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## GUN BATTLE IN WINNIPEG SUNDAY NIGHT

Attempt to Arrest Man Who Killed Druggist Results in Much Shooting

WINNIPEG, Dec. 31.—Car McGee, aged 31, the farm hand identified as the slayer of Digby Bonitz, a druggist, in his store on Thursday night, is dead, and Detective Sergeant Charles McIvor seriously wounded, but is reported to be doing splendidly, following a gun battle in front of a rooming house on McDermott Avenue, in the centre of the city, Sunday night.

Two youths, George and Edward Vanderlip, were arrested earlier charged with robbery. It was following their interrogation that the police searched for McGee.

McIvor and three other officers accosted McGee as he was leaving the house before 10 o'clock. McGee opened fire and the detectives replied, putting seven bullets into his body and killing him instantly.

McGee had his gun concealed in his coat and fired his first shot through his coat. McIvor was wounded three times through his left hip, but continued to fight it out with the bandit.

McGee also was known as Carl Young and had served six years in San Quentin prison, California, for robbery.

## KING GEORGE NOT CHANGED

Restful Day but Still Very Exhausted and Little Optimism Shown

LONDON, Dec. 31.—It was authoritatively stated this afternoon that King George has had a restful day, but the exhausted condition of the monarch was presenting a difficult problem to the physicians, which they frankly acknowledged in the morning bulletin.

Five of the seven doctors who had been attending His Majesty signed the morning report, and while palace officials indicated that the bulletin was not to be regarded in a too satisfactory light, the hopefulness had increased at the readiness of the patient to take nourishment and is expressed as a sign that the King's weakness may be overcome.

The King's physicians issued a bulletin this morning stating: "The King passed a somewhat restless night. His general condition is maintained, although, as previously noted, the state of exhaustion still presents a difficult problem. There is little more readiness to take nourishment and the local condition is progressing."

At 8:30 the bulletin stated: "The King has had a quiet day. There is no change in His Majesty's condition."

**LATEST BULLETIN**  
The latest bulletin this evening says the King had a good day with no change. A bacteriological examination shows that the extent and potency of the local infection is diminishing.

## HUGE LIQUOR BILL FOR B. C.

VICTORIA, Dec. 31.—Figures issued at the Finance department reveal that British Columbia is spending about eighteen million dollars yearly for hard liquor and beer, or just under thirty dollars for every man, woman and child.

Liquor sales are advancing about a million dollars per year.

**GREETINGS**

1929

**for the**

**NEW YEAR**

**To the People of All Northern British Columbia**

## Prince Rupert District Shows Great Progress in Year's Activities

Everyone Able to Find Employment and Sale of Hydro-Electric May Prove to Be Crowning Move Toward Greater Prosperity

BY G. A. HUNTER

While other articles today tell of progress that has been made in 1928 by the country and province as a whole, it might not be amiss to point out that the city of Prince Rupert has in no sense of the word marked time during 1928. Excellent progress, indeed, has been made by this city and there is reason for confidence in the belief that 1929 will be "Prince Rupert's year."

Progress is usually measured in the material sense and a few of the more important industrial developments in 1928 might be here referred to. In the various industries progress has been made.

Mining in the district has been going ahead by leaps and bounds. At Stewart, Alice Arm, along the coast and in the central interior, all of which districts are tributary to Prince Rupert, there has been marked development in the opening up of the country's mineral wealth. New prospects have been uncovered and new producers have been assured. It is well within the bounds of possibility that Prince Rupert, through the establishment of a smelter or refining plant somewhere in the vicinity of the city, may soon participate more actively in the mineral industry.

Toward the end of this year, there has been a general improve-

ment in the lumbering industry. Prince Rupert has felt the benefit of this in no small way through the establishment during the year of two sawmills — one at either end of the city. The year 1929 will, it is expected, see still another mill established here.

Opinions to the contrary notwithstanding, there has been an improvement this year both in salmon and halibut fishing industries. The salmon pack, generally speaking, was much larger than the year previous. The halibut catch was also larger and prices were better. A gratifying feature of the fishing industry is that conservation measures for both salmon and halibut give definite promise of being attended with

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## PLANTS NOW LEAFING OUT

Unusual Winter Conditions Causing Unnatural Growth in City

Due to unnaturally mild weather conditions that have been prevailing here in mid-winter, New Year's Eve finds lilacs, honeysuckle and other shrubbery bursting into leaf. Some citizens also report bulbs, which usually appear in early spring, now raising their tender shoots out of the ground.

Should there be, as is unlikely, no more cold weather this winter, it will be an exceptionally early spring. On the other hand, should there be frost, it will undoubtedly disturb the progress of growth in the normal spring season.

## NEW STEAMER FOR KETCHIKAN

SEATTLE, Dec. 31.—To meet the heavy increase in the movement of frozen fish from Alaska, the Northland Transportation Company, now operating motorships Norco and Bellingham in the trade, has called for bids for a new vessel to be added to the service next fall. The new vessel will measure 186 feet over all.

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 31.—There have been very large schools of herring running up the inlet for the last three weeks.

## Dr. MacLean Leaves for Ottawa; Rupert's Member to Succeed

Important Post Goes To Former Premier of B. C. in Finance Department but Exact Status Not Known

VICTORIA, Dec. 31.—Dr. J. D. MacLean, former premier of British Columbia, will leave Victoria today to take an important post in the federal department of finance at Ottawa. The exact position has not been announced.

Dr. MacLean's appointment marks his final retirement from provincial politics.

Dr. MacLean, who up to the present time, has been looked upon as the leader of the opposition in the province, has designated T. D. Pattullo, M.L.A., as his representative in viewing orders-in-council of the present government from now until the opening of the house. Prince Rupert's member will virtually represent the Liberal party in watching the work of the government.

## STRUCK TELEPHONE POLE

VICTORIA, Dec. 31.—Jack Burnett of Strawberryvale, a suburb of Victoria, was instantly killed when he was thrown from his automobile on Sunday evening on the Hayward road. The car struck a telephone pole.

## NO PAPER TUESDAY

Tomorrow, being New Year's day and a public holiday, there will be no publication of the Daily News. The next regular issue will be on Wednesday afternoon.

## SNOW COMES TO ENGLAND

Wintry Conditions Include Flooding of Thames and Other Rivers

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Wintry conditions prevailed in England and Wales today, with snow in the north and west, accompanied by floods in the low lying districts. The Thames topped the banks at Waltonbridge, flooding a considerable area.

## MUCH PROGRESS FOR PROVINCE IN INDUSTRIES

Advance of About Seven Million Dollars in Four Leading Lines

VICTORIA, Dec. 31.—The production of British Columbia's four great industries—lumbering, agriculture, mining and fishing—broke the quarter billion mark for the first time in 1928. Preliminary returns indicate the output at \$251,255,000, an increase of \$7,000,000 over 1927, but the final figures may boost this another million.

Mining, according to the estimates, produced \$64,685,000; farms, \$79,020,000; fisheries, \$24,500,000. Lumber will probably be equal to or larger than the \$3,000,000 of last year. Manufacturing is estimated to have gained 15 per cent.

## 1928 POLICE COURT FINES

Total for Past Year Much Lower Than During Year Immediately Previous

Reflecting better conditions as far as the state of law and order in the city during the past year is concerned, 1928 police court fines in Prince Rupert have totaled \$6,906.50, as compared with a total of \$9,563.50 thus collected in 1927. During the month of December, ending today, fines totalled \$362, as compared with \$370 in the same month last year.

Following figures show police court fines month by month for this year and last:

January	\$ 380.00	\$ 90.00
February	495.00	105.00
March	670.00	997.00
April	629.00	435.00
May	245.00	930.00
June	289.50	909.50
July	437.00	382.50
August	1,470.50	1,227.50
September	1,558.50	1,421.00
October	277.50	521.00
November	92.50	2,175.00
December	362.00	370.00
Totals	\$6,906.50	\$9,563.50

## CONSERVATIVES DECIDE NOT TO NOMINATE

SARNIA, Ont., Dec. 31.—The Conservatives on Saturday decided not to contest in the Dominion by-election in West Lambton on January 21. The Liberals have nominated Ross W. Gray, a local lawyer.

## POINCARÉ WOULD RESIGN POSITION PREMIER OF FRANCE

PARIS, Dec. 31.—Premier Poincaré, telling the cabinet his main tasks had been accomplished, said he was ready to resign owing to unrest, but the members of the cabinet persuaded him he had much more to do, particularly in regard to reparations. He then agreed to remain at the head of the government.

## ROBINS AT XMAS Q. C. ISLANDS

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 31.—There are quite a few red breast robins around now, due, it is believed to the very mild winter. It seems strange to have Christmas with wild dandelions and daisies in full bloom.

# News and Views In The World of Sport



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## SPORT CHAT

Every sign on the Queensberry map where the heavyweights re-pine indicates very clearly that Tex Rickard will send Jack Dempsey into the ring again some time before the leaves begin to fall next autumn, writes Andy Lythe. Dempsey is still the dominant fist figure despite those two sound beatings he absorbed from the departed Mr. Gene Tunney. All of Dempsey's fights, you might say, with the exception of his defeat in Philadelphia, have been filled with color so that he is still "good copy." That seventh round in Chicago, for instance, about which rumors of hooey are still being written, his smashing annihilation of Luis Firpo; the slaughter of the gigantic Willard; all these helped to make Dempsey for Rickard's purposes of another million-dollar gate. Who will fight Dempsey? It doesn't really matter. The build-up will be all around the person of Dempsey, the "Manassa Mauler," "the killer" and other superlative slapstick the promotion boys can think of. It looks like Jack Sharkey was the selected sucker for the Rickard publicity boys have the garrulous Gob popping off every few days. He's "good copy," too. If Gene Tunney, however, were to suddenly announce an intention to return to the ring it would be just too bad for the plans of Mr. Rickard. Dempsey may need money, as alleged, but he doesn't need it bad enough to get in there again and catch for Tunney. That shot, as the boys say, is OUT!

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## SPORT EVENTS OF THE YEAR

Outstanding Was Joe Wright's Performance at Henley and the Olympic Games

The most outstanding sport events of the past year were the most creditable performances of Canadian athletes in Europe. On July 7 Joseph Wright Jr. of Toronto won the diamond sculls at Henley regatta, the second Canadian to capture this coveted amateur trophy.

Canada was represented at the Olympic games by a carefully selected contingent of young men and women who did honor to the Maple Leaf. Percy Williams, a young and hitherto unknown runner from Vancouver, B.C., astonished the world by winning both the 100 and 200-metre races with ease, while Ethel Catherwood of Toronto, Ont., broke the world's records for the running high jump. The Canadian girls won the 400-metre relay race with ease and in other events proved that they were a credit to Canada and to clean athletics.

## XMAS CONCERT LAST EVENING

Fine Program Rendered at St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Metropole Hall was filled to capacity last night when a Christmas concert was held by St. Paul's Lutheran Church. There was a splendid program in which young people as well as older members of the congregation participated.

The program was as follows: Processional Hymn, "Adeste Fidelis," audience standing. Prayer, Rev. John H. Hanson. Song, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," Sunday School. Gospel message, Miss Evelyn Edwards. Prayer in song, Sunday School. Address of Welcome, Gudrian Welle. Christmas Wish, Percy Knutson. Song, "Bright Angels," Martin Erickson, John Johnson, Geo. Dybhavn, Andrew Dybhavn and Morris Hansen. Recitation, Ingrid Halberg. Piano solo, Margaret Fritz. Good night, Helge Halkestad. Song, "Christmas Bells," group of little girls. Recitation, "Empty Stockings," Randi Jacobsen. Dialogue, Norman Hebb and Peter Peterson. Song, "I Love a Little Stranger," Alena and Viola Dybhavn and primary children. Recitation, "I am Just a Little Tot," Edna Mickelson. Recitation, Jolly St. Nick, Jimmy Feasby. Song, Rudolph Lovsted, Alfred Nickald and Jimmy Feasby. Offertory song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Sunday School. Piano solo, "Cradle Song," Olive Dybhavn. Vocal duet, in Swedish, Ingrid and Alaine Morse. A Butterfly Drill with recitations was followed by the singing of "Silent Night" by Miss Agnes Underdahl's class with a pantomime of Joseph and Mary with the Babe in the crib. George Dybhavn acted as Simeon. The program closed with the benediction. There was a generous offering.

### GIFT FOR PREMIER

VICTORIA, Dec. 31.—Members of the Government on Saturday presented Premier Tolmie with a set of three travelling bags of varying sizes.

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—Small black spaniel Setter, white mark on chest. Answers to the name of Jeff. Finder please return to Prince Rupert Hotel.

## ART EASSON WINNER BILLIARD TOURNEY

Defeated J. Campbell by Score of 200 to 176 in Final of Grand Terminal Handicap

Art Easson won the final in the Grand Terminal Christmas billiard tournament on Saturday night by defeating J. Campbell 200 to 176. Three seasonal prizes were offered in the competition, which has been in progress for the past couple of weeks.

## LAWN HILL HAS XMAS CONCERT

LAWN HILL, Dec. 31.—Lawn Hill had a splendid Christmas concert this year, Miss Jean Haan, the teacher, having prepared a program which attracted people from all up and down the coast. The school building was beautifully decorated for the occasion. M. Newman of Queen Charlotte City made an excellent Santa Claus. So crowded was the building that there was not even standing room for all and the result reflects much credit on the teacher who has lived on the Islands since babyhood. The following was the program:

Song, "Maple Leaf," school. Recitation, "Xmas," Harry Emmerson. Carol, "While Shepherds Watched," school. Recitation, "The right of women," Doris Richardson. Play and song, "Xmas Candles," 4 pupils. Dialogue, "Robber under the Bed," 3 Girls. Song, "Jingle Bells," 5 pupils. Recitation, "Winter," Elsie Molitor. Drill, "Double Jointed Aerobats," School Children. Song, "Silent Night," 4 Girls. Recitation, "The Twentysix't," Fred Emmerson. Dialogue, "Getting even with sisters beau," 5 persons. Song, "Away in the Manger," 5 Pupils. Shadow Play, Doris Richardson and Jenny Molitor. Recitation, "Our Baby," Josie Molitor. Drill and Song, "Star of the East," 6 Girls. Recitation, "The Star," Rosie Molitor. Exercise, "Xmas Suggestions," 3 Pupils. Dialogue, "Aunt Betsy's Beau," 6 Persons. Monologue, "Somebody's Picture," Ruth Molitor. Carol, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," School.

## PROTEST AT REGULATIONS

President Fishing Vessel Owners Association Sees Ruin in Proposed Changes

SEATTLE, Dec. 31.—Captain Jacob Engdahl, vice-president of the Fishing Vessels Owners Association, on Sunday forecast the ruin of the North Pacific halibut industry if recommendations put into effect of the international fisheries commission, which would establish areas where the total catch may be reduced by pre-determined percentage and would require vessels to clear from stipulated waters.

"It promises to annihilate the industry. It's a case of fight or die," the captain said. The captain pointed out that as the Alaska halibut banks are often six to 1200 miles from the port from which the ship sailed, the clearance to the specified area would result in great waste of time if the bank did not yield a catch and the ship forced to return to port to clear for a new bank. He found similar uncertainties and delays which would probably be involved in an attempt to limit by pre-determined figures the catch of the halibut vessels.

## 5000 WATCH CRICKET GAME

Australians Make 379 Runs in First Innings in Test Match Against England

MELBOURNE, Dec. 31.—The Australians in the first innings of the test match which concluded today set England the task of getting 379 runs with less than an hour to play. England went to bat, scoring 47 for the loss of one wicket when stumps were drawn. Five thousand people attended the game.

## HOCKEY SCORES

Scores in the National Hockey League over the week-end were as follows:

**Sunday**  
Chicago 1, Detroit 3.  
Boston 0, N. Y. Rangers 2.  
**Saturday**  
Detroit 3, Toronto 4.  
Pittsburgh 3, Montreal 2.  
Ottawa 2, N. Y. Americans 2.

## PRINCE RUPERT GIRLS WINNERS

Inflicted Fourth Straight Defeat on Anox at Smelter Town Saturday Night

Prince Rupert High School girls won the second basketball game with Anox High School at Anox on Saturday according to brief message received this afternoon by the Government Telegraphs, the score not being given. This makes four straight games the local girls have won over the Anox young ladies. The local team will return home tomorrow.

## BUILDING FOR THE PAST YEAR

Prince Rupert Permits \$160,479 But Much of Besner Block Also Built

While official figures of the city building inspector show that building in Prince Rupert during the year 1928 amounted to \$160,479 as compared with \$251,940 in 1927, there was actually more building in the city this year than last as the permit for the new Besner Block was credited to 1927 while the most of the construction on it, took place this year. This and the new Capitol Theatre building, permit for which was taken out in March, were the chief buildings erected in the city during the year which ends today. Permits for December this year amount to \$5,425.

Following are building records month by month for this year and last:

	1928	1927
January	\$ 3,700	\$ 5,850
February	3,825	5,175
March	80,900	6,550
April	18,000	18,800
May	16,850	5,825
June	2,200	22,275
July	16,500	22,595
August	1,595	8,565
September	2,089	37,350
October	3,140	101,380
November	6,255	14,675
December	5,425	12,900

### December Permits

December permits were as follows:

Philip Lowe, repairs to dwelling, 209 Ninth Avenue E. \$400.  
J. A. Prince, shingling roof, Dunsmair Street, \$100.  
W. C. Fulton, new concrete foundation, 3.9 Fifth Avenue W., \$350.  
Inlander Boarding House, Chicken house, \$75.  
G. Wolschegal, addition to residence, 1125 Eleventh Avenue E., \$950.  
A. Johnson, renew foundation, 732 Fraser Street, \$300.  
Lindsay's Cartage, frame barn,

## BASEBALL'S RULING TRIUMVIRATE



Trades, pow-wows on rules and disputes between players and Clubs marked the most recent meeting of the magnates. In the end everything was settled satisfactorily. Above is an interesting photograph of the "big three," the royalty of the national pastime. Left to right: Edward Bernard, American Baseball League president; Kenesaw M. Landis, Czar of professional baseball, and John A. Heydler, president of National League.

## EL QUAFI WON AGAIN



Olympic champion captured the marathon crown at Madison Square Garden, New York. From left: Joie Ray, American; Newton England; Richman, New York; Naslund, Sweden; Umec, Italy; Lossman, Estonia; El Quafi, Algeria; Wattinen, Finland; Jolehmainen, Finland, and Starter Johnny Hays, former marathoner.

Porter Avenue, \$150.  
Wm. Smeeton, chicken house, Eleventh Street, \$50.  
J. B. McKay, residence, Sixth Avenue E., \$2,800.  
A. D. Hoiden, roof and foundation, 1340 Seventh Avenue E., \$250.

## CHRISTMAS PARTY AT SKIDEGATE MISSION

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 31.—On Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. A. Jones of Skidegate Mission entertained a large party at their home for dinner, 24 guests sitting down together and doing honor to the occasion. Later in the evening the younger people of the village were invited to the home of H. Moody (Chief Nes-Waas) for a dance, where an eight-piece string orchestra supplied the music. One of the most striking and most popular selections was "Hydah King."

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Social evening in St. Andrew's Society Rooms on Wednesday night, January 2 at 8:30.

Tommy's Taxi (Phone 671) announces the placing of a second Dodge Sedan car in business.

L. Fenness returned to the city on the Catala yesterday afternoon from a trip to Vancouver.

Ewart Lyne (Pianist, Capitol Theatre), teacher of pianoforte. Studio—10 Federal Block. Phone Red 701. 306

There was another large crowd in attendance at the weekly dance under Scandinavian auspices in the Metropole Hall Saturday evening.

Sixteen carloads of grain arrived over the week-end from the prairies for the Alberta Wheat Pool's Prince Rupert elevator.

Don't forget Hogmanay dance, Moose Hall, December 31 at 8:30. Scotch and Canadian dances. Good Music. Good eats! Ladies 50c, Gentlemen \$1.00. 306

The Post Office Registration and General Delivery Wickets will be open from 9 to 11 a.m. Tuesday and the public lobby will be open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. 306

A. R. Mallory of Port Clements, stipendiary magistrate, postmaster and general factotum of Massett Inlet, is a visitor in the city, having arrived from the Islands on the Prince John last evening.

The Prince Rupert High School Girls' Basketball team, with Miss L. A. Mills and Ralph Smith, will return home on the Catala tomorrow morning from Anyox where a series of games was played.

Motorship Bellingham, Capt. J. E. Anderson, arrived in port at 8 o'clock this morning from Ketchikan with one carload of frozen fish for transshipment east over the Canadian National Railways.

Duncan Campbell of Vancouver arrived in the city on yesterday afternoon's train and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Bert Morgan, Fifth Avenue West. Mr. Campbell is making the trip here with his sister, Miss Bella Campbell of Sydney, Australia. They will proceed south Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lea and daughter, Mary, who have been spending Christmas at Massett with Mrs. Lea's father, arrived on the Prince John last evening from the Islands and will sail tomorrow night for their home in Vancouver. Mr. Lea, who was formerly identified with the Massett Timber Co.'s sawmill at Buckley Bay, is now engaged in the contracting business at Vancouver.

With a light passenger list and freight cargo, Union steamer Catala, Capt. E. A. Dickson, arrived in port at 4:30 yesterday afternoon from the south and sailed at 8 p.m. for Anyox, Stewart and other northern points, whence she will return here tomorrow morning and sail south at 3:30 p.m. Passengers coming north on the Catala included, R. F. Brandt, H. G. Olsen, S. Hanson, W. R. McAfee, Miss McLeod and I. Fenness, for Prince Rupert; R. Herrin, Mrs. Maguire and Mrs. Koski, for Anyox; J. Pearcey and J. Soppil, for Stewart; J. A. Moody, for Port Simpson.

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- Cards of Thanks, \$2.
- Funeral Notices \$1.
- Funeral Flowers 10c per name.
- Marriage and Engagement announcements \$2.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women of Mooseheart Legion Whist Drive and Dance, first Friday of every month.

St. Andrew's Society Auxiliary Dance December 31, Moose Hall.

Capt. James Findlay, regularly master of the Camosun, is now acting as skipper of the steamer Cardena while Capt. A. Johnston is ashore in Vancouver on holidays.

Ald. P. H. Linzey conducted and spoke at New Year services in First Baptist Church yesterday. The pastor, Rev. W. F. Price, was indisposed and unable to be present.

Miss McLeod, school teacher at Massett, arrived on the Catala yesterday afternoon after spending Christmas in Vancouver, and will proceed to the Islands on the Prince John tonight.

Weldon R. McAfee returned to the city on the Catala yesterday afternoon from Vancouver where he spent Christmas. Mrs. McAfee and children are remaining in the south for a while longer.

Provincial Constable J. K. Barnes, transferred from Vancouver to the city detachment at Prince George, will arrive here from the south on the Prince Rupert Wednesday morning and proceed through by train the same day to the interior.

Don't forget it! The New Year's celebration in the Commodore Banquet Room. Ring the old year out and bring the New Year in. Lots of fun. Lots of music. Special dinner with beverages. Reserve your seats early. Only a limited amount to be sold. 310

Daily News classified advertising brings results.

### THE BANKRUPTCY ACT

In the estate of the B. C. Butchers & Grocers, Limited, authorized assessor: Notice is hereby given that the B. C. Butchers & Grocers, Limited, of Prince Rupert, B.C., did on the 24th day of December, 1925, make an authorized assignment of all its property for the benefit of its creditors, and that H. F. McLeod, official receiver, has appointed me to be custodian of the estate of the debtor until the first meeting of creditors.

Notice is further given that the first meeting of creditors in the above estate will be held at the office of the Official Receiver, Court House, Prince Rupert, B.C., on Monday, the 7th day of January, 1926, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

To entitle you to vote thereat, proof of your claim must be lodged with me before the meeting is held.

Proxies to be used at the meeting must be lodged with me prior thereto.

And further take notice that at such meeting the creditors will elect the permanent trustee.

And further take notice that if you have any claim against the debtor for which you are entitled to rank proof of claim must be filed with me or with the trustee when appointed, otherwise the proceeds of the debtor's estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto without regard to your claim.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 28th day of December, A.D. 1925.

ALEX CONNON,  
Custodian.

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This is an extract from a valued letter from Penticton.

### PACIFIC MILK

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Bishop G. A. Rix returned to the city on yesterday afternoon's train from a brief trip to the interior.

M. A. Burbank, divisional engineer for the Canadian National Railways, returned to the city on yesterday afternoon's train from a trip to the interior on official duties.

Hans G. Olsen, Smithers manager of the Hanson Timber & Lumber Co., arrived in the city on the Catala yesterday, after having spent Christmas in Vancouver, and proceeded by train this morning to the interior.

There has been considerable snow on the railway line, particularly in the vicinity of Kwinitza, during the past few days and yesterday the snow plow was sent out. There has been no delay to train traffic, however, as yet.

Having been delayed by stormy weather during the voyage, C. N. R. steamer Prince John, Capt. E. Mabbs, arrived in port at 6 o'clock last evening from Vancouver via the Queen Charlotte Islands and will sail at 10 o'clock tonight on her return south over the same route. The vessel is discharging a cargo of Vancouver Island coal at the dry dock.

Miss Bella Campbell, who teaches high school in Sydney, Australia, arrived in the city on yesterday afternoon's train in the course of a tour of British Columbia and will be here for the next week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bert Morgan, 420 Fifth Avenue West, before proceeding to Vancouver where she will embark on her return to Australia.

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#### BACKWARD AND FORWARD

One year ago today The Daily News announced a cut of almost fifty per cent in the subscription price of the paper and during the year the size of the sheet has been increased and new equipment installed, enabling the use of picture services both for the editorial and advertising departments. All this has cost a great deal, but the changes have been justified by the result. Today we have a thousand more subscribers than we had a year ago. The people of the district have responded splendidly and their continued support will enable the publishing of such a paper in the future as will make a good impression on the hundreds of people on the outside who see it and get their ideas of the country from what they read in its columns.

No country can succeed today without a good newspaper and that is what we are aiming to give. We think our readers will agree that we have done a good deal in the past and we expect to do more in the future.

We have a great country to develop and it is only by united effort that we can make the most of it. Our suggestion for the New Year is that we unite on all the essentials for the advancement of the district. Let us disagree on politics, on religion, and on details of administration, but when it comes to the welfare of the district let us get together as one man and insist on our rights and forward our interests in the best possible manner. In unity is strength.

## News of the Mines

AROUND PRINCE RUPERT  
Premier's Big Operations at Porter-Idaho and Prosperity; Pedro Group at Stewart Strikes Ore; Winter Work on Tiger

The Premier Gold Mining Co. is continuing big operations at the Porter Idaho and Prosperity properties on the Marmot River. There were certain unavoidable delays in connection with the construction of the tram to the Porter-Idaho, but, when conditions are favorable in the spring for the resumption of work, two weeks should see the tram ready for operation. Meanwhile, at the Porter Idaho mine a crew of 25 men, under Foreman McManning, is drifting and upraising to block out ore and provide ventilation. The crew at the lower terminal has been reduced to five men, who are working on the power house. On the Prosperity 20 men are employed and good results are reported to be attending the work.

A newly discovered vein of ore is now being developed by the Pedro Syndicate of Stewart on its Georgia River property and it has the earmarks of being one of the most important discoveries yet

been done and from which gold returns range from \$18 to \$43 per ton. The Pedro (Eagle) group lies about four and a half miles from the beach and the trail constructed this season by the Georgia River Gold Mines Ltd. runs through it, giving excellent transportation for supplies. The crew of five men, now on the property, will keep working all winter.

The winter program of development on the Tiger mine at Alice Arm is now well under way and recently has been concentrated in the No. 2 tunnel, where the ore body has been cross-cut, showing 14 feet width of good grade silver ore. During the summer the ore body in this tunnel was encountered but was not cut through. This was completed with two shifts employed. Following this, work has been resumed in No. 3, where the main ore body has not yet been reached, though it is expected to be encountered in about 80 feet, the tunnel now being in 270 feet, a seven-foot ore body having been encountered at 200 feet. When it has been reached on this level and cross-cut to determine its width and thickness, the work of driving the main tunnel will be commenced. The main tunnel, when the ore is encountered, will give a depth on the ore of 800 feet below the surface. Ore will then have been developed on three levels and raises will be driven and the blocking out of ore commenced. A compressor plant, now at the mine, will be installed in the spring. All winter supplies for a full crew have been delivered at the mine and the new bunkhouse, with accommodation for 40 men, is being occupied. The prospects are that the Tiger may soon be developed by the Utility Mining and Finance Co. into a very valuable mine.

## PUBLICITY FOR INTERIOR MINES

Annual Report of Omineca Branch of Chamber Shows Much Activity

#### OFFICERS ELECTED

L. S. McGill Again Heads Organization at Smithers

SMITHERS, Dec. 31.—The Omineca branch of the British Columbia Chamber of Mines held its annual general meeting at a dinner at the Bulkley Hotel in Smithers on the evening of Thursday, December 27, and it proved to be a very successful event.

Annual reports were presented by the secretary-treasurer and by the president, reviewing a year of active work for the district, including the securing of much excellent publicity for the mining possibilities of the district in periodicals and mining publications all over North America and England, and also the winning of three important mining awards for district exhibits of ores at the Vancouver, New Westminster and Prince Rupert fairs.

Resignation of the president, L. S. McGill, was tendered after three years in that position, but the meeting would not hear of it, and finally the officers who have conducted the affairs of the organization for the past year were re-elected en bloc. They will be for 1929:

Honorary president—Hon. W. A. McKenzie, minister of mines.  
Hon. vice-president—J. F. Duthie, Seattle, Wash., U.S.A.  
President—L. S. McGill.  
Vice-president—Frank H. Taylor.

Secretary-treasurer—H. C. Linton.

Representative on provincial executive—A. C. Carde, Vancouver.  
Directors—John R. Turner, Peter Schuster, Alex S. Millar, Alex. Chisholm, B. Frank Messner, A. T. Harter, Angus A. McLean, R. L. Gale, James Wright, Joseph S. Kelly, D. A. McRae.

Votes of appreciation to the president and secretary for their work in the past and also honorariums of \$25.00 each were passed, and also a vote expressing recognition of the value to the district of Frank H. Taylor's activities and enterprise.

Ronald aged eight, recounts the thrills of a visit to a menagerie.

"And oh! Mum, one of the lions was furious. You ought to have seen him showing his tusks."

## PRINCE RUPERT SHOWS PROGRESS

(Continued from page one)

success in the way of preserving the fish. This will rebound to the future benefit of the industry. A definite symbol of the confidence that is held in the future of the industry is the building of at least one new salmon cannery near the city.

Agriculture in the interior has made gradual progress during the year. More settlers have come in and more land has been developed. Progress of the city of Prince Rupert and interior agriculture are interlocked. The larger this city grows the more farmers in the interior will be thus supported. Further expansion may therefore be looked for.

The grain shipping industry at the port of Prince Rupert has been, so far, a little disappoint-

ing, but it may improve as the season advances. Confidence seems to be growing that the day may not be far removed when Prince Rupert will enjoy much more shipping trade than it does today and this may not be confined to grain alone.

Expansion of industry here has been attended, as might be expected, with a gradual rise in the city's population. While there are more people, all are living under better conditions. Building has been quite active during 1928 and there are many new homes. Outstanding in the building line are the two new buildings in the business section—the Beaser block and Capitol Theatre—both of which were completed during the year.

Another gratifying feature of the year which passes today has been the practical absence of unemployment. Everybody in the city has been engaged in some kind of useful work.

From the standpoint of Prince Rupert's industrial future, the re-

cent decision of the people of the city to sell their power franchise may well be expected to prove the outstanding event. There is good reason in believing that this may result in many new industries coming here. It may, indeed, prove to be the turning point from slow growth to a period of great development and prosperity for the city. In any case, the program of development which is to be immediately carried out by the purchasing company will be a big thing for Prince Rupert during the year that opens tomorrow.

### RESIDENCES IN CITY ARE SOLD

Ald. Linzey Buys Silversides' House and E. P. Jenner Purchases Anger Home

Ald. P. H. Linzey is moving from the Rand Block into a house on Fifth Avenue West, between Fulton and Tatlow Streets, which he has purchased from Thomas

Silversides. E. P. Jenner, who has been occupying this house, is moving into a residence at the corner of Fifth Avenue and Emerson Place, which he has bought from I. Anger, who recently left the city.

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And if this progress, of which we are so justly proud, is to continue, does not the most vital force of this country lie in our children? Some day, they will take the helm. Events will follow their judgment, skill and decision. THEY ARE OUR GREATEST ASSET!

The Boy of today is the Man of to-morrow... the Girl, the future Mother of our citizens.

On us rests the responsibility of shaping their formative years so that when we hand over the reins, they may carry on the Torch of Progress, undimmed.

How have we met our responsibility? Can we look Young British Columbia in the eye with the feeling that all will be well with the future of the province for which we have planned so carefully and labored so faithfully?

#### SURELY!

In the last ten years our school population has grown from 64,570 to 101,688... 58%. We have 1,065 schools manned by 3,396 thoroughly

trained, competent teachers... an increase of 31.7% and 71% respectively!

Recently we have established special vocational schools for our girls and boys, where they may be fitted for those occupations for which they have a natural bent.

Higher education is amply provided for at our University of British Columbia, where two thousand students are now enrolled, the majority studying for their degree in Science and Agriculture.

And to the school training of our children we add the powerful influence of Home, the religious and other organizations, each of which is contributing its full measure of the physical, mental and character upbuilding of our dearest, most treasured asset... OUR CHILDREN!

With confidence and faith we will hand over our beloved Province's future when the time comes!

Read these announcements and understand your province's progress... clip them out and send them to friends. If you desire extra copies of these announcements a note to this newspaper will bring them. Advertise your Province!

# BRITISH COLUMBIA'S PROGRESS



### The Pledge of the Newlyweds

Fact and Fable Both

MARRIAGE Bells! There's a home to be planned, each room to equip and arrange, house plans to discuss, consultations with contractors, many stores to visit and many visits to stores.

To the newlyweds these are the spending days of a lifetime—days of joy and thrills buying for the home to be. But still another pleasure they have added to these memorable shopping hours—a pride in demanding first the products of their homeland.

"Because our mutual progress through the years to come depends on the prosperity of our country, we will build our home and make our home with the products of our local industries."—This is the pledge of the newlyweds.

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The coat in which the pen and ink lady swaggers is of this new skin and made perfectly straight, with furry cuffs and large shawl collar.

### The Bridge Coat Bows to the Cocktail Jacket



The cocktail jacket, now merrily on its fashionable way, has a rival. She is a twin sister just making her debut—the bridge coat that is formal enough to wear over a dinner dress at home.

The one pictured here is of black sheer velvet, gaily edged in gold and silver embroidery, which is also employed on the sleeves and pocket. It is worn with a simple dinner dress of beige crepe Elizabeth, with floating panels.

### That Extra Blouse Takes on a New Significance



What the ensembles for every occasion, formal and informal, the extra blouse has now become an important problem for the woman of taste. Here are two solutions to this problem, both in satin crepe and both equally smart. Parchment

### CONCERT GIVEN AT Q. C. CITY

Barges Hall Scene of Interesting Event Under Sunday and Day Schools Jointly

QUEEN CHARLOTTE CITY, Dec. 31.—A joint concert by the pupils of the public school and the United Church Sunday School proved a great success. Those particularly responsible for the good results being M. Newman, Mrs. R. Scott and Miss Dorothy Barge. The following was the program:

"Everybody Smile," chorus by school.  
"Welcome," recitation by Jean Carmichael.  
"Selfish Billy Green," recitation by Francis Beaven.  
"Signs of Christmas," recitation by Dorothy Carmichael.  
"Think of those around you," chorus by school.  
"Making Christmas Presents," monologue, Velma Fairbairn.  
"Choosing the Christmas Doll," dialogue: French Doll, Edna Beaven; Baby Doll, Jean Carmichael; Sailor Doll, Norman Sigmund; Nurse Doll, Myrtle Fairbairn; Indian Doll, Arthur Martin; Negro Mummy Doll, Olive Fairbairn; Japanese Doll, Nella Sigmund; Rag Doll, Dorothy Carmichael; Mrs. Santa, Catherine Carmichael; Mr. Santa Claus, Chas. Miller; Brownie, Willie Christensen.  
"Hollerin' up the Flue," recitation, Netta Sigmund.  
"A Good Boy," recitation, Richard Sigmund.  
"Star Drill" by Bessie Carmichael, Myrtle Fairbairn, Velma Fairbairn, Olive Fairbairn, Netta Sigmund, Mildred Johnson, Ella Sigmund, Margaret Beattie, Edna Beaven and Dorothy Carmichael.  
"A Good Little Girl," dialogue, Miss Melvina, Muriel Johnson; Carmelia, Evelyn Fairbairn; Elderly Walton, Walter Scott; Deacon Peabody, Philip Barge; Katie, the maid, Bessie Carmichael; Adam, Claude Duval.  
"John Grin and Joe Grouch," action song, Robert Scott, Ernest Christensen, Francis Beaven, Richard Sigmund.  
"Tonight," recitation, ?  
"To Santa Claus," recitation.  
"What Santa Calls Him," recitation, Claude Duval.  
"Song of Gladness," tableau: Mary, Muriel Johnson; Four Shepherds, Catherine Carmichael, Evelyn Fairbairn, Bessie Carmichael, Mildred Johnson; Wise Men, Velma Fairbairn, Margaret Beattie, Ella Sigmund; Angel, Edna Beaven.

### XMAS CONCERT AT SKIDEGATE

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 31.—The Skidegate concert and tree was held at the Pattullo school, the program being in charge of Miss Eva Cavalier, the teacher. All acquitted themselves well. The following was the program:

"Santa Claus Is Coming," chorus, by the school; "Lookout Man," recitation, by Sergius D. Bucy; "Week Before," recitation, by John Hellowell; "Sacred," recitation, by Alwyn Chartney; "A Bad Mixup," monologue, by Hartley Matthews; "My Dolly," recitation, by Ruth Matthews; "Drill of Xmas wreaths, the school; recitation by Helen Turner; "Presents For All," monologue, by Demmy Stevens; "A Good Boy," recitation, by George Turner; "Hark, Old Santa Claus," chorus, by the school; "Last Xmas Wishes," recitation, by Paul Hall-awell.

### GAVE MUSIC AT HOSPITAL

Program Yesterday by Ladies Music Club and Capitol Orchestra

The members of the Ladies Music Club, together with the Capitol Theatre Orchestra, the latter organization being assisted by the cornetist of the Westholme Theatre, Robert Greenfield, visited the Prince Rupert General Hospital yesterday afternoon and rendered a delightful program of hymns, carols and instrumental numbers for the benefit of patients and nursing staff. It was a real musical treatment which was enjoyed thoroughly by all.

The various numbers being interspersed with selections by the Capitolians, hymns and carols sung by the ladies of the Music Club included: "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," "Christians, Awake," "Silent Night, Holy Night," "The First Noel," and "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night." Other items on the program included a vocal solo, "The Star of Bethlehem," by Mrs. Ernest Anderson, accompanied by Mrs. Morris Blott; instrumental trio by Jack de Jausserand, violin; Ewart Lyne piano; and William Beaumont cello; solo, "Christ, the King," Mrs. J. J. Muldoon, accompanied by Ewart Lyne, and cello solo by Mr. Beaumont.

After the program, the members of the Music Club as well as the orchestra were entertained at tea in the Nurses' Home by the lady superintendent, Miss Jean Harrison, R.N.

The Ladies' Music Club will resume its regular schedule of fortnightly musical meetings on the afternoon of January 9.

### NEW YEAR OBSERVED

Services Appropriate to Season Held in Most City Churches Yesterday

The passing of the old year of 1928 and the advent of 1929 provided the subject for the pastors' sermons in most of the city churches yesterday. In some of the churches, there was special music for the occasion. Large congregations attended all services.

At evening service in First Presbyterian Church, the choir sang the anthem "O Zion that Bringest Good Tidings." Mrs. James Waugh sang "Beautiful Eden" as a vocal solo and Harry Lincoln sang "Fear not O Israel." The pastor, Rev. John Sutherland, spoke generally on the subject of New Year.

There will be a watch night service tonight in St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral. The feature of yesterday's services at the Cathedral was that last night which was designed especially for members of the Masonic order. There was a very large attendance and the rector, Rev. J. B. Gibson, spoke appropriately. Rev. Alfred Wilson dealt with a retrospect of 1928 and prospects for 1929 at First United Church. The choir last night

### BRITISH PEERS EXCHANGE POSTS



The Duke of Sutherland (left), His Majesty's Paymaster-General, and the Earl of Onslow (right), Parliamentary Under Secretary for War, have exchanged offices in order to enable the Earl of Onslow to assist during the next few months with the local government bill in the House of Lords. The bill embodies the final stages of the British Government's derating scheme for the relief of industry and agriculture.

### ION AND SERGEANT MAJOR ALEXCEE

sang the anthem "Abide With Me." In the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. F. Price, who was indisposed, Ald. P. B. Langley addressed the congregation of First Baptist Church morning and evening on the New Year subject. There was no special music.

In the Catholic Church, New Year services will be held tomorrow.

The morning service at the Aviation Army was taken by Mrs. William Kerr, assisted by Capt. E. Anderson. In the evening, there was a special salvation meeting which was led by Adjutant Kerr. There were hymns appropriate to the occasion and Sergeant Major Alexcee sang a solo. Several of the members of the Army spoke. There will be a watch night service to-night.

### SAD DEGENERACY

Stanley Baldwin reports being accosted by an old woman in Wye Forest with a salutation that he says sounded to him Elizabethan: "May God, good-will and good neighbors be your company."

"Think," he comments, "what education could do to that. Those of us who are wealthy can send our sons to expensive schools. Think our son will say that to us. No, he will say, probably: 'Pip pip. Toodle oo!'"—Transcript.

### TO JUMP, OR NOT TO JUMP



Hans (Germany): "Hoop-la, and the prize is yours." French Foodle: "I wonder if the sausages are good." (A committee of experts is about to prepare plans for the "mobilizing" of Germany railway bonds to pay off reparations. If the plan proves acceptable, France will evacuate the Rhineland. Britain desires evacuation at the earliest possible moment.) —News of the World.

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### SAM SIMPSON MASSETT, MARRIED IN SEATTLE

Miss Jessie Stott of Victoria Became Bride at Recent Ceremony

A wedding of interest in this district took place recently in Victoria when Miss Jessie Stott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stott of Victoria, was married to Samuel Leonard Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Simpson of Massett. The couple will make their home at Port Mellon.

### The Letter Box

WORD FROM THE ISLANDS

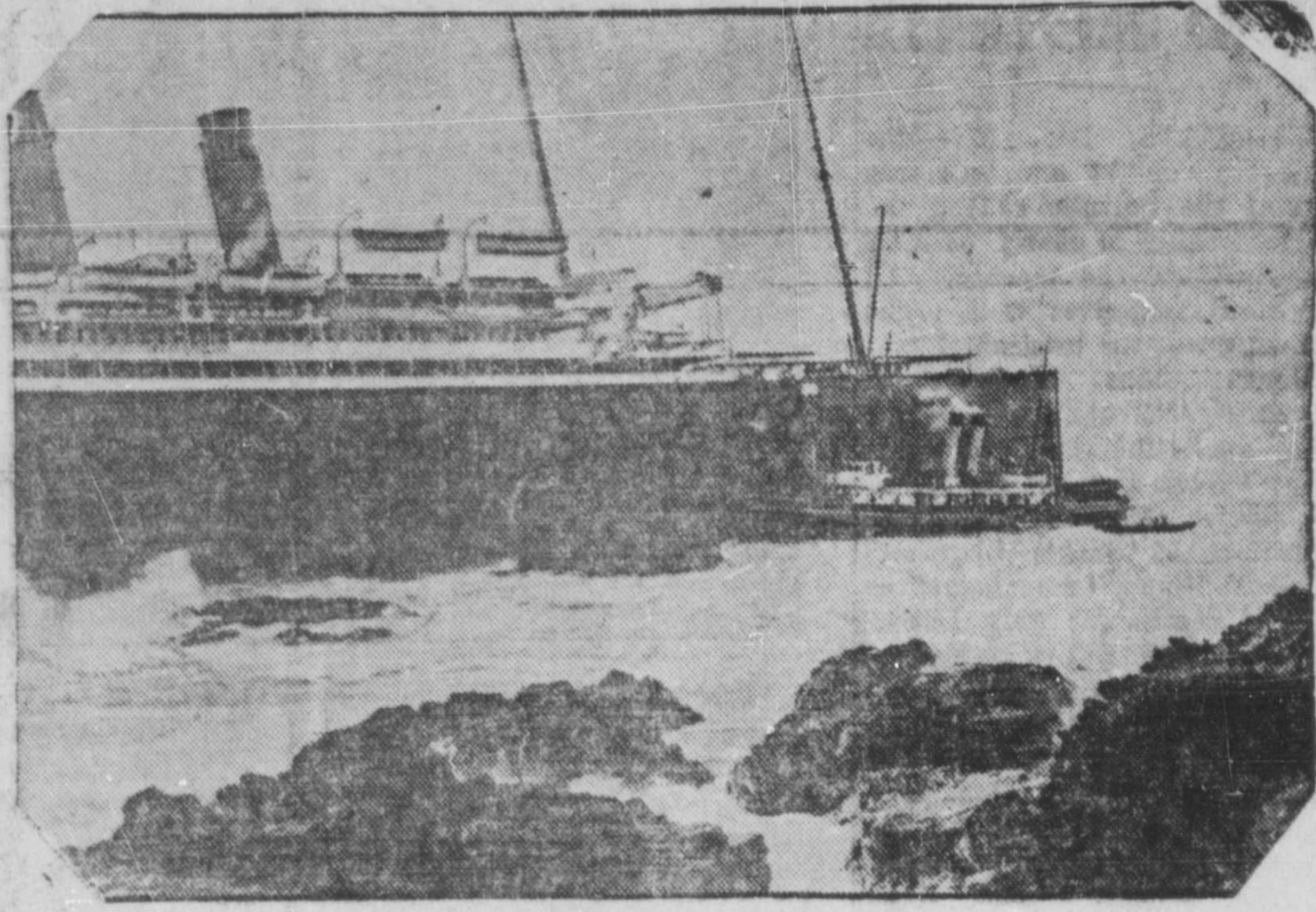
Editor, Daily News:—We, Queen Charlotte Islanders, again wish to thank you and your valuable paper for the loyal support you have always given us, and for the kindly interest you have shown in the development of our Islands, and at the same time, through your paper, we wish to thank Capt. E. Mabbs and Purser Bert Robson of the C.N.R. ss Prince John, for the many favors they have shown the Islanders.

We take this opportunity of wishing you and the citizens of Prince Rupert a happy and prosperous New Year.

SIX ISLANDERS

satin, an increasingly popular shade, forms the first, with its V-neck and tabbed cuffs. The other model, of mist gray, employs small bows sewed flat on the front.

PROUD LINER HELD ON ROCKS



Driven on rocks by gale and heavy seas, the White Star Liner Celtic is shown held fast off Roches Point, near Queenstown, Ireland. Among the 266 passengers taken off safely were several survivors of the S. S. Vestris disaster.

at Calgary, where Mrs. Russell is visiting.

Weather in Smithers has been anything but Christmassy and has included a good deal of rain.

Christmas business was rather slow in getting under way in Smithers this year and Monday was reported by most of the merchants to be the biggest shopping day.

Extensive improvements are being made to the community hall at Burns Lake.

Miss Irene McIntyre is home for Christmas and New Year from her studies at Columbian College, New Westminster. Miss Marjorie Warner and Misses A. and N. Harmon are home from convent at Prince Rupert.

NFW HAZELTON

The Felix Bridge Club met this week at the home of Mrs. W. W. Anderson.

Miss L. Morrice has resigned, after having been teacher of the alternative school at Kispiox for six and a half years, and left at the

VESTRIS' SISTER SHIP TO BE USED IN TEST



The owners of the ill-fated Vestris, which went down off the Virginia Capes after springing leaks and listing, causing the deaths of more than one hundred passengers, have decided to allow the sister ship, Vauban, to be tilted in a similar manner, in an effort to solve the mystery of the Vestris' sinking. Above is a picture of the liner Vauban, which is now on her regular South American voyage.

end of last week for her home in Vancouver.

Miss Jacquot, school teacher, has been spending the holiday at Evelyn with friends.

The annual Christmas tree entertainment for Hazelton children was held in the Assembly Hall this afternoon, the feature of

the festivities being a visit from Santa Claus.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Benson and family spent the Christmas holiday at the home of Mrs. Benson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanyer, Francois Lake.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Wrinch entertained the nursing staff of

the Hazelton Hospital and other friends at a big Christmas dinner. There were 30 guests in all.

An American music critic remarked of a young lady who sang at a high-class concert that she "was pretty enough to make a wonderful singer some day." - Yorkshire Post.

Dominion of Canada Shows Much Progress in Various Directions During the Closing Year

TORONTO, Dec. 31.—Nineteen twenty-eight was a good year to Canada—a good year for the farmers and the factory hands; a good year for the financiers and investors. It was a year with large crops, and fair prices, even though bad weather reduced the quality of wheat in the west; a year of industrial prosperity and full pay envelopes. Railway earnings increased beyond the most optimistic hopes of the managements. Climatic conditions throughout the year were good.

On the whole though various sections suffered from unusual floods. It was a year of increasing population; a year of railway development northward, and a year of mining progress. In fact, 1928 was a year to look back upon with pride and a year to assure confidence for the future.

The results of the quinquennial censuses of the three prairie provinces showed substantial increases in population, especially in Saskatchewan and Alberta, while both Ontario and Quebec showed substantial growth, largely urban. Two important events in railway development during the year were the purchase by the C. P. R. of the LaCombe and Northwestern railway from the Alberta government and a joint purchase by the C.P.R. and C.N.R. of the Alberta railways into the Peace River country, which foreshadows big developments in that section and in northern British Columbia during the coming year. Experiments in the haulage of Alberta coal to Ontario and of Nova Scotia coal to Central Canada were subsidized by the Dominion, but did not reach the proportions hoped for, despite substantial reductions in freight rates. In other inter-provincial trade exchanges there was considerable progress, western fruit and product invading the eastern markets to a marked degree.

Taken altogether the year 1928 was not marked by any great event of domestic importance in federal politics, its chief developments being external. Parliament met in January when Hon. R. B. Bennett assumed his duties as leader

District News

TERRACE

C. H. Castle of Vanderhoof, was a visitor here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Holmwood returned on Saturday from Prince Rupert.

Dudley Little accompanied the Terrace Basketball Team to Prince Rupert on Thursday and returned on Saturday.

Miss Ruby Krikevsky of Prince Rupert is a holiday visitor at the home of Miss Mona Greig.

The members of the Anglican Church children's choir were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Colhurst on Thursday evening. A jolly evening was spent by the youngsters in games and frolics. Santa Claus also made a special trip and treated them during the evening. Refreshments were much enjoyed by the boys and girls before leaving for home.

John Smith and A. A. McDonald of Usk were in town at the end of the week.

Miss Kathleen Burnett returned on Saturday from Prince Rupert where she was bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Mayme Dobb to G. S. Anderson on Wednesday last.

Jas. Turnbull of Hazelton was a business visitor here Thursday.

Matt Allard was in from Kalam Lake on Friday.

The B. D. Bridge Club met on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. George Dover.

Miss Halliwell of Prince Rupert, who has been holidaying at her home here left on Saturday for Smithers where she will spend the remainder of her vacation.

Orval Kenney left on Saturday for Prince Rupert to receive treatment for an injured knee.

Mrs. J. Raven, who returned on Wednesday after accompanying Mr. Raven to the Prince Rupert hospital, left on Saturday for her home in Remo after spending a few days here with her daughter, Mrs. Hunter.

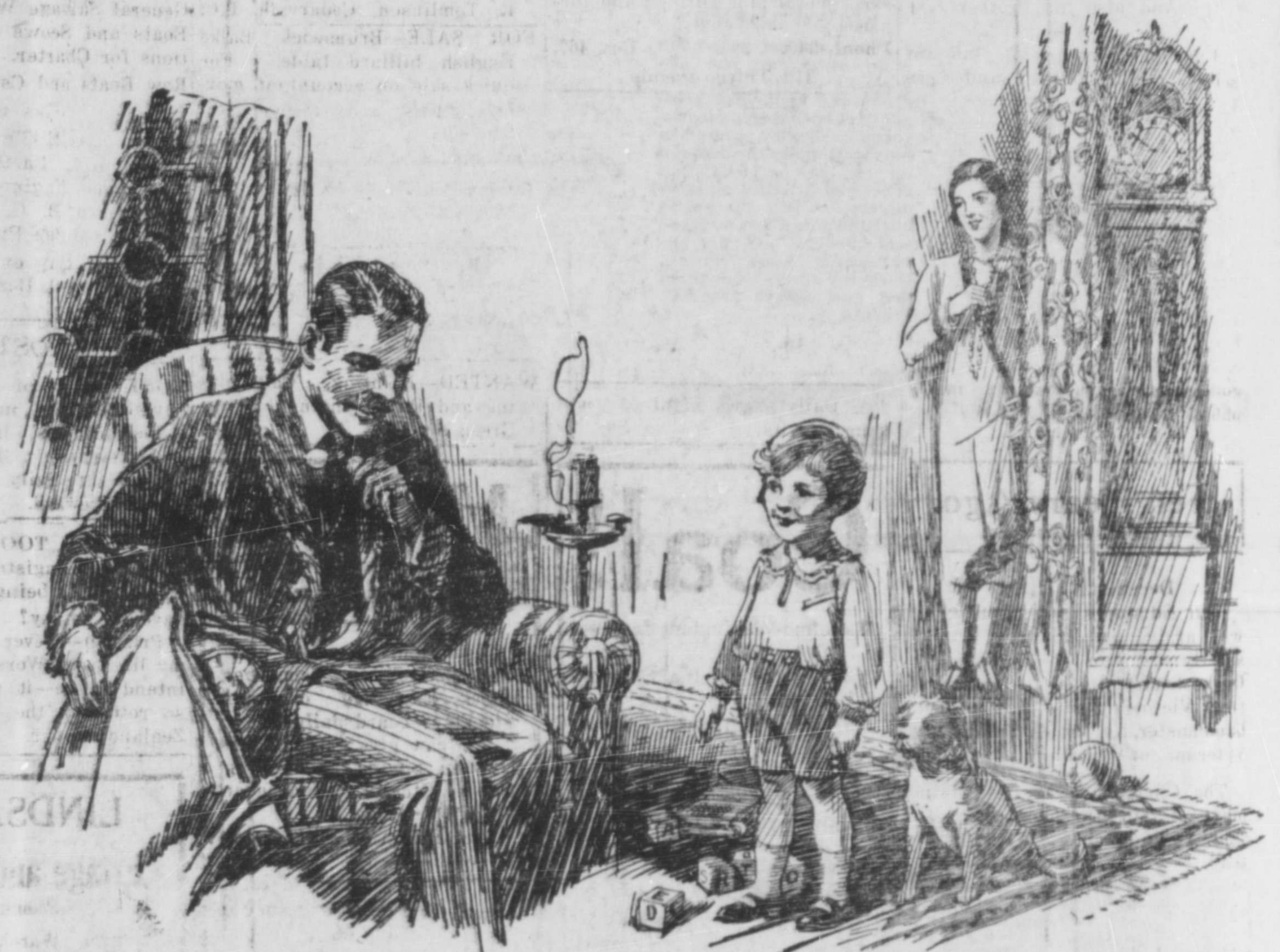
The Misses Alice, Dorothy and Marjorie Steinhoff of Dorreen are visitors at the home of Mrs. George Graham, Park Avenue.

Miss Esther Moore of Vancouver arrived on Saturday to spend a holiday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Moore.

George Little of Terrace, who is at present in eastern Canada, spent Christmas at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wm. Morrison, Attwood, Ont. Mrs. Morrison is Mrs. George Dover's mother.

SMITHERS

P. G. Russell, assistant superintendent for the Canadian National Railways, spent Christmas



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This is the time for New Year Resolutions. Write them down and then chuck them into the garbage can.

By the by, that is not the only thing that should go into the garbage can. What about enlarging them during the New Year so that they may be able to accommodate a few of our esteemed citizens. You know who.

Here I go criticizing others when I should be wishing you all a very happy New Year.

But then life would be happier without some of our friends, wouldn't it?

A happy new year To all you men; May you never live to want again.

A happy new year To the ladies all; May I meet them tonight At the New Year ball.

A happy New Year And again another, To the whole world And also his brother.

I often hear people talk of selling stable articles and here I thought stables had all gone along with the dodo and long dresses.

A tang in the air And Christmas gone If you feel like a drink Just bring it along.

Jake says he hopes next year I will find a real joke that will make everybody laugh. Yes, I'm going to get a cut made of Jake's photo and print it.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

December 31, 1918

Will Edmunds, noted musician, will arrive in Prince Rupert shortly to join the Westholme Orchestra as cellist. He comes from Victoria where he has been bandmaster for the Army & Navy Veterans of Canada.

The Christmas Tree entertainment of St. Andrew's Anglican Church was held yesterday. The feature of the program was a tableau of young girls arranged by Mrs. A. W. Healy.

Harry Hays, longshoreman, sustained injuries this morning when a rock from blasting operations crashed through the roof of the Shamrock Rooms on Eighth Street and hit him on the head as he was lying in bed.

PRINCE RUPERT TIDES

Monday, December 31

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# Westholme Theatre

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## CLARA BOW IN A TENSE DRAMA

Story of Gangsters and Their Loves shown Tonight at Westholme Theatre

A great many dramas of the underworld have been flashed upon the screen, but it has taken Clara Bow, Queen of the flappers, to give the motion picture public the most stirring of all.

The Paramount star accomplishes this in "Ladies of the Mob," a thrilling story of gangsters and their loves, something which is rarely taken into consideration when the police reports are read. It is being shown at the Westholme tonight.

It is an entirely different Clara Bow who throws off the wiles of the flapper and plunges herself into a powerful portrayal of a terror-stricken wife of a gangster. It is by far the heaviest bit of acting Miss Bow has attempted since her work in "Wings" and she proves conclusively that she can handle drama as well as the lighter roles which have made her so popular.

The story, which was written by Ernest Booth, is a tale of a young couple of the underworld, the husband a crook and the wife attempting at all times to keep him straight. The climax produces a thrill, when, caught and surrounded by the police, Miss Bow takes the most drastic methods imagined to keep "her man" on the straight and narrow path.

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**WEEK AT THEATRES**  
 \* Monday and Tuesday \*  
 \* Westholme: Clara Bow in \*  
 \* "Ladies of the Mob." \*  
 \* Capitol: "How to Handle \*  
 \* Woman." \*  
 \* Frolic, Monday at 11:30. \*  
 \* \*  
 \* Wednesday and Thursday \*  
 \* Westholme: Laura La \*  
 \* Plante in "Thanks for the \*  
 \* Buggy Ride." \*  
 \* Capitol: "Moran of the \*  
 \* Marines." \*  
 \* \*  
 \* Friday and Saturday \*  
 \* Westholme: Fred Thomson \*  
 \* in "The Sunset Legion." \*  
 \* Capitol: "The Wheel of \*  
 \* Chance." \*  
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## FROLIC TONIGHT AT THE CAPITOL

The first annual Capitol New Year's Eve frolic and jamboree will commence at the Capitol tonight at 11:30 p.m. By special arrangement with the B.P.O.E., the night's fun will include the big frolic at the Capitol, a "dinner de luxe" at the Boston Cabaret and ending with a grand New Year's dance at the Boston Hall with special music supplied by the Rupert Capitolians. New Year's jazz hats, sirens, horns, rattlers, serpentine, etc., will be supplied to all who take in the wonderful night's fun. Single tickets for the frolic, 75c; for the dinner, \$1.50; and for the dance, \$1.50; or a combination ticket may be obtained for the entire night's program for \$2.50 at the Boston, Capitol or Grotto Cigar Store.

## CHRISTMAS TREE GREAT SUCCESS

Ninety Children at Function of Rebekahs and Odd-fellows

The Rebekah and Oddfellows Xmas tree in Metropole Hall on Saturday afternoon was an outstanding success. The affair opened with singing of "O Canada," and Miss M. Durran, N.G.G., presided. The program included: Piano solos by Misses Rosy Cox, I. Sinclair, E. Berner, W. Eby, M. Cameron, J. McLean, E. Wilkinson, E. McLean and C. Morgan; cornet solo by Master Allen Hale; recitations by Misses Bettie Wilkinson, Hazel Lear, Helen Hampton, Hazel Smith, Zella Hale, Margaret Gilker, Zella Sherman, M. West, Masters Donald Eby, Bob Peachy, Fred Peachy and H. Lear; vocal duet by M. and J. Gilker, accompanied by Miss Aletta McKinley; violin solo by Miss Ruth Wilkinson accompanied by Miss Aletta McKinley; vocal solo by Master Bob Eby, accompanied by Miss W. Eby and Miss Beulah McKinley, accompanied by Miss Aletta McKinley and Dorothy Peachy.

Rev. A. Wilson handed gifts to some 90 children, after which dinner was served. General conveners were Mrs. J. W. McKinley and Mrs. G. V. Wilkinson. Among those assisting were Mrs. S. V. Cox and Mrs. T. Priest.

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## ORPHEUM STAR AT CAPITOL

High Class Vaudeville Secured For Tonight's Frolic

The management of the Capitol has been most fortunate in securing for the midnight frolic show tonight, Paddy McCulloch, versatile singing and dancing comedian, who has been playing "Big Time" on the Orpheum Circuit for several years.

Paddy is in town for a few days visiting friends and has kindly consented to do his stuff at the "Big Show" tonight—and he's sure got plenty. At rehearsal, Paddy took 'em all by surprise with his original steps, peppy songs and stage personality and the frolic folks will get a most wonderful surprise when they see Paddy in action at the midnight show tonight.

Comedy pictures, girls' chorus, community singing, boys' pie-eating contest, introduction of Miss 1929, extra vaudeville numbers and boys' undressing contest will complete the program of the first annual Capitol New Year's Eve Frolic.



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T. G. Williams, an expert driller, arrived here at the week-end from Waihi, New Zealand, and proceeded this morning on the train to Smithers, to which point he had been sent by Ted Banks, brother of Charles Banks, the new


managing-director of the Duthie mine. Mr. Williams says that mining is on the decline in New Zealand, the mines there having been pretty well worked out.

J. G. Steen returned to the city on yesterday afternoon's train from a brief business trip to the interior.

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