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EDITORIAL

THE CATALA FIASCO

If the steamer Catala did not sink last night it was not because the people of Prince Rupert wished otherwise.

The vessel is clearly unfit to make the trip to Vancouver and it is doubtful if she should be allowed to go.

It looks as if a deliberate attempt has been made to take business away from this port.

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New Post Office Urged by City Council Last Night at Its Meeting

Alderman Linzey Urges the Need of Improvement and Board of Trade is to be Asked to Co-operate in Move

The matter being brought up by Ald. P. H. Linzey, the city council last night passed a resolution urging upon the Dominion government the necessity of providing in its estimates at the next parliamentary session an appropriation for a new and adequate post-office building in Prince Rupert.

Introducing the subject, Ald. Linzey expressed his belief that the time had now arrived when the city should make strong and urgent representations to the government with a view to obtaining a post office building that would cope with the business here and at the same time would be a credit to the city and the Dominion.

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PASSENGERS OF NORTHWESTERN TAKEN NORTH

Difficult Work Taking Off the Women and Children From Wrecked Steamer

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—Steamer Iamada from Seattle took the passengers and crew of the stranded Northwestern on board at Campbell River yesterday and continued north to Alaska.

The crew of the salvage tugs removed one of the luggage and divers are to-day making an examination to ascertain the extent of the damage.

The rescue vessel Explorer was compelled to use the ship mattresses as buffers to avoid being buried to destruction against the sides of the Northwestern and only after several attempts of Captain Hansen was he able to get his boat alongside.

ISLAND OF TRINIDAD SUBJECT OF SPEECH

Miss Hirsay Delivers Interesting Paper Before United Church Young People Last Night

The United Church Young People's Society heard an interesting paper at its meeting last night by Miss Hirsay whose subject was "Trinidad." A description was given of the geographical features of the island, the origin of its people, the main industries and the work of the United Church among the East Indians, its schools, colleges and churches with special reference to the founder of the mission—Dr. Grant.

A new feature was introduced in the recreational period which followed, the volleyball being put to use for the first time.

CATALA PREPARING TO LEAVE FOR VANCOUVER

The steamer Catala, which has been temporarily patched here for the purpose of taking her to Vancouver, is reported to have nearly sunk last night when she took a bad list on the port side.

FROZEN BODY FOUND IN A STRAW STACK

LETHBRIDGE, Dec. 13.—The frozen body of Johnny Huculak, seven years of age, was found in a strawstack at the farm of George Bower.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cruikshank, who have been on a trip to Winnipeg, are expected to return to the city on the Prince Rupert tomorrow morning, accompanied by their young son.

Review of Mining Development Metallurgical Features and Future Prospects of Industry

The current year has been marked by the amount of development work throughout the province equal to or greater than that in any previous year, says a provincial mining report just published under authority of Hon. Wm. Sloan.

Mr. Sloan points to the aggressive policy of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, in acquiring new properties as a noteworthy feature of the year.

ASHCROFT IS UP IN ARMS

Objection Taken to Method of Marketing Potatoes and Putting on Restrictions

ASHCROFT, Dec. 13.—Unless all restrictions affecting the potato crop are lifted, the growers will not put in a crop next spring, according to a resolution passed last night by the Ashcroft and district board of trade following a discussion of marketing control operations.

The resolution will be sent to the premier and the market control committee, the latter being requested to lift the restrictions affecting the potato crop. Unless this is done at once positively no crop will be put in next spring resulting in the present cultivated irrigated lands becoming wild and many growers irremediably ruined.

It is argued that immediate effective action be taken so that the present crop may be salvaged as far as possible.

CHOKED TO DEATH ON A BEEFSTEAK AT SEATTLE YESTERDAY

SEATTLE, Dec. 13.—A beefsteak party of convivial friends ended abruptly last night when one of their number choked to death with a mouthful of meat.

The feast had scarcely begun when Patrick Clements, 47 years of age, an old Alaskan, who startled his companions with his avidity, burst into a fit of coughing and dropped dead.

DE VALERA LEAVES FOR THE STATES

DUBLIN, Dec. 13.—Eamon De Valera, leader of the opposition in the Irish Free State, sails on the Leviathan tomorrow to confer with his political friends in the United States on a mission in connection with the details of the Flanna Fail. The mission is mainly economic, including the financing of a projected daily newspaper, it was stated.

FREIGHTER MISSING ON LAKE SUPERIOR

PORT ARTHUR, Dec. 13.—The Canadian Steamship packet freighter Kamloops is missing with a crew of 22 including two women cooks and is feared lost.

BODY OF MAN FOUND IN C.P.R. APPLE CAR

KAMLOOPS, Dec. 13.—The dead body of H. Johnson of Vancouver was found in a C.P.R. apple car reaching here Sunday from Penticton.

Fishermen Ask For More Time to Discuss Proposals Regard to Conservation of the Salmon

No decision was arrived at last night in regard to proposals made by the canners for a new method of conserving the salmon fisheries. The inquiry in regard thereto was opened by W. A. Found, director of fisheries for the Dominion, who called the meeting last night in the Moose Hall over which he presided.

Prior to the big meeting there was a smaller meeting of fishermen and canners in the city hall at which the whole question was discussed at length and at which R. J. Gase and C. Thomas on behalf of the canners explained the situation.

The question now was not who was at fault but what was the remedy. It was necessary to restrict the time of fishing and if the present conditions obtained the action of the department would be more and more drastic even if it was found that thereby no one was prospered.

The canning interests had tried to get together to secure better economic conditions. The majority of the canners sent a delegation to Ottawa and finally asked for a Royal Commission to investigate. Then three proposals had been made:

To issue licenses for definite fishing areas. To vary the closed season according to the number of men fishing. To have all salmon processed in the area in which it is caught except that taken by trollers or used for freezing or sold fresh.

The director urged the desirability of canners and fishermen working together for their own mutual interest. One could not prosper without the other. Any lack of confidence on either side should be bridged. While they were asking for the opinion of fishermen on the specific questions, other matters were not precluded if they were of real moment.

J. C. Brady, M.P., addressed the gathering at length. He said he attended the meeting in the city hall in the afternoon and he had tried to find the feeling of the fishermen throughout the district. The principles outlined seemed to be along good lines. Canners as well as fishermen should agree to united effort.

Mr. Brady found that the fishermen did not like the idea of securing a license for each area with a fee attached. He urged also that the patrol system be changed, that illegal fishing be prevented, that all confiscations of gear be published, that public notice be given of the sale of confiscated gear, that the patrol be manned by qualified men.

OHIO MARU, SIXTH GRAIN SHIP, WILL ARRIVE SATURDAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Colonel Charles Lindberg started a two thousand mile non-stop flight to Mexico City at 12:29 this afternoon. As he started over the Patmac River he seemed to be having difficulty in gaining altitude but as he disappeared to the southward he was getting better results.

CAR PLUNGED OVER AN EMBANKMENT AND ONE MAN WAS KILLED

MERRITT, Dec. 13.—E. Michaelson in charge of a section of the government road between Merritt and Spence's Bridge was killed and Fred Mulloy badly bruised when their car plunged over the embankment near Clapperton.

PEOPLE'S COUNCIL AT CANTON IS FORMED

HONG KONG, Dec. 13.—A people's council has been established at Canton modelled on Soviet lines. Reuter's agency learns Cantonese refugees are pouring into Hong Kong.

KOOTENAY PIONEER DIES

VICTORIA, Dec. 13.—James M. Kellie, a pioneer member of the Legislature for Kootenay, died suddenly this morning at his home on the Gorge Road.

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KEEP FINANCES SOUND

British Columbia is to be congratulated on the state of her finances. She has the largest sinking fund of any province in Canada, considering the size of the public debt and the credit of the province is being steadily maintained. The result is that when bonds are sold they are higher than any that are offered.

Possibly we shall be accused of talking politics if we mention that the present government of which Hon. T. D. Pattullo is a member is responsible for the present condition of affairs. When they took hold the finances were in a parlous state but little by little the confidence of the financial world has been won until today the province stands pre-eminent in the matter of finance.

We do not always agree with everything the provincial government does. No government has ever existed that is perfect. We do not believe that any newspaper should back a party for good or for ill. We take problems as they arise and try to discuss them on their merits. However, on this matter of finance the present provincial government is ahead of any that has ever gone before it.

Governments are notoriously lax in the administration of public money. No matter where one travels on this continent, at any rate, criticisms will be heard of the way in which public funds are squandered. The present government is not wholly free from blame in this respect. Take the first work done on the Kaien Island highway, we all know the province did not get full value for the money expended. Two years work carried the road only a very short distance. It was not that anyone did anything particularly wrong in that respect but that in working for the government there did not seem that stimulus to speed that there is for a private individual. The result is fatal to efficiency. So bad was the condition that even the Labor leaders of the city asked for a change. Now the work is let by contract and the change is at once apparent. Yet the pressure of public opinion was so great that at first it would have been difficult for the government to have let a contract until the fallacy of the other method was shown.

Now that it is clearly evident that the only way to make progress is to let the work by contract, it is to be hoped that the government, of which Mr. Pattullo is an important member, will continue the contract method, even if by doing so loses some of the friends who strongly believe in the day labor method. As a local labor man said at a recent meeting, what we want is results and the only way to get that seems to be by the contract system.

HEALTH RECIPE

So many health hints are scattered broadcast in periodicals and otherwise these days that even those who believe in them become confused, at the plethora of advice thus given. One such "infallible recipe to preserve children" in the Michigan Health Bulletin, however, is different from the usual run. It reads:

Take one large, grassy field, one-half dozen children, two or three small dogs, a pinch of brook and some pebbles. Mix the children and dogs well together and put them in a field, stirring constantly. Pour the brook over the pebbles. Sprinkle the field with flowers. Spread over all a deep, blue sky, and bake in the hot sun. When brown, remove and set away to cool in a bathtub.

Of course it may be taken for granted, however, that the foregoing was not written by an orthodox "health hint" doctor.

In The Letter Box

MAKE P.G.E. A HIGHWAY

Editor, Daily News.

Everyone who has read the report in Thursday's News of the address given by Hon. T. D. Pattullo on the P.G.E. Railway problem, must admire his courage, although he enjoyed the fraternal protection of a worthy service club—the Rotary Club. His argument was ingenious and was sufficiently convincing to elicit favorable editorial comment from the Daily News. A few months ago Mr. Pattullo had to face the problem of supporting his cabinet's decision on the P.G.E. or fighting for Northern B.C. and resigning.

As our Minister of Lands has stated, the P.G.E. expects to get the bulk of its traffic from freight coming from along the G.T.P. and destined for Vancouver. He states that were it not for this contract to the effect the P.G.E. would never have been built. The G.T.P. has gone and its successor the C.N.R. already has a much better outlet to Vancouver, over the Canadian Northern. Continuing Mr. Pattullo's reasoning one further there is no need now of the P.G.E. road. What was the G.T.P. has an outlet to Vancouver. That outlet is far short of a normal traffic and is not likely to donate any of its business to a competing road as long as it can handle it itself.

It is hard to accept our member's viewpoint that since the G.T.P. entered into an agreement with the P.G.E. that the "C.N.R. are under a moral obligation to take over the P.G.E." However, if his contention is correct then the Province of B.C. is under a greater "moral obligation to pay annual interest on \$45,000,000 of Canadian Northern bonds guaranteed by the province. Leave a sleeping dog alone."

ENGINEERS AGAINST IT

Competent engineers all advise against the P.G.E. as a possible economic railroad. Seven years ago our Provincial Government sent an eminent engineer to Peace River hoping that he would recommend the P.G.E. as an outlet for their grain. He advised to come out to Vanderhoof. Engineers with their reputation at stake do not recommend lifting carloads of wheat one mile into the air when an ocean port can be reached with a climb of a few hundred feet. They do not advise to use a road that will require three locomotives to move a smaller load than can easily be carried along another route by one. The government that wishes to command the confidence of the public will accept the advice of their engineer. Scrap the road, sell the rails and rolling stock and give the public a new and splendid highway that will be a real service and value to the province.

DIVERSION POLICY

Now let us briefly consider the Rail way question from the Northern and Central B.C. standpoint. Several years ago the Provincial Government guaranteed the bonds of the Canadian Northern and made their guarantee conditional on diverting the road to Vancouver. Then they built the P.G.E. Now they want to recapture the Peace River Block, not to develop it but to give it to a railway company as a bonus to go to Vancouver. In other words the resources of the north were given away and the effort still continues to build up what already is by far our largest city.

In the same address in which he boasts for the flow of traffic into Vancouver and away from Prince Rupert, he advocates the establishment of ocean liners to the Orient. Probably he will load them with the output of the seven or eight paper plants in Rupert, one in Prince George and the one at Estabill River.

If Mr. Pattullo wishes in his last days to do us a service he will give us at an early date a segregated report of the gross income and expenditures in Northern and Central B.C. in the last twenty years. That will help up to intelligently discuss the problem of the new province.

Thanking you Mr. Editor.

T. ROSS MACKAY.

PEACE RIVER OUTLET

Editor, Daily News.

Is the last vestige of hope for Prince Rupert and adjacent north land to vanish through the obscure passage to Vancouver since the recent announcement of Premier MacLean that his government favored completing the P.G.E. to Prince George and its ultimate extension to Peace River? Such will in-

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dicating the trend of tide. The man on the street will tell us there is nothing we can do about it. But work and pray, live on hay etc. But in the words of Patrick Henry: "If we wish to be free we must fight." An appeal for justice or the Gods of battle is the only recourse left us. Is this northern portion of the province to be made a perpetual vassal of Vancouver through intriguing politicians? Ireland for ages endured the same. But a sad ending finally gave relief.

Mayor Taylor of Vancouver in his shrewd persistent manner brought into being what is known as the Western Unity League that appears to be functioning effectively in the development of western trade. In my opinion fight now the northern country should organize and prosecute a movement for the development of the north for the north. A development league made up of representatives of all the centres of the north should be organized and a drive instituted on the powers that be—both Federal and Provincial—for a show down.

As all engineering authorities tell us the only logical outlet for Peace River is Prince Rupert or Stewart. So why not seize the situation now and make a drive for Nature's endowment? We cannot sit back and hug the delusive spasm of hope until our enemies have

bound us hand and foot. If we wish to prohibit invasion we must fight. Upon this issue I intend entering the civic aldermanic contest for 1928 council and I solicit the endorsement of the movement by the voters and as many aspirants for municipal honors as possible so that next year's council may go into office prepared for action on the issue. Let the slogan of Prince Rupert and the North be "A Peace River Connection or a Peace River Province."

Thanking you, Mr. Editor.
Respectively,
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Variety dance in the Elks' home tomorrow night. Admission 75c and 50c. An evening of real fun.

James Aubrey Simmons of Atlin has been appointed a Justice of the Peace. It is announced in the B.C. Gazette.

The B.C. Gazette announces the appointment of R. B. Brummit, M.D., as medical health officer and medical inspector of schools for the Terrace district.

Hyde Transfer now agents for Al-Alberta Sootless and Pembina Peeries. These coals are under cover, don't buy water, buy coal. \$12 a ton can you beat it?

The grain ship Ainderby went on the drydock last night to get her propeller changed and is expected to come off tomorrow when she will commence loading.

We have just received another lovely lot of fur coats, consisting of muskrat, calfskin, French seal, Hudson seal, Persian Lamb and Grey Krimmer Lamb. These are all in the latest styles, and from now until Christmas we are making a special offer of one third off the selling price. Do not miss this opportunity of getting a lovely coat at a reasonable price.—W. Goldbloom, Second Avenue.

During the month of October there was fire loss of \$6,112.00 in the city, this representing the destruction of G.T.P. shed No. 1 which was duly covered by insurance, according to report made to the council last night by Fire Chief D. H. McDonald. During November there was no loss. The chief reported equipment of the department to be in good order. The expenditure of the department in October was \$1,105.10 and in November \$1,431.80.

The next trip of the Canadian Pacific Steamer Princess Mary has been arranged as a Special Christmas Sailing and will leave Prince Rupert on the afternoon of December 21, arriving in Vancouver on December 23 in time for passengers to make connections with steamers for Vancouver Island ports, Seattle and other destinations in the vicinity. Passengers desiring to travel via Canadian Pacific should make early reservations for there will be a heavy list of holiday seekers from Alaska and the Yukon. Phone 31 or call at City Ticket office on Third Avenue. 298

There will be no basketball this evening.

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"Friendly Village" at the United Church, Thursday, December 15 at 8.15 prompt. Tickets 50c.

The Variety Dance on Wednesday in the Elks' Home is for the purpose of spreading a little joy and happiness this Christmas. Will you help?

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A real Christmas surprise by the B.C. Fur Co. The biggest sale of furs ever held in history, of coats, chokers and foxes, starts Wednesday morning. Watch our windows and advertising.

Rose, Cowan & Latta, presenting the lower tender of \$208, was awarded the contract by the city council last night for the printing of 100 copies of the 1928 voters' list. Alex McRae Co. bid \$285 plus four per cent sales tax.

On recommendation of the utilities committee, the city council last night gave Albert & McCaffery Ltd. the order for 500 tons of Nanaimo-Wellington washed pea coal for use in the dry dock power plant. The bid was \$7.50 per long ton f.o.b. dry dock.

During the month of November the city electric light department showed a surplus of \$1,490.42 and the telephone department a surplus of \$795.68 according to reports presented to the city council last night by J. J. Little, superintendent of utilities. There was no report in regard to the loss on the water.

Robert Mathison, half-breed, was fined \$25, with the option of thirty days' imprisonment, in city police court this morning for drunkenness. Andrew Cecil and Andrew Moffatt, Indians, were each fined \$15 and \$3.50 costs, with the option of thirty days' imprisonment, on similar charges. Asked where he obtained the liquor, Moffatt stated that he had paid a man at Cow Bay who was about to have to trap-ping \$4 for a bottle.

Hotel Arrivals.

Savoy

John Walker and J. Johnson, city.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Play by United Church Ladies, December 15.

Moose Christmas Tree, December 18

Canadian Legion Xmas Tree Dec 23

Skating daily, 2 to 4 and 8 to 10.

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On recommendation of the utilities committee, the city council last night gave Albert & McCaffery Ltd. the order for 500 tons of Nanaimo-Wellington washed pea coal for use in the dry dock power plant. The bid was \$7.50 per long ton f.o.b. dry dock.

During the month of November the city electric light department showed a surplus of \$1,490.42 and the telephone department a surplus of \$795.68 according to reports presented to the city council last night by J. J. Little, superintendent of utilities. There was no report in regard to the loss on the water.

Robert Mathison, half-breed, was fined \$25, with the option of thirty days' imprisonment, in city police court this morning for drunkenness. Andrew Cecil and Andrew Moffatt, Indians, were each fined \$15 and \$3.50 costs, with the option of thirty days' imprisonment, on similar charges. Asked where he obtained the liquor, Moffatt stated that he had paid a man at Cow Bay who was about to have to trap-ping \$4 for a bottle.

Hotel Arrivals.

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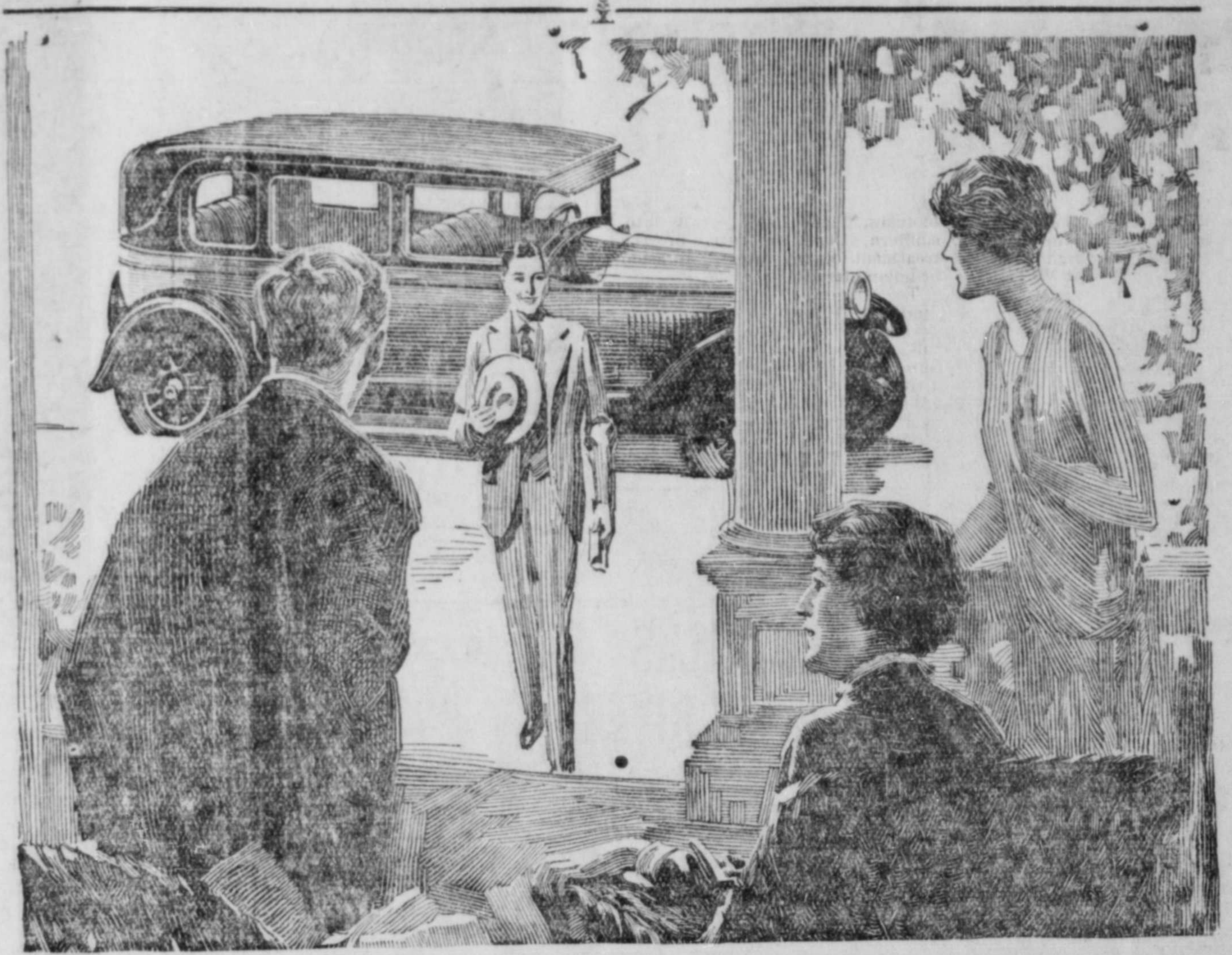
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The next meeting of the city council will be on Thursday, December 29, the city fathers decided last night. It will be the week between Christmas and New Year's during which there are a number of other events on.

The city council last night deferred for another two weeks the consideration of amendments to the street traffic by-law. Ald. G. P. Tinker and Ald. Jos. Greer pointed out that the matter had been hanging fire for some time and urged that it be dealt with as soon as possible.

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LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE LAND

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COUNCIL TALKS OF PEACE RIVER

Proposal of Mayor to Embark Upon Extensive Money Spending Campaign Not Favored

COMMITTEE NAMED

Data to be Obtained Through Joint Efforts of City and Board of Trade

Mayor Newton's promised proposal in the matter of taking action with a view to obtaining for Prince Rupert the Pacific coast outlet for the Peace River valley was not received with favor by the city council on its presentation at last night's meeting. His Worship suggested the advisability of appropriating a sum of \$3,000 for the purpose of retaining an engineer who would gather data with a view to establishing the city's case for presentation to the authorities. The council unanimously felt that the same information might be available without involving any such large financial outlay and it was decided, rather than accepting the mayor's suggestion, to appoint a committee of the council which would act with a similar committee from the Prince Rupert Board of Trade to devise ways and means of proceeding with the matter.

Mayor Newton presented to the council correspondence he had had in connection with the matter. The first letter was from A. Bridgeman, North Vancouver barrister, who claimed to be a practical railwayman of experience, who had referred the mayor to an experienced engineer who, for the time being, was desirous that his name should not be revealed. This engineer could see great savings in the matter of construction and operation if a line were built from the Peace River to Prince Rupert rather than to Vancouver and was willing, if the city was interested, to make the necessary investigations and take up the case on behalf of the port of Prince Rupert.

Two letters from the engineer in question were then read. After referring to the advantages possessed by Prince Ru-

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pert in the matter, this engineer stated his willingness to embark upon the work on behalf of Prince Rupert for a fee of \$3,000 in four equal installments starting on December 1, 1927. If surveys were to be undertaken, additional appropriations would be necessary but it would be impossible to ascertain them immediately. The engineer also recommended that Mr. Bridgeman be retained at a fee of \$1,000 by the city of Prince Rupert to take up the case at Ottawa.

If he was engaged, Mr. would first come to Prince Rupert and then proceed to Hazelton with a view to making investigations of a proposed route from Finlay Forks to that point. He would then go to Ottawa to lay the matter before the government and possibly to Montreal to consult with railway authorities. If \$300 were wired, he would immediately leave for Prince Rupert.

Another letter from Mr. declared that the whole Peace River district heartily endorsed Prince Rupert as its terminal, preferring it to any other port on the coast. He thought Prince Rupert would also be favored at Ottawa if the city's case were laid properly before the government.

NO AUTHORITY

City Solicitor E. F. Jones expressed the view that the council had no authority to spend money in such a manner as had been suggested. It was not within the purview of municipal powers.

Mayor Newton urged the council not to jump at the conclusion that he had no power to spend money in this way. He believed that the Peace River was so important a matter in connection with the future of Prince Rupert that ways and means should be devised whereby the situation could be met. Surely there was no use in throwing cold water on the proposal at the outset. He urged the council to concentrate on the matter and devise some plan whereby results might be obtained.

The mayor then went on to relate how, in company with S. E. Parker, he had had interviews in Vancouver with Mr. Bridgeman and the engineer in question. He referred to other undertakings with which the engineer had been identified. He was apparently a skilled man who was well in touch with the situation. This engineer had stated that, if southern lines were pursued the Peace River country would never be properly served thereby. It was essential that the outlet should be much farther north. There were other valuable areas that would be opened up by a line, which would also be the shortest leading toward Prince Rupert. Such a line would probably come out at or near Hazelton, in no case farther east than Vanderhoof.

NO TIME TO LOSE

The mayor urged that there was no time to be lost if Prince Rupert's case was to be submitted at the next session of parliament when the matter would undoubtedly be taken up. He was convinced with the capability and enthusiasm of this engineer in the matter of a line which would land near Prince Rupert. If the proposals of this engineer did not appeal to the council, possibly some other engineer might be obtained. In any case, he urged that immediate action be taken to secure the data which Ottawa would require in

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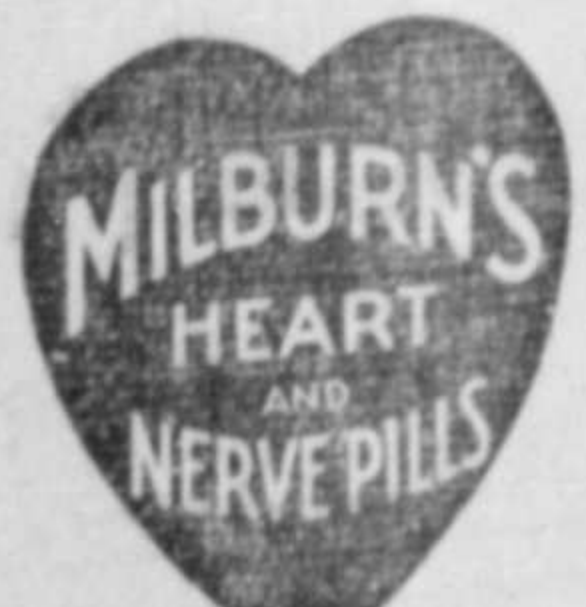
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In order to accommodate those desiring to go south for Christmas, Canadian National Steamships announce that the s.s. "Prince Rupert" will sail southbound Thursday, December 22, at 10:00 p.m. instead of on the regular schedule Friday morning. This boat will arrive Vancouver 9:00 a.m. Saturday, December 24, making connections with boats and trains for Victoria and Seattle.

In order to perform this service, this steamer will sail for Anyox and Stewart at 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 21, instead of the regular sailing hour of 10:00 p.m., returning from the North arriving here 7:00 p.m. Thursday, December 22.

Accommodation on southbound sailing is fast being taken up, and it is suggested those going South, make reservations early at City Ticket Office, Third Avenue. Phone 260. 298

NEW SLOGAN CONTEST

There was a meeting last night of the slogan committee when it was decided to close entries on January 16, the slogans to be limited to six words in length and referring to Prince Rupert exclusively. The meeting, which was held in the offices of Dybhavn & Hanson, was presided over by F. G. Dawson.

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LAND ACT.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE LAND

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District and situated on the southwest corner of an unnamed bay on the south bank of Port Channel, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, in the Province of British Columbia.

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Robertson, of Massett, B.C., occupation a lumberman, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted about one chain westerly from the mouth of an unnamed creek flowing into an unnamed bay on the south bank of Port Channel, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, Province of British Columbia; thence 4 chains southerly; thence 10 chains easterly; thence 4 chains northerly to the shoreline; thence following the shoreline to point of commencement, and containing 3 acres, more or less.

(Signed) A. ROBERTSON, Applicant.
Dated October 6, 1927.

SUPERANNUATION FOR EMPLOYEES OF CITY

Petition Presented by Fire Department Opens Matter Affecting All in Municipal Service

A petition from the members of the fire department requesting the council to put into effect here recent legislation of the provincial government regarding compulsory superannuation of civic employees, the same to take effect January 1, 1928, was received by the council last night and referred to the finance committee. The petition was signed by D. H. McDonald, James Parks, Frederick Cooper, Hugh Smith, J. R. Morrison, R. B. Skinner and Alexander MacDonald.

Mayor Newton observed that the legislation referred to would embrace all

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REVIEW OF MINING DEVELOPMENT METALLURGICAL FEATURES AND FUTURE PROSPECTS OF INDUSTRY

(continued from page one)

of the Whitewater mine, where intelligent development based on capable engineering has been very successful in restoring an old property. At this time a new 125 ton concentrator is about ready to start operation, and steady production, backed by ample ore reserve, will commence.

Another interesting development of the year is the success attending the development of the Prosperity and Porter-Idaho properties in the Stewart camp.

The Ferguson property on the Ingonka River, which attracted much attention in 1926, has been secured on option by W. R. Wilson. A crew of men was sent in to the property in the fall and steady development will be carried on all winter. From surface showings this property is reported to have the possibility of being a large deposit of medium-grade silver-lead-zinc ore. During the season it was examined by Victor Dalmage, of the Geological Survey of Canada.

METALLURGICAL FEATURES
 Mr. Sloan points to the steady progress made during the year in improving and expanding the plants of the province for the metallurgical treatment of ore. Much of the successful growth of mining in British Columbia, in recent years, is due to the skill of the metallurgist. Not only have large known deposits of complex ores been rendered docile, but the possibility of treating practically any

type of ore has made many prospects, previously unattractive, look like potential mines. Only a small percentage of the metallic ores of the province is now being treated by direct smelting, as the concentration of ores has been found to be much more efficient.

During the last three years the Granby Company at Anyox has gradually changed from direct smelting to concentration of the low-grade copper ore contained in the Hidden Creek ore-bodies. The concentrator is now handling about 3,500 tons of ore a day and only enough crude ore is smelted to maintain one blast-furnace in operation, chiefly in order to smelt the sintered concentrates produced at the mill. The beneficial effects of this change of practice are shown by the fact that the company is now treating lower grade ore than ever before, and even with the prevailing low price for copper, during 1927, the company has made a satisfactory profit.

At the mill of the Britannia, as a result of improved metallurgical practice, a substantial production of pyrite is now being made which formerly went into the tailings and was lost. Experimentation was commenced in 1926 and during 1927 the recovery of pyrite by selective flotation has proceeded satisfactorily, resulting in an estimated output for the year of 35,000 tons. By additions and changes the Britannia mill was speeded up during the year, so that now it is treating 4,000 tons a day.

As a result of the valuable work continually being carried on by the research department of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, at Trail, steady progress is being made in the recovery of more of the valuable constituents of the ores treated at the Trail plant. One problem being worked on this year was the beneficiation of the low-grade phosphate rock from the deposits in East Kootenay, discovered by the company last year. Continued experimentation is also being directed to the further recovery of zinc from smelter slags and the possible utilization of the iron content of the ores treated. This company also does much work to assist the small mining company and the individual miner by testing complex ores and advising a most practical method of treatment.

In the Slocan-district the construction of several mills, ranging in capacity from 50 to 200 tons a day, was commenced this year, in which straight selective oil-flotation will be used for treating silver-lead-zinc ores. The notable features of these new mills—which all follow the same design—is the extreme simplicity and absence of a complicated flow-sheet. They consist essentially of a fine grinding plant, two rows of flotation-cells and a filtration machine, and the necessary motive power. Under this system of concentration a minimum of labor is required and at the same time a relatively high extraction of the valuable minerals is obtainable.

MILLS IN NORTH

In the northern part of the province three new mills were started during the year—at the Dunwell, at Stewart, the Toric, near Alice Arm, and the Duthie Mines mill near Smithers. The Dunwell mill works satisfactorily, treating a larger daily tonnage than had been expected, but owing to exhaustion of the developed ore reserves at the mine the mill was closed in November. The Toric mill which was designed to treat a silver ore by amalgamation and tabling, was found on trial to be unsatisfactory and will be remodelled next year to treat the ore by flotation. The Duthie Mine's mill was designed to treat a medium-grade silver ore, carrying also some lead and zinc, by straight selective flotation. The results have been very satisfactory, a surprisingly high extraction being obtained, with the production of a lead concentrate carrying most of the silver and a satisfactory grade of zinc concentrate. This mill, which has a capacity of fifty tons a day, shows the possibility of effective, economical milling on a small scale.

PROSPECTING

Mr. Sloan points out, that prospecting has not been particularly active during the year, but some discoveries have been reported when, on opening up, may prove of value. Most of the old-time type of prospectors have in recent years been engaged in "prospecting" claims they have located, rather than in looking for new mineral deposits, and there is no great influx of younger men into the ranks of prospectors. The present active mining campaign by the larger mining companies to acquire mineral properties and the rapid rate at which many claims, long located and lying dormant, are being taken up, should soon cause a revival in prospecting. British Columbia, for some years, has been well supplied with promising prospects and when the stock becomes depleted through the present demand a new supply will undoubtedly be forthcoming.

PROFITS

It is probable that owing to lowered metal prices profits of the mining industry will be somewhat less for 1927 than in the previous year 1926, which constituted a record. Dividends, which are the final indication of profits, are expected to total between \$8,000,000 and \$9,000,000, as compared with \$9,747,270 in 1926.

From a careful review of the salient features, the minister of mines believes, it is evident that the mineral industry of British Columbia is in a most satisfactory condition and that every indication points to a continuation of the present prosperity.

The report contains comprehensive summaries by each of the six resident engineers on the development work done in their respective districts during the year and also a report of activities in coal mining with a table of estimated production for the year prepared by James Dickson, chief mines inspector.

NAVIGABLE WATERS' PROTECTION ACT.

Revised Statutes of Canada, Chapter 115 BRITISH COLUMBIA FISHING & PACKING COMPANY LIMITED, 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 Registrar of Land Titles at Vancouver, British Columbia, a description of the site and plans of a cannery, cannery wharf and perquisites thereto, proposed to be built on the lands covered with water fronting on Lot 1295 and Lot 1485, Range 3, Coast District, in the Province of British Columbia, which said Lots are situate at Johnson Channel in the said Province.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, British Columbia Fishing & Packing Company Limited will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa for approval of the said site and plans and for leave to construct the said cannery, cannery wharf and perquisites thereto.

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PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS HAD YEAR'S FINAL MEETING

The final monthly meeting of the year of teachers and officers of the First Presbyterian Church Sunday School was held last night in the Manse, there being a full attendance of the fifteen or sixteen members of the staff with the superintendent, John E. Davey, presiding. Full arrangements were made for the annual Sunday school Christmas tree entertainment which will be held on December 28 and a number of the books and prizes were decided upon.

Following the business meeting, refreshments were served and a social evening ensued, the feature of which was community singing.

FISHERMEN ASK FOR MORE TIME TO DISCUSS PROPOSALS REGARD TO CONSERVATION OF THE SALMON

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to work out a scheme. Conditions had changed and conservation was necessary. They should not be asked to shut down in the middle of the season and to avoid that this plan had been brought forth.

W. Montgomery spoke at some length as a citizen and not as a fisherman. He took exception to the idea that the fish belonged to the canneries but said they belonged to all the people. He objected to the fishermen being forced to sell to the canneries in the area in which the fish were caught. He thought it was not a matter for the fishermen or the canners to arrange a plan but for the department to make the regulations.

SEINERS OBJECT

J. R. Arnold stated that he had been asked by the seining men to state that the scheme set forth was detrimental to them as it would tend to keep prices down. They advocated the use of larger nets and no fishing in or near the creeks. They considered the area system would jeopardize their living.

James Field explained the difficulty they would have on Queen Charlottes if the area system was adhered to. They would have to take what price the canners liked to pay. He believed in conservation but he believed in destroying the natural enemies of the fish.

The meeting then closed after Mr. Found had expressed the hope that they would come to agreement on the question.

A large crowd present last night indicated that great interest is being maintained in the Elks' whist drive series. Prizes were taken last night by Mrs. H. Skattebol with a score of 210 and A. Astori with 199.



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