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LONG HARD FIGHT EXPECTED IN BIG STRIKE

GANGS ATTACK TRAMS IN LONDON, GLASGOW AND PROVINCIAL CENTRES

Great Britain Settling Down to Long Hard War Following the General Strike Declaration

Government leaders declare there will be no compromise as long as strike order remains in force

SERIOUS CLASHES IN POPLAR DISTRICT

Police club rioters and tram cars are stoned but transportation facilities are improved since yesterday

LONDON, May 5.—Premier Baldwin in the House of Commons, and Lord Birkenhead in the House of Lords, declared that the government under no circumstances would ever yield to the general strike. The moment the strike was called off unconditionally the government was prepared to resume negotiations.

An official statement issued tonight said food and fuel supplies were on hand sufficient for many weeks.

LONDON, May 5.—Both sides held firm today in the general strike, the contending forces, and the general public evidently settling down for what it seems may be a long hard

Several developments marked the progress of the tie-up, the use of troops in maintaining transportation and other vital services being a possibility developing from the speech in Parliament of the Home Secretary.

That the government is prepared for any emergency along this side is indicated by the news that naval forces are concentrated on the river. In the main, however, the country is quiet, the situation little changed, except for increased transportation facilities afforded by active volunteer workers.

WYER GOES UP FOR TRIAL

R. Green of Victoria Committed by Magistrate on Charge of Perjury

VICTORIA, May 5.—Charged with perjury, John R. Green, barrister, was committed for trial by Magistrate Jay in the court following a preliminary hearing.

Green is charged against Green during the hearing of the case of MacEwan vs. John R. Green in the county court in September, 1925, he testified that he was never a director nor a shareholder in the Cobble Hill Logging Company, the contrary of which was asserted.

THIRD TRIAL MURDER CASE

WILSON, May 5.—Witnesses viewed each other in rapid succession at the third trial of Paulley, charged with the murder of Alfred Neilson, a Trail nurse. The result that the Crown abandoned its case on the opening of the assizes and the defence won this morning.

FOUND IN CABIN WITHOUT ANY FOOD

DAWSON, May 5.—William Hill, who was reported lost a month while travelling on the Dawson to Mayo, was found in a deserted cabin miles from Mayo helpless from lack of food.

Hon. Sir William Joynson-Hicks, secretary of state for home affairs, made a statement which his hearers interpreted as meaning that the government was prepared to use troops if necessary to maintain services of vital importance such as railways and electrical and mechanical plants at the port of London.

Hoodlums in Poplar
Serious clashes occurred last night between police and hoodlums in the Poplar district, the notoriously tough East London dock section and several participants were removed to the hospital. Gangs held up motors and torries taking the workers home, compelling the passengers to alight and then wrecking the machinery of the cars, setting fire to some and blocking the efforts of the firemen in quenching the flames.

One taxicab was thrown over the bridge into the river.

Women Joined Fight
Police clubbed the rioters severely in Shepherd's Bush this afternoon, and crowds gathered and stoned the trams, overturning one. A free fight followed in which women joined. Many were injured by broken glass and by the police who used their clubs freely.

Attacks by gangs on trams and buses run by volunteers were also reported from Glasgow, Leeds and Liverpool and other provincial centres.

Not a Challenge
LONDON, May 5.—Speaking in Parliament today as a member of the committee of the Trades Union Congress, J. Bronley denied that the strike is a challenge to constitutionalism or an endeavor to overthrow the government.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid.	Asked
Wheat	1.51 1/2	
C. P. R.	154.50	
B.C. Silver	1.82	1.90
Dunwell	1.87	1.88
Glacstone	.33	.36
Howe Sound	36.00	
Indian	.09	.10
L. & L.	.10	.13
Marmot	.07 1/2	.09
Porter Idaho	.09	.10
Silver Crest	.10	.12
Surf Inlet	.08	.08 1/2
Terminus	.50	

Badly Injured from Fall Trapper Spends Four Months Alone With Dog in Cabin North of Quesnel

WILLIAMS LAKE, B.C., May 5.—A search party brought Bert Mansfield, a trapper, here en route to Vancouver to secure medical attention after he had spent four months in a lonely cabin 60 miles north of Quesnel, nursing wounds sustained when he fell over a precipice, one hundred feet high while endeavoring to secure a mountain goat which he had killed.

It was on December 28 that Mansfield met with the accident and to the fact that the fall was broken when the foot became entangled in a root near the bottom of the cliff he owes his life. In freeing himself, however, he had to use his axe to slash at the root and his ankle was badly gashed as a result besides a dislocated shoulder which he suffered as a result of the fall.

After freeing himself, Mansfield made his way to a relief cabin four miles distant where he rested for a few days and then by slow stages travelled over twelve miles to the main cabin where plenty of food, fuel and a small quantity of medicine enabled him to survive.

The search party found him in a weakened condition. His only companion was his dog.



TRIBUTE TO THE GREAT—Luther Burbank, famous horticulturist, being laid to rest under an old cedar in the corner of the Burbank garden, just across the highway from his former home at Santa Rosa, Calif. The tree was a favorite with the "Plant Wizard," and in its shade he spent many hours of study. Photo shows the casket being carried to the grave with the widow on the extreme left.

DISCUSS RUPERT ELEVATOR MAY 8 CALGARY MEETING

WINNIPEG, May 5.—The operation of the Prince Rupert elevator will be discussed at a meeting of the Alberta Wheat Pool in Calgary on Saturday. Following this meeting there will be a meeting of the central board here which will be attended by the same officials.

DUMP DUTY ON BUTTER

Six Cents a Pound to be Charged on Australian Butter Sold Below Cost

VANCOUVER, May 5.—Local butter importers have been notified by the department of trade and commerce at Ottawa that they must pay six cents a pound dumping duty on approximately 1,400,000 pounds of butter brought from Australia since January 1, on the ground that the butter was exported from the antipodes at a price less than the cost of production.

As most of the butter has been sold, it means that the importers must be responsible for \$84,000 duty instead of \$14,000 which is the regular amount chargeable on the product at one cent a pound.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fisher and daughter, Miss Louie Fisher, returned to the city from Vancouver on the Prince George today.

FRENCH TO COMBAT FALL OF FRANCIS PLAN OF PREMIER

PARIS, May 5.—Premier Briand has called an extraordinary cabinet council for tomorrow to discuss measures to combat the fall of the franc, which has reached 34.73 to the dollar.

States Will Attend a Conference in London Regard Rum Running

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Great Britain wants to do its part toward preventing the smuggling of liquor into the United States. The London government has so advised Secretary of State Kellogg, it suggesting a conference to work out informal agreements for co-operative measures for lightening the rum blockade. An invitation to the conference which is to be held shortly in London, has been accepted.

Correspondence between London and Washington was made the subject last night of a disclosure which showed that the idea for tighter restrictions with Great Britain's aid originated with the British authorities and that the conference invitation was extended "as proof of the desire of His Majesty's government to give their assistance to American prohibition agencies as it is possible to give in the circumstances."

Rum running between Bahama Islands and the American shores is particularly mentioned in the correspondence. The conference will be held in London toward the end of this month.

STRIKING PRINTERS RETURN AT RUGBY

RUGBY, May 5.—Newspaper compositors here returned to work this morning declaring that their strike was unconstitutional.

Prisoner in Okalla Jail is Charged with Murdering Henry Higginbottom of Prince George

VANCOUVER, May 5.—Burnaby police yesterday laid a murder charge against Charles A. Moore, 57 years of age, a prisoner at Okalla jail following the death of Henry Higginbottom, 69 years of age, a fellow prisoner who was sentenced at Prince George in January of this year.

Higginbottom died yesterday afternoon in the Vancouver General Hospital from injuries received, allegedly when attacked with a stick by Moore during an altercation in the prison grounds. The victim of the attack was felled with the stick and immediately taken to the hospital where he died.

Higginbottom was serving a year's imprisonment following conviction at Prince George on a statutory offense. He was unconscious when picked up and following the application of first

H.M.S. HOOD ANCHORS IN LOWER CLYDE

GLASGOW, May 5.—H.M.S. Hood, one of the biggest cruisers of the navy, arrived today in the lower Clyde and dropped anchor beside the Warspite.

Disorders which started last night in Glasgow broke out afresh today.

Miss Aileen Palmore returned on the Prince George today from Vancouver where she was visiting with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Moore.

CANADA READY HELP STRIKERS

Trades and Labor Congress Prepares to Act Promptly in Case of Need

OTTAWA, May 5.—Acting in co-operation with the international federation of trades unions, plans are being made so that should the British strike last such a period as to necessitate an appeal of the British unions for financial assistance, such an appeal may be immediate. The matter was brought to the attention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

The close ties, says the statement issued by the head of the trades union movement, between the labor movement here and British workers are seen in the assurance that such an appeal, if found necessary, will be met in a generous spirit.

BROOKLYN STILL LEADS LEAGUE

Jack Petty Won Eighth Straight Game Against Boston Yesterday Afternoon

NEW YORK, May 5.—Jack Petty, the Brooklyn pitching ace, won the eighth straight game against Boston yesterday and kept the team in the league leadership while the Giants were idle.

Philadelphia defeated the New York Yankees in the second straight game hitting four Yankee pitchers hard. Scores for the day follow:

National League
Boston 2, Brooklyn 3.
Philadelphia-New York postponed.
Cincinnati 2, St. Louis 3.
American League
Washington 8, Boston 7.
New York 5, Philadelphia 10.
Detroit 2, Chicago 4.
St. Louis 5, Cleveland 11.

DIED FROM DRINKING BOOTLEG LIQUOR AT QUEBEC LAST EVENING

QUEBEC, May 5.—L. Bernier, E. G. Gagnon, F. Poitiquin and A. Poitiquin residing at Levis are dead as a result of embibing bootleg liquor last evening. Three other men who did the same thing are seriously ill.

SPANISH AVIATOR PICKED UP AT SEA

MANILLA, May 5.—A despatch from Macao says that Captain Loriga Taboada, the Spanish aviator, who had been missing since Saturday, was picked up alive by the gunboat Patria near Kwang Chow Wan, 250 miles southwest of Hong Kong.

ICE OUT AT DAWSON

The Government Telegraphs report that the Yukon River is now clear from Lower Lake Lebarge to Dawson. No damage was done by the ice going out, so far as is known.

Rev. T. D. Proctor of Hazelton, who has been on a brief trip to Vancouver on church business, arrived from the south on the Prince George today and proceeded to the interior by train.

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**Regret Passing
 Of Western Hockey.**

Everyone interested in sport will regret the passing of hockey as a western pastime. It is all moved east and the Pacific coast seems to be left in the lurch.

Next winter western people will take more interest in eastern hockey because they will find among the players the stalwarts of former days at Victoria, Vancouver or Portland. Whether other teams will be formed in the west to take the place of those who have gone is doubtful. There has of late been a slackness about attending the hockey matches. The sport seemed to deteriorate and the fans were not always of the best order. Perhaps in a year or two, the game may come back with renewed vigor.

**Sowing Wheat This
 Year In Interior.**

Some of the farmers of the interior are sowing wheat this year since they expect to have a ready market for the product at Prince Rupert. One Prince George farmer has 25 acres in crop, not a large area but a good start. If others do the same there will be a large acreage in crop and every year this will increase. If grain growing proves profitable more land will be cleared, more settlers will come and everyone will benefit.

Some time ago it was mentioned that hay was the alternative crop but it must be remembered that a farmer cannot grow hay regularly without impairing the efficiency of his farm. The soil will in time grow less productive and crops gradually less. By growing grain there is always the straw for the use of the young cattle and for other purposes around the farm.

**Both Canneries To Be
 Operated This Year.**

Both the Prince Rupert Cannery at Tuck's Inlet and the Somerville cannery in the city near Seal Cove are to be operated this year by the Somerville Cannery people. This will be an advantage to the city and will add something to the payroll. Every industry, great or small, that operate here is worth a lot to us. The more population we have the better we can pay our taxes, improve our streets and the modern facilities will be introduced.

**After Head Of
 Conservative Leader.**

The Montreal Star tell Mr. Meighen that he cannot possibly get any more Parliamentary supporters from the other provinces and hasn't a ghost of a chance of getting any more from Quebec, says the Edmonton Bulletin.

True, so far as present appearances go. But why should the "whisper of death" organ start cheering up the country by broadcasting the good news at this juncture in column-long invitations to Mr. Meighen to vacate the party leadership?

No doubt Mr. Meighen has his drawbacks, and perhaps there are men who could lead the party better. But the chief of his drawbacks is the gang of political assassins headed by Lord Atholstan and represented by the Star; and the present leader cannot possibly be as unpopular as anybody they would be likely to choose as his successor.

In The Letter Box

LAW ENFORCEMENT.

Editor Daily News.

It seems from the trend of events in this town that a word in season of caution may fittingly be said.

What I have got to say is—

this: The power of the law should never be applied in a cruel or vindictive spirit; such is not the purpose of law and law administered in that spirit is criminal and the administrator is himself a criminal, doubly dangerous because of his opportunities.

Yours faithfully,
 MALCOLM MATHESON.

**TWO WEDDINGS
 LAST EVENING**

**English Girls United in Marriage
 at St. Andrew's Cathedral to
 Anyox Men**

St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral was the scene of two interesting and pretty marriage ceremonies last night, Rev. Walter Allen officiating, when two English girls, who arrived in the city from the Old Country the day previous, were united in marriage to young Anyox bridegrooms. The church was daintily decorated for the occasion with spring flowers and foliage.

Miss Sophia Mather Plumb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Plumb, South Shields, England, was wedded to George Hunter. The bride wore a pretty two-piece silver gray costume with hat and footwear to match and carried a shower bouquet of white carnations and roses. She was attended by her friend, Mrs. M. Peel, who wore a heliotrope two piece dress with hat to match. The bride was given in marriage by A. R. Hunter and the groom was attended by J. Hunter. The gift of the bridegroom to the bride was a pearl pendant and to the matron of honor a pearl brooch.

The second marriage was that of Miss Isabel Carmichael, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Carmichael, to Robert Ellison. The bride wore a pretty dress of pale blue crepe-de-chine with hat and footwear to match and carried a bouquet of carnations and roses. She was attended by her mother whose costume was of navy blue with hat to match. The bride was given away by her father and the groom was supported by the bride's brother, A. Carmichael.

After the weddings, a wedding supper and reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hunter, 675 Hays Cove Circle, with fourteen guests present. The evening was delightfully spent with music, cards and dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Ellison will sail tonight for Anyox where the grooms are employed by the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Co. Other members of the bridal parties will also go north.

**KETCHIKAN FIRE
 MONDAY MORNING**

**Damage Amounted to \$4,000 and
 Occupants of Brice Apartments
 had to Mury to
 Escape**

KETCHIKAN, May 5. — Occupants of the Brice Apartments on Grant Street escaped from that building shortly after 1.15 o'clock Monday morning when fire of undetermined origin swept the upper story and did damage estimated at \$4,000. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

Mrs. William Parke was forced to climb through a second story window and make her way to the ground by adjoining roofs when her escape through the regular entry was cut off by the flames. Other residents in the building, all of whom were forced to flee in scanty garb included: Miss Nellie Nelson, Mrs. W. I. Levy, Miss Anna Johnson, Miss Clara Holton, and Miss Anna Hanson. No one was injured.

The fire was not discovered until it had gained considerable headway and the south end of the building was a mass of flames.

The quick response of the firemen to the call and their efficient service after reaching the conflagration saved the lower portion of the building and surrounding property.

The upper floor was virtually destroyed and the furnishings both up and downstairs were damaged considerably by fire and water.

**J. C. McLENNAN
 IS 1926 ASSESSOR**

**Recommendation of Finance
 Committee Adopted by City
 Council Last Night**

J. C. McLennan has been re-appointed city assessor for 1926 at the usual salary of \$600 per year. The finance committee's recommendation that Mr. McLennan again be assessor, was concurred in by the city council last night.

**THE MAN IN THE MOON
 says:**

IN these unhappy days you never can tell whether a man is married or has the flu.

WHEN you hear of a still being operated on one of the islands near Prince Rupert you know they are just trying to put on side.

NOW that we are to have the streets resurfaced doubtless there will be more taxi cars go into service. At present there's only one for each dozen of the inhabitants, which anyone will realize is quite inadequate.

HE went home and hung his overcoat on his wife and kissed the coat tree in the hall and then later declared he was not drunk.

OLD Adam was a lucky guy. He never had to worry. There were no strikes in Adam's day.

To set folks in a flurry.

IT is reported that the pool rooms are unusually well patronized these days because Dad has to go somewhere while the spring cleaning is on.

THE house is almost upside down.

There's not a place to sit, because my wife has got the bug—

A real housecleaning fit.

She makes me do without my meals.

And shoos me from the door. And if I venture to protest. She answers with a roar.

LIFE is just one April shower after another.

THE people who built the road in the direction of Galloway Rapids left only one parking place by the roadside. That won't help much, will it?

"Tailor ain't you?" inquired Jake.

"Sews your old man," was the reply.

**Ten Years Ago
 in Prince Rupert**

May 5, 1916.
 J. G. Steen has found it necessary, on account of expanding business, to move his tin shop into the building on Fraser St. formerly occupied by Arthur Little's poolroom.

The Booth Fisheries Co., having decided to enter the halibut industry here, is calling for tenders for the construction of a warehouse on the west end of the Grand Trunk Pacific dock. William Maddock will be buyer for the company at this port.

Two representatives of the Naas River Indians, Charles Barton and Andrew Meicer, have gone to Ottawa to protest to the federal government against alleged violations of their rights by the provincial government.

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The city light department showed a net surplus of \$1,827.74 during the month of April and the telephone department a surplus of \$593.50 according to the following reports presented by the superintendent of utilities to the city council last night:

Electric Light

Estimated revenue	\$8,543.53
Expenditure	6,715.79
Net surplus	1,827.74

Telephone

Estimated revenue	\$3,623.00
Expenditure	3,029.50
Net surplus	593.50

**CLERGYMAN FOUGHT
 WITH THE CANADIANS**

**Rev. H. R. Sanborn Takes Charge
 of Episcopal Church at Ket-
 chikan**

KETCHIKAN, May 5.—A clergyman, who formerly was an officer in the Canadian forces overseas and who later fought with the Americans until the end of the war, has taken charge of the Episcopal congregation here. He is Rev. H. R. Sanborn, a graduate of the University of Washington as Bachelor of Science, while in the British army he was for some time chief of staff of the tenth infantry brigade in the eighth division under General Bradley. He is a graduate of the Virginia theological seminary and has since been chaplain to the destroyer squadron of the U.S. navy at San Diego with the rank of Lieutenant. He was special preacher at the Episcopal convention in Kansas City and lecturer in Stanford memorial chapel at Stanford University.

W. T. Esselmont, who has severed his connection with the Bank of Montreal at Stewart, is a visitor in the city and will return to Stewart to enter other activities. Mr. Esselmont is being relieved temporarily at Stewart by G. G. Service of the local branch.

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Ensign Mary Dorin of the Salvation Army arrived in the city from Ketchikan on the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon.

Last night's weekly meeting of the city council was a record short session lasting barely five minutes. Ald. W. J. Greer and Ald. G. B. Casey were absent.

Accounts up to April 30 including a number of departmental payrolls and totaling \$20,220.76 were passed for payment by the city council last night.

The \$28,000 street surfacing bylaw, which was passed at the polls by the ratepayers last Thursday, was finally reconsidered and adopted at last night's council meeting.

Constable Thomas Scrogg, R.C.M.P., after accompanying a liquor shipment destined for the Yukon as far as Skagway, returned to the city on the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon.

Staff Captain W. L. Carruthers of the Salvation Army, who has been paying one of his periodical visits to the city and district, will return on the Princess Louise next Monday to his headquarters in Wrangell, Alaska.

Inspector S. T. Wood, who will succeed Inspector A. E. Acland as officer commanding the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in this district, is expected to arrive in the city from Regina on Friday morning's train accompanied by Mrs. Wood. Inspector and Mrs. Acland and family will leave for Prince Albert on Monday.

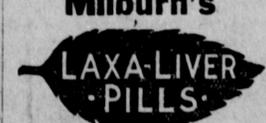
Joseph S. Rogers accompanied by a party of men consisting of Fred Goodwin, Chris Vikil, Chris Bjerkram and Peter Will, which has been dismantling a reduction plant at Ward's Cove, Alaska, for the Rupert Marine Products Co., Ltd., returned to the city on the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon. They were away about ten days.

Completing the last of two trips to Alaska relieving the Princess Mary, G.P.R. steamer Princess Royal, Capt. Thomas Cliff, was here southbound to Vancouver from 4 to 1:30 yesterday afternoon. The vessel had 22 passengers for Vancouver in addition to the following sixteen who debarked here: William Armstrong of Tagish Y.T.; Thomas Scrogg, R.C.M.P.; Louis Goldhafe of Stewart; Harold Johnson, Ernest Blue, F. W. Fisher and Thomas W. McDonald of Hyde; Dan Kinsley and George Waightman of Ketchikan; Ensign Mary Dorin, Salvation Army; Roderick Davis of Metlakatla, Alaska; Joseph S. Rogers, Fred Goodwin, Chris Vikil, Chris Bjerkram and Peter Will of Prince Rupert. The Princess Louise, making the next trip to Alaska, will be here next Monday morning on her way north. There is a large passenger list booked up for the Louise as well as a heavy freight cargo of six hundred tons.

The secretary of the Yacht Club has sent out notices to the members advising them to remove all gear or other belongings that may be stored in the old river boat Hazelton as the work of dismantling will commence directly after May 15.

A Severe Illness Caused Constipation

Mrs. Wm. Hill, Wapella, Sask., writes:—"Three years ago I had a very severe illness, and ever since I have suffered with constipation. A few months ago a friend advised me to use



which I did, although not expecting any results, but I am pleased to say that since using them I have had perfect use of my bowels without any trouble or pain, and have never had bleeding piles since. Now, I never fail to recommend 'Laxa-Liver Pills' to all my friends!"

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Grand Terminal Billiard Parlors, commencing TODAY, MAY 5

Afternoon and Evening. Admission - - 50 cents.

Albert Farrow, steamboat inspector, returned to Vancouver on the Cardena last evening.

Ridley Home Bazaar. All contributions for the Home Cooking table will be thankfully received at the Metropole Hall on Thursday. 105

Constable and Mrs. Robert McCleery of Atlin were passengers aboard the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon bound for Vancouver.

The Canadian halibut schooner Ingrid H., Capt. Charles Lundquist, was taken on the dry dock today for cleaning, painting and minor repairs.

Thomas W. McDonald, United States marshal at Hyder, arrived here on the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon en route home after a trip to Ketchikan.

Ernest Blue, the Hyder lawyer, and Harold Johnston, miner of Hyder, debarked here from the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon on their way home after visiting Ketchikan.

Two well known Alaska newspaper men—Edward G. Morrison of Ketchikan and John W. Troy of Juneau—were passengers on board the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon bound for Seattle.

M. M. English, manager of the new B.C. Packers' cannery at South Bay near Skidegate, and E. K. Steele and J. P. Dover, ar visitors in the city, having arrived from Queen Charlotte Bay by gasboat last evening.

An application having been made to purchase the property, the city council decided last night, on recommendation of the finance committee, to advertise lot 18, block 15, section 5, for sale. The lot is a graded one.

Offers of Mrs. K. G. Stephen of \$79.94 and \$58.14 respectively for tax sale lot 23, block 1, section 7 and lot 36, block 2, section 8, were accepted by the city council last night on recommendation of the finance committee.

Installation of a new propeller in G.G.S. Givency was completed at the dry dock at 6 o'clock last evening and the vessel is once more ready for service after a two weeks' tie-up following the loss of her blades recently in Massett Inlet.

The secretary of the Yacht Club has sent out notices to the members advising them to remove all gear or other belongings that may be stored in the old river boat Hazelton as the work of dismantling will commence directly after May 15.

Union freighter Chilliwack, Capt. J. D. McPhee, arrived in port yesterday from the south and, after discharging lumber at the Prince Rupert cannery and the Big Bay Lumber Co. wharf, sailed for the Skeena River and Wales Island. The vessel is due back in the Skeena tomorrow to load for the south.

Allen Oswald Fors of the Royal Bank, Smithers, has arrived in town to report for duty at the local branch of the bank. Mr. Fors, who has spent the last two years at Telkwa and Smithers branches, was acknowledged the most popular young man in the Bulkley Valley, and will be greatly missed by members of the younger set there, many of whom were at the train to bid him God speed at the very early hour of six a.m. He will be especially missed in musical circles, having acquired local fame as a cornetist.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The Mineral Province of Western Canada

TO END OF DECEMBER, 1924. Has produced Minerals as follows:—Placer Gold, \$77,382,953; Lode Gold, \$118,473,100; Silver, \$68,824,579; Lead, \$70,548,578; Copper, \$187,480,378; Zinc, \$32,171,497; Miscellaneous Minerals, \$1,531,349; Coal and Coke, \$260,880,048; Building Stone, Brick, Cement, etc., \$42,225,814; making its Mineral Production to the end of 1924 show an

Aggregate Value of \$859,427,386 Production for Year Ending Dec. 1924, \$48,704,604

The Mining Laws of this Province are more liberal and the fees lower than those of any other Province in the Dominion, or any colony in the British Empire. Mineral locations are granted to discoverers for nominal fees. Absolute Titles are obtained by developing such properties, the security of which is guaranteed by Crown Grants. Full information together with Mining Reports and Maps, may be obtained gratis by addressing—

THE HON. THE MINISTER OF MINES Victoria, British Columbia. N.B. — Practically all British Columbia Mineral Properties upon which development work has been done are described in some one of the Annual Reports of the Minister of Mines. Those considering mining investments should refer to such reports. They are available without charge on application to the Department of Mines, B.C. Reports of the Geological Survey of Canada, Pacific Building, Vancouver, are recommended as valuable sources of information.

Substitute teacher wanted. Apply J. L. Christie, Secretary School Board. 107

Jack Barrett was fined \$25, with the option of thirty days' imprisonment, in the city police court this morning for drunkenness.

Mrs. H. F. Wearmouth and son, who have been spending the winter in Vancouver, returned to the city on the Prince George today.

Frank Fitch of the customs staff resumed his duties this week after having been laid up for almost a month with an injured knee as a result of a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gonzales and daughter, Geraldine, sailed on the Princess Royal yesterday afternoon for the south and will return by the Princess Louise on Monday. Mr. Gonzales has business in Vancouver and Victoria.

Sid Boys and Jack McMillan arrived on the Prince George today from Vancouver and tonight at the Grand Terminal Billiard Club, will start a 5,000 point billiard competition for the championship of British Columbia.

Edward Lipsett, head of the Lipsett-Cunningham Co., arrived on the Prince George today from Vancouver on one of his periodical visits of inspection to the company's local business. Mr. Lipsett had nothing to say as to who would be the new manager of the business here following the retirement of Capt. Churchill on account of illness.

J. J. Self, better known as "Dad," father of Ben Self, returned to town on the Prince George today from the United States and plans on remaining in the city. "Dad," who left here a couple of years ago, has travelled extensively through the States during his absence. His cheery disposition and voice will be welcomed again by his many local friends.

Glaude Morris, J. Bell and I. Clark were charged in the city police court this morning with trespassing on the Canadian National Railway tracks and, found guilty, were let out on suspended sentence until Saturday with the suggestion that they leave town in the meantime. Arrested by C.N.R. Constable Alex Martin, it was alleged that they were about to steal a ride.

SUMMER TRAIN SERVICE

The Canadian National Railways announce that effective Monday, May 3, the six days per week summer train service will be effective. On and after that date trains will leave Prince Rupert daily except Sunday at 11:30 a.m. and arrive daily except Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. Full information from City Ticket Office, 538 Third Avenue. Phone 260. 105

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ridley Home Bazaar Metropole Hall, Thursday, May 6, at 2:30 p.m.

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- Men's Pants, sponged and pressed ... 50c
- Men's Overcoats, cleaned and pressed, from ... \$2.00
- Men's Overcoats, sponged and pressed ... \$1.00
- Ladies' List**
- Ladies' Suits, dark colors ... \$2.00
- Ladies' Suits, light colors ... \$2.50
- Ladies' Skirts, dark colors ... \$1.00
- Ladies' Skirts, light colors ... \$1.25
- Ladies' Skirts, pleated and cleaned ... \$1.75
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**ANNUAL ROLL
CALL IS HELD**

Last Night's Gathering Memorable in History of Oddfellows and Rebekahs' Lodges

One of the most important gatherings of the year and indeed one of the most successful evenings in the history of the two lodges in the city was "Roll Call" night of the Oddfellows and Rebekahs which was held last night in the Boston Hall.

After the calling of the rolls of the two lodges, the evening was given over to the enjoyment of a program by the Oddfellows' minstrel troupe in charge of J. S. Irvine and consisting of Chas. G. Minns, George V. Wilkinson, W. Charter, A. R. Phillips, Geo. Overhill and J. S. Irvine. Songs recitations, musical numbers and a sketch were given and Sid Thomson rendered yeoman service during the evening as piano accompanist.

This was followed by a humorous debate put on by the Rebekahs: "Resolved that Oddfellows make the best husbands." The affirmative side, which won by a popular vote, was taken by Mrs. G. V. Wilkinson and Mrs. J. S. Irvine, who were loyal to their husbands, while Mrs. A. McNeill and Miss E. M. Earle took the negative, the latter being lucky in not having a husband, particularly of the Oddfellows' clan.

Banquet Held
The assembly then repaired to the festive board where the noble grands, W. A. McLean and Mrs. Jack McIntosh acted as toastmasters. The toasts to the Oddfellows' Grand Lodge and the Rebekah Assembly were proposed by Jack McIntosh and Mrs. James Simpson, district deputy president of the Rebekahs, and Harry Love, district deputy grand master of the Oddfellows, responded. George Wilkinson proposed the toast to the Rebekahs which was responded to by Mrs. Thomas Priest. The toast to the visitors was proposed by A. R. Phillips with S. C. Thomson responding.

One of the pleasant features of the evening was the presentation to James Hampton of a 25-year jewel by Mayor Newton on behalf of Lodge No. 26, Selkirk, of which Mr. Hampton has been a member in good standing for 28 years. There was community singing under the leadership of G. G. Minns.

After the banquet dancing was enjoyed for an hour or so, music being furnished by Miss Jean Currie's orchestra and A. B. Phillips acting as master of ceremonies. The memorable gathering broke up shortly after 1 o'clock in the morning.

"NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT," R.S.C. CHAPTER 115.

GOSSE-MILLER LIMITED, registered office at 225 West Street, in the City of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that it has under section 7 of the said Act deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry District of Prince Rupert, at Prince Rupert, B.C., a description of the site and plans of a wharf and trestle for carrying a water pipe line proposed to be built at channel 842, Queen Charlotte Islands, in the Province of British Columbia, on Torso-shore lease of lot 434a, Queen Charlotte Islands, in the Province of British Columbia, and as shown by plan, containing in all an area of eight (8) acres more or less.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENCE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 5th day of May next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a licence in respect to premises known as G.W.V.A. Hotel, situate on Main Street, in the townsite of Fort Clements, B.C., upon the lands described as south half of lots 8 and 9, block 44, District lot 746, Queen Charlotte Islands District, according to a plan registered in the City of Prince Rupert, B.C., and numbered 1079, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENCE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 15th day of May next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a licence in respect to premises being part of the building known as "Queen's Hotel," situate on Main Street, in the townsite of Fort Clements, B.C., upon the lands described as lot 3, block 14, Map 942A, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Good for All the Family



It makes them smile—it's sure worth while.

ASSESSMENT IN WINNIPEG CUT

Judge Gives Little Talk on System of Taxation as Difficult Question to Solve

WINNIPEG, May 5.—Real estate and civic assessment circles are in an uproar today following a decision made by Mr. Justice Galt in the court of King's bench when, on an assessment appeal, he slashed a \$75,000 city assessment to \$49,523.50, or two-thirds of the gross rent received by the owner in 1925.

In delivering his judgment Mr. Justice Galt said that if all the rent had gone to mortgagee to protect the land from sale he would have taken net rents as the value.

A. M. Fraser appealed on the grounds that he had been unjustly dealt with and that the system of assessment was injurious to the city as a whole. In stating his judgment His Lordship said that: "In every city the question of taxation is an important and difficult one to solve, because it is advisable to provide, not only for the safety and general comfort of the citizens, but also for its attractiveness to investors and others. If the city authorities adopt a system of taxation which greatly hinders an investor from realizing profits from his investments, it is manifest that business will suffer and improvements will cease."

"The gross rents from the building for 1925 amounted to \$20,300.87, and I adopt this sum as the amount by which the value of the land was increased by the building. Two-thirds of this sum is \$13,532.50, and this is the assessment which ought to have been made on the building instead of \$75,000."

PROVINCE IN LEAD IN FISH INDUSTRY

British Columbia Contributes One-Half of Total Catch of Canada

Demonstration of British Columbia's outstanding lead in the deep sea fishing industry of the Dominion is given in the summary of last season's catch, which has just been issued by the Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa.

The catch was valued at \$24,208,906, a gain of more than \$2,000,000 over that of the preceding season. Of this amount British Columbia contributed nearly fifty per cent with an output valued at \$11,607,937.

British Columbia's nearest rival is Nova Scotia, which showed a catch of \$6,972,028. Third is New Brunswick, which contributed \$2,967,272, while Quebec was fourth with \$1,708,081.

Salmon was the most important factor in the ocean industry, the report showed. The season's catch aggregated \$7,127,403, a gain of \$1,500,000 over the 1924 total. Cod contributed \$4,570,766; lobster, \$3,225,719; halibut, \$3,225,719, and herring \$1,783,133.

Total export for the year far exceeded the catch, amounting to \$36,025,153, fish held in storage accounting for the difference. Canned salmon led the foreign trade list with a value of \$11,223,274; dried cod, second, \$5,093,740; and lobsters, third, \$4,089,486.

NERVE CURRENT HUMAN MYSTERY

Scientists Searching For Human Storage Battery Using Wireless Apparatus

OXYGEN NECESSARY

Electrical Fishes Provide Material For Tests in Regard to Sense Organs

NEW YORK, May 1.—Dunces of today may become the "bright boys" of tomorrow and thinkers of the future may think bigger and better thoughts when modern science masters the electrical design of the human body.

Long baffled by the secret, today scientists here and abroad are beginning to piece out the puzzle of the human storage battery. In one laboratory the current of a nerve of the body has been caught on a wireless receiving apparatus, according to scientific data just made public.

Elsewhere the "cells" of the body's battery have been shown to be "dead" unless surrounded by a suitable current carrier. Every day has become fish day in another laboratory, where electric fish are studied for the light they may throw on the human mystery.

Through the new knowledge scientists say it may be ultimately possible to cure or relieve types of mental disorder which are today incurable. Mental fatigue in normal people may be greatly reduced, and mental classifications may be raised.

Dr. E. D. Adrian, fellow of the Royal Society, in London, has reported the analysis of the electrical impulse from a single nerve fibre with wireless receiving apparatus.

Must Have Oxygen
Shiro Tashiro, a Japanese scientist at the University of Cincinnati, has demonstrated that the nerve will not conduct unless surrounded by a medium containing an ample supply of oxygen. This suggests a reason why some persons think and react more rapidly than others, whose blood supply might be deficient in oxygen.

For some time it has been clear that every impulse passing along a nerve fibre is accompanied by electrical changes not unlike the passage of an electric current along a wire. Unlike the wire current, however, the nerve current does not appear to lose in intensity between the source of the impulse and the nerve end.

Scientists suspect that the nerves, carriers of the commands of the brain to the muscles which execute them, may have a way of regenerating the current analogous to the vacuum cup amplifiers of the inanimate long distance telephone.

Travels Slowly

Although the nerve impulse travels more slowly than the commercial current, the slogan "Don't write—Telegraph" still carries weight in matters of train-to-muscle transmission. In some of the human nerves the rate is as high as 100 meters a second. In the nerves of the sympathetic nervous system, however, the rate is from ten to a hundred times slower.

This might mean, the scientists say, that if it were not for time lost in execution, we should be able voluntarily to move a hand faster than we would involuntarily snatch it from a hot stove.

Electrical Fishes

The origin of nerve currents is being studied in electrical fishes by Dr. Ulrich Dahlgren, professor of biology at Princeton University. In these fish of "electric personality," the organs which produce the electric charges, capable of giving severe shocks, consist of membranes upon each side of which are chemicals of different composition. Through the membrane there is an exchange of ions, or electrically charged particles of the molecules.

The net result is that on one side of the membrane ions bearing negative charges of electricity accumulate. When the signal is given by the central nervous system of the fish, this negative charge of electricity is discharged over a nerve thickly insulated so that practically none of the charge will be lost in transmission.

Work being done in a number of laboratories seeks to learn whether the sense organs of the human system produce similar charges, through which the brain

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Shock From Kiss

Not long ago a prominent scientist placed himself on record among the poets by stating that a kiss carried an electric charge, transmitted in the moisture of the lips.

STEWART

Development work on the Troy mine for the season will consist of some 3,000 feet of diamond drilling for which a contract has been let to Boyle Bros. and the continuation of tunnelling on promising veins. Everything is in readiness for the work to commence.

R. G. Mellin, M.E., in charge of operations for the Hyder Lead Co., formerly the Texas Comstock Co., has returned from Vancouver Island where he spent the winter and will inaugurate an energetic campaign of development as soon as the property, which lies near the head of the west fork of Texas Creek on the Alaskan side, is sufficiently free from snow.

Mrs. Jerry McCarthy and family have arrived from Vancouver to join Mc. McCarthy who is took at the Dunwell mine.

Joe Green, manager of the B.C. Bonanza mine, has returned from Vancouver where he spent the winter.

F. Mellor, Victoria painter and decorator, has arrived here to establish in business.

practice her profession in Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bigham have returned to Stewart after a prolonged visit in California.

Word has been received of the death in Seattle recently of G. H. Guptill, father of Mrs. Grant Mahood.

Miss Dorothy Hagar of Brantford, Ontario, is visiting at Premier with Mrs. A. H. Mellish.

T. Groves, B.Sc., has arrived from Vancouver to join the engineering staff of the B.C. Silver mine.

Several students of the University of British Columbia have arrived here to be employed by various mining companies during the summer months.

Material and supplies have arrived from Vancouver for the Dalhousie Mining Co. which will resume development work on its claims on the west side of Bear River, some 12 miles north of Stewart.

Camp building and further exploration work has been resumed on the Marmol Metals with Angus McLeod, managing director of the company, in charge.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land
In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Coast Range 5, and situate on South 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 at the north end of South Rachel Island; thence around the island at high water mark, and containing 50 acres, more or less, ALFRED SWANSON, Applicant. Dated April 27, 1926.

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- Sirloin Steak, 2 lbs. for . . . 55c
- Round Steak, 2 lbs. for . . . 45c
- Side Pork, per lb. 25c
- Loin Pork, per lb. 35c
- Shoulder Pork, per lb. 30c
- Sausages, 2 lbs. for 35c
- Ayrshire Bacon, per lb. . . . 35c
- Gairner's Ham, per lb. 40c
- Hamburger Steak, 2 lbs. . . . 25c
- Pickled Pork, 2 lbs. for . . . 45c
- Salt Pork, per lb. 30c

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WEATHER REPORT

(Government Telegraph Service)
The Yukon River is now clear from Lower Lebarge to Dawson. No damage has been done as far as is known now.

Weather readings for various northern points at 8 o'clock this morning were as follows:

Terrace: Clear, calm, temp. 46.
Anyox: Clear, calm, temp. 50.
Stewart: Part cloudy, calm, temp. 45.
Hazelton: Clear, calm, temp. 44.
Telegraph Creek: Clear, calm, temp. 43.
Smithers: Part cloudy, calm, 50.
Burns Lake: Part cloudy, calm, temp. 48.
Whitehorse: Clear, south wind, temp. 47.
Selkirk: Cloudy, south wind, temp. 50.
Dawson: Clear, calm, temp. 44.
Yukon average temp. 45.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

This afternoon's train, due from the East at 3.30, is reported on time.

Mrs. Jacobs, who has been on a holiday trip to Victoria, returned to the city on the Prince George this afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Gavizan and family, who have been visiting in the East for the past month or so, returned home on the Prince George today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farrell of

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land
In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Coast Range 5, and situate on North Michael Island.

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

Commencing at a post planted at the south end of North Michael Island; thence around the island at high water mark, and containing 50 acres, more or less.

ALFRED SWANSON, Applicant.
Dated April 27, 1926.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land
In Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate at head of Skat Inlet, Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Group.

TAKE NOTICE that The Canadian Fishing Company, Limited, of Vancouver, occupation salmon cannery, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at head of Skat Inlet, 15 chains north of unnamed creek; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains, more or less, to shore line; thence westerly following shore line to P.O.C., and containing 40 acres, more or less.

THE CANADIAN FISHING COMPANY, LIMITED, Applicant.
Per William Alfred Bower.
Dated 11th April, 1926.

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- 12 Pint Tickets . . . \$1.00
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June 11 — Athenia — for Glasgow

VETERANS TOUR
June 19 — Antonia — for Cherbourg

EDUCATIONAL TOUR
June 26 — Ascania — for Plymouth, Cherbourg, London

DAUGHTERS & MAIDS OF ENGLAND TOUR
July 3 — Asonia — for London

MASONIC TOUR
July 9 — Athenia — for Glasgow

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CUNARD ANCHOR-DONALDSON

Victoria arrived in the city on the Prince George today and are registered at the Prince Rupert Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dilliear of Auckland, New Zealand, were arrivals in the city aboard the steamer Prince George today. They are guests at the Prince Rupert Hotel.

L. W. Stevenson of the Dominion Radiotelegraph service arrived from Vancouver on the Prince George today to pay a visit of inspection to the Digby Island wireless station.

Hugh McGuire, well known Stewart mining man, after having spent the winter in New York, is a passenger on board the Prince George today returning to the mining town.

"PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT."

Prince Rupert Electoral District.
Mackenzie Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall, on Monday, the 17th day of May, 1926, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, Prince Rupert, hold a sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the list of voters for the said electoral district, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said list, or to the registration as a voter of any applicant for registration; and for the other purposes set forth in the "Provincial Elections Act."

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 6th day of April, 1926.

NORMAN A. WATT,
Registrar of Voters for the Prince Rupert and Mackenzie Electoral Districts.

Dollar Week

- 5 lb. Sugar and 1 lb. Tudor Tea . . . \$1.00
- 3 doz. Fresh Pullet Eggs . . . \$1.00
- 2 lb. best Bulk Butter . . . \$1.00
- 1 65c bottle Arggwood Sweet Pickles, and 1 45c bottle 1,000 Island Dressing . . . \$1.00
- 3 lb. McCormick's Sweet Biscuits . . . \$1.00
- 3 tins Schillings Baking Powder . . . \$1.00
- 2 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee . . . \$1.00 (Ask for sample)
- 6 lb. Cal. Table Figs . . . \$1.00
- 3 bottles Heinz Catsup . . . \$1.00
- 6 tins Peas, Corn or Tomato . . . \$1.00
- 13 lb. Granulated Sugar . . . \$1.00
- 10 lb. Jap Rice, best . . . \$1.00
- 10 lb. D.G. Peas and 5 lb. Beans . . . \$1.00
- 4 large tins Libby's Spinach . . . \$1.00
- 2 35c Corn on Cob and 2 25c P.N. Butter . . . \$1.00
- 6 lb. Sugar and 1 tin pure Plum Jam . . . \$1.00
- 1 tin Pork and Beans with 1 tin Strawberry Jam . . . \$1.00
- 5 lb. Sugar and 1 tin Marmalade . . . \$1.00
- 3 large tins Sliced Peaches . . . \$1.00
- 3 combs Pure Honey . . . \$1.00
- 4 cartons Sunlight Soap . . . \$1.00
- 20 rolls Toilet Paper . . . \$1.00
- 20 bars White Swan Soap . . . \$1.00
- 13 bars Palmolive Soap . . . \$1.00
- 1 Broom and 2 cartons Sunlight Soap . . . \$1.00
- 7 lb. Seedless Raisins . . . \$1.00
- 7 lb. Seeded or Puffed Raisins . . . \$1.00
- 3 lb. Ontario Chees . . . \$1.00
- 3 large tins Libby's Asparagus . . . \$1.00
- 3 doz. Sunkist Oranges or Lemons . . . \$1.00
- 7 lb. extra Fancy Dry Prunes (Buy prunes now) . . . \$1.00
- 3 tins Libby's, Delmonte or Mal-kin's Best Sliced Pineapple . . . \$1.00
- 7 tins Heinz Pork & Beans . . . \$1.00
- 7 tins Campbell's Tomato Soup . . . \$1.00

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GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH INDIA

Writer in London Times Outlines Difficulties Met With in That Country

ADVANTAGE BRITISH RULE

Sir Michael O'Dwyer, writing in the London Times in regard to India says:

The fanatical outbreaks which for the last week have disgraced Calcutta, the most populous and advanced city in India, have at last been suppressed by the British troops and the Indian police. At least 100 people have been killed and several hundreds injured among the followers of rival religions, "hating (and killing) one another for the love of God." What has happened in Calcutta has happened within the last few years in nearly every city in Northern India. In the last six years there has been more bloodshed in sectarian strife than in the preceding 60.

One may well ask, Why is this? One result of the Reforms of 1919, as some of us on the spot gave warning at the time, has been the weakening of British authority and of the British element in the security services (the Civil Service and police), which alone held in check the congeries of warring creeds, castes, and races that make up India's 320 millions of people.

Anti-British Forces

The advent of the Reforms was seized upon by Mr. Gandhi and the Ali brothers to unite the anti-British forces in Hinduism and Islam—and later the Akali Sikhs—against the common enemy, the Satanic British Government. This unholy combination led in 1921 to the sanguinary Malabar rebellion. But the ignorant and fanatical Mohlals soon turned their arms against their hated Hindu neighbors, of whom thousands were cruelly massacred and thousands more forcibly converted. That "terror" opened the eyes of most Hindus; thereafter Gandhi's influence steadily waned, and the anti-British agitation has given way to the violent Hindu versus Mahomedan antagonism.

But the point to note is that the traditional sectarian hostility has, since the Reforms, been aggravated tenfold by the political struggles of the rival religions and races to possess themselves of the power and place which the British Government is, to their minds, vacating. An Indian writer to a Calcutta paper put the case with brutal frankness:

Fear Only Effective Power

It is only the fear of a superior power that can stop the hatred of one community for the other. That fear has been removed in consequence of the efforts of the British government to devolve its responsibility upon others. There is nothing now to prevent us cutting one another's throats, as we used to do before British supremacy established itself in India.

Thoughtful Indians, here and in India, regretfully admit that as the political struggle becomes more intense the sectarian feuds must inevitably become more bitter; for religion, or sectarianism, is the one vital and permanent force in India.

Unfortunately that cardinal fact was not fully realized by the framers of the Reform Scheme of 1919, who rashly assumed that if India were given the forms of democracy the spirit would soon appear. How far they were astray the following incident shows. The Swaraj Party (predominantly Hindu) is now opposing the extension of the Reforms Scheme to the Frontier Province, where the Mahomedans are in a majority of eight to one. In consequence, the Mahomedans of Bihar, who are in a minority of one to eight, have now declared that, if the Swaraj opposition is not withdrawn, they may have to demand the withdrawal of the Reforms Scheme from Bihar and Orissa. Meantime, a section of the Labor party has introduced the "Commonwealth of India Bill," which proposes to confer at once on an India torn by religious, racial, and social dissensions "the full status of a self-governing Dominion except for certain reservations as regards defence and foreign affairs." As regards safeguarding minorities, all they have to say in the prefatory memorandum is:—

Communal and special representation is abolished; but, as a temporary measure, the number of seats reserved for Muslims

and Europeans will be maintained for a period of five years.

Many Neglected

But what about other religious and racial minorities, the Sikhs of the Punjab, the Maharattas of Bombay, the non-Brahmins of Madras, the 50 millions of untouchables in British India? The Bill completely ignores them. The Indian masses may well exclaim, "Save us from our friends of the Labor party," who have identified themselves with the privileged classes in India. The Bill might work in Utopia, but in a twelvemonth would throw India back into anarchy and civil war. Our declared policy is "the welfare and advancement of the Indian peoples." If we are to give effect to it, let us clear our minds of political cant and give that policy a form which will not, as the Reforms Scheme has done and the Commonwealth Bill would do in a greater degree, intensify racial and religious animosities, but one which will tend to heal them, if that is possible.

SELF STARTER FOR AIRPLANES LATEST

TOKYO, May 3.—A gasoline self-starter for aeroplanes has been invented by Shugo Tanaka, a young naval engineer and experiments are being watched by navy officials. Experts say the starter is affected neither by temperature nor humidity, and operates as easily as those used by automobiles. If the apparatus holds up under rigid tests, it will be installed on all army and navy aeroplanes of Japan.

BACK TO EARTH.

News Item: A young man on his honeymoon ran his auto into a tree and did not come to his senses for two weeks. Well, it would have been him about that long, anyway.

A SENSITIVE INSTRUMENT

Visitor—Got a barometer I see. Does it work well?
Host—I should say so. Why, it even indicates when my wife is going to have a crying spell.



CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Reserve existing over expired Timber License No. 41812, situated on Mt. Island, Range 4, Coast District, is cancelled.

G. R. SALEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands

MINERAL ACT.
Notice of Application for Certificate of Improvements.

Mineral Hill Group, consisting of Mineral Hill No. 1, Mineral Hill No. 2, Mineral Hill No. 3, and Summit Mineral Claims, situate in the Skeena Mining District in No. 1 District of the south-eastern end of Iron Mountain, Kitimat Valley, Lawful holder, W. J. Goodwin, Free Miner's Certificate No. 921112, Charles E. Moore, Free Miner's Certificate No. 31972.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Charles E. Moore, Free Miner's Certificate No. 31972, agent for the owners, intend at the end of sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action under section 85 of the Mineral Act must be commenced by the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 17th day of April, 1926.

IN PROBATE.
In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in the Matter of the Administration Act of and

In the Matter of the Estate of Albert Bowles, Deceased, Intestate

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, F. McIl Young, the 19th day of April, A.D. 1926, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of Albert Bowles, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 26th day of May, V.D. 1926, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN A. WATT,
Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.
Dated the 26th day of April, A.D. 1926.

FORM F.
Notice of Application for Certificate of Improvements

"Sight" Mineral Claim
Situate in the Prince Rupert Mining Division of the Skeena District, Where located: Near the head of Kisunkalom Lake. Lawful holder, Swan Dalin. Number of holder's Free Miner's Certificate 889072.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Swan Dalin, Free Miner's Certificate No. 889072, intend at the end of sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 85 of the "Mineral Act," must be commenced by the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1926
SWAN DALIN, owner.
R. F. T. Kenny Agent

LAND ACT.
Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Group, on unnamed Inlet, three miles south of De La Roche Inlet.

TAKE NOTICE that The Canadian Fishing Company, Limited, of Vancouver, occupation salmon cannery, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

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