fresh seconds	45c
B.C. fresh firsts	55c
B.C. fresh extras	60c
B.C. fresh pullets	50c
Local new laid	80c
Vegetable	
Brussels Sprouts, 2 lbs.	35c
Sweet Potatoes, lb.	12 1/2c
Parsley, bunch	5c
Mint, bunch	5c
Celery, California	25c & 30c
Potatoes, sack	\$3.85
Beets, 6 lb.	25c
Carrots, 8 lbs.	25c
Carrots, 100 lbs.	\$2.25
Terrace Rutabagas, 8 lbs.	25c
Terrace Rutabagas, 100 lbs.	\$2.25
Cauliflower, B.C., head 35c to 50c	
Cabbage, local B.C., lb.	5c
California head lettuce 20c & 25c	
Garlic, imported, per lb.	50c
Tomatoes, lb.	50c
Spanish onions, lb.	10c
B.C. cooking onions, 6 lbs.	25c
100 lbs.	\$2.75
Fruit	
Cranberries, lb.	35c
Oranges, Sunkist, 4oz. 25c to 75c	
Jap Oranges, box	90c
Lemons, Sunkist, doz. 40c & 45c	
California grape fruit	12 1/2c
Arizona grapefruit	15c
Florida Grapefruit	17 1/2c
Bananas, lb. 2 lbs. for	35c
Candied honey	25c
Extracted Honey, lb. 25c & 35c	
Pears, dozen	60c and 75c
Grapes, Emperors, lb.	30c
Apples, Stayman Winesaps, 83.50	
Apples, Yellow Newtons ..	83.50
Apples, Grimes Golden ..	83.00
Cooking apples	\$2.25
Dried Fruits	
Dates, bulk, 3 lbs.	35c
Dates, Dromedary	25c
Raisins, bulk, lb.	15c
Raisins, package, lb.	20c
Cluster Raisins, lb.	25c
Lemon and Orange Peel	30c
Citron Peel	50c
Black Cooking Figs 25c and 30c	
White Figs, 2 lb. for	35c
Smyrna cooking figs, lb.	15c
Currants	22 1/2c
Prunes	15c-25c
Apples	25c
Peaches, peeled	25c
Apricots, lb.	30c
Nuts	
Almonds, shelled Valencia 75c	
Brazils and filberts	35c
Walnuts, broken shelled	50c
Walnuts, shelled halves	65c
Almonds	35c
Peanuts	20c
Manchurian Walnuts	25c
California Walnuts	45c
No. 1 Mixed Nuts	35c
Sugar	
White, per 100	\$7.00

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LAND ACT.
Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.
In the Prince Rupert Land Recording District and situate on an unnamed islet in the Eastern entrance to Hudson Bay Passage near Dundas Island, Blue Print R.M. 14.
TAKE NOTICE that George Gordon Bushby of Prince Rupert, B.C., Manufacturer, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:
— Commencing at a post situated on a partly submerged reef of rocks radiating from same in practically a circle, having a radius of about 1,500 feet and containing 200 acres, more or less.
— GEORGE GORDON BUSHBY.
Dated hereon the 31st 1925.

LAND ACT.
Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.
In the Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on the south shore of Shannon Bay, Massett Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands.
TAKE NOTICE that I, Harry Robinson Frost of Massett, B.C., Occupation Fish Curer, intend to apply for a lease of the following described lands:
— Commencing at a post situated at the southwest corner of Lot 1548 (T.L. 8255P.); thence east to chains; thence north by chains, more or less, to high water mark; thence southwest 12 chains, more or less, following the high water mark to point of commencement, and containing 8 acres, more or less.
— H. R. FROST.
Massett, B.C.
Dated October 31, 1925.