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BOTH LEADERS HEARD AT OTTAWA PERJURY CHARGES AGAINST CUSTOMS PROBE WITNESSES

Tom Fay Goes on Stand and Tells More About Chris Moeller's Cargo

Whitelaw, director of Consolidated Exporters' Corporation, declares C.G.M.M. had agreed to carry liquor—more campaign funds

VANCOUVER, December 14.—Four witnesses who appeared before the customs commission and gave evidence in connection with the Chris Moeller liquor ship case may be prosecuted for perjury. Chairman Brown announced Monday afternoon that he and his colleagues were considering the advisability of recommending to the Attorney General of British Columbia the prosecution of these four witnesses whose names were not mentioned. The announcement came at the end of the examination of Tom Fay, an important witness in the Moeller case.

POLICY OF GOVERNMENT

TO OPEN UP NEW TERRITORY FOR BENEFIT OF WHOLE PROVINCE
PREMIER OLIVER TELLS VANCOUVER GAZETTES

The opening up of vast territories in British Columbia which are as yet untouched has been and will be the policy of the provincial government," declared Premier Oliver at a luncheon of the Vancouver Gyro Club yesterday.

"This is no time for pessimism. It is time for action. It is only with the opening up of that vast territory tributary to the cities that the largest, full and complete development of the province of British Columbia can be secured."

"The last two years," the premier said, "had been the most prosperous in the history of the province extending even the record years of the Fraser gold strike."

BURY AHEAD IN EDMONTON

EDMONTON, Dec. 14.—A second count will be necessary today to decide the winner of Monday's election for mayor but A. U. G. Bury looks like a sure victor. Late last night he had led on the first count of 1588 over Ed. D. K. Knott, Labor candidate, the next highest. As the election was conducted under the proportional representation plan, final results of the majority and aldermanic contests will not be known for two or three days.

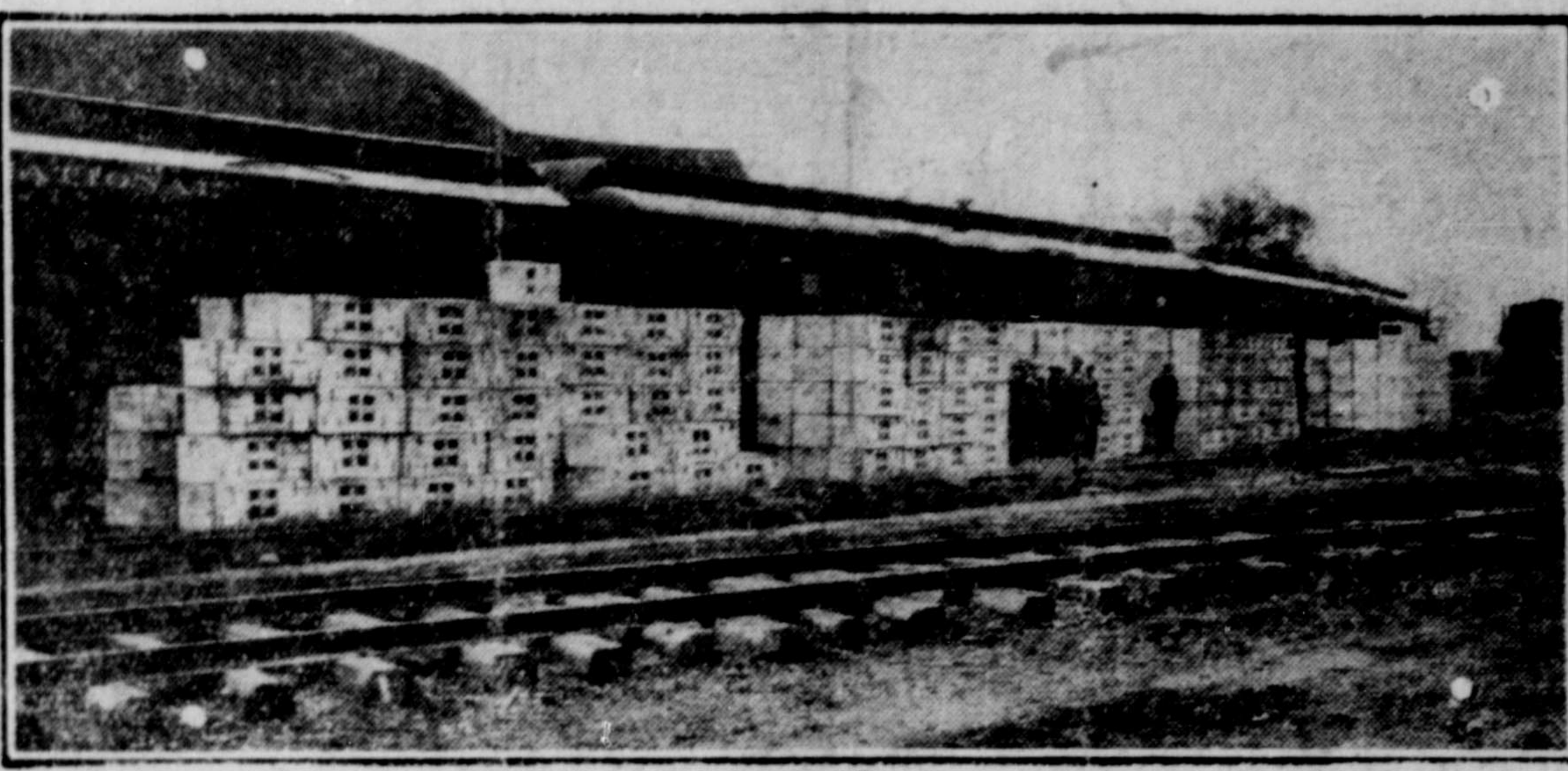
GRAIN STEAMER YOSERIC SAILS

Ypres Maru Takes Berth at Elevator—Hundreds of Carloads of Wheat Coming Here

Railway offices this morning reported 225 carloads of grain on the division and 475 carloads east of Jasper bound here. The trains are now coming in regularly and unloading at the elevator. The British steamer Yoseric completed loading and sailed today for the United Kingdom or continent with a full cargo. Having completed lining at the ocean dock, the Suzuki line freighter, Ypres Maru, went on berth at the elevator early this afternoon. The "K" line boat Kifuku Maru, now lining at the dry dock, will soon be ready to start loading.

VANCOUVER BEATEN

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—Port Arthur hockey team defeated Vancouver ex-King George's by nine to one.



OVER \$900,000 WORTH OF SILVER FOXES, 855 animals, to be precise, are contained in the boxes piled on the platform as shown at Summerside, Prince Edward Island. It is the largest shipment ever made in Canada or any other country.

COLDER IN SOUTH THAN IT IS HERE

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—All shipping here and south was delayed on account of low temperatures. Vancouver recorded 14 above and Victoria 18 above. Seattle and Portland also experienced the cold weather.

Further Steps Taken in Road Fight; Committee Takes Name; Memorials to be Broadcast

The joint committee on the trunk highway decided last evening at a meeting in the city hall to ask the support of the whole north country in securing the completion of the road from Prince Rupert to Prince George. Members of the provincial legislature and Dominion parliament will be forwarded a copy of the resolution passed at the citizens' meeting in Prince Rupert and tourist and auto associations in the south will also be informed of the necessity of the completion of the road at the earliest possible moment. Various communities in the Atlin territory will be asked through their boards of trade or chambers of mines, members and Dominion members, to assist in the movement and all farmers' institutes in the interior will also be furnished a copy of the resolution.

The committee decided to temporarily call the organization "The Prince George to Prince Rupert Trunk Highway Association."

The matter of a Dominion loan for highway purposes will also form part of the memorial which will be presented to the various northern provincial

BAD EXPLOSION IN FRENCH ALPS

NINETEEN MEN DEAD AND SEVENTY SERIOUSLY INJURED—ESCAPE OF 500 IS MARVELLOUS

DIGNE, French Alps, Dec. 14.—Nineteen men are dead as a result of the explosion of 20,000 kilograms of liquid chlorine in a factory at Siabrin. Seventy were seriously injured. The escape of 500 other workers who were nearby when the tank exploded is considered marvellous.

83 R.A.F. OFFICERS KILLED THIS YEAR

Pilots Too Ready to Take Risks, is Official Explanation

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The loss of 83 lives among the flying officers in the British air forces this year is causing an outcry and demands are being made for a thorough investigation of the air service to determine the cause of so many accidents.

Premier Baldwin has declined to give a day for discussion of the matter in parliament, and Sir Samuel Hoare, head of the air force, says there is no panacea against accident, although the greatest precautions have been taken.

It is asserted that lack of proper supervision by senior flying officers is responsible for the high death rate.

The air ministry says that officers take unnecessary risks, such as carrying out stunts at a low altitude, and that in the majority of cases death has not been due to defects in the machines but to over-confidence on the part of the pilots.

The loss of life, however, has caused no diminishing of the number of recruits for the service or of keenness on the part of the flyers, and the air forces of Great Britain are said by those in command to be as good, or perhaps even better, than those in other countries.

FIREMAN SERIOUSLY INJURED, MONTREAL

Vancouver Police are Seeking for Wife of John Smith to Advise Her of the Occurrence

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—The police are seeking for the wife of John Smith, fireman aboard the C.G.M.M. freighter Canadian Planter, who is reported to have been seriously injured in an accident at Montreal, in order to advise her of the occurrence. Mrs. Smith is believed to be residing either in Vancouver or Victoria.

Death Follows in Wake of Cold Wave Stretching from Manitoba to Rocky Mountains

WINNIPEG, December 14.—Stretching from Lake Superior into the Rocky Mountains, a cold wave which followed last Saturday's blizzard continued today, Manitoba and Saskatchewan feeling the brunt with the mercury sliding to 34 below at Saskatoon. Numerous farm houses were destroyed by fires and hardships are being experienced by rural settlers in isolated districts.

Near Kipling, Saskatchewan, fire forced a family of seven to flee lightly clad and the residence of Bishop Toews of Rosethorn, head of the Mennonite Church, was destroyed, a young daughter being probably fatally burned while other members of the family suffered injuries from frost bite. Reuben Shannon, a homesteader near Sedaia, Alberta, was found dead in a snowdrift near his shack. He had evidently been caught in the blizzard.

At Lake Louise this morning the thermometer touched fifty below.

LLOYD GEORGE SEES FIRST PICTURE SHOW

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Former Premier Lloyd George paid his first visit to a motion picture show at the end of last week. With his wife and daughter, Megan, he saw the motion picture "Ben Hur" at the Tivoli Theatre. He said it was quite a novel experience, as hitherto the only motion pictures he had seen were at private projections at his own home.

WIRELESS REPORT

8 a.m.
DIGBY ISLAND.—Cloudy, fresh S.E. wind, barometer 29.80; temperature, 30; sea, moderate. 8 p.m. Amur towing Templeton Rupert for Anxox, 80 miles from Anxox.
DEAD TREE POINT.—Barometer 29.40; temperature 32.
BULL HARBOR.—Snow, S.E. gale; barometer, 29.98; temperature, 30; sea, rough; 8 p.m. L. A. Christenson left Port Alice for Englewood. 8 a.m. St. Faith stormbound in Safety Cove.
NOON
DIGBY ISLAND.—Heavy snow; barometer 29.76; temperature, 32; dense seawards.
DEAD TREE POINT.—Barometer 29.40; temperature, 32.
BULL HARBOR.—Snow, S.E. gale; barometer 29.75; temperature 30; sea, rough.

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Independence	.08 1/4	.08 3/4
Indian	.04	.05
Premier	2.00	2.05
Porter Idaho	.09 1/4	.10
Silver Crest	.05 1/4	.05 1/2
Surf Inlet	.01 1/4	.02 1/4
Richmond	.05 1/4	.05 1/2

Premier King Answers Questions Put by Hugh Guthrie During Debate

R report on Imperial Conference and report of Maritime Provinces Commission were topics of absorbing interest in house yesterday

OTTAWA, December 14.—The report on the Imperial Conference and the report of the royal commission on Maritime claims formed the basis of absorbing interest in the House of Commons yesterday when the leaders of Liberal and Conservative parties joined in the issue on the debate on the address in reply to the throne speech.

Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative house leader, asked Premier King to state definitely what he was going to do to implement the recommendations made by the royal commission on the claims of the Maritime provinces.

The premier replied that he would have to give the report further consideration before pronouncing a policy in regard to it.

As for the Imperial Conference, Mr. Guthrie expressed the fear that, in their anxiety to make Canada master of its own destiny, the members had wiped out the basis of Confederation and had swept aside the rights given to minorities in that compromise agreement among the various provinces known as the British North America Act. Questioned whether another government under this report could not wipe out the provincial legislatures, wipe out dual languages in federal parliament or annul other of the provisions of that Act which protected minorities in a country of diversified races, Premier King replied that the government would recommend adoption of the report on a day that would be set aside for its discussion.

Two new members moved and seconded the address—L. M. Auger (Prascott) being the mover and A. H. McPherson (Portage la Prairie) seconder. Both are Liberals.

FOUR VESSELS USED TO TAKE TANGERINES VICTORIA-VANCOUVER

VICTORIA, Dec. 14.—In order to facilitate the speedy handling of their share of Japanese oranges coming on the American Mail Line steamship President Madison, which arrived here Monday morning from the Orient, the Canadian Pacific Railway used the steamships Princess Louise, Charmar, the Motor Princess and one of their largest barges for transporting the fruit to Vancouver.

These ships loaded the oranges at Rithet's Outer Docks and then rushed them to Vancouver for shipment East.

The President Madison brought approximately 75,000 bundles of oranges.

THREE CARS SKID AND GO OFF ROAD AT SAME PLACE

Transfer trucks of the Casey Cartage and Gurvich & Sons and Albert & McCaffery's coal wagon figured in a traffic accident at the corner of Third Avenue and Cow Bay road this morning. All three cars apparently skidded on the icy surface and went off the street in different positions. Little damage was done to the vehicles and nobody was hurt though only a telephone pole saved the wagon from going into the upper end of Cow Bay.

\$75,000 FIRE IN VANCOUVER

FIREMEN HAD SIX HOURS OF HARD FIGHTING AT BOWMAN STORAGE WAREHOUSE YESTERDAY IN COLD

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—Fire caused a loss of \$75,000 when the Bowman Storage Co.'s warehouse on Powell Street containing paints, and oils gave the firemen six hours of hard fighting in freezing temperature yesterday morning.

COLD CAUSES SIX DEATHS

IN PACIFIC NORTHWEST YESTERDAY—OREGON AND WASHINGTON HAD SNOW

SEATTLE, Dec. 14.—The Pacific Northwest was encased by winter yesterday with six deaths attributed to snow and blizzards. On the Oregon and Washington coasts, snow fell.

FIVE DAY WEEK IN FORD PLANT

New System Instituted in Manchester, England, Branch and Whiting Workers will be Protected

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The Evening News says that Henry Ford has introduced a five day week into the Ford Motor Works at Manchester. Steps are being taken, adds the paper, to insure willing workers that they will be able to earn as much as they did formerly in five and a half days.

LIVES LOST IN PRAIRIE STORM

MRS. JOHN STEWART AND LITTLE DAUGHTER PERISHED IN BLIZZARD NEAR HANNA—WEATHER MODERATING TODAY

WINNIPEG, Dec. 4.—The worst blizzard in years swept the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan at the week-end taking a known toll of two lives, disrupting transportation and piling snowdrifts ten and twenty feet high in some districts. Alberta suffered particularly from heavy snows driven by high winds.

Mrs. John Stewart and her two-year-old daughter lost their lives on Saturday night near Hanna when Mrs. Stewart went to look for an older child who had managed to return to the farmhouse. The mother and baby were found dead by neighbors on Sunday.

In Manitoba and Saskatchewan, the weather was extremely cold, Saskatoon reporting the thermometer 35 below zero early on Sunday.

Today the weather is moderating at all points.

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WORLD POPULATION RAPIDLY INCREASING.

It is estimated that the population of the world increases at the rate of 50,000 a day, a fact which raises the problem of where those born in already over-crowded countries are to find room. Professor Edward Murray East, of Harvard University, affirms that taking the world over, there are on an average 150,000 births and 100,000 deaths a day—a net daily gain of 50,000. He places the present total population at 1,850,000,000, and says that since the beginning of the nineteenth century it has more than doubled. He believes that within the present century the United States will number 200,000,000, and quotes authorities to the effect that at that figure it will become stationary, statistics showing that as population reaches a certain density the rate in increase falls off until it becomes fixed. This has already happened in China, and is about to operate in India. According to Professor East, the most important country in the world in the re-distribution of the white races is Canada, which occupies an area greater than that of the United States, and has at present only about 9,000,000 inhabitants, compared with America's 115,000,000. Increase in population compels not only redistribution, but also bigger demands for good supplies, and the Dominion, where only one-fifth of the arable area is yet under cultivation, is likely to accommodate large numbers of settlers, who will play an important part in satisfying that demand. Professor East points out, however, that in Canada, also, population is increasing rapidly. Her death rate is 11.3 per thousand, compared with 11.9 in the United States, and her birth rate 26.7 per thousand, compared

with her neighbor's 22.5. DWINDLING FORESTS SHOULD BE PROTECTED.

While there is nothing new in the facts concerning the depletion of forest wealth in Canada and the United States brought out by the report of the forestry sub-committee of the Imperial Conference, the figures should certainly cause the governments of both countries grave concern.

Apart from the growth of reforestation areas, the visible timber supply in this country so far as soft wood is concerned will last merely another quarter of a century. A similar condition exists in the States.

This means that by 1950 the North American Continent will be short of soft-wood timber. Of course, by that date timber may have become of no use, but the contingency is sufficiently remote to warrant action as though it did not exist.

Clearly the need for forest conservation has become sufficiently acute to call for immediate, far-reaching, and effective measures.

The Government ought to prepare as soon as possible a comprehensive scheme for the conservation of the country's forest wealth. As matters stand, the drain upon our timber for foreign supply is tremendous.

No consideration of private aggrandizement plans should be allowed to stand in the way of making such a scheme thoroughly and completely binding upon the whole Dominion. We owe this as a duty to the generations to come.

It is a clear responsibility that falls upon us as Canadian citizens to stop, and stop at once, the reckless bleeding of our national timber resources now being carried on.

It will require courage to take this step, but that is no reason why the step should not be taken. It is vital to our future.—Family Herald and Weekly Star.

CONFERENCE RESULTS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE.

The report of the Imperial Conference gives a concrete expression of the relationship between the members of the Empire, says the Royal Bank's Monthly Letter. There are few changes which appear to be of political importance, but a few years from now the student of Empire history will doubtless secure a perspective on present trends that will give value to this crystallization of the relationship which has been worked out over a long period of years. From the economic viewpoint, the results of the Conference and the vista of future possibilities which were opened up through the good feeling engendered seem of the greatest possible importance. The great wealth of the Empire may be used in an intelligent and patriotic manner which will make effective the rich and varied resources of the whole Empire. Recent expressions of opinion from the various Dominions indicate an improved feeling as to the practicability of co-operative economic effort on the part of various members of the Empire. In the past, the Empire has frequently benefited by farsighted economic policies and there can be little question but that over a period of years the economic unity of an Empire will prove no small factor in its industrial efficiency. For Canada, the most interesting feature of the recent negotiations has been the decision to extend the Empire settlement plan.

STORY OF SIR JAMES DOUGLAS

HE AND DAVID DOUGLAS WERE PROMINENT IN AFFAIRS OF EARLY BRITISH COLUMBIA

Two men bearing the old Scottish name, Douglas, were prominent in the early years of British Columbia. One was David Douglas, scientist and explorer, after whom was named the giant tree of the Pacific Coast, the Douglas fir. The other was James Douglas, upon whom was conferred the honor of knighthood. He was a trader, explorer and ruler.

James Douglas was born at Demerara, British Guiana, on August 14, 1803. His father had gone to Demerara from Scotland, and when the father died, the young son returned to Scotland and grew up in Lanark. As a lad he came out to Montreal and found employment in the office of the North-West Company. After a short stay there he went to the company's base at Fort William, and later was in the Athabasca district. Then he was sent beyond the Rockies to Fort St. James, on the Stuart Lake, and his career in British Columbia commenced.

Episodes in the career of James Douglas are here outlined as showing what manner of man was this pioneer of British Columbia, who received the honor of knighthood from Queen Victoria when he retired in 1864. When Douglas was at Fort St. James a native from Fraser Lake murdered an employee of the company. For a time the murderer concealed himself, but later he resumed his open life in his own village. A little later he was bold enough to visit the Indian village at Stuart Lake, near Fort St. James. Douglas had at his back only the small force composing the garrison and trading staff of the fort, but, feeling that the crime should not be allowed to go unpunished, he decided to act, upon learning of the murderer's visit to the adjacent village. It so happened that at the time most of the warriors of the village were absent on a hunting expedition. Going to the village with two of his men, Douglas came upon the murderer and executed summary justice by slaying him on the spot.

LIFE IN BALANCE

That evening the hunters returned to their village and learned what had been done. A council was at once held, and retaliation was decided upon; but although the Indians outnumbered the white at the fort, the Indians, true to their practices, planned treachery instead of open warfare. Their old chief proceeded to the fort alone and, knocking at the gate, asked admittance. It was granted.

He was received by Douglas, to whom he recounted what had taken place, adding that he had placed the village under heavy responsibility to the numerous relatives of the dead murderer. They would have to be satisfied by means of presents and, unless they were forthcoming, serious consequences were sure to follow.

This seemed reasonable and suggested an easy way out of the difficulty. While Douglas and the chief were discussing the proposed arrangement, knocking was again heard at the gate. "It is my brother," said the chief. "He told me that he was coming to hear what you had to say. You may open the gate and let him in."

Douglas was completely deceived, and, believing in the apparent good faith of the chief, he ordered the gate to be again opened, when in poured all the warriors from the village, who instantly overpowered the few men of the fort, who were standing about and were unarmed.

Douglas, however, seized a large musket, or wall-piece, that hung in the hall where the meeting took place, and was about to fire it point blank into the crowd of Indians that were pouring in upon him, when the chief seized him by the arms and held him fast.

For a few moments Douglas' life hung in the balance. While he was held by the chief, thirty or forty braves danced about Douglas brandishing their long knives and shouting to one another, "Shall we strike? Shall we strike?" Perhaps fear of the company Douglas represented made them hesitate. Just at this critical moment the wife of the interpreter employed at the fort, forced her way to the front and, by her presence of mind, saved the situation.

DESERVED TO DIE

Observing in the crowd an inferior chief who had always professed warm friendship for the whites, she called upon him to stand by his friends. "You know," she said, "that the murderer deserved to die, according to your own law, it is blood for blood. The white men are not dogs. They love their kindred as you do yours. Why should they not avenge their murderer?"

The woman's words caused the tumult to somewhat subside, her very boldness striking awe into the savages.

The inferior chief, upon whom she called to make a stand in her defence of his white friends, now came forward, and, thrusting aside the hot-headed young braves who were threatening the life of Douglas, he induced the old chief to release his prisoner. In a few minutes all the whites were set at liberty, and in a friendly conference the Indians and Douglas settled their difficulties. The Indians obtained the presents they sought and went back to their village quite satisfied.

On another occasion Douglas was captured by a Northern tribe and held as a prisoner for several weeks. After enduring severe hardships, he effected his escape and succeeded in making his way to one of the company's posts in

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He established posts on Vancouver Island and then made a trip to the North Shore.

Fort Simpson was visited, also the mouth of Skeena River, and the Taku, on which he built Fort Durham, fifty miles from the ocean. Later he accompanied to the North Shore Sir George Simpson, Governor of the Hudson's Bay Company, that had absorbed the North-West Company.

The colonial period in the history of our Pacific Coast opened in the year 1849, when Vancouver Island was created a Crown Colony, of which two years later, James Douglas became Governor. Seven years later the mainland was created a Crown Colony, of which two years later, James Douglas became Governor. Seven years later the mainland was created a separate colony, but a little later the governments of the two colonies were merged, and the mainland, which had been known as New Caledonia, and Vancouver Island, became the colony of British Columbia, with Douglas as Governor.

His term of office terminated in 1864, when, at his express request, he was allowed to retire from public life. As a recognition of his services, the Queen conferred the honor of knighthood upon the retired Governor, who fifty years before had come to Canada as an apprentice in the employ of the North-West Company.

After retiring from public service, Sir James visited Great Britain, but returned to British Columbia, which had become his homeland. He died in Victoria on August 2, 1877.

FORCED SON TO SUPPORT HER FROM HUSBAND'S MONEY

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—(By Canadian Press)—In county police court recently: Despite the fact that her husband left an estate of \$10,500 to his son, and his daughter, the widow was compelled to have the son and daughter in court on a charge of non-support. The old lady said she could not live with her son's wife, and desired to live with her own daughter. Evidence showed that the son left the entire estate to the son and daughter and also providing that his widow be given \$250 yearly and a home. An order of \$10 a month was made against the son and daughter in addition to the \$250 yearly.

Headache Made Her So Sick She Could Not Work

Miss Lola White, Cape Bald, N.B., writes: "I suffered severely, for a long time, with a bad headache. It would ache and ache until it made me so sick I could not work at all. A friend recommended

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TORONTO, Dec. 13.—(By Canadian Press)—A direct descendant of Sir William Ewart Gladstone and a great granddaughter of the "Mother of Scarborough," Mrs. David Thomson, the first white woman in Scarborough township, celebrated this week their golden wedding. In 1876, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nimmo were married in Scarborough. Over two hundred guests came to the reception on that happy day half a century ago.

King George has gone in for the style of wearing a gardenia in the button hole of his light grey overcoat. Queen Mary leans more to pearl grey in her dress attire.

WATER NOTICE.

DIVERSION AND USE. TAKE NOTICE that John Dybvahn, whose address is P.O. Box 1700, Prince Rupert, B.C., will apply for a licence to take and use 4,000 gallons per day of water out of an unnamed creek which flows northerly and drains into Skeena Inlet, about one mile from the head of the Inlet, on its south shore. The water will be diverted from the stream at the natural outlet of a small lake, about 550 feet from the mouth of the creek, and will be used for domestic and industrial purposes upon the 7 acres of land described as unsurveyed land for which license is applied. This notice was posted on the ground on the 23rd day of November, 1926. 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 December 1, 1926.

JOHN DYBVAHN, Applicant.

LAND ACT.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE LAND

In Oona River Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, B.C., and situate on an island in Oona River approximately opposite Block One and Two of Lot 2199, R. 5, Coast District (mostly tide flat surrounding small island).

TAKE NOTICE that John Bergman, of Oona River, B.C., occupation fisherman, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 300 feet north of northwest corner post of Lot 2199; thence 1,000 feet southeast; thence 200 feet westerly; thence 1,000 feet northwest; thence 100 feet to post planted, and containing ten acres, more or less.

JOHN BERGMAN, Applicant.

Dated October 30, 1926.

COMPANIES ACT

TAKE NOTICE that LIPSETT CUNNINGHAM & CO. LIMITED after the expiration of one month from the first publication of this Notice intends to apply to the Registrar of Companies for the approval of the change of name to "EDWARD LIPSETT (PRINCE RUPERT) LIMITED."

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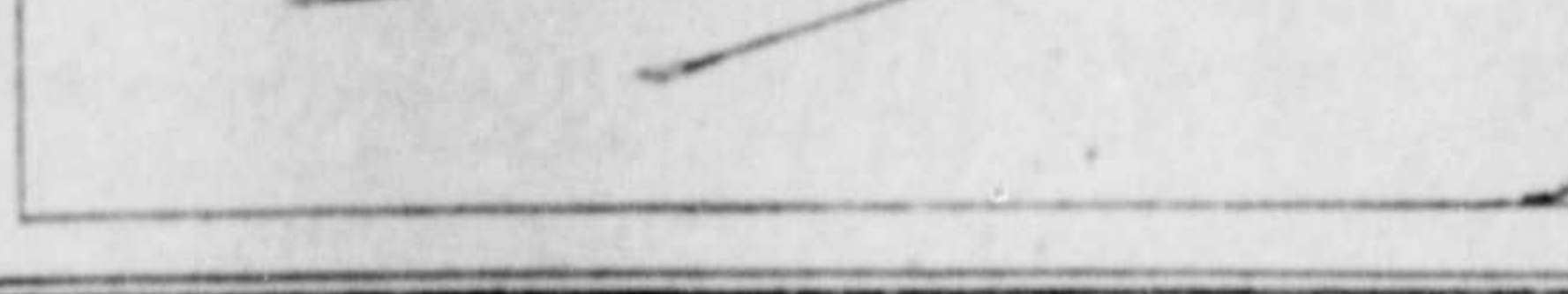
It should carry a firm, creamy head. Above all, it should have a brilliancy of appearance that immediately attracts and delights the eye of the discriminating.

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B.C. Undertakers. Phone 41.

Moose whist drive and dance. Thursday, December 16. 294

Buy Telkwa Coal and keep your money in the district. 11

Another \$1.50 bargain table added at Bulger's jewellery store. 292

I.O.O.F. whist drive and dance in Boston Hall tonight at 8.30. Arthur's orchestra. 11

Basketball tonight in Exhibition Hall at 6.45. Four games. Admission 25c and 10c.

Retail Merchants' Dinner on Tuesday December 14 at 6.30 p.m. in Commodore Cafe. 292

Auctioneer, G. F. Brine. Cash or trade for articles of value. 209 Second Street. Phone 774. 11

A very fine new line of English cups and saucers from 75c. to \$1.50 just added at Bulger's. 292

Postmaster J. R. Morrison and his son will sail this afternoon for the south on the Cardena. 11

It better gasoline could be made. Imperial Oil Ltd. would make it. Ask for Premier Gasoline, made in Canada by Canadian workmen. 296

J. Field Strang, manager of the Sunnyside cannery, who has been in the city for the past few days on business will sail this afternoon for the south on the Cardena. 11

Concert by Prince Rupert Boys' Band assisted by orchestra and vocal artists at Presbyterian Church tonight at 8 p.m. Come and help the band. 11

Roy Sweet and Jas. McKee, charged with assaulting an Indian, had their cases remanded this morning for eight days to permit the recovery of the Indian who is ill in the Port Simpson Hospital. 11

Trappers! Call and show your furs to the Old Reliable House. It will pay you as we can guarantee to give you higher prices than anyone else. We have big orders for all kind of furs especially mink. Wm. Goldbloom, Second Avenue. Phone 622. 11

Look in Bent's window and take a guess how many beans are in the jar. First prize, gentleman's diamond ring, value \$75.00; second prize ladies' wrist watch value \$25.00; third prize, gentleman's nugget pin, value \$15.00. Bent's Closing Out Sale. 11

Bulger's jewellery store will be open evenings from now until Christmas. 292

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prince Rupert Boys' Band Concert, Presbyterian Church, December 14. 11

Booth School Annual Christmas Concert December 15 and 16. 11

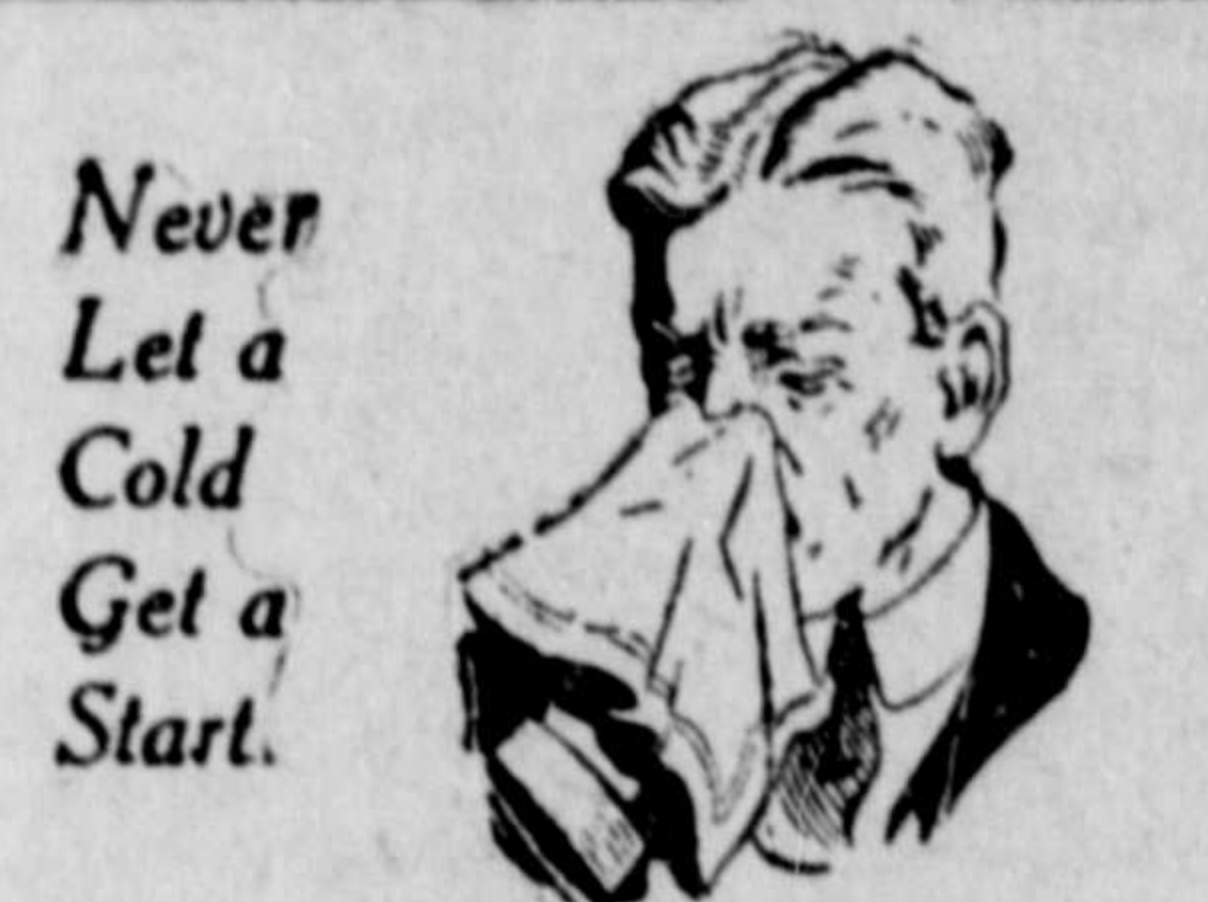
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THE ARCTIC STUDIO
Wishes to announce the arrival of their Holly in one pound cedar boxes. And all of their POTTED PLANTS.
All of their cut flowers will arrive on Wednesday before Christmas.
Please remember that these flowers are from Victoria and not from Vancouver and that every item has been selected by our own people this year and not by the wholesale dealers.
MORTE H. CRAIG.

Coal "the best." Phone 13. P. R. Coal. 293

Buy Rupert manufactured shingles from Seal Cove Lumber Co., Ltd. 11

Eversharp pencils from 50c up, specially boxed for Christmas, at Bulger's. 292

George G. Bushby is sailing this afternoon for the south to spend the Christmas season with his family at Victoria. 11

Canadian Legion Christmas Tree Thursday afternoon, December 23. All returned soldiers please forward names of their children and ages. 294

Passengers booked to sail this afternoon by the Cardena include R. T. Goodfellow, Miss M. Switzer, W. Laing, W. McKinnie and J. H. Kirby. 11

Miss Marjorie Switzer, R.N., who has been on relief duty on the Prince Rupert General Hospital staff for the past few months, sails this afternoon on the Cardena returning to her home in Vancouver. 11

H. A. Rose of Vancouver, representative of the Kerr-Gifford Co., charterers of the grain boat Yosevic, which has been loading here, and H. S. Todd of Seattle, representative of Suzuki & Co., owners of the Ypres Maru, now loading, will sail this afternoon by the Cardena on their return south. 11

Wm. Goldbloom, the Old Reliable, is offering his whole stock of made up furs at practically your own prices. Everything has got to be cleared out before Christmas to make room for new season's goods. Do not miss this opportunity of getting bargains. Wm. Goldbloom, Second Avenue. Phone 622. 11

Mrs. T. D. Smith and daughter, Caroline, who have been away from the city for over four months, returned home on the Princess Mary yesterday. During their absence they visited relatives in Nova Scotia and other eastern Canadian spots and, on their way home, visited in Spokane where Mrs. Smith has a married daughter living. 11

Mrs. Edward McQuade, who was formerly Miss Mamie Fraser of Stewart, held a post-nuptial reception in Victoria last week at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. McQuade, Rockland Avenue, who assisted her in receiving many callers. The tea table, centred with bronze chrysantheums, was presided over by Mrs. Alex McDermott and Mrs. Douglas McConnon, who were assisted by Miss Carol Teilmie, Miss Olive Angus and Miss Veda Shandley. 11

SPECIAL SAILINGS FOR VANCOUVER

In order to accommodate those desiring to go south after the schools close Friday, December 17, the Canadian National Steamships announced that on that day the S.S. Prince Rupert will be held here until 8.00 p.m., arriving Vancouver on time Sunday morning, at 9.00 o'clock.

The following week, on Wednesday, December 22, this steamer will sail for Anyox and Stewart at 4.00 p.m. instead of the usual sailing hour of 10 p.m., returning from the north, arriving here 6.00 p.m. Thursday and sailing for Vancouver 6.30 p.m. that day instead of 9.00 a.m. Friday. This boat will arrive Vancouver 9.00 o'clock Christmas morning.

Accommodation on both these sailings is fast being taken up, and it is suggested those going south should make their reservations at early as possible. 294

HORRIBLE.

Two Cornish miners coveted a cow, which belonged to a neighbor, and laid plans to steal it. On their chosen night it happened that a travelling player with a trained bear had asked for and obtained lodging at the neighbor's house. The owner put the cow in a shed in order to give the bear the run of the barn. The thieves arrived; one went to secure the cow, while the other watched. A clamour of cries and blows came from the barn. The noise filled the night and the look-out cried: "Hae ye gotten 'm, Tam?" The horror of the unknown was in Tam's voice as he replied: "Hae ye gotten 'm? Nay, 'es gotten I."

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!

Stop, and let the train go by. It only takes a minute; Your car will start right off again. And better still, you're in it.

Teacher—Name a collective noun, Johnny. Johnny—A vacuum cleaner.

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OVERCOATS	BOXED HANDKERCHIEFS	SILK SCARVES

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Now ready for Business

Unheard of bargains through our entire Xmas line.—Toys, Fancy Goods, Xmas Dressings, Books, Dolls, Fancy Stationery, Fountain Pens, Eversharp Pencils, Wagons, Sleighs and Gramophones.

Young or old—a long purse or a short one—we have Xmas Gifts that satisfy.

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What Shall I Give Him?

You will find in this list just the gift you have been looking for.

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- Eversharp Pencils, from \$1.00 up
- Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens, from \$2.75 up
- Bridge Score Pads in leather case, from \$1.00 up
- Shaving Soap, in decorated bowls \$1.75
- Kodaks, from \$5.00 up
- Safety Razors, Gillette, Auto-Strop, Durham Duplex, Ever-Ready, from \$1.00 up
- Ring Cutter Straight Razor \$3.75
- Knives and Stropping Machines \$1.25 up
- Thermos Bottles, from \$1.00 up
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SCHEDULE FOR LADIES' WHIST

DECEMBER

- 14—St. George's Ladies v. Orange Ladies
- Moose Ladies v. Pythian Sisters.

JANUARY, 1927

- 4—St. George's Ladies v. Pythian Sisters.
- Orange Ladies v. Moose Ladies.
- 13—Pythian Sisters v. Orange Ladies.
- Moose Ladies v. St. George's Ladies.

FEBRUARY

- 1—Orange Ladies v. St. George's Ladies
- Pythian Sisters v. Moose Ladies.
- 15—Pythian Sisters v. St. George's Ladies.
- Moose Ladies v. Orange Ladies.

MARCH

- 1—Orange Ladies v. Pythian Sisters.
- St. George's Ladies v. Moose Ladies.
- 15—St. George's Ladies v. Orange Ladies
- Moose Ladies v. Pythian Sisters.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

TIME TABLE FOR FIRST HALF OF 1926-27 IS REVISED

DECEMBER

- 14—Tuxis vs. Colts.
- Adanacs vs. Maple Leafs.
- Grotto vs. Terminals.
- Terminals vs. Native Sons.
- 17—Maple Leafs vs. Adanacs.
- Bankers vs. Grotto.
- Elks vs. Terminals.
- 21—Stars vs. Tuxis.
- Adanacs vs. Maple Leafs.
- Terminals vs. Bankers.
- Native Sons vs. Elks.

Advertise in The Daily News

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE FORESHORE

In Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Island Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate at Ferguson Bay, Masset Inlet, Graham Island.

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- For VANCOUVER, VICTORIA, Swanson Bay and Alert Bay, etc., Tuesday, 5 p.m.
- For VANCOUVER, VICTORIA, Alert Bay and Swanson Bay, etc., Saturday, 9 a.m.
- For PORT SIMPSON, ANYOX, ALICE ARM, STEWART and Naas River Canneries, Sunday, 8 p.m.

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PICK ELECTION OFFICERS FROM BOTH PARTIES

CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER MAKES RECOMMENDATIONS TO COMMONS

OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—A method whereby voters' lists for federal elections would be brought up to date each year, instead of the present procedure of compiling new lists each election, based on the latest provincial list, is suggested by Col. O. M. Biggar, chief electoral officer, in his report to the house of commons, made public last week. The report also favors allowing returning officers to continue in office for the full five years for which they are appointed, instead of the practice of cancelling the appointments of one set of such officials and naming others in their place when a new party comes into power.

A number of difficulties now connected with election would disappear, the chief electoral officer points out, if subordinate election officers were also selected without regard to their political affiliations, in other words, as nearly as may be in equal number from among the supporters of each of the principal political parties which may be expected to have candidates in the field.

One of the reasons why the party in power has been desirous of having one of their own supporters as a returning officer is that in case of a tie vote in the constituency this official would have the casting vote. Such a situation has very seldom happened in this country, but Col. Biggar suggests that in case returning officers are allowed to hold office throughout the term, regardless of political affiliation, there should be an understanding that such a casting vote should always be given in support of the official government candidate.

EARLY NOMINATIONS

The date of the last general election being earlier than in 1925 there was no serious difficulties in securing deliveries of the ballot boxes to the polling places. However, he recommended that further constituencies be added to the lists of those in which the interval of 14 days be allowed between nomination and polling days instead of the usual seven days.

He pointed out that most of the complaints made against the election officers showed that the officials were in the right and the complaints were not substantiated.

VOTERS' LISTS

In reference to methods of preparing voters' lists, the report says:

"The cost of a general election under the present procedure is about \$1,700,000, of which about \$1,000,000 represents the cost of preparing voters' lists, and the remaining \$700,000 the cost of the poll. It may be open to question whether the advantages of the present system counterbalances its heavy cost and the inconvenience attendant upon it. There is no doubt that by an expenditure of less than \$250,000 a year up to date, lists having a high degree of accuracy could be continually kept available and the cost of the poll itself could at the same time be substantially reduced. A reduction by half of the length of the campaign would doubtless also do much to relieve the burden the present system places upon candidates. These results could probably be secured only at the sacrifice of some of the elasticity which the present system possesses.

KEEP COSTS OF PORT LOW URGED

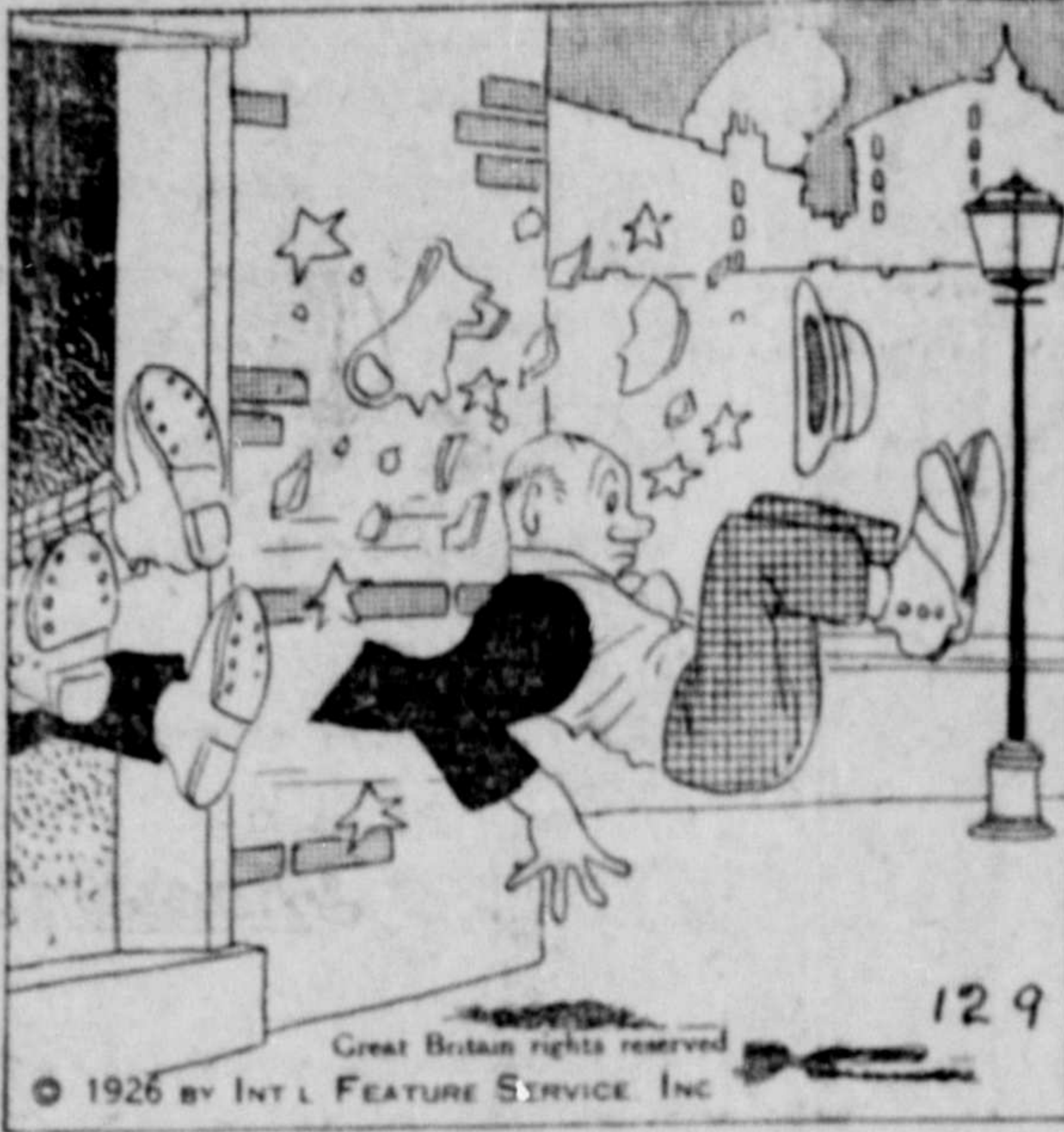
Capt. Letton of Yoseric and Officers Honored by Citizens Last Night

Prince Rupert must keep all charges for material and labor down to the lowest possible level if grain ships are to come here in preference to other Pacific ports declared Capt. Letton of the steamer Roseric, the first British ship to load grain here, who was tendered a complimentary dinner with his officers in the Commodore Cafe last evening by local citizens. About forty local persons sat down to dinner having as their guest Capt. Letton, first officer Siddle and Chief Engineer McHard. After the dinner, the toast of the King was observed and the company then retired to the reading parlors of the Prince Rupert club where W. O. Fulton occupied the chair and, on behalf of the citizens, presented Capt. Letton a framed picture of Prince Rupert grain elevator showing a ship at the dock loading grain.

In responding to the chairman's remarks, Capt. Letton thanked the assembly for the honor paid him and complimented the port on its excellent facilities. He spoke of the keen competition for business existing between the various ports and said that every detail in the securing of business must not be overlooked. It was simply a matter of cost, as ships would naturally go to ports where costs were lowest. Prince Rupert would do well to keep all charges down to a minimum until it was established as a grain port, in fact it would be good business for the port to lose money on the first business offering in order to become established as a competitive port on the Pacific.

First Mate Siddle and Chief En-

BRINGING UP FATHER



ginner McHard also spoke thanking the assembly for courtesies and emphasizing the remarks of Capt. Letton in regard to the costs of securing cargoes. Others who addressed the gathering were Capt. Brown, J. Field Strang, Joseph Bennett, superintendent of the local elevator, H. A. Rose, A. Howe, and several local citizens.



Mothers especially like it for children as it takes the place of internal medicines.

ORGAN RECITAL WAS DELIGHTFUL

POSSIBILITIES OF NEW INSTRUMENT IN CATHEDRAL CHURCH DEMONSTRATED BY MASTER HAND

The large audience which filled St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral last night to hear Rev. A. W. R. Ashley of Stewart give a recital on the new pipe organ, recently installed in the church, was given a decided treat. It was the first time that a performance of its kind had been given in Prince Rupert and music lovers in large numbers took advantage of the opportunity to hear it. As soon as Mr. Ashley had commenced the opening number, the congregation was convinced that it had a most enjoyable hour ahead of it. Although it had been five years since he had had the opportunity of playing a pipe organ, with a few hours' practice, he displayed exceptional ability as a player of that type of music instrument which is acknowledged to be one of the finest produced. His whole program, which was a delight to hear, was most varied in selection and brought out every phase of the possibilities of the instrument. The audience hoped that it would be given another such recital during the coming winter.

Mr. Ashley expressed himself in enthusiastic terms as to the excellence of the organ that the cathedral congregation had installed. Other items on the program were supplied by well known city artists and not only made pleasing breaks between the organ numbers but were themselves exceedingly well rendered. The program, at the opening and conclusion of which Archdeacon G. A. Rix conducted brief religious service, was as follows:

- THE PROGRAM
Organ—Slow Movement (Beethoven).
Organ—Prelude and Fughetta (Lick).
Organ—Trauer (Schumann).
Solo—"He was Despised" (Mendelssohn).
Organ—Intermezzo (Dobson).
Organ—"O my God, Look upon me (Haydn).
Organ—Fanfare in G Minor (Ashford).
Quartet—"God so Loved the World" (Stainer).
Organ—Offertoire (Lefebvre Wely).
Organ—Gloria, 12th Mass (Mozart).
Solo—"How Lovely are Thy Dwellings"

Local Druggists Have Modern Remedy for Colds

A Vaporizing Salvo which is Rubbed Over Throat and Chest for Colds. When Vicks VapoRub, the "external" method of treating sore throat, bronchitis, deep chest colds, or croup, is applied over throat or chest, the ingredients are released as vapors by the body heat. These vapors, inhaled with each breath carry the medication directly to the affected air passages, loosening the phlegm and relieving the congestion. At the same time Vicks acts as a counter-irritant, stimulating the skin, and thus helps the vapors inhaled to break up the inflammation. Colds are usually relieved over night.



Over 21 Million Jars Used Yearly

MOOSEHEART LEGION ELECTS OFFICERS

Organization During 1927—Mrs. Thor Johnson Secretary

Ladies of the Mooseheart Legion last night elected officers as follows for the year 1927: Senior Regent, Mrs. F. M. Crosby. Junior Regent, Mrs. J. Field. Chaplain, Mrs. Jack Ratchford. Recorder, Mrs. Thor Johnson. Treasurer, Mrs. P. Wingham. Other offices are filled by appointment and will be announced when the installation takes place in January.

HILL 60 CHAPTER DONATES \$23 TO Q.C. CITY FUND

A donation of \$23 has been made by Hill 60 Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, toward the Queen Charlotte City relief fund. This represents the proceeds of the Children's party recently held by the chapter, this cause being felt by the young ladies to be one of the best that they

could support at this time.

A list of other donors will be published toward the end of the week. The total list so far published is \$33. To aid the fund, a tea and sale of home cooking will be held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. J. Shenton.

LIBRARY MEMBERSHIP STEADILY INCREASES

Gain of 43 During November Recorded in Report of Librarian—3610 Books Loaned During Month

That the library continues to grow in importance was shown by the report of the librarian, Miss A. D. Cruickshank, which was read last night at the regular meeting of the board. It showed sixty-one new borrowers for the month of November and eighteen withdrawals. Present at the meeting were Mrs. W. J. Kirkpatrick, who occupied the chair, Alderman W. J. Greer, Rev. G. G. Hacker, F. J. Fuller, Jas. Black and secretary, G. V. Wilkinson.

The report of the librarian covering the work of the month showed a daily average of 1719 books loaned during the month with a total of 3,610 altogether. Twelve books had been received by gift and 102 by purchase and 21 had been discarded during the month, leaving a total on the shelves at present of 5,305. Of the 3,610 books which were loaned during the month, 2,904 were fiction, 427 non-fiction, and 679 juvenile. Only routine business occupied the attention of the board after disposing of the report of the librarian.

FIRST GAMES PLAYED BILLIARD HANDICAP

George McIlmoyl, S. Darton and M. M. McLachlan Advance to Second Round

The following games were played in the first round of the gold medal handicap tournament last night: George McIlmoyl, 300; Frank Ziemann, 150. S. Darton, 300; Ben Self, 262. M. M. McLachlan, 300; G. Anderson, 293.

CRIBbage LEAGUE

Results of last night's games in the Cribbage League were as follows: Knights of Columbus, 11; Sons of Canada, 16. Canadian Legion, 13; C.N. Operating 14.

Table with columns: Club, W, L, Pts. Rows include C.N. Operating, Orange Lodge, Grotto, Knights of Columbus, Dry Dock, Canadian Legion, Moose, Sons of Canada, Cold Storage, C.N. Mechanics, Prince Rupert Hotel, St. Andrew's.

SPORT CHAT

The Anxox-Prince Rupert inter High School basketball games to be played here on Friday and Saturday nights of this week should attract good crowds. The visit of Anxox will be the first outside team to play in Prince Rupert this winter and should give an idea as to how local players compare with outsiders. Jimmy Mitchell, as coach, is sure that the visitors will be able to capture the series while locals also are confident that they will come out on the long end of the scoring. Local teams are planning to send teams to Anxox after Christmas possibly leaving here on the Cardena on December 26.

Prince George has formed a hockey association this year and is hoping for a league composed of several interior teams. Last year the Prince George players travelled to Vancouver to play for the junior championship of the province but were not successful. This year they plan on again going after the title and are assured that the series will be played on natural, not artificial, ice which they consider to be in their favor. Although there are many old hockey players in Prince Rupert it would seem to be a long time before

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FOR SALE—FOUR ROOM HOUSE, fully modern, glass veranda, \$2,500. Cash, \$600. Balance \$19 per month. Five room house with bath, Seventh Avenue, \$1,200. Only \$300 cash. Balance to arrange. See our list of other properties for sale. THEO. COLLART LTD. Westholme Theatre Block.

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FOR SALE—TO CLOSE OUT AN ESTATE, we are authorized to sell several lots, some corners, harbor view, and on sewer. Prices low and terms from \$10.00 monthly. * Enquire T. McLymont. 29

INSTANTLY! YOU'LL HAVE TO COME adjusting if you want this comfy home! six-room-and-bath for Xmas. Four blocks from Post Office. Buy it the installment way. G. C. Walker.

FOR SALE—32 foot raised deck cabin cruiser; practically complete and ready for launching; engine installed. Apply Box 10, Daily News office. 297

FOR SALE—IRISH SETTER PUPS, SIX weeks old, \$35 each. Seen evenings. Phone Fern 285. Miss Durrant, the Privets, Seventh Avenue East. 290

SNAP FOR CASH—QUARTER CUI solid oak dining room suite. Phone 22 day time or Blue 258 evenings. 294

FOR SALE—PIANO, PRACTICALLY new. Apply corner Fulton and Sixth Avenue over Sunrise Grocery. 295

WHY NOT HAVE MUSIC? PIANOS and phonographs for rent. Walker's Music store. 29

FOR SALE—WICKER BABY CARRIAGE in good condition. Phone Black 735. 292

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—THIRTY ROOM EQUIPPED hotel. Going concern. Write Box 342 Daily News Office. 29

FOR RENT—WARM HOUSE WITH two bedrooms. Central. Apply 215 Fourth Avenue East.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED SUITE Phone 18, Mussallem Grocery.

BOARD

BOARD.—THE INLANDER, 895 Second Avenue. Phone 137.

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LOST

LOST.—GOLD CRESCENT BROOCH set with pearls between Westholme Theatre and Federal block. Finder please return to Daily News office.

opportunity will be given to share in any honors in this great Canadian out door game.

Just as a little diversion in the realm of sport for the next few days, how would it be to forget billiards, whist, basketball and badminton and have some nice skating? The idea seems to be a good one but, then the weather man always has to be consulted in little details of this kind, so fans, it is up to you to use your influence with old "Jack Frost."

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MILLAR WILL IS DISCUSSED

ONTARIO CLERGYMEN GIVE VARIETY OF OPINIONS ON REQUEST LEFT BY LIQUOR MAN

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 14.—Christian clergymen of Windsor, Walkerville and Sandwich were debating what constitutes legitimate financial aid to the work of the Lord as a result of the will of Charles Millar, eccentric sportsman, who proposed to leave them each a share of stock in the Kenilworth Jockey club here.

Some of them said they "would not touch it," others said they feared it would become "a white elephant on my hands," and still others suggested it might with propriety be accepted and "set once diverted into a trust fund for the relief of orphans of men who squandered their money at the race track."

NO BAR TO ACCEPTANCE

Rev. M. C. Davies, of St. George's Anglican church, Walkerville, saw no Christian bar to full acceptance of the race track share, however, and pointed out that one church here is supported mainly by funds from a local distillery. He referred to St. Mary's Anglican church.

The position of Rev. Davies was diametrically opposed to that of Rev. J. W. Magwood, of Lincoln Road United church of Walkerville. Rev. Magwood said he "could not accept one dollar of it for personal or for church gain."

"I would either preemptorily refuse it," he said, "or at once turn it into the hands of an accredited financial agent to administer it perhaps for the support of a hospital or orphanage for dependents of men who had squandered their fortunes at the track."

Rev. Magwood regarded the provision in the will as "sincerely made to find out whether or not the ministers were consistent." He admitted Millar was "cynical toward moralists, but personally a great sport, who would see no inconsistency in his bequest."

Rev. Fr. John Rooney, of Our Lady of Prompt Succour Catholic church, agreed with the proposal of Rev. Magwood that the proceeds from sale of the stock should be put into some sort of charitable trust fund.

Rev. H. M. Paulin of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, commented on "the sardonic humor" of the proposal and said he "had no intention of profiting personally."

DECLINES STATEMENT

Rev. Oliver U. Chapman, of Temple Baptist church, declined to make any statement in connection with the Millar will, the race track provision of which read:

"To each duly ordained minister of a Christian church (except one Spracklin who shot a hotel keeper), resident at my death in the towns of Walkerville and Sandwich and the city of Windsor, and earning an annual salary expounding the scriptures to the sinners there, I give one share in the Kenilworth Jockey club."

The will was filed for probate at Toronto Monday, and included the additional novel proposal to give approximately \$1,000,000 to the Toronto woman who rears the largest family of children in the next ten years.

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DIVERSION AND USE.

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Applicant.
By J. F. Straug, Agent.

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TAKE NOTICE that Department of Public Works of Canada, whose address is Ottawa, will apply for a licence to take and use 3,000 gallons per day of water out of unnamed stream, which flows eastwardly and drains into Dodge Cove on the east side of Digby Island, B.C. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 100 feet west of the northwest corner of Lot 36, subdivision of part of Lot 1993, Range V., and will be used for domestic purpose upon the land described as Dodge Island. This notice was posted on the ground on the 22nd day of November, 1926. 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 24, 1926.

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MARIE MAY INVITE CAROL TO RETURN

Rumanian Queen Advances the Cause of Her Erring Son

PARIS, Dec. 14.—Former Crown Prince Carol is likely to return to Rumania at an early date, says a Bucharest dispatch to the Trans-Alpine News Agency.

"Queen Marie, who seems more and more mistress of the situation," the dispatch adds, "already has succeeded in making it understood that the decision of last January accepting Carol's renunciation of the throne must be reconsidered and his position again examined into."

"It is possible that he will be invited to return at any early date, even before the end of the week. It is further believed a new regency council will be appointed before the king becomes worse."

In this connection, the correspondent in Budapest of the Echo De Paris says he has received advices to the effect that the physicians attending King Ferdinand consider that his condition makes it impossible for him hereafter to concern himself with state affairs.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

The debate last evening under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club on the resolution "That conscription is advisable in Canada now" was won by the affirmative while G. R. Naden and George Carpenter argued for the negative.

E. F. Duby, who is to superintend the sawmill planned for Prince Rupert by J. S. Emerson of Vancouver, is now in the city.

Six new members joined the Municipal League at the regular meeting last evening.

All the liquor licenses for the next six months were renewed at the sitting of the Commission yesterday.

Was So Nervous The Least Noise Made Her Jump

Mrs. W. H. Yates, Ashern, Man., writes:—"I was bothered very much with my heart and nerves, and the least noise would make me jump and almost stop my heart beating. I told my mother about it one day, and she said that she had been bothered the same way and told me to get a box of



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LIQUOR BOARD MAN IN FREE-FOR-ALL

Thomas Sheaves Appeal Allowed by Judge in County Court at New Westminster

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 14.—An appeal entered by Thomas Sheaves, a liquor board operator, against a conviction by Magistrate T. J. Drain of Haney, on a charge of creating a disturbance in a public place, which arose out of a free-for-all fight at a dance hall of Ruskin, August 21, was allowed today by Judge F. W. Howay in County Court with costs. A feature of the case occurred when Judge Howay ordered Harry Stephens, who was under cross-examination by George Cassidy, counsel for the appellant, out of the witness box. Stephens was mixed up in the fight which brought about convictions of himself, Sheaves and Chief of Police Macdonald, on charges of assault.

SHOULD BE LICENSE OR BANS BEFORE WEDDING PERFORMED

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—(By Canadian Press).—Ministers of all denominations who marry persons without first ensuring that the banns have been published or a marriage license secured, were criticized by Mr. Justice Bruneau in Practice Division of the Superior Court, during argument in the case of Benjamin Ginsberg vs. Sadie Miller, in which the former seeks annulment of the marriage. Under the statutes of the provinces of Quebec it is necessary either to publish the banns of marriage or to secure a marriage license in order that a marriage may be valid in law; and in the present case the petitioner pleaded that neither one nor the other was done.

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Kippered salmon, lb.	25c
Smoked black cod, lb.	22½c
Finnan haddies, lb.	20c
Salt mackerel, lb.	25c
Eastern salt herring, 2 for	25c
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MEATS	
Fowl, No. 1 lb.	35c to 40c
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Ham, sliced, first grade	60c
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Ham, picnic, lb.	22½c
Cottage rolls, lb.	40c
Bacon, back, sliced	50c
Bacon, side	45c to 60c
Pork, dry salt	35c
Ayrshire bacon, lb.	45c
Veal, shoulder	25c
Veal, loin	40c
Veal, leg	40c
Pork, shoulder	30c
Pork, loin	45c
Pork, leg	42c
Beef, pot roast	12½c to 18c
Beef, boiling	10c to 12c
Beef, steak	25c to 40c
Beef roast, prime rib	30c
Lamb, chops	50c
Lamb, shoulder	35c
Mutton, leg	40c
Lamb, leg	48c
Mutton, chops	40c
Mutton shoulder	30c
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Brookfield, Shamrock and Woodland, 2 lbs.	95c
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Roquefort	75c
Swifts' Buttercup, lb.	45c
Morgonzola, lb.	75c
McLaren's Cream, jars	45c and 85c
Gruyere	50c
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SUGAR	
White, per 100	\$7.75
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Flour, 49's, No. 1 hard wheat	\$2.75
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Beets, 6 lbs.	25c
100 lbs.	\$2.75
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100 lbs.	\$2.25
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100 lbs.	\$2.75
Potatoes, 100 lbs.	\$2.50
Potatoes, 8 lbs.	25c
Tomatoes, hothouse	40c
Green peppers, lb.	35c
Parsley, bunch	5c
Mint, bunch	5c
Leeks, 2 bunches	15c
Cauliflower, B.C. head	35c-40c
Green onions, dozen	25c
Terrace cabbage, lb.	6c
California head lettuce	20c
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B.C. Cooking onions, 6 lbs.	25c
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RUM ROW "EFFECTIVELY DISSIPATED" IS REPORT OF U.S. CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Two hundred and twenty-three vessels and boats attempting to smuggle liquor ashore were seized by the coastguard during the year, according to the annual report of Rear Admiral F. C. Billard, commandant of the coastguard.

He reported to congress that rum row has been "effectively dissipated," although foreign rum ships still appear off the coast at frequent intervals.

"Nothing short of everlasting vigilance and constant picketing" prevents successful operations by these ships, he reported.

Prohibition enforcement partially paid its way last year through the collection of \$5,208,203 in fines and forfeitures by the internal revenue bureau, Commissioner Blair reported in his annual report.

ACTS AS NURSEMAID TO GET VOTE, OPENS DOOR TO HIS RIVAL

CHATHAM, Dec. 14.—When Rev. A. C. Calder, successful Conservative candidate in the recent Ontario election, visited a Chatham woman to urge her to vote, the lady had no one to care for her two children, so Mr. Calder agreed to mind the baby if she would take the elder child with her. While he was acting as nursemaid, he answered the door in response to a knock with the baby in his arms. He found his opponent, Dr. C. B. Oliver, standing on the porch.

"Is the lady of the house in?" asked Dr. Oliver seriously.

"No, she is not," replied the minister.

"I gather she has gone to vote?"

"You are perfectly correct."

The amusing side of the situation suddenly dawned on the two opponents, and together they walked into the quiet home and discussed the political contest. As Dr. Oliver left, he saw Mr. Calder still holding the baby—the baby which the doctor himself had brought into the world.

Mr. Calder was elected.

TIMBER SALE X5793.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester not later than noon on the 3rd day of January, 1927, for the purchase of Licence X5793, covering two areas in Goat Harbor, C.R. 4, to cut 752,000 feet board measure of Spruce, Hemlock, Cedar and Balsam sawlogs.

One (1) year will be allowed for removal of timber.

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

PULP TIMBER SALE X8440.

Sealed Tenders marked, "Tender on X8440," will be received by the Honourable, the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, B.C., up to twelve o'clock noon on the 4th day of January, 1927, for the purchase of Pulp Licence X8440, to cut timber situated on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Islands District. Thirty years will be allowed for the removal of the timber.

All tenders must comply with Section 19 of the "Forest Act."

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Further particulars may be had from the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X4302

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, B.C., not later than noon on the 23rd day of December, 1926, for the purchase of Licence X4302, to cut 6,841,500 F.B.M. of Spruce, Hemlock and Cedar, on an area situated on Maude Island adjoining Lots 460 and 461, Skidegate Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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STORY OF EARLY DAYS

HOW INDIANS AND PIONEER WHITES WERE GIVEN AID BOTH PHYSICALLY AND RELIGIOUSLY

OCEAN FALLS, Dec. 14.—At the invitation of Ocean Falls United Church official board, Dr. George E. Darby of Bella Bella Hospital, and Rev. J. C. Spencer of the Indian mission field, addressed the congregation recently on the work of the church. The service was in the interest of the maintenance and extension fund and there was a liberal response. Rev. Wm. Deans, the pastor, was in charge of the service.

Rev. Dr. Spencer told of the great changes wrought by the power of the gospel in the life of the Indian people, telling the story of "Slaughter Hill" at the opening of his address. This is a pretty spot at Rivers Inlet, near the entrance of Schooner Pass. Not so very long ago, after a tribal war, overtures for peace were made and both tribes were to meet at an appointed place. The Rivers Inlet Indians started in good faith and camped for the night at Schooner Pass. Their enemies, lying in ambush, sprang out and killed most of the warriors and the name "Slaughter Hill" (place of slaughter) was given to the spot.

PIONEER WORK

This disaster broke the back of the Rivers Inlet people, Dr. Spencer declared, and they never recovered from its effect. The gospel came and the new generations now dwell together in friendship. In memory of living men, Dr. Spencer continued, a group of braves at Port Simpson, as a display of the fierceness of their character, quartered a living slave, and then rushed through the village biting the quivering flesh. Today Port Simpson has a modern church, with pipe organ, and large congregations every Sunday. The power of the gospel is felt through every tribe of Indians in the province.

Dr. George E. Darby gave an account of the history of medical missions on the coast. In 1889 Dr. William Bolton went to Port Simpson at the urgent request of Rev. Thomas Crosby. The missionary society had no funds to provide for medical work and Dr. Bolton went at his own expense, and erected the first hospital. As the people moved to the Skeena for the fishing season, a branch hospital was established at Port Essington.

Showing a fine enthusiasm and courage, in 1887 Dr. Bolton started the work at Rivers Inlet, and his successors, in the days of speed and steamship service, marvel at the work accomplished in pioneer times.

DOCTORS PROVIDED

The late Dr. R. W. Large took over the work at Rivers Inlet and Bella Bella in 1896, and under his leadership the village of new Bella Bella, where the R. W. Large memorial hospital is now situated, was built.

In 1900 Dr. H. C. Wrinch started medical work at Kishpiox, but soon moved to Hazelton, where there was opportunity to serve a larger field. The pioneer work done by the Hazelton hospital, prior to the coming of the railway and during the days of isolation for the settlers and Indians, is remembered with gratitude by large numbers. Dr. Wrinch won the esteem of the people and is now their representative in the Provincial legislature.

For many years, Dr. Darby declared, the only settled medical men north of Queen Charlotte Sound were the missionary doctors. Had it not been for the church many of the pioneers of the province would have been deprived of medical advice and assistance.

WORK TODAY

Even today, Dr. Darby stated, among the Indians a certain amount of superstition is found. The old medicine man does not like to find his power gone, and an illustration of the deception practised by these men was given. A few years ago a youth was shot accidentally. The medicine man was called and after treating the patient displayed a 22-calibre bullet, which he claimed to have extracted from the wound. He collected his fee, but the boy grew worse.

As a last resort the patient was taken to the Bella Bella hospital. The case seemed hopeless, and did not respond to proper care and nursing. It was found that the bullet had lodged just under the shoulder blade, and when this was removed the boy recovered. The medicine man had provided a substitute for the bullet in order to secure the fee from the father of the boy.

Dr. Darby paid high tribute to the field nurses, who are ministering in large areas, where no doctor is available, such as Kitamaat and Skidegate. These nurses are supported partly by the Women's Missionary Society.

DOCTORS OF PLASTIC SURGERY

Doctors of plastic surgery declare that their art can replace missing parts of the body. Does this apply to loss of memory, or temper, or absence of gall? Or does that need a nerve specialist?

The American Federation of Labor is working to establish a five-day week. It is under the impression that the scriptural injunction to six days of toil was a typographical error on the part of Moses.

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Low	2:47 a.m.	7.1 "
	3:48 p.m.	6.6 "
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15		
High	10:18 a.m.	21.1 ft.
	11:01 p.m.	18.7 "
Low	3:50 a.m.	7.2 "
	4:49 p.m.	5.2 "
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16		
High	11:06 a.m.	21.9 ft.
	11:57 p.m.	19.1 "
Low	4:47 a.m.	7.5 "
	5:42 p.m.	4.0 "
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17		
High	11:49 a.m.	22.4 ft.
	5:40 a.m.	7.8 "
Low	6:30 p.m.	3.2 "
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18		
High	9:46 a.m.	19.9 ft.
	12:31 p.m.	22.6 "
Low	6:29 a.m.	7.9 ft.
	7:15 p.m.	2.6 "

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-emption 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-emption 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 400 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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