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NAVAL SHIPS TO BE BUILT BY CANADA

HICKMAN CONFESSES TO MURDER OF LOS ANGELES GIRL

Canada to Begin Construction of Naval Ships It Is Announced and Secure Destroyers from Britain

OTTAWA, December 27.—The first intimation for years past that any Dominion government was interested in naval defence was given today when it was announced that the government would ask parliament at its forthcoming session to grant authority for the construction of two new destroyers to replace the Patriot, now operated on the Atlantic coast, and the Patrician on the Pacific, both of which vessels are wholly obsolete and useless either for actual warfare or for training purposes.

FAVOR BUYING E.D. & B.C. LINE

Meeting at Grande Prairie Would Not Insist on Western Outlet

OPPOSE NEW PROVINCE

EDMONTON, Dec. 27.—Sale of the E.D. & B.C. Railway to the Dominion government "without strings," such as an obligation to build a Pacific coast outlet, was favored at the annual convention of the Grande Prairie District U.F.A., which met recently, according to northern newspapers received here.

OUTLET AND EXTENSIONS "Whereas the obligation to incur a large expenditure on an outlet and extensions might indefinitely deter the Dominion government from spending a smaller amount in buying the present line, and

"Whereas we believe that ownership by the Dominion of the present line would hasten railway development in this country, therefore, be it

Resolved, that we do not insist on the coupling of an obligation to build a coast outlet with any deal to sell the E.D. & B.C. Railway to the Dominion government."

Formation of a new province of Peace River was frowned upon by the delegates, who after considerable discussion, passed the following resolution: "Whereas considerable has been said and written re the formation of a new province of Peace River; be it

COASTWISE CO. OBTAINS BOATS

El Abeto, El Cedro, and El Cicuto Sold to Griffiths-Griffco is Going to Honolulu

Capt. James Griffiths of Seattle, head of the Coastwise Steamship & Barge Co., announces that he has purchased the steamers El Abeto, El Cedro and El Cicuto from the Los Angeles Lumber Products Co. and will place them in the ore carrying service between Stewart and Anyox and Tacoma.

CHINESE PIRATES LOOT FRENCH SHIP SHANGHAI, Dec. 27.—Advices received from Ichang, report the looting of the French steamer Suheng by pirates, many of the passengers being killed or wounded.

MORE GRAIN TO COME WEST AS RESULT STORMS

Suggested That Steamers Ply on Great Lakes Too Late in Season and This May be

WINNIPEG, Dec. 27.—The overwhelming financial loss to the grain lake fleet is turning financial attention more directly to the western grain route. More than two million dollars will have to be paid for insurance losses on the boats that went down or are tied up for the season on the lakes with their cargoes until next spring.

CASUALTIES AT VANCOUVER Two Deaths and Two Bad Injuries Reported During Christmas Holiday

VANCOUVER, Dec. 27.—James Simmonds, 54 years of age, collapsed yesterday in a local theatre and died almost instantly.

HALIBUT FISHERMEN ELECTING OFFICERS Voting for Agents at Prince Rupert, Seattle and Ketchikan in Progress Today

In Prince Rupert, Ketchikan and Seattle members of the Deep Sea Fishermen's Union are today voting for agents at the respective points. The poll opened here at 10 o'clock this morning and will close this evening at 8.

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THE GREAT GLACIER near Glacier, B.C., with its yawning crevices that make its exploration a jaunt not to be undertaken without ropes and guides

Rome Shaken by Earthquake; Fissure Opened in Ground in Populous Part of the City

ROME, December 27.—Rome was shaken Monday by an earthquake of unusual violence lasting for four minutes. A fissure opened up in a populous quarter of the city and the ceilings of several houses fell, the cornice of a church was broken off, injuring a priest, and the tremors were distinctly felt at the Vatican.

Fissures also opened in the ground twenty miles away at Roccapipapa district and at Villetti.

Farmers of Peace River Do Not Favor Extension of P.G.E. to That District But Other Outlet

VANCOUVER, December 27.—Farmers of the Peace River district are anxious to have an outlet for their products to the Pacific coast, but they do not favor extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, according to Herman Trelle of Wembley, grower of champion wheat and oats.

"We are afraid that if the P.G.E. is extended into the Peace River country our products will have to pay the losses which have accumulated during the past ten years," he said.

URGE NATIONAL TO TAKE OVER PEACE RAILWAY

OTTAWA, Dec. 27.—That the Edmonton and Dunvegan railway now operated as well as owned by the Alberta government and extending into the Peace River country should be taken over by the government and absorbed into the Canadian National is being advocated by an Edmonton delegation here consisting of Kenny Blatchford, M.P., L. A. Giroux, M.L.A., Col. MacLeod and William Howson.

TRAIN THREE HOURS LATE

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—No word has been received in regard to the seaplane Dawn which left here for Newfoundland Saturday.

AIRPLANE IS LOST

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—In an ice-encrusted stream in a little ravine less than a mile from her home the frozen body was found yesterday of Florence Costello, thirteen years of age. She had been missing from home twelve days.

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Hickman Confesses to Killing of Girl and Tells How Was Done

LOS ANGELES, December 27.—William E. Hickman, aboard the train enroute to Los Angeles, made a complete confession of the killing of twelve-year-old Marian Parker of this city after he had kidnapped her. In the story given to Los Angeles officers, Hickman is said to have admitted that he first strangled the girl to death and then dismembered her body. The detailed confession was given to District Attorney Asa Keyes and police officers.

Hickman said his motive was to get the \$1,500 in order to go to college. He had no accomplice but killed the girl by strangling her with a towel. He knotted it about her throat and pulled tightly before she became unconscious. Then he took a pocket knife and cut a hole in her throat, then cut off each arm at the elbow and the legs at the knees and put the limbs in a cabinet.

The confessed murderer said he cut up the body in his room in the Bellevue Arms apartment. Then he removed the clothing and cut the body through at the waist, put it on a shelf in the dressing room and placed a towel in the body to drain the blood. He combed back the hair; powdered the face and then with a needle fixed the eyelids. He did this because he realized that he would lose the reward if he did not have the body to produce to her father.

After the killing he went to the theatre, returned and took all parts of the body and placed them in the car. He disposed of the limbs in Elstian Park where they were found. Then he took the torso in a suitcase and later sold it to the father for the \$1,500 which he had demanded.

Later Hickman went to the theatre and then held up a man, took his car and drove all night to San Francisco.

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COLD STRIKES YUKON TODAY

Over Fifty Below Zero at Dawson and Other Points but Warmer in B.C.

Another cold snap has struck the Yukon territory, the thermometer at Dawson dropping to 51 below zero, according to the morning report of the Government Telegraphs. Whitehorse showed 43 below and Stewart River 54.

In British Columbia the weather has been moderate with "zero" weather at Smithers and 23 above at Terrace. Heavy snow has fallen along the Skeena River. The detailed report follows:

Port Simpson—Light northerly wind, temp. 34.
Lloydport—Light wind, one foot of new snow yesterday, temp. 34.
Hazelton—Clear, east wind, temp. 16.
Smithers—Cloudy, windy, temp. zero.
Burns Lake—Snowing, calm, temp. 5.
Telegraph Creek—Clear, calm, temp. 8 below.
Stewart River—Clear, calm, temp. 54 below.
Dawson—Foggy, north wind, temp. 51 below.

OHIO MARU IS NEARLY READY

Seventh Grain Ship of Season Expected to Sail With Full Cargo for U.K.—Continent Tomorrow

Loading of the Japanese freighter Ohio Maru with a full cargo for the United Kingdom or Continent is proceeding today at the Alberta Wheat Pool's Prince Rupert elevator and it is expected to get this, the seventh great boat of the season at this port, away tomorrow morning.

Instructions are being awaited pending the commencement of loading of the Swedish freighter Sydland which has been on berth at the elevator since Friday last.

Elevator offices had no further charters to announce up to early this afternoon.

Railway offices this morning reported the arrival of 120 carsloads since Tuesday noon from the prairies. About 200 cars are on the division today going here.

DALHOUSIE IS TIED U. OF B.C.

Rugby Game Yesterday Between Two Universities Goes Three to Three

VANCOUVER, Dec. 27.—Dalhousie University of Halifax and the University of B.C. played a three all tie here Monday in an English rugby match at the Brockton Point grounds.

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MARITIMES TO FORE AGAIN

Question of Running Rights for C.P.R. Over C.N. Lines Being Discussed

SENATE APPOINTMENTS

Financial Condition of Country Continues Good Says Letter From Ottawa

(By R. J. Deachman)
OTTAWA, Dec. 27.—No government in Canada is long left with life time upon its hands. No sooner does one problem approach a settlement than a new and bigger one takes its place. One would have thought that the joys and sorrows of the Maritime Provinces were about over and that the granting of the demands arising out of the Duncan Report would have placed that question in a file labelled "Finished Business." Such is not to be the case. The suggestion is now made that the Canadian Pacific Railway be given running rights over the C. N. R. from Winnipeg to Moncton and from there to Halifax and Sydney. The Maritime country is largely, at present, a C.N.R. reserve. It seems that the other roads want in. There's a problem. Find a solution.

BEING OPPOSED.
Let us look at it for a moment or two. If you are a fan of either road it is not necessary for you to close your eyes. If the C.P.R. goes in, there will be less business for the C.N. There will be duplication of service. It will be a blow of some weight to the Government railways.

It is largely upon these grounds that the idea will be opposed by a great many people. The Globe of Toronto, for instance, one of Canada's leading papers, rather out early against it. On the other hand, it may be contended that equivalent rights might be granted to the C.N.R. over lines now owned by the C.P.R. Hon. Mr. Robson, minister of National Defence, suggested this idea at a recent banquet in his honor at Annapolis, N.S. The Canadian National line between Montreal and Saint John is longer than the Canadian Pacific line which runs through the state of Maine. If freight haulage over this territory becomes heavier, it might be worth while for the Canadian National to have this privilege. There may be other parts of Canada in which mutual exchanges of running rights or even exchanges of actual ownership of sections of the line might be an advantage to both roads and to the country. We may leave it up to the two organizations of railway officials to quote opinions of taking over of their own interests with some one sitting on the side lines (the Government or the Railway Commission) to keep things straight.

NEW SENATORS
Today the question before us is the appointment of six Senators. It is not an easy task. The whole unemployment problem would be settled if we only had senators enough to go around. Not even the worst of the "down and out" would hesitate to apply. So far, no government has ever thought of the bright idea of basing appointments on the peculiar merit of the applicant. Strange to say, party service is not, as many seem to think, the real measure of eligibility. Senators are appointed—this is written be-

fore the present vacancies have been filled—without regard to any service they have ever rendered their native land, the state or the party. When governments appoint on merit, even party merit, it will call for rounds of applause.

RAILWAYS IN NORTH

The recent Conservative convention approved the construction of the Hudson's Bay Railway. Critics said at the time, the move was due to the fact that the convention was held in Winnipeg. There may have been another reason. There is a growing change of mind upon that question. Speaking at the Kiwanis Club in Ottawa, a few days ago, Hon. Chas. Dunning said: "No railway has been built into the northern part of Canada which has not justified the expense."

The statement is true. Canada is waking up to the value of the North. Ottawa has been slow to recognize this fact. There is evidence of a change of opinion. That, in a measure at least, has been brought about by the developments which have taken place recently at Pin Point and White North generally. Only a few days ago the Ottawa Journal, a strong opponent of the Hudson's Bay road, wrote: "On this Hudson's Bay Railway we may someday have to eat crow." And this week the Financial Times of Montreal heads its article with these words: "Hudson's Bay road may be justified if wheat route is not a success." The statement is a bit guarded it is true, but it indicates a softening of previous convictions.

There are indications that both political parties which have, to say the least, been hesitant in the past, are now in a little better spirit in regard to this undertaking.

CANADIAN FINANCES

Canadian financial conditions continue good. During the eight months ending November, there was a decrease of \$35,000,000 in exports of Canadian produce and an increase of \$65,000,000 in the imports for home consumption. The balance of trade is in our favor by \$30,000,000, a decrease of \$90,000,000 in the trade balance as compared with the corresponding eight months of last year when the balance in Canada's favor was \$171,000,000.

Business isolated figures such as these are quoted as an evidence of declining business. They reveal nothing of the kind. These are short period comparisons at best. Conclusions drawn from them or comparisons made with similar figures from the United States prove nothing. If we are to deal with trade comparisons or statistics, it must be in an honest way by covering a period of time. A merchant proves nothing of his year's business by saying that his sales today are greater than they were a year ago nor does a farmer prove his financial position by saying "Today I took in \$200 for a load of hops and all through the month of December last year I sold nothing." Note to the readers of this paper: If there is any question in regard to National Trade or Canadian statistics on which you desire information, I will be delighted to answer your questions direct. Simply address me at Ottawa and mention this paper.

BEFORE AND AFTER MARRIAGE

Daughter—There is only one thing more astonishing than the readiness with which Ned gave up tobacco when we became engaged.

Mother—And what is that?
Daughter—The rapidity with which he took it up again as soon as we were married.—Passing Show.

"DON JUAN" BY BARRYMORE AT THE WEEK-END

In the photograph "Don Juan" Boss Meredyth, adapted from the play "Don Juan" by Lord Dunsany, has created in collaboration with Barrymore and Alan Crowsley, the director, an original treatment of the legend, a culmination of all the Don Juans that have gone before, a personification of the arrogant, strutting, beautiful, daring, wonderful, romantic col-

WEEK AT THEATRE.

Tuesday
Ken Maynard in "Red Raiders."
Mermaid Comedy "Sure Cure."
Flamingo Comedy "Live News."
Wednesday and Thursday
Jackie Coogan in "Johnny Get Your Hair Cut."
Comedy "Sling of Stings."
Aesop's Film Fables.
Friday and Saturday
John Barrymore in "Don Juan."
Pathe Review.

erful, fifteenth century. An age when rapers kept as quickly and easily from their scabbards as a glance from the eye.

The prologue is set in a grim but beautiful castle in Spain. Decadent Rome, the seat of Holy Church, and, beside it, a whirlpool of intrigue, treachery, deceit, license, luxury, profligacy, a strange mixture of chivalry and Machiavellian expediency, pure romance and illicit passion, noble aims and ulterior motives, is locale of the story proper. There in all its evil scintillant magnificence is the worldly court of Lucretia and Caesar Borgia. There, too, the ancient palace of the great and honorable house of Varrese, sheltering the object of Don Juan's love.

"JOHNNY GET YOUR HAIR CUT" IS COOGAN PICTURE FOR MIDWEEK

The story "Johnny Get Your Hair Cut" is that of an orphaned youth whose dream of life is an overwhelming ambition to become a successful jockey. How he beats his way in a horse car from one race track to another in his persistent endeavor to become an apprentice jockey is reminiscent of some of our very first films. His meeting with Mother Clapp, who kept a jockey's boarding house in Tanforan and whose "rules" were not unlike those of the old lady who lived in a shoe, is deftly told by the director. "Pop" Stocum, the aged trainer whose only claim to fortune after years spent on race tracks, is a broken down horse named "Dagwood" which Jackie, ultimately and between the two they work out their admiration.

In this excellent film Jackie has his hair cut, and those who bewail the loss of the little star's "Lord Fauntleroy" locks can cease their grieving, because Jackie looks wonderful sans the Dutch bob. He is a new Jackie Coogan in appearance, but the same Jackie as of yore in historic achievement.

"RED RAIDERS" DRAMA OF GREAT OUTDOORS

Calling for the majority of its action in the wide open spaces of early Indian territory of the northwest, "The Red Raiders" is primarily an out-door drama. Scenes for the big western drama, produced by Charles R. Rogers, starring Ken Maynard, were taken in the picturesque region of Lodge Grass, Mont., in the heart of the early, savage Indian land.

Normally, even in the making of out-door pictures, producers are compelled to improvise scenes to fit the story, but "The Red Raiders" was taken in the locale of the original story. More than two weeks were spent on location in the Montana wilderness and in the vicinity of two Indian reservations—the Crow and Sioux.

In The Letter Box

NOT WITHDRAWING.

Editor, Daily News.
I understand that a report is being circulated around the city that I contemplate withdrawing from the majority contest. I wish to advise the electors, through the courtesy of your paper, that I have no intention of withdrawing, that I will stand as a candidate for mayor on my two years record in the city council as alderman and on a platform which I will place before the electors at a later date.
Thanking you, I am, yours for a more progressive Prince Rupert.
ALD. JOS. GREEN.

PEACE RIVER RAILROAD

Editor, Daily News:
Observing an article in Friday's "News" which says in part why not stop the Grand Trunk Pacific at Vanderhoof and build into the Peace River country.
Suppose you built that way. It would not help Prince Rupert. Every ton of grain and freight would go on to Van-

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Men's Bathrobes — Nice warm comfy Bathrobes made of Beacon cloth in beautiful blendings of color. Surprise Dad with one of these. He will appreciate it! Regular \$11.50. Temptation Sale **\$8.45** Price

There is also a fine selection for the young ones, the same quality materials, suitable for 10 to 14 years. Regular \$4.50. Temptation Sale **\$6.95** Price

Silk Bathrobes in a beautiful variety. Temptation Sale **\$15.75** Price

Neckwear—Five Hundred Ties, each packed in holly leaf box. Regular selling price of these ties is from \$1.25 to \$1.75. Temptation Sale **85c** Price

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Sheriff S. A. Nickerson returned to the city on the Camosun today from a brief visit to Anyox. tf

Members of Royal Purple and Elks' Lodge Christmas Tree Thursday, December 29 from 9 to 6. 303

At the Commodore Cafe, we will serve fresh strawberries and raspberries with cream during the holidays. 306

Have you a ticket for the New Year's Soiree? There are only a limited number. See Doug. Prizzell for reservations. 303

Elks' Midnight Frolic at the Westholme Theatre on New Year's Eve at 11.30. Twenty acts of vaudeville. Be there.

William Alexander Gow of Hazelton and Ernest Mostyn Hoops of Telkwa have both been appointed Notaries public, their appointments having been gazetted last week.

Ald. M. M. Stephens, mayoralty candidate, received an attack of lumbago as a somewhat unpleasant Christmas box. He, perforce, had to recline in his bed over the holiday season.

The regent and several members of Queen Mary Chapter, I.O.E. visited the Queen Mary ward at the hospital Christmas Day and presented the patients with a bouquet of chrysanthemums and wished them the compliments of the season.

Among a large number of appointments as registrars of births, deaths and marriages their duties to commence at the beginning of the year are Constable A. H. Silk of Burns Lake, Constable G. A. Wyman of Hazelton, Constable A. Fairbairn of Telkwa, Constable H. H. Mansell of Vanderhoof, Constable R. Gibson of Port Essington, Constable J. M. Smith of Enderby.

Concluding a petition which was heard in Prince Rupert at the session of the Supreme Court Assizes last month, Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald granted last week in Vancouver an absolute decree of divorce to Mrs. Marjorie Anthers Ruth Tupper of Prince Rupert from C. H. Tupper, accountant, 748 Richards Street, Vancouver. Acting for Mrs. Tupper as counsel in Vancouver was S. W. Taylor, formerly of this city.

Union steamer Camosun, Capt. James Findlay, arrived in port at 3.30 Sunday night from Vancouver and waypoints, calling about 10 for Anyox, Stewart and other northern ports of call from which she will return this evening southbound. Back on board the Camosun as first officer is Ernest M. Sheppard who is relieving First Officer W. W. Mounce who is ashore in Vancouver on a five weeks' holiday. The Camosun had a very light passenger list for the north which included Johnson Russ for Kincoith, and Rabbi R. M. Pastinsky and Miss E. Tyler for Prince Rupert.

CARD OF THANKS.

A. Clapperton and his sons desire to convey their sincere thanks to their friends for the numerous expressions of sympathy and kindnesses shown them in their recent bereavement.

SPECIAL SERVICE CHRISTMAS MUSIC

A special service of Christmas Music will be held at St. Andrew's Cathedral on Wednesday, December 28, at 8.15 p.m.

Augmented Choir. Special arranged program of Solos, Christmas Carols, Anthems, etc. Offertory for the Organ Fund. Everybody welcome. 303

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elk's Leap-year Dance, January 20.

Legion Novelty Dance January 27.

Prince Rupert Girls' D.D.N. Team dance, February 3.

Elk's Annual Dance, February 17.

Children's Colds Best treated externally. Check them without "dosing." Rub on at bedtime. **VICKS VAPORUB** OVER 21 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

Allen Carolen, Stewart merchant, is a passenger on the Camosun today going through to Vancouver.

Civil service examinations for postal workers will be held tomorrow with Rev. J. R. Frisell presiding.

Passengers going through to Vancouver on the Camosun today include H. A. Gourlay and D. Davidson from Anyox.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brough, after spending a few days visiting in the city, returned on yesterday morning's train to Smithers.

This afternoon Rev. John and Mrs. Hanson and daughter were the guests of Captain C. M. Larson at luncheon on board the Sydland.

Miss Molly Watson of the staff of the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. will sail this afternoon by the Camosun for Vancouver on a holiday trip.

R. F. McNaughton, C.N.R. district passenger agent, is recovering from a severe cold which has confined him to his home for the past few days.

Angus McDonald of the Esperanza Mining Co. returned to the city on the Camosun today after having spent the Christmas holiday season at Alice Arm.

Voting for election of officers for Deep Sea Fishermen's Union will be held in the Union Hall on Tuesday, December 27. Voting from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. only. 302

Rudolph Nelson, charged with intoxication and assault, was in the police court this morning and pleading not guilty was remanded until four o'clock this afternoon.

Bert Morgan was the winner of a house cribbage tournament held at the Grotto Cigar store, having beaten Willard Valpy in the final. Thirty two players were entered.

Union steamer Camosun, having made a speedy run north, returned at 12.15 noon today from Anyox. Stewart and waypoints and will sail at 5 o'clock tonight for the south.

Motorship Bellingham, Capt. J. E. Anderson, arrived in port yesterday from Ketchikan with a cargo consisting of six cars of frozen fish for transshipment East over the Canadian National Railway.

Miss Margaret Maguire of the local public school teaching staff left on yesterday morning's train for Terrace where she will spend a brief holiday expecting to return to the city on Thursday.

Buck Llewellyn, the speed cop, who arrested Hickman, confessed murderer of Marian Packer on the Columbia Highway, is a nephew by marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shaw of this city, having married their niece, Miss Hines.

K. Peters, advance agent for the Dominion Players, a theatrical group which has been touring the central interior, arrived in the city on Sunday afternoon's train. The troupe plans a visit to Prince Rupert later in the week.

Weston Coyney, formerly of this city, was remembered by his former friends by Yukon Gold rush days. The Vancouver Province tells of action being taken in that city to forward Christmas presents to the man who was once editor of the Dawson Daily News but is now at the Old Men's Home in Kamloops. Mr. Coyney was also editor of "Resources" in this city and lived here for a number of years.

GENERAL HOSPITAL HAS HAPPY XMAS

Various Events Took Place at Institution—Presbyterian Choir and Boys' Band

The Christmas season was observed in the usual cheery manner at the Prince Rupert General Hospital.

On Saturday evening the junior choir of the First Presbyterian Church, under the choir leader, John E. Davey, serenaded the staff and patients with carols and anthems much to the delight of all.

The nurses' Christmas tree was also held Saturday evening in the home, there being an abundance of gifts from friends and admirers of the staff.

Early Christmas morning Archdeacon G. A. Rix officiated at Holy Communion after which there was carol singing by the nurses. Later in the morning the Boys' Band, under Bandmaster Thomas Wilson, appeared on the scene and gave a splendid program which was much appreciated.

During Christmas morning Santa Claus arrived in the wards and distributed gifts among the patients.

Thanks to the nursing staff, the hospital was prettily decorated throughout. The Women's Auxiliary gave much assistance toward Christmas cheer and the Salvation Army also helped to spread the radiance of the occasion.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

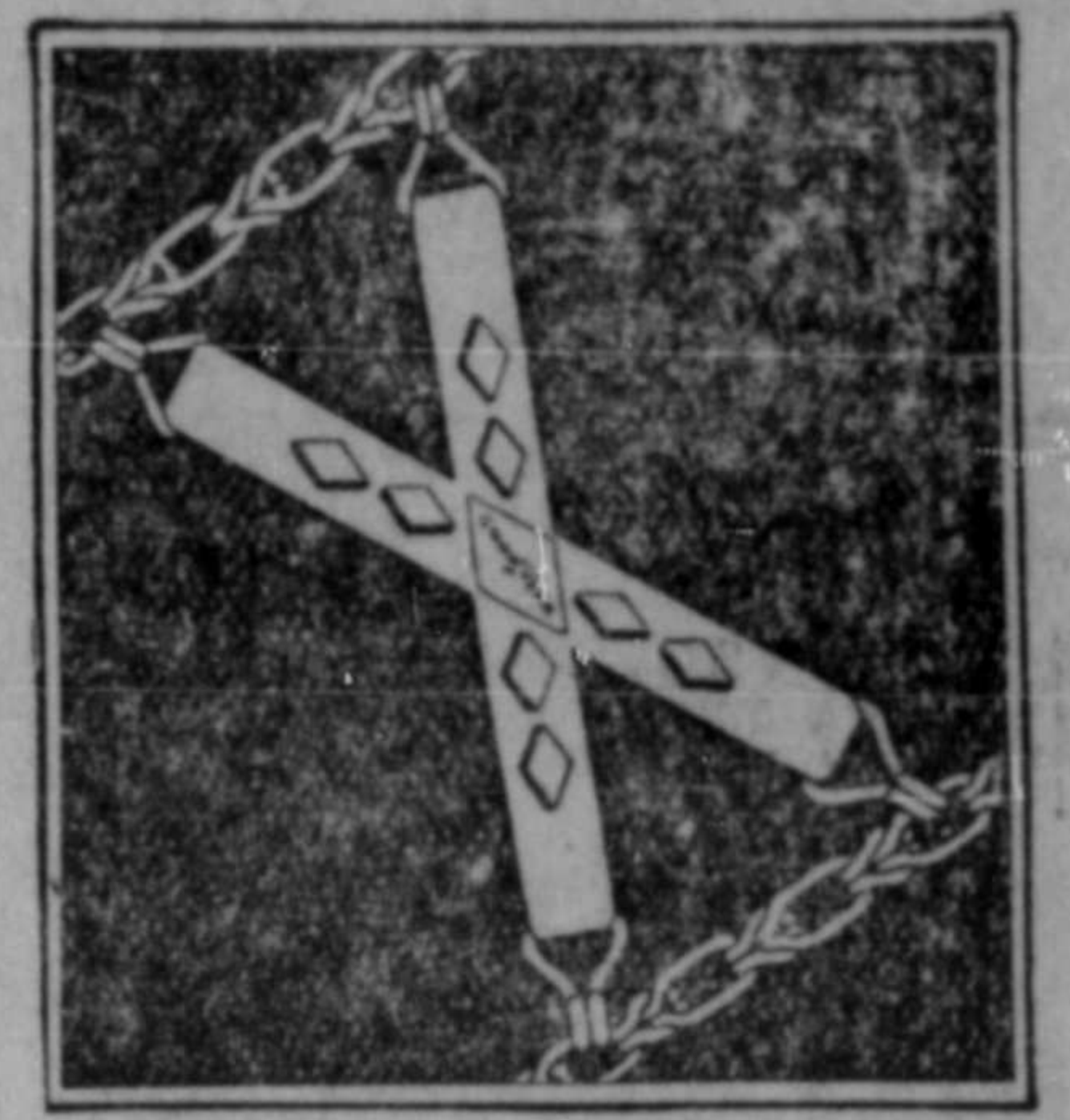
DECEMBER 27, 1917 Following a visit to the city of Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands, the council, on motion of Alderman Nelson, seconded by Ald. McClymont, decided last night to take no definite stand respecting the Cow Bay matter until full information has been received of the government's proposals with regard

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By George McManis

OFFICERS OF SHIP LAUDED

High Compliments Paid Captain E. A. Dickson and Chief Officer Sheppard at Probe

High compliment was paid Captain A. A. Dickson and First Officer E. M. Sheppard by both Capt. J. D. McPherson, wreck commissioner, and Harold Brown, general manager of the Union Steamship Co., at the investigation in Vancouver last week as a result of which both officers were absolved of all blame in connection with the recent stranding of the steamer Catala on Mist Island near Port Simpson.

"We are unanimously agreed, along with the assessors, that the officers should not lose their certificates," stated Captain McPherson. "All the evidence goes to show that they are very efficient men and could not be replaced by better ones. That being the case I do not see what could be gained by suspending them even temporarily. The manager of the Union Steamship Company has such faith in them that even if Captain E. A. Dickson and First Officer E. M. Sheppard were suspended they would be immediately re-employed at the end of their suspension."

"The report which the commission will make will include a recommendation to the department that the south channel shall be prohibited in future and an admonition to the officers to exercise greater care in those waters."

"Certainly no ship could have been better navigated than the Catala was at the time of her grounding," he concluded.

D. E. McTaggart, on behalf of Captain Dickson, had urged that the captain be exonerated from responsibility in view of a "mirage" at the time of the accident, the existence of which was vouched for by many witnesses, making it impossible to gauge the distance of the ship from the buoy.

Featuring Wednesday afternoon's session of the enquiry was the appearance on the witness stand of Harold Brown, general manager of the Union Steamship Company, owners of the vessel.

"We consider Captain E. A. Dickson, master of the Catala, the most valued officer in our service," said Mr. Brown. "He is the veteran skipper of the fleet; and there is no one more anxious to avoid trouble than he is. First Officer E. M. Sheppard is of the younger school of officers. He is our most promising young officer, and in line for the first promotion. So far as the company is concerned, the ill luck these two officers have had in the accident to the Catala will not prejudice their standing with the company."

"The accident is unexplainable," continued Mr. Brown, "but we will be glad to welcome these officers back and trust them with any positions."

INSUFFICIENT TIME
The court discussed the question why

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The officers were not accustomed on outward trips from Port Simpson to take their position from leading marks, as they did when entering. Finally, the court appeared to be in agreement that there was not sufficient time in making the channel between the Island and Sparrow Hawk rock to do this, the steaming time being only four minutes.

All the witnesses and Mr. Brown agreed with the commissioners that it would have been safer to have used the north channel at all periods, instead of only at night as has been the practice.

"We all know that both officers thought they were on their right course, and there had been no carelessness," said Captain Macpherson, "but the difficulty is to explain the accident to underwriters and others in view of the fact that navigation conditions were ideal, with a smooth sea and fine clear weather."

HOTEL ARRIVALS.
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Prince Rupert
F. M. Rae, Prince Rupert; R. Earl Chambers, Port Essington; Rabbi M. Pastinsky.

CHRISTMAS IN THE CHURCHES

Special Music Suitable to the Occasion by Choirs and Large Congregations Present

Large congregations found time from the Christmas Day festivities to attend special seasonal services in the various city churches on Sunday. In nearly all cases, the occasion was marked with special sermons, music and decorations.

Outstanding among the services were those in First Presbyterian Church. In the morning the Junior Choir sang the carols, "Hark, the Glad Sound," "The Christ Child," and "Grace be to You."

At St. Paul's Lutheran there was a full house for the morning service with special Christmas music. Two songs were sung by the choir, two solos by Mrs. Carl Dybbavn, and a Christmas sermon by Rev. John H. Hanson, his subject being "Joy to the World."

At the Anglican Cathedral there were special Christmas services, in the morning the choir sang the anthem, "I Came Upon the Midnight Clear," with Morris Blott in the solo part. Mrs. Anderson also sang a solo.

In the evening the choir sang a new carol by Caleb Simper. Large congregations were out, the Cathedral being filled almost to the doors in the morning.

Rev. W. F. Price preached a Christmas sermon on the subject "God's Greatest Miracle" in the morning at First Baptist Church, it being a united service for Sunday School and congregation. The evening service was entirely given over to a musical program.

A special choir of children and adults rendered the cantata "Joy to the World" and there were anthems entitled "Glory to God in the Highest" and "Cry and Shout." One quartette consisted of Rev. W. F. Price, R. W. Howard, another of Mrs. C. Larkin, Mrs. E. W. Howard, Rev. W. F. Price and J. W. Howard, and a trio was made up of Mrs. W. F. Price, Mrs. P. C. Miller and Mrs. C. Larkin. Other items on the program included a solo by Master Larry Quick, recitations by Adella Burber, Katherine Wilson and Robert Diker and a chorus by a class of girls.

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John Dybbavn.
Closing remarks—Pastor.
Benediction.
Distribution of gifts.

Rabbi R. M. Pastinsky of Vancouver arrived in the city from the south on the Camosun Sunday night. He officiated at the baptism of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lipsin, 1605 Graham Avenue, which took place yesterday, and will return south on the Camosun tonight.

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS

Table with columns for destination, ship name, and departure times. Includes routes to Vancouver, Port Simpson, and Alaska.

MAIL SCHEDULE

Table with columns for destination, ship name, and departure times. Includes routes to Alaska, Anjox, and Nans River Points.

C.I.R. TRAINS

Table with columns for destination, train name, and departure times. Includes routes to Alaska and Queen Charlotte Island.

Advertisement for Pure and Wholesome Beer. Text: "Months of care to make PURE and Wholesome Beer". Includes an illustration of a beer bottle and glass.

CHRISTMAS TREE AT LUTHERAN CHURCH

Enjoyable Time Spent Last Night at Metropole Hall by Young People

There was a Christmas tree last night at St. Paul Lutheran Church Hall with a splendid program of music and recitations by the children and members of the choir. Following the program the tree was unloaded and much merriment prevailed. The hall was well filled and the children had a wonderful time. The program follows:

Professional—"Come Hither ye faithful."
Welcome speech—Edith Slatter.
Gospel message—Lillian Hanson.
Prayer—Rev. J. Hanson.
Welcome song—Sunday school.
Prophecy words—Sunday school.
Catechization—Alice Halberg and Sunday School.
Building the Arch of Glory—Gudrun Wells.

Why do bells ring for Christmas—Marion Westgaard.
Song by Choir—"Joy to the World."
"We carry lights for Jesus"—Eight little children.
"Peace on Earth"—Olgot Olson.
Instrumental (piano solo)—Oliver Dybbavn.
"Grandma's letter"—Chera Wikdahl.
"The Happy Christmas Come Once More"—Sunday school.
"Hang up the Babies' Stocking"—Muriel Hanson.
"The Angel Song"—Four boys.
"Why Christ Came"—Mamie Johnson.
"All in a stable cold and bare"—Lyla Jacobson.
Song—Marie Hanson, Margaret Johnson.
Song by choir—"Beautiful Saviour."
Good Night dialogue—Sigerd Johnson Percy Knutson and Ole Dybbavn.
Pantomime—"Holy Night, Silent Night" by nine girls, solo part by Mrs.

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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 and for leave to construct the said canneries, canneries wharf and aqueducts thereto, proposed to be built on the lands covered with water fronting on Lot 1489 and Lot 1490, Range 7, Coast District, in the Province of British Columbia, which said lots are situated at Johnson Channel in the said Province.

IN FAVOR OF MARKETING ACT

Terrace Farmers' Institute Elects Officers and Will Try to Revive Fair

TERRACE, Dec. 27.—The annual meeting of the Kitson Kalm Farmers' Institute was held in Progress Hall on Wednesday evening. Owing to the school Christmas tree being held the same night the attendance was not as large as expected. President H. L. Frank occupied the chair and reported that he had had no success with the experiments carried out against the wire worm pest. The following directors were appointed for the coming year: D. McKinnon, H. L. Frank, C. F. A. Green, G. Hamlin and A. Kerr. W. J. Goodwin and G. Hamlin were appointed auditors. Discussion took place in regard to carrying on the Terrace Fall Fair which was dropped by the Fair Board for lack of public support, and the institute decided to take the matter up and call a public meeting for the second Wednesday in February in the hope of having interest revived. The following resolution was then proposed and carried unanimously: "Be it resolved that this institute go on record as endorsing the Marketing Act of B.C. being extended over the whole province."



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TERRACE

A Holmwood, public school principal, left on Thursday to spend the holiday in Vancouver.

Miss Grace Andrews of Prince George and formerly on the staff of the public school in Terrace, arrived from the interior on Thursday and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Kenney during the holiday season.

Miss Library, Copper City teacher, left on Thursday to spend her vacation at her home in Chilliwack.

Miss Barbara Sherwood is spending her vacation at her home in town. Barbara has been a pupil at St. Joseph's Academy, Prince Rupert, during the past few months.

Miss Mary Wilson left on Thursday for her home in Remo after attending high school here during the past session.

Miss Elderkin, high school principal, left on Thursday to spend her vacation at the coast.

Victor King arrived on Saturday to spend Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. King.

Miss Ethel Christie came up from Prince Rupert on Saturday to spend Christmas under the parental roof.

Miss Camille E. Peters, teacher at Ocean Falls, and one of last year's staff of the Terrace school arrived from the coast on Saturday and will be the guest of the Misses Easthope and Malott during the holidays.

Chris Larsen who has spent the past few months in the Altce Arm district returned to Terrace on Saturday.

A sleigh load of young people of town, headed by Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Robinson, helped to instill a Christmas spirit among the residents by making the rounds of the town and nearby district on Christmas eve and enlivened the air with carol singing. Their music was much enjoyed and it proved to be an enjoyable outing for those taking part as well.

The annual Christmas entertainment put on by the union Sunday School of Terrace took place on Friday evening in Progress Hall and was patronized by a large crowd of both children and grown-ups. A pleasing program was rendered under the direction of the different Sunday school teachers. Rev. William Allan acted as chairman for the evening. After the program Santa Claus appeared on the scene and each child was presented with a bag of candy, nuts and fruit.

Joe Cook, who has spent the past few weeks in the Prince Rupert hospital, the victim of an accidental shooting accident at Lakelse Lake, was able to return home on Saturday to spend Christmas with his family here. He will return to the hospital at the beginning of the week for further treatment.

Joe Spitzel who left here some time ago for Washington state has since left for Germany and expected to spend Christmas with friends in his home land.

Terrace is enjoying typical Christmas weather. Some snow fell during Saturday evening, Sunday morning was calm, but cloudy and fairly mild.

BURNS LAKE

Miss Elsa Bostrom has returned from Prince George to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lofstrom, at Glassy Plains.

Hugh Macdonald and Fred Hagen arrived in Burns Lake last week from the Silver Island mine which is being shut down for the next two months awaiting more moderate weather.

There was a heavy Christmas mail in Burns Lake which the post-office staff had to work night and day to handle.

A wrecking crew has started to tear down the old building owned by the Burns Lake garage in preparation for the new garage which will be built on the site as soon as weather conditions permit.

The Dominion Players appeared in Burns Lake last week in what was said to be the best show ever given in the district.

Misses Marion and Lulu Morgan arrived from Prince Rupert, where they are attending school, to spend the holidays with the parents at Ootsa Lake.

Thomas Thomson is convalescing at the home of Andrew Walker at Francois Lake from a severe cold.

W. N. Campbell left last week for Vancouver where he will spend a holiday and act as groomsmen at the wedding which will take place next week of Miss Belle Gourlay, R.N. and E. E. Gregg, assistant district forester at Prince Rupert.

J. W. Henkel of Francois Lake left last week for Rochester, Minnesota, where he will undergo a minor operation at the Mayo Clinic. He has relatives living near Rochester and expects to visit with them for several weeks before returning home.

District visitors in town during the week have included C. B. Schriber, Lipsett, Matt Hutter, Palling, K. Peters, Fraser Lake; J. Martin; C. F.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The Mineral Province of Western Canada

To the end of December, 1926.

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Reports covering of the Six Mineral Survey Districts are published separately, and are available on application.

Man in the Moon

CHRISTMAS is over but the worst is yet to come. The year ends Saturday night. JAKE says what gets him is the dinners. He finds that he doesn't behave exactly like the others and they all look at him.

BUT after all, why should not a man tuck a napkin under his chin and wear a piece of wood in his mouth if he wishes to.

I'M learning to use a napkin (They call it a serviette). And I'm getting along pretty well at the job. And I eat a good dinner, you bet.

THE English language is curious. When a man drinks like a fish, people say he is making a hog of himself.

IF women are not any better at choosing admirers than they are at choosing husbands, what can be expected of a city council.

IT'S satisfactory to know that throughout the city everybody was at work on time this morning.

YES, Sir, I enjoyed my Christmas. With plenty of fun and laughter. And also I liked getting up. And working the morning after.

BOYS' BAND PLAYS CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Rendered Selection on Streets Saturday Evening and Sunday—Number of New Pieces

The Prince Rupert Boys' Band, under Bandmaster Thomas Wilson, did much to brighten the holiday season in the city generally. On Christmas Eve, in spite of somewhat snowy and unfavorable weather, the boys delighted the last-minute shoppers with their playing of carols and other seasonal selections. They also played on the streets on Christmas Day besides appearing at the hospital.

The organization had a number of new pieces which testified to its increasing repertoire and steady progress.

SPORT CHAT

The members of the Cranbrook and Prince George hockey teams will stage their second encounter of the season at the local skating rink on Monday next, which will be observed as Christmas. The first match of the season was played last Sunday and resulted in a win for Cranbrook with an 8-4 score. The play was good and the indications are there will be no difficulty in securing a fast team to defend the intermediate championship of the province, which was captured by Prince George last season in the second attempt to annex the honor. There are a number of new players on the teams this year who are showing good form. Among these Dick Corless is counted one of the best.

J. M. McLean, secretary of the Prince George athletic association, has received as follows: cheque for \$267.30 from the amateur hockey association of British Columbia on account of the expenses of the Prince George team in competing for the intermediate hockey championship last season. At the recent annual meeting of the hockey association it was decided to apportion \$900 to cover in part the cost of the intermediate championship games, and the Prince George share was figured out at the amount of the cheque received by the secretary of the local association. As the Prince George club received a previous payment of approximately \$200, it has now been reimbursed \$467 of its expense account of \$900. The last

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WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE TAKE NOTICE that Robert M. Currie, whose address is 1416-8th Ave. West, Vancouver, B.C., will apply for a license to take and use 30,000 gallons per day of water out of a creek, named, which flows southerly and drains into Huston Inlet, Q.C. Islands about 1,000 feet westerly from miners' cabins at head of Huston Inlet. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 200 feet from shore line, passing through twenty-four acres applied for under lease, and will be used for industrial purposes upon the land described as applied for to lease at head of Huston Inlet, Moresby Island.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 1st day of December, 1927. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," 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 is December 22, 1927.

ROBERT M. CURRIE, Applicant.

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE LAND

In the Queen Charlotte Islands, Graham Island Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated on the west side of Hennell Harbor at the Head of Hennell Sound, Queen Charlotte Islands, Province of British Columbia. TAKE NOTICE that British Columbia Fishing & Packing Company Limited of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Salmon Canneries, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of a creek called Twin River; thence 4 chains west; thence twenty-one chains north; thence 4 chains east; thence following contour of shore line to place of commencement, and containing 8 1/2 acres, more or less.

B.C. FISHING & PACKING CO. LTD. Applicant.

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE LAND

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District and situated on the southeast corner of an unnamed bay on the south bank of Port Canal, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, in the Province of British Columbia. TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Robertson, of Masset, 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 Canal, 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.

IN PROBATE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Administration Act; and In the Matter of the Estate of George Clifford Adolphus Wilson, Deceased. Intestate. TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, F. M.B. Young, the 1st day of December, A.D. 1927, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of George Clifford Adolphus Wilson, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me, before the 3rd day of January, A.D. 1928, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN A. WATT, Official Administrator, Prince Rupert, B.C. Dated the 3rd day of December, A.D. 1927.

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LAND

In Range 5 Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated at the northerly end of Telegraph Passage, Skeena River. TAKE NOTICE that J. H. Todd & Sons of Victoria, B.C., occupation salmon cannery, intend to apply for permission to purchase, the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 21, Range 5, C.D.; thence 33 chains east; thence 20 chains north, more or less, to high water mark; thence southerly along high water mark to the point of commencement, and containing 30 acres, more or less.

J. H. TODD & SONS, LTD., Applicant. Dated December 12th, 1927.

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE LAND

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District, and situated at Huston Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands. TAKE NOTICE that Robert M. Currie, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation fish packer, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at northeast corner about 1,000 feet westerly from miners' cabins at head of Huston Inlet; thence westerly 30 chains; thence southerly about 12 chains; thence easterly 20 chains; thence northerly about 12 chains, and containing 24 acres, more or less.

ROBERT M. CURRIE, Applicant.

VANDERHOOF

The marriage took place quietly last Thursday at the teachers' home, Vanderhoof, when Miss Mary Kathleen Morrow, daughter of the late W. J. Morrow and Mrs. Morrow of Victoria, who has taught school in the central interior since 1916, became the bride of Arthur Miles Johnston, who came to the Skeena valley about five years ago from Hanley, Sask. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Leonard J. Hales and the attendants were Miss Mary Melish and Cecil Steele.

Hon. A. M. Manson, attorney general and member of the legislature for Omicameca, sent Christmas greetings to his constituents which were published in district papers.

The Omicameca branch of the Canadian Legion has elected officers as follows: president, Roy M. Taylor; vice-president, Harry Fallon; secretary-treasurer, Steve Holmes; executive, George Osgood, George Holt and A. H. Fitzpatrick; chaplain, Rev. J. T. Smeeton.

The Vanderhoof and District Board of Trade has decided to take no definite action at the present time in the matter.

SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 25 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes. Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emption is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e. carrying over 8,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 5,000 feet per acre east of that Range. Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner. Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of \$10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received. For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price for first-class (arable) land is \$5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land \$2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands." Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

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

LEASES

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

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers granted, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free or partly free permits are available for settlers, cowboys and travellers, up to 20 head.

TIMBER SALE X9581

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, B.C., not later than noon on the 12th day of January, 1928, for the purchase of Licence X9581, to cut 272,000 lineal feet of Cedar Poles on an area situated on Lots 983 and 1579, Sewell, Massett Inlet, C.C.D. District. Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber. Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, or the District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X7004

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester, not later than noon on the 29th day of December, 1927, for the purchase of Licence X7004, Bernard Cove, Francois Lake, C.R. 4, to cut 1,182,000 feet board measure of Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam sawlogs. Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber. Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, or the District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X9590

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester not later than noon on the 15th day of December, 1927, for the purchase of Licence X9590, south shore Denney Inlet, C.R. 2, to cut 875,000 feet board measure of spruce, cedar, hemlock and Balsam sawlogs. Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber. Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, or the District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

IN PROBATE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Administration Act; and In the Matter of the Estate of Robert M. Rudd, Deceased. Intestate. TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, F. M.B. Young, the 1st day of December, A.D. 1927, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of Robert Rudd, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 3rd day of January, A.D. 1928, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN A. WATT, Official Administrator, Prince Rupert, B.C. Dated the 3rd day of December, A.D. 1927.

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SALVATION ARMY DID MUCH RELIEF WORK

One Hundred Men Fed and Twelve Hampers Distributed at Christmas—Commandant Grateful for Help

Capt. Stobart, local commandant of the Salvation Army, reports that splendid response was made by the public generally in the matter of the Army's Christmas Cheer fund. In the street pots about \$140 was taken which, with other donations, brought the total up to some \$170. Capt. Stobart expresses his gratitude to the public particularly to the Big Bay Lumber Co. which made a generous cash contribution; S. E. Parker, who loaned a car for several days for delivery purposes; P. Burns & Co. which donated twelve chickens, Rupert Table Supply, jugs and groceries; F. G. Dawson, Ltd., sack of potatoes and eight boxes of tangerines; and the Swift-Canadian Co. which presented a quarter of beef.

The Army served some 100 meals to the unemployed and also the prisoners in jail and distributed about a dozen hampers containing foodstuffs, toys and clothes.

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR JOHN FRASER CONDUCTED TODAY

Friends of deceased and his family gathered this afternoon at the chapel of the B.C. Undertakers to pay their last respects to the memory of the late John M. Fraser, father of H. C. Fraser, inspector of schools. Rev. J. R. Frizell, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiated at a simple service in the course of which the hymns were "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" and "I to the Hills Lift up Mine Eyes." Pallbearers were Thomas McClymont, Jarvis McLeod, James M. Campbell, J. L. Christie, Alex Finnie and R. E. Allen. By request, there were no flowers. This evening on the Camosun, accompanied by the son, the remains will be forwarded to Vancouver where interment will be made.

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- Capitol Butter, 14 lb. box \$6.17
- E.C.D. Butter Bricks 49¢
- E.C.D. Butter in 14 lb. box \$6.67
- Fresh Ground Coffee, per lb. 49¢
- Special Blend Cayton Tea, per lb. 59¢
- Pastry Flour, 10 lbs. 57¢
- Royal Household Flour, 49 lb. sack \$2.59
- Hovis, Peerless and Ginger bread Cookies, 20¢ boxes for 14¢
- Corn Flakes, pkge. 10¢
- Shredded Wheat, pkge. 13¢
- Puffed Wheat, pkge. 14¢
- Health Bran, pkge. 24¢
- China Oats, pkge. 38¢
- Libby's Saurkraut, large tin 19¢
- Libby's Dill Pickles, large tin 29¢
- Libby's Asparagus Tips, large tin 29¢
- Libby's Catsup, bottles 24¢
- Heinz Tomato Soup, per tin 12¢
- Heinz Pork and Beans, per tin 12¢
- Heinz Catsup, bottles 29¢
- Pullet Eggs, strictly fresh, dozen 50¢
- Large Extras, strictly fresh, per dozen 66¢
- Circle S Picnic Hams, per lb. 24¢
- Old Ginger Wine and Old Port, regular 50¢ bottles for 39¢
- Christmas Candy, per lb. 24¢
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- Cranberries, per lb. 29¢

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HEBREW CEREMONY PERFORMED HERE

Vancouver Rabbi Officiated Yesterday at Circumcision of Infant Son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lipsin

The first ceremony of its kind ever to be held in Prince Rupert, circumcision rites for Edwin Lipsin, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lipsin, 1605 Graham Avenue, were conducted at 11 o'clock yesterday morning in the Prince Rupert General Hospital by Rev. N. M. Pastinsky, rabbi of Vancouver. The godparents were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lipsin, uncle and aunt of the child, while special honors for the occasion were borne by William Goldblom, A. J. Lehmond and Miss Anita Lipsin. Also attending the ceremony were Dr. J. A. Vest and Miss Anne Castell, R.N. and Miss Winnie Dibb of the hospital staff.

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALLERS OFF FOR ANYOX SERIES

With Ralph Smith in charge of the party and Ernie Ratchford as rooster the Prince Rupert High School basketball team left Sunday night on the Camosun for Anyox where the inter-school basketball series will be opened. The first game at Anyox was played last night and the second will take place tomorrow evening. The local players will return to town on the Prince Rupert Friday morning accompanied by the Anyox aggregation for the continuation of the series here at the end of the week with Ocean Falls also participating.

The local team going north includes Bob Irvine, Branson Hunt, Harold Macdonald, Joe Scott, Danny Morrison and Allan Cross.

Christmas Suggestions

- Christmas Stockings from 5¢ to \$5.00
 - Christmas Crackers and Bon Bons from 25¢ to \$1.50 box
 - Christmas Chocolates, from 50¢ to \$7.50 box
 - Ginger Wine, Old Port and Somoro Canada Dry Ginger Ale, per box \$2.85
 - Fancy Tea in fancy canisters, each \$1.00
 - All Nuts, including Chestnuts and Pecans.
 - Figs and Dates and Cherries and Cluster Raisins.
 - All Peels, including Pineapple.
 - Jap Oranges and New Navels just arrived.
- THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS**
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SEALS ARE FAVORED

Where seals are plentiful the Eskimos of the Canadian Arctic are not greatly concerned about walrus, white whale, or narwhal. Owing to their great size, however, the latter animals can be made to supply large quantities of meat for winter use, while the skins of the white whale and the narwhal are considered a delicacy and often form the "piece de resistance" in Eskimo hospitality.

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Market Prices

Today's prices on the local market are as follows:

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| LARD | |
| Pure | 25¢ |
| Compound | 20¢ |
| EGGS | |
| B.C. fresh pullets | 65¢ |
| B.C. fresh, firsts | 70¢ |
| B.C. fresh, extras | 75¢ |
| Local new laid | 80¢ |
| B.C. storage, firsts | 50¢ |
| FISH | |
| Halibut, lb. | 25¢ |
| Salmon, red spring | 35¢ |
| Salmon, white spring, lb. | 15¢ |
| Smoked kippers, lb. | 15¢ |
| Kipper salmon, lb. | 20¢ |
| Smoked black cod, lb. | 25¢ |
| Finnan haddies, lb. | 25¢ |
| MEATS | |
| Fowl, No. 1, lb. | 38¢ and 40¢ |
| Roasting chicken, lb. | 45¢ |
| Ham, sliced, first grade | 55¢ |
| Ham, whole, first grade | 42¢ |
| Ham, picnic, lb. | 25¢ |
| Cottage rolls, lb. | 32¢ |
| Bacon, back, sliced | 50¢ |
| Bacon, side | 50¢ to 60¢ |
| Pork, dry salt | 35¢ |
| Ayrshire bacon, lb. | 35¢ |
| Veal, shoulder | 25¢ |
| Veal, loin | 40¢ |
| Veal, leg | 35¢ |
| Pork, shoulder | 28¢ |
| Pork, loin | 40¢ |
| Pork, leg | 35¢ |
| Beef, pot roast | 12 1/2¢ to 18¢ |
| Beef, boiling | 10¢ to 15¢ |
| Beef, steak | 25¢ to 40¢ |
| Beef roast, prime rib | 30¢ |
| Lamb, chops | 50¢ |
| Lamb, shoulder | 35¢ |
| Mutton, leg | 40¢ |
| Lamb, leg | 48¢ |
| Mutton, chops | 40¢ |
| Mutton shoulder | 30¢ |
| BUTTER | |
| Brookfield, Shamrock and Woodland, lb. | 50¢ |
| E.C.D., lb. | 50¢ |
| Capitol, 2nd grade, lb. | 45¢ |
| Fraser Valley, lb. | 50¢ |
| New Zealand, in bulk | 47¢ |
| prints | 50¢ |
| Rosedale Creamery | 45¢ |
| Alberta Creamery | 42 1/2¢ |
| No. 1 Dairy | 37 1/2¢ |
| CHEESE | |
| Camembert cheese, 8 oz. pkg. | 65¢ |
| Kraft Limberger, 1/2's | 35¢ |
| Ontario solids | 30¢ |
| Stilton, lb. | 40¢ |
| Kraft | 40¢ |
| Norwegian Goat | 65¢ |
| Napoleon Limberger | 70¢ |
| Roquefort | 75¢ |
| Swiss Brookfield, lb. | 45¢ |
| Gorgonzola, lb. | 75¢ |
| McLaren's Cream, jars | 45¢ and 80¢ |
| Brookfield Swiss cheese, 1/2 lb. pkg. | 30¢ |
| Brookfield Canadian cheese, 1/2 lb. pkg. | 25¢ |
| Gruyere | 45¢ |
| Golden Loaf, lb. | 45¢ |
| Jack, lb. | 50¢ |

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| Romano Sardo, lb. | 75¢ |
| Gammelost, 1/4 lb. | 30¢ |
| SUGAR | |
| White, per 100 | \$7.25 |
| Yellow, per 100 | \$7.75 |
| FLOUR | |
| Flour, 49's No. 1 hard wheat | \$2.75 |
| Pastry flour, 10's | 65¢ |
| Pastry flour, 49's | \$2.90 |
| VEGETABLES | |
| Beets, 5 lb. for | 25¢ |
| Beets, sack | \$2.75 |
| Carrots, new, 6 lbs. for | 25¢ |
| Carrots, sack | \$2.25 |
| New Potatoes, 8 lbs. | 25¢ |
| Sack | \$2.25 |
| Green peppers, lb. 2 lb. | 35¢ |
| Parsley, bunch | 10¢ |
| Cauliflower, B.C. head, 25¢, 35¢ and 40¢ | |
| B.C. head lettuce | 15¢ and 20¢ |
| Garlic, imported, per lb. | 40¢ |
| Green onions, dozen bunches | 25¢ |
| Spanish onions, 3 lbs. | 25¢ |
| Leeks, bunch | 10¢ |
| Celery, head | 15¢ and 20¢ |
| Hothouse tomatoes, lb. | 25¢ |
| Spinach, local, 2 lb. | 25¢ |
| New B.C. Cabbage, 5 lbs. | 25¢ |
| Cooking onions, 5 lb. for | 25¢ |
| FRUIT | |
| Oranges, Valencia, dozen | 40¢ to \$1.00 |
| Lemons, Sunkist, dozen | 50¢ and 60¢ |
| Imperial Valley Grapefruit, 2 for | 25¢ |
| Florida grapefruit, 2 for | 25¢ |
| Bananas, 2 lb. | 35¢ |
| Extracted honey, lb. | 35¢ |
| Extracted honey, lb. | 25¢ |
| Red grapes, lb. | 25¢ |
| Dates, bulk, 2 lbs. for | 25¢ |
| Raisins, bulk, per lb. | 15¢ |
| Vegetable marrows, lb. | 15¢ |
| New pomegranates | 15¢ |
| Sweet Potatoes, lb. | 10¢ |
| New pomegranates three for | 25¢ |
| Pumpkin | 8¢ |
| California layer figs, per brick | 20¢ |
| California Dainty Dates, package | 25¢ |
| Winter Pears, d'Anjou, per box | \$4.50 |
| Per dozen | 40¢, 50¢, and 60¢ |
| Jonathan apples, jumble pack | 2 1/2¢ |
| "C" grade | \$2.25 |
| Fancy | \$3.00 |
| Extra fancy | \$3.25 |
| Spitzenbergs, "C" grade | \$3.00 |
| Fancy | \$3.25 |
| Extra fancy | \$3.50 |
| Delicious, fancy | \$3.50 |
| Extra fancy | \$3.75 |
| Rome Beauties, fancy | \$3.00 |
| Extra fancy | \$3.50 |
| Northern Spies | \$2.75 |
| Jap Oranges, per box | \$1.00 |
| Navel oranges | 40¢ to \$1.00 |
| DRIED FRUITS | |
| Dates, bulk | 15¢ |
| Dates, Dromedary | 25¢ |
| Raisins, bulk, 3 lbs. for | 15¢ |
| Raisins, package, 2 for | 35¢ |
| Cluster raisins, lb. | 25¢ |
| Lemon and orange peel | 30¢ |
| Citron peel | 50¢ |
| Black cooking figs, 2 lb. | 25¢ |
| White figs, 2 lb. | 25¢ |
| Currents, 2 lbs. | 35¢ |
| Prunes, 3 lbs. | 25¢ |
| Apples | 25¢ |
| Peaches, peeled | 35¢ |
| Apricots, lb. | 40¢ |
| Prunes, 90-100, 3 lbs. | 25¢ |
| 25 lb. box | \$2.00 |
| Prunes, 80-90, lb. | 10¢ |
| Prunes, 30-40 and 40-50, lb. | 15¢ |
| 25 lb. box | \$2.75 |
| Evaporated pears, halves, lb. | 25¢ |
| 25 lb. box | \$3.25 |
| NUTS | |
| Almonds, shelled Valencia | 75¢ |
| Brazils | 35¢ |
| Walnuts, broken shelled | 50¢ |
| Walnuts, shelled halves | 65¢ |
| Almonds | 35¢ |
| Peanuts | 25¢ |
| Manchurian walnuts | 25¢ |
| California walnuts | 50¢ |
| No. 1 mixed nuts | 35¢ |
| New filberts | 25¢ |
| FEED | |
| Wheat, No. 5 | 100 lbs. \$3.00 |
| Oats | \$2.70 |
| Bran | \$2.00 |
| Shorts | \$2.10 |
| Middlings | \$2.50 |
| Barley | \$2.75 |
| Poultry mash | \$3.30 |
| Special eggman | \$3.50 |
| Oyster shell | \$2.20 |
| Scratch food | \$3.20 |
| Beef scrap | \$5.00 |
| Ground oil cake | \$4.25 |
| Baby chick feed | \$4.25 |
| Fine oat chops | \$2.95 |
| Crushed oats | \$2.95 |
| Fine barley chop | \$2.90 |
| Whole corn | \$3.20 |
| Cracked corn | \$3.30 |
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