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UNITED FARMERS CHANGE ATTITUDE
CONSERVATIVE CLEAVAGE ON BI-LINGUALISM DEVELOPS

Quebec Tories Propose Mass Meeting in Order to Protest At Action in Saskatchewan

QUEBEC, Jan. 25.—"The present policy being carried out by the Anderson government in Saskatchewan is hurting Canada as a nation. It is contrary to the Dominion's constitution and to the spirit of Canadianism and should be denounced by the Conservative party throughout Canada," said Armand Lavergne, K.C., former local organizer yesterday. He announced his resignation from the Conservative party in the province of Quebec because the local Conservative association had refused to comply with his request to pass a resolution concerning the stand taken by the Anderson government on the bi-lingual question.

FREE TRADE IMPOSSIBLE

In Canada Today, So Says Minister of National Revenue Euler

BRANTFORD, Jan. 25.—"I am not a free trader, nor do I think free trade could be practised in Canada today," declared Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of national revenue, at a Liberal banquet here last night. "Free trade is all right in practice if other countries did not erect impassable tariff walls about them. I am afraid to say that in a country which is excluded from the markets of another country, the tariff may be legitimately used in a reasonable way to protect the rights of consumers and also for the protection of industries of that country so those industries may have the right to their own market," the minister said.

EUNICE WANTS DAMAGES NOW

Co-ed Dancer Seeks \$1,000,000 From Theatre Magnate for Alleged Assault

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 25.—Eunice Pringle, co-ed dancer, yesterday filed suit against Alexander Pantages, multi-millionaire theatre magnate, asking a million dollars damages for a criminal attack she alleges was made upon her last August by Pantages. Pantages is now in jail awaiting the outcome of his appeal against a one to fifty-year sentence for the assault.

Fireman Dies In Montreal Blaze

Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars Damage in Destruction of Dry Goods Store

QUEBEC, Jan. 26.—One fireman was killed, and two injured, as well as a woman office employee, when fire destroyed a dry goods store with estimated damage of \$250,000 here on Friday. Fireman Gerald McCallum, who is dead, was thrown into the burning building from the top of a fire escape ladder when the roof collapsed. Some 2000 slaves from East Africa are sold every year in the various markets in Arabia.

ORIENTAL QUESTION

Reopened Yesterday by United Farmers and Substitute Resolution Passed

CALGARY, Jan. 25.—The United Farmers of Alberta reopened the discussion of the Oriental question, upon which they refused to vote yesterday morning, in the afternoon and passed a substitute resolution stating that the farmers of British Columbia "have our moral support in their efforts to solve the Oriental question as affecting agriculture in British Columbia."

The resolution made no reference to the Dominion government or Oriental property rights in Canada.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for various stock categories like Bayview, Big Missouri, Cork Province, etc., and their respective prices.

THE WEATHER

Prince Rupert — Clear, calm; temperature, 24.
Hazelton — Clear, calm, 22.
Port Simpson — Clear, calm, 11.
Hazelton — Cloudy, calm, -6.
Smithers — Part cloudy, calm, -2.
Burns Lake — Clear, windy, cold.
Vanderhoof — Clear, calm, -16.
Eighth Cabin — Cloudy, calm, -10.
Terrace — Cloudy, north wind, 10.
Rosswood — Cloudy, calm, 4.
Aiyansh — Part cloudy, calm, -3.
Alice Arm — Part cloudy, east wind, 23.
Anyox — Clear, calm, 22.
Stewart — Part cloudy, gusty northeast wind, 28.
Atlin — Clear, -7.
Whitehorse — Clear, calm, -24.
Carmacks — Clear, calm, -44.
Dawson — Part cloudy, south wind, -35.

ROBT. MacINNES, C.I.U.



Of the Dominion Life Assurance Company, Saskatoon, Sask., who was elected president of the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada at the annual meeting of the organization held in Toronto.

HOSPITAL WORK 1929

Total Days' Treatment Increased By 13% Over 1928; Lady Superintendent's Report

In her report for 1929 presented to the annual general meeting of the Prince Rupert General Hospital Association last night, Miss Jean Harrison R.N., lady superintendent, announced that there had been a total of 20,485 hospital days during the year or an increase of 13% over 1928 and 17% over 1927. A total of 1070 patients had been treated or an increase of 127. Classified, the cases treated were as follows: Medical, 341. Surgical, 464. Obstetrical, 111. Tuberculosis, 33. Contagious, 8. The average stay of patients in the hospital had been 19 days. During the year there were 45 deaths, 320 anaesthetics had been given, 271 x-ray examinations made and 488 operations performed of which 109 had been major. Four student nurses had graduated during the year and four members of the staff had resigned—two graduates and two students. On behalf of the nursing staff, Miss Harrison expressed appreciation for the board's co-operation during the year.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 25.—Wheat was quoted on the local exchange today at \$1.27 1/4.

BURNS IS HONORED

Memory of Scottish Bard Is Observed at Dinner and Dance

About 150 persons were present at the I.O.D.E. Hall last evening to commemorate the birth of Robbie Burns, the Scottish national bard. The affair was a great success and was much enjoyed by all present. During the supper the haggis was piped in by Piper H. M. Smith, carried by Ben Dalgarno, after which the address to the haggis was given by A. A. Cannon in his usual eloquent manner. Mrs. McRobbie acted as chairman, and after the toast to the King, Rev. C. E. Motte proposed the toast to the immortal memory and gave a most interesting address on the life of the Scottish poet. Following this, Mrs. James Waugh sang, "There Was a Lad Was Born in Kyle." A few remarks were then made by Howard Steen, president of St. Andrew's Society. This was followed with a song by Mrs. H. C. Fraser, "Tis Angus My Own" and a duet by Mrs. James Waugh and A. Clapperton, "Huntin' Tower." A. A. Cannon gave some humorous stories. Then dancing started and was kept up with great vim until the early hours. At intervals during the dance, J. Melville of Vancouver and Algie Hunter contributed several songs which were well received. The orchestra consisted of Mrs. James Black, W. Vaughan Davies, James Watt and James McKay. Master of ceremonies were Mrs. Howard Steen and Mrs. George Scott. J. McLean officiated at the door. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. McRobbie, Mrs. H. Steen, Mrs. J. Scott, Mrs. J. S. Irvine, assisted by members of the St. Andrew's Society. Mrs. R. Wiggins was in charge of the kitchen.

PLAYERS' CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Large Attendance Last Night at Business Session and Dance

The Players' Club held its first meeting of the 1930 season last night at the Elks' Home. There was a large attendance at both the business meeting and the dance that was held after this meeting. The chief subject under discussion was the coming play, being put on by the club, the "Patsy." Louis Smith, under whose direction this play is being produced, introduced the cast and expressed his belief that the play would be as fine as any the club has put on in the past. With Miss Irene Mitchell's orchestra supplying dance music of the very peppiest variety, the dance was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. A short but excellent vocal program was also enthusiastically received by an appreciative audience. W. Plommer sang two solos, accompanied by Miss E. Grassie. "Connemara Shore" and "Take a Pair of Sparkling Eyes." Mrs. F. W. Allen, accompanied by Mrs. M. H. Blott, chose Robert Burns' "Mary of Argyle," as appropriate for Burns' Night, and "Robin Adair." W. Jackson rendered two humorous sketches, "Tony at the Ball Game" and the "Sideshow." The refreshments were in charge of Miss Mary Easthope, Miss Margaret McGuire and Miss Willa Dyer. President James Farquhar was in the chair for the business meeting, acting also as master of ceremonies for the dance.

New Hospital Board to Look Into Question of Erecting More Adequate Building Here

At the annual meeting last night of the Prince Rupert General Hospital Association, a resolution was passed urging upon the 1930 board the advisability of looking into the question of the establishment here of a new and larger hospital. The resolution was passed, on motion of Ald. S. D. Macdonald and Thomas McMeekin, after reports had been received to the effect that the present building was now overtaxed, hospital days in 1929 having increased 13 per cent over the previous year. The meeting felt that, in view of the fact that Prince Rupert seemed to be on the eve of a new era of growth and development which would necessitate increased hospital facilities, it would be advisable to go immediately into ways and means of establishing a new hospital building. The suggestion was that the proposed new building might be situated on a ten and a half acre plot of ground on Overlook Street in Section Seven which the board had purchased last year from the Grand Trunk Pacific Development Co. The matter of a new hospital was brought up first by James H. Thompson, president, in his annual report and was later referred to by Ald. W. M. Brown, chairman of the house committee. Both felt that the time was ripe to consider the question of providing a new hospital in the city. There was not much use in attempting to extend the existing building, part of which was nearly twenty years old. The building was becoming increasingly difficult to heat and, in view of its age, maintenance was becoming more and more costly. There was further discussion on the new building project, the result being the resolution as set out above.

VILLAGE COUNCILS

At Kitkatla and Metlakatla For 1930 Have Been Elected
Elections of village councils for the year 1930 were conducted this week by Indian Agent W. E. Colverson at Metlakatla and Kitkatla. At Metlakatla, William Leask was named chief councillor with other councillors: John D. Leighton, G. H. Clifton, Peter Ryan, Henry Prevost and Reuben Leighton. At Kitkatla, the election resulted as follows: Edward Gamble, chief councillor; Solomon Brown, Jacob Shaw, Henry Brown, William Lewis, Oswald Tolmie and Solomon J. Brown. Results of the election at Green-ville on the Naas River are expected to arrive here next week.

ENGLISH CUP FOURTH ROUND

Results of Games in Trophy Play Today in Old Country
LONDON, Jan. 25.—Fourth round English Cup results: Aston Villa 3, Walsall 1. Nottingham Forest 2, Falham 1. Newcastle United 3, Clapton Orient 1. Arsenal 2, Birmingham 2. Swindontown 1, Manchester City 1. Blackburn Rovers 4, Everton 1. Huddersfield Town 2, Sheffield United 1. Millwall 4, Doncaster Rovers 0. Portsmouth 0, Brighton and Hove 1. Hull City 2, Blackpool 1. Wrexham 0, Bradford City 0. Derby County 1, Bradford 1. Sunderland 2, Cardiff City 1. Oldham Athletics 2, Sheffield Wednesday 4. Middlesbrough 1, Charlton Athletics 1. Westham United 4, Leeds United 1.

RADIONS' MEETING

D. C. McRae Re-elected President of Local Association; Submits His Annual Report

The Prince Rupert Radio Association, at its postponed annual meeting last night, elected officers for 1930 as follows, the most of them being re-elected from last year: President—D. C. McRae. Vice-president—Ben Rice. Secretary-treasurer—C. G. Ham. Executive—Felix Batt, R. T. J. Rose, S. V. Reith, Norman Kinslor, J. M. Morrison and Reg Webber. Twenty-six persons were in attendance at the meeting which was held in the police court room. Considerable enthusiasm was displayed. Felix Batt addressed the meeting, describing some of his work as part time radio inspector here. He urged the importance of good grounds and aerials in achieving successful reception results. No matter what kind of sets might be used, it was vital that the grounds and aerials be suitable, he declared. W. R. Love also spoke briefly at the meeting and others were heard from. President's Report: Annual report of the president, D. C. McRae, for the year was as follows: (Continued on page four.)

Another Woman Acquitted On Murder Charge

EDMONTON, Jan. 25.—Mrs. George Topolitsky, 74-year-old Ukrainian woman, the third person to be tried on a charge of murdering Metro Yeleniuk, a farmer neighbor, was found not guilty by a jury on Friday.

NANAIMO LOGGER KILLED

NANAIMO, Jan. 25.—Melvin Dockstader, aged 21, was instantly killed by a falling tree at the McMillan logging camp near here. A "House of Art" will be established in Montevideo, Uruguay.

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SALMON FISHING

The salmon fishermen and cannery men are having a controversy over the method of conservation. Briefly, the fishermen say they want the open door policy, giving every man a right to fish if he so wishes as now in force under the federal regulations with the provision that if too many operate in any one area the number of hours to the week be reduced. On the recommendation of the cannery men the Provincial Government has promulgated a set of regulations providing a definite number of nets to each cannery and no more. To this the fishermen object as set out in reports of the meeting of the city council this week and of the meeting of fishermen recently.

This is a problem for the fishermen and cannery men to wrestle with. The cannery men undoubtedly should have some protection, for it might easily be that if the fishermen united they could close up any cannery they wished by refusing to sell it fish. On the other hand, the fishermen should be fully protected, but how this is to be done will be for the rival interests to work out among themselves.

PORCHER ISLAND MINE

It now looks as if there might be a real mine on Porcher Island at Surf Point, not far from Prince Rupert. Work has been proceeding there steadily for several years and little has been said about it. Noah Timmins, the famous eastern mining man, is interested in the property and yesterday we were able to announce the purchase by them of the Surf Inlet mining equipment which is to be moved to Porcher Island. This would not be done if the prospects were not good. It will be a great thing for Prince Rupert if a real mine is developed at the island.

THE IMMORTAL MEMORY

Today is the anniversary of Scotland's immortal bard, Robert Burns. It is a day which Scotsmen the world over honor, Prince Rupert being no exception to the rule. It is fitting that his memory should be kept green. While some of his efforts are even yet criticized, it is true that he contributed many poetical gems to the literature of the world. That is the thing that Scots will ever remember and it is well that they should.

The famous Robert Burns was born on this day in 1759. He startled the world in 1786 with a little book which proclaimed him a true poet. In his brief career, particularly during the last five years during which he farmed at Dumfries, he poured forth song after song of emotional tenderness and made himself immortal. Death claimed him at the age of thirty-seven in 1796.

TRUSTEE ELECTION

Today we are advertising the election of a trustee to fill the position vacated recently by Mr. Gilchrist. It is to be hoped that some suitable person will offer for the position. It would be a slur of the public spirit of the community if the trustees had to make the appointment subject to the approval of the minister of education.

STRONG PROTEST

We have a strong protest from Queen Charlotte Islands against the manner in which the fisheries inspector was chosen at that place. The letter is a very interesting one and it flays the federal government rather severely. It claims that the appointee is practically a newcomer and has had no experience at the work, whereas the person recommended by the fishermen and residents was turned down.

As a matter of policy we cannot publish a letter which deals with personal matters of that kind. We recognize the ability of the man recommended and would like to have seen him get the position but could not possibly give the detail which the letter contains. If the department is wrong in this matter we hope the people there will make their protest very strong.

BIRTHDAY OF
ALFRED SMITH

Former New York Governor Received Many Messages

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Al Smith's fifty-sixth birthday brought him 1200 telegrams of congratulation.

He insisted on reading every one and is answering each with a personal note, although half of them

were from people he didn't know—folks who had shaken his hand on campaign tours, mayors who had entertained him, chambers of commerce which had been his luncheon hosts.

He had no notion that any but close friends and relatives would remember his birthday, and was quite surprised, on emerging from his Fifth Avenue apartment at the usual morning hour to go to his office, to find several reporters waiting in front for a word.

Telegrams came from every state and from several foreign countries.

NEW HOSPITAL BOARD TO
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that the hospital premises had been kept in good repair, improvements being made from time to time as found necessary. It had been very difficult to keep the place warm during the cold weather.

The fact that the hospital had met all expenditures in 1929 from current revenue, no special grants from either city or government being required, was due to the work and efforts of the managing secretary, H. W. Birch, the administration of the lady superintendent, Miss Harrison, and the co-operation of the nursing staff, Mr. Thompson's report stated.

The time was near, Mr. Thompson's report continued, when a new building program would have to be considered. In view of the heavy expense of hospital building, substantial grants would be needed before the undertaking could be embarked upon.

Mr. Thompson's report acknowledged assistance that had been given to the hospital during the year by the public, particularly the doctors who had given of their time to lecture to the students. Mr. Thompson was also grateful for the co-operation of the board.

House Committee

Ald. W. M. Brown, reporting as chairman of the house committee, told of renewals and replacements which had been made in the hospital during the year. A new range and hot water boiler had been installed in the kitchen and in the operating room a new and modern sterilizer had been put in as well as new dressing drum and linoleum. Improvements had been made in the x-ray equipment and Ald. Brown mentioned in this connection that x-ray work, from which there had been greatly increased revenue during the past year, had been carried out entirely by H. W. Birch in addition to his managerial and clerical duties. A three-year laundry contract had been entered into but a new washing machine had been purchased for the laundry of nursery clothing which was carried on in the hospital. Part of the hospital building was now nearly twenty years old and, therefore, increased cost of upkeep might be expected.

Grounds Committee

G. V. Wilkinson, chairman of the grounds committee, told of improvements that had been made around the hospital including the seeding of a lawn and planting of maple and silver birch trees which had been presented by Will Robinson of Terrace.

R. W. Cameron, chairman of the executive committee, was not present so there was no report from that committee.

Speaking of the financial report, Mr. Tinker pointed out that, since total hospital days during the year had been considerably increased, there had been correspondingly larger grants from the city and government. X-ray fees collected during the year, amounting to \$1,280.60, showed an increase of 80% over the year previous.

Mr. Tinker felt it was his duty to express keen appreciation for the work of Miss Harrison, lady superintendent, and members of the nursing staff. Numerous testimonials as to the excellent service that was being given in the hospital had been received. The same remarks might apply to H. W. Birch, the managing secretary. The entire staff was deserving of congratulation.

NERVES WERE BAD
Could Not Sleep
Tired All Day Long

Miss Florence Coutier, Bark Lake, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled with my nerves, could not sleep at night, and felt tired all day long."

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OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

English League, First Division
Liverpool 1, Manchester United 0.

English League, Second Division
Bury 2, Tottenham Hotspurs 1.
Chelsea 2, Southampton 0.
Reading 3, Swansea Town 1.
Stoke City 2, Preston Northend 3.

Scottish League, First Division
Airdrieonians 3, Dundee United 4.
Ayr United 1, Kilmarnock 1.
Clyde 2, Celtic 3.
Cowdenbeath 0, Hibernians 0.
Dundee 1, St. Mirren 3.
Hamilton Academicals 2, Partick Thistles 1.
Hearts 3, Motherwell 2.
Morton 1, Falkirk 1.
Queen's Park 3, St. Johnstone 0.
Rangers 3, Aberdeen 1.

Scottish League, Second Division
Alloa 2, Dumbarton 1.
Boness 2, Arbroath 1.
Clydebank 1, Raith Rovers 1.
East Fife 7, Brechin City 2.
East Stirlingshire 2, Third Lanark 1.
Forfar Athletic 3, St. Bernard's 2.
King's Park 4, Albion Rovers 0.
Leith Athletic 1, Dunfermline Athletic 1.
Montrose 2, Armadale 1.
Stenhousemuir 0, Queen of South 1.

The Letter Box

FROM BARNEY DORAN

Sports Editor, Daily News:—

I notice in the Sport Chat in the News that I am reported training a number of boxers for a list of bouts in California. With the single exception of Jimmie Hines, who is doing light training under my direction, I do not know of the others. I cannot say I ever heard of them. I am running a private gymnasium for Owen Fisher and am training a few boys for him. Constable Sharp, local police officer, and a well known local man work out there, besides a number of young fellows including Young Smith son of the local Corp. Smith, who is a smart kid.

There are quite a number of smart young boxers in Prince Rupert. Dido Gurvich is a very good boy and if he would only get into serious training would go a long way in the game. He has a bad habit of drawing his hands down on his knees. His younger brother, Nina, is a very good boy and very clever but the best boy and one who, in my opinion, will bring a lot of publicity and put Prince Rupert on the map, is Young Billy Bagshaw. This boy can hit from any angle, and is the hardest hitting boy I have ever seen and will sure go to the top. I have seen them all and have been in the best of the lightweight's corners.

B. F. DORAN.

Lodge Valhalla
Affair Success

Large Crowd Attended Whist Drive and Dance Last Night in Metropole Hall

A successful whist drive and dance was held by Lodge Valhalla last night in the Metropole Hall.

There were 20 tables of whist, and the prize winners were: ladies' first, Mrs. A. Ivarson; second, Miss Gunborg Pearson; consolation, Mrs. Essen; men's first, Andrew Sund; second, George Fritz; consolation, P. Pritchard.

Dancing followed the playing of cards and the affair kept up until 3 a.m. with about 150 persons in attendance. Between dances, Mrs. Jarvis McLeod sang several songs which were much appreciated. K. Hallberg was master of ceremonies and Ralph Johnson presided at the door. Music was by Hanson and Farstad's orchestra. Delicious refreshments were served.

The committee responsible for the success of the affair consisted of Mrs. O. A. Johnson, Mrs. George Fritz, and Mrs. K. Hallberg, assisted by lodge members.

When the Union steamer Cardena sailed yesterday afternoon for Vancouver after having received repairs at the local dry dock following her stranding recently she had on board two local boys, Ted Tite and Frank Morrison, who have signed on the crew to try their hands at a seafaring life.

Sport Chat

Since harness racing, which is a popular sport in the east, was "invented" a great drawback from the spectators standpoint has been the excessive scoring. Bad acting horses may be excused but this has been largely the fault of bad acting drivers. But it appears that hereafter there will be a drastic change for the better. A revision of the rules for harness racing was made by representatives of The Trotting Club, National American and Harness-horse Associations at the Joint Rules Committee meeting in Chicago last week. Written into the code is a rule that will curb excessive scoring, as it will make it mandatory for the judges to request an offending reinsman to secure another driver. Failure of the misbehaving driver to act promptly calls for his suspension and the disqualification of his horse.

The eligibility classification was also changed to provide for a more rapid move from one class to another. Under the table used this past year, a horse could race for small purses and win often without much of a change in classification. Next year up to the 2.16 class, the move will be quicker and more equitable. Under the new order, a horse will be eligible to the 2.30 class until it wins \$50; 2.29, \$100; 2.28, \$200; 2.27, \$300; 2.26, \$400; 2.25, \$500; 2.24, \$600; 2.23, \$700; 2.22, \$800; 2.21, \$900; 2.20, \$1000; 2.19, \$1500; 2.18, \$2000; 2.17, \$2500; and 2.16, \$3000. The list for the fastest classes remains unchanged. The new tables should work out to the advantage of the tracks giving the smaller purses and to owners of all except a very few horses campaigning over them.

The husband is still the head of the family in Italy.

New Yachts For
Race in Bermuda

Nova Scotia Yards Get Several Building Contracts

HALIFAX, Jan. 25.—The forthcoming Bermuda race has given the Nova Scotia yards several yacht-building contracts. Two Starling Burgess schooners are being built at Shelburne, one for the brothers, G. and C. M. Norton, and the other for Austin Lamont.

A cutter is being built at Chester, N.S., for Frederick J. Wells. Olin Stephens has designed a yawl for Roderick Stephens. The keel of the latter has been laid down at the Minneford yard, City Island, N. Y. C. Sherman Hoyt has designed a 61-foot boat for George E. Roosevelt. This craft is also under construction in Nova Scotia.

Seattle Played
Vancouver Even
In Coast Hockey

SEATTLE, Jan. 25.—With but two victories under their belts in the last thirteen starts, Seattle Eskimos took the ice here last night with determination to conquer the Vancouver Lions, but the best they could muster was a tie in a Pacific Coast Hockey League fixture. The even-up tussle gave the Lions a three-point advantage over Portland Buckaroos in the race for the league leadership.

SCOTTISH REPLAY

GLASGOW, Jan. 25.—In a first round Scottish Cup replay, Vale of Leithen beat Petevad 2 to 1. The winners meet King's Park.

The greatest desert in the world, Ruba-el-Khali, in Arabia, still remains untraversed by explorers.

ELKS WON
BILLIARDS

Took Fixture From Canadian Legion By Decisive Score of 1192 to 1073

Four games of the Billiard League fixture of Thursday night were completed last evening and as a result, the Elks won the fixture from the Canadian Legion by the decisive margin of 1192 to 1073. Individual results were as follows:

Col. S. P. McMordie (Canadian Legion), 156; A. A. Eason (Elks), 250.
F. G. Pyle, 225; C. P. Balagan, 250.
Marcus Andrews, 250; F. H. Stephens, 197.
G. P. Tinker, 192; W. E. Wilcock, 250.
J. W. Scott, 250; William McNeill, 245.

The standing of teams in the second half is to date as follows:

	G. T. At
Elks	4 4797
Canadian Legion	4 4673
Grotto	4 4073

FRANCE WINS

BELFAST, Jan. 25.—The French International rugby team defeated Ireland today 5 to nil.

"MONKEY SEE, MONKEY DO"

Will the producers of motion pictures at Hollywood continue to show in producing the talkies the lack of intelligence and imagination and originality which caused such a slump in intelligent people's interest in the silent movies? Heretofore they have been all watching one another, and when one made a hit, the others have fallen over themselves in their haste to imitate it.—Montreal Devoit.

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The advertisements in this paper are so interesting, it is difficult to see how anyone could overlook them... fail to profit by them. Just check with yourself and be sure that you are reading the advertisements regularly—the big ones and the little ones. It is time well spent... always.

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Notice of Election

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Prince Rupert that I require the presence of the said electors at the City Clerk's office, in the City Hall, City of Prince Rupert, on Monday the 3rd day of February, 1930, at twelve o'clock noon for the purpose of electing a person to represent them as School Trustee for the balance of the term rendered vacant by the resignation of Wm. Gilchrist.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:
The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two electors of the municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and two p.m. of the day of nomination; the said writing may be in the form numbered 3 in the Schedule of the "Municipal Elections Act," and shall state the names, residences and occupation or description of each person proposed, in such manner as sufficiently to identify such candidate; and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll shall be opened on the 6th day of February, 1930, at the Council Chamber, City Hall, City of Prince Rupert, from the hour of 8 o'clock a.m. to the hour of 8 o'clock p.m. of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 24th day of January, 1930.

EDWARD F. JONES, Returning Officer.

Local Items

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Dentist, Dr. J. R. Gosse, Phone 686.

L.O.L. and L.O.B.A. whist drive and dance January 30. \$5 Gold piece for "lucky ticket."

Thomas McMeekin has about recovered from the effects of a rather severe attack of influenza with which he was confined to his home for a week or so.

George Rorie C.A. was re-appointed auditor of the Prince Rupert General Hospital for the year 1930 at the annual meeting of the association last night.

J. W. McKinley, who underwent an operation on Thursday morning in the Prince Rupert General Hospital, is making satisfactory progress toward recovery.

The Cassiar Dredging Co., with head office in Vancouver and capitalization of \$100,000, is one of the incorporations announced in this week's issue of the B.C. Gazette.

The Boston Hall is now in use as a Masonic Temple following the destruction ten days ago of the building on Sixth Avenue by fire. Tyee Lodge held an emergent meeting in the new premises last night.

H. W. Birch, managing secretary of the Prince Rupert General Hospital, although suffering with an attack of influenza, was able to be present at the annual meeting of the association last night.

Mrs. Mussallem sr., mother of Mrs. N. Mussallem of this city and of Sol Mussallem of Port Haney, who was elected reeve of Maple Ridge last week, has been confined to the Royal Columbia Hospital, New Westminster, since last August when she broke her hip in a fall. Mrs. Mussallem sr., who formerly lived here, is recovering.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Werkhoven piano recital Wednesday, January 29.
- Leif Erikson Fishermen's Social February 7.
- Royal Purple bridge, whist and dance, Feb. 7, Elks' Home.
- Elks' Masquerade Ball, February 14.
- Players' Club staging the "The Patsy," Feb. 24 and 25 at Moose Hall.
- C.N.R.A. Sixth Annual Ball Auditorium, Friday, February 28. (15)
- Catholic Women's League Spring Sale, April 24.

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Interest in this form of fortune telling has increased enormously during the last few years, until now you find people everywhere indulging in this pastime and eager to learn what the tea leaves will tell them of the future.

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The person who can tell fortunes is most popular at tea parties and helps to pass many a pleasant half hour at the dining table after the cups have been emptied. Just mention this paper and send your name and address to The Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto, Canada.

The Canadian National steamships, Canadian Seigneur and Canadian Winner, which are tied up for the winter at the local dry dock, are expected to leave the yard in March to be recommissioned in the intercoastal service between Vancouver and Montreal.

Delayed by calling at Ocean Falls on the way up the coast, C.P.R. steamer Princess Mary, Capt. C. C. Saintey, is due in port at 5 o'clock this evening from Vancouver and will sail an hour later for Skagway and other Alaska points whence she is scheduled to call here southbound next Wednesday afternoon.

A special committee of packers has been sitting in Vancouver this week to hear appeals for adjustments of the boat and gear ratings laid down by Hon. S. L. Howe, provincial commissioner of fisheries. The chairman of the committee is R. R. Payne, production manager of the Canadian Fishing Co.

On motion of Thomas McMeekin, seconded by N. Mussallem, the retiring "hospital board" was tendered a vote of thanks for its services at the annual meeting last night of the Prince Rupert General Hospital Association. A vote of thanks was also passed to various organizations which had assisted the hospital during the past year as well as to the press.

The program of the Werkhoven piano recital will be published on Tuesday and as Mr. Werkhoven is in the city he states that he is pleased to announce that he will be assisted by the talented cellist, Mr. W. Beaumont of this city. Mr. Beaumont was formerly a member of the Capitol Theatre Orchestra. Tickets for the recital may be purchased at Heilbronner's, the music stores, and from the music teachers.

The annual general meeting of the Prince Rupert General Hospital Association was held in the City Council Chamber last night. James H. Thompson, president of the association, occupied the chair others present including H. W. Birch, managing secretary; Miss Jean Harrison R.N., lady superintendent; Ald. W. M. Brown, Ald. S. D. Macdonald, G. P. Tinker, G. V. Wilkinson, R. E. Benson and Dr. J. P. Cade, directors; L. Lambly, N. Mussallem, A. R. Phillips, Frank Dibb, Robert Gordon and Thomas McMeekin.

The C. P. R. steamer Princess Norah, in place of which on the Alaska route the steamer Princess Mary came north today, has gone on the West Coast of Vancouver Island for a few weeks in place of the Princess Maquinna which is on dry dock for repairs for bottom damage sustained recently when she touched a reef off Matilda Creek on the West Coast of Vancouver Island. The Princess Adelaide has been placed on the Vancouver-Nanaimo run which the Princess Mary had been carrying out.

CASE ADJOURNED

After hearing of some evidence adjournment until Monday was made yesterday afternoon in city police court in the case of Carl Halvarson who is charged by Rose Leighton with failing to contribute support under the Children of Unmarried Parents' Act. Both the principals in the case are represented by counsel.

Dr. Hankinson, Phone 61. (21)

Don't forget the Moose dance tonight, 9 till 12. Premier Orchestra. Admission 50c.

A. P. McCorkindale sailed last night on the Princess Royal for a trip to Vancouver. He expects to be away about two weeks.

W. C. Blanton, Stewart broker, who has been spending a couple of days in the city, will sail this evening on the Princess Mary for Ketchikan on business.

Mrs. R. L. McIntosh, president of the Ladies' Music Club, was hostess at luncheon yesterday to members of the executive of the club. Covers were laid for eight ladies.

Owing to many other affairs being on last night, the Moose Lodge cancelled its scheduled whist drive and dance and will hold instead a Cinderella dance this evening.

Inspector William Spiller, provincial police, left on today's train for a trip to Smithers and Prince George on official duties. He expects to return to the city about the middle of next week.

Union freighter Chilliwack, Capt. J. Muir, is due in port from Vancouver next Tuesday. The vessel's local cargo will include piles and lumber to be used by John Currie & Son in the construction of the new fishermen's floats here.

An overheated stove caused the fire department to be called out at 4:30 yesterday afternoon to a house near the corner of Fifth Avenue and Lotbiniere. There was slight damage through the scorching of wallpaper in the house which is occupied by foreigners.

Naval Whist Drive And Dance Last Evening Success

The members of the local Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve unit and their lady friends, held their fourth enjoyable whist drive and dance of the season at headquarters last night. Whist was enjoyed until 11 o'clock, followed by refreshments and dancing. Prizes at whist were won by Miss M. Lawrence and George Howe.

Chief Petty Officer Young was master of ceremonies. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. Young.

R.C.N.V.R.
(Local Naval Headquarters)

Training classes held from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday and Friday evenings of each week. Classes in Seamanship, Marine Engineering, Sailing, Etc. Rifle competitions, Badminton, Sailing in Summer and other recreations available for members of the unit.

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Sunday School at 12:15. Evening Worship at 7:30. Solo by W. Plommer, "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings." Sermon subject, "THE CHURCH THAT OUGHT TO BE." Tuesday at 8 annual Congregational Meeting.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
Pastor, Rev. John H. Hanson
Res. 618 Sixth Avenue West. Phone Blue 187

Sunday Services: Morning Worship at 11 a.m. (English). Sunday School at 12:15 p.m. Seal Cove Sunday School at 12:15 p.m. Evening Worship at 7:30. A musical program will be given. Special children's services and baptism at 4 p.m. February 2. A cordial welcome to all.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
Christian Science Society, 245 Second Avenue

This Society is a branch of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject, "TRUTH." Sunday School at 12 noon. Testimony meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited. Reading room, 245 Second Avenue, open on Mondays and Thursdays from 3 to 8 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Minister, Rev. Thomas McConnell, B.A.

Morning Service at 11 a.m. Subject, "LOVEST THOU ME." Sunday School at 12:15. Evening Service at 7:30. Subject, "LOVE THOUGH UNSEEN."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. F. W. Dafoe, D.D., Minister

Services: Morning Service at 11 a.m. Subject, "CHRIST AMONG THE COMMON THINGS OF LIFE." Sunday School at 12:15. Evening Service at 7:30. Subject, "A LIFE MADE OVER." A cordial welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL
(Church of England)
Very Rev. J. B. Gibson, Dean

11 a.m., Morning Prayer and Sermon; 2:30 Sunday School; 7:30, Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Frederick van Werkhoven will render a few selections on the organ at the close of the evening service.

Annual Congregational Meeting will be held Monday at 8 p.m.

Arthur Brooksbank left on this morning's train for a business trip to Smithers.

SCALE OF CHARGES

The following is the scale of charges made for reading notices:

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The SEVEN DIALS MYSTERY

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INSTALMENT XXIII

THE STORY THUS FAR

Gerry Wade is found dead in bed at Chimneys, scene of a house party. Seven out of eight alarm clocks placed in his room to awaken him are lined up on a mantle. The guests are told that death resulted from an overdose of sleeping powder. Jimmy Thesiger and Ronny Devereux motor to Gerry's home to tell a sister, Loraine, of Wade's death.

Lady Eileen Brent, known as "Bundie," finds a letter Wade had written to his sister making reference to the Seven Dials. Bundie feels certain that Gerry was murdered. En route to London a man, mysteriously shot, staggers into the road in front of Eileen's car. It proves to be Devereux, who dying whispers: "Seven Dials—tell Jimmy Thesiger."

At Jimmy's quarters Bundie finds Loraine. The three of them set out to trail the murderer. From Captain Battle at Scotland Yard Bundie obtains a list of secret societies. That evening with Bill Everleigh, she visits the Seven Dials Club. A watchman, Alfred, is recognized as a former footman at Chimneys.

Cabinet Minister George Lomax plans a party. He has received a warning letter from the Seven Dials Society. Bundie gets an invitation. Meanwhile she hides in the meeting room of the society and witnesses a meeting attended by masked members. She reports to Thesiger, who has also obtained an invitation to the Cabinet member's party. Among the guests is one Herr Eberhard, an inventor who has military plans of interest to the Air Ministry.

To prevent the theft of these plans by members of the Seven Dials Society Everleigh and Thesiger agree to stand watch after the other guests have retired. Jimmy takes the first watch and is armed with an automatic. At 10 minutes of 2 he hears the creak of a board—a sound from downstairs. He creeps cautiously down the staircase, then to the library door. Suddenly, flinging open the door, he turns on the lights. The big room is empty. He opens a window and steps out on the terrace. Then back in the library, he locks the door from the inside and pockets the key. He thinks he hears a soft patter of feet outside—

NOW CONTINUE THE STORY

Sir Stanley turned to Loraine, shaking her warmly by the hand.

A Doctor Summoned

"My dear young lady," he said, "we are infinitely obliged to you, I am sure."

"Yes, indeed," said George. "But I—er—"

He paused in some perplexity, staring at a young lady who was a total stranger to him. Loraine looked appealingly at Jimmy, who came to the rescue.

"Er—this is Miss Wade," said Jimmy. "Gerald Wade's sister."

"Indeed," said George, shaking her warmly by the hand. "My dear Miss Wade, I must express my deep gratitude to you for what you have done. I must confess that I do not quite see—"

He paused delicately and four of the persons present felt that explanations were going to be fraught with much difficulty. Superintendent Battle came to the rescue.

"Perhaps we'd better not go in to that just now, sir," he suggested tactfully.

The efficient Mr. Bateman created a further diversion.

"Wouldn't it be wise for some one to see to O'Rourke? Don't you think sir, that a doctor had better be sent for?"

"Of course," said George. "Of course. Most remiss of us not to have thought of it before." He looked toward Bill. "Get Dr. Cartwright on the telephone. Ask him to come. Just hint, if you can, that—er—discretion should be observed."

Bill went off on his errand.

"I will come up with you, Digby," said George. "Something, possibly could be done—measures should, perhaps, be taken—while waiting the arrival of the doctor."

He looked rather helplessly at Rupert Bateman. Efficiency always makes itself felt. It was Pongo who was really in charge of the situation.

"Shall I come up with you, sir?"

George accepted the offer with relief. Here, he felt, was some one on whom he could lean. He experienced that sense of complete trust in Mr. Bateman's efficiency which came to all those who encountered that excellent young man.

The three men left the room together. Lady Coote, murmuring in deep, rich tones: "The poor young fellow. Perhaps I could do something—"

"That's a very motherly woman," observed the superintendent

thoughtfully. "A very motherly woman, I wonder—"

Three pairs of eyes looked at him inquiringly.

"I was wondering," said Superintendent Battle slowly, "where Sir Oswald Coote may be."

"Oh!" gasped Loraine. "Do you think he's been murdered?"

Battle shook his head at her reproachfully.

"No need for anything so melodramatic," he said. "No—I rather think—"

He paused, his head on one side, listening—one large hand raised to enjoin silence.

Sir Oswald Appears

In another minute they all heard what his sharper ears had been the first to notice—footsteps coming along the terrace outside. They rang out clearly with no kind of subterfuge about them. In another minute the window was blocked by a bulky figure which stood there regarding them and who conveyed, in an odd way, a sense of dominating the situation.

Sir Oswald, for it was he, looked slowly from one face to another. His keen eyes took in the details of the situation. Jimmy, with his roughly bandaged arm; Bundie, in her somewhat anomalous attire; Loraine, a perfect stranger to him. His eyes came last to Superintendent Battle. He spoke sharply and crisply:

"What's been happening, officer?"

"Attempted robbery, sir."

"Attempted—eh?"

"Thanks to this young lady, Miss Wade, the thieves failed to get away with it."

"Ah!" he said again, his scrutiny ended. "And now, officer, what about this?"

He held out a small Mauser pistol which he carried delicately by the butt.

"Where did you find that, Sir Oswald?"

"On the lawn outside. I presume it must have been thrown down by one of the thieves as he took to his heels. I've held it carefully as I thought you might wish to examine it for fingerprints."

"You think of everything, Sir Oswald," said Battle.

He took the pistol from the other, handling it with equal care, and laid it down on the table beside Jimmy's Colt.

"And now if you please," said Sir Oswald, "I should like to hear exactly what occurred."

Superintendent Battle gave a brief resume of the events of the night. Sir Oswald frowned thoughtfully.

"I understand," he said sharply. "After wounding and disabling Mr. Thesiger, the man took to his heels and ran, throwing away the pistol as he did so. What I cannot understand is why no one pursued him."

"It wasn't until we heard Mr. Thesiger's story that we knew there was any one to pursue," remarked Superintendent Battle dryly.

"You didn't—er—catch sight of him making off as you turned the corner of the terrace?"

"No, I missed him by just about forty seconds, I should say. There's no moon and he'd be invisible as soon as he'd left the terrace. He must have leapt for it as soon as he'd fired the shot."

"H'm," said Sir Oswald. "I still think that a search should have been organized. Some one else should have been posted."

Three Other Men

"There are three of my men in the grounds," said the Superintendent quietly.

"Oh!" Sir Oswald seemed rather taken aback.

"They were to hold and detain any one attempting to leave the grounds."

"And yet—they haven't done so?"

"And yet they haven't done so," agreed Battle gravely.

Sir Oswald looked at him as though something in the words puzzled him. He said sharply:

"Are you still telling me all that you know, Superintendent Battle?"

"All that I know—yes, Sir Oswald. What I think is a different matter. Maybe I think some rather curious things—but until thinking has got you somewhere it's no use talking about it."

"And yet," said Sir Oswald slowly, "I should like to know what you think, Superintendent Battle."

"For one thing, sir, I think there's a lot too much ivy about this place—excuse me, sir, you've got a bit on your coat—yes, a great deal too much ivy. It complicates things."

Sir Oswald stared at him, but any reply he might have contemplated making was arrested by the entrance of Rupert Bateman.

"Oh, there you are, Sir Oswald. I'm so glad, Lady Coote has just discovered that you were missing—and she has been insisting upon it that you had been murdered by the thieves. I really think, Sir Oswald, that you had better come to her at once. She is terribly upset."

"Maria is an incredibly foolish woman," said Sir Oswald. "Why should I be murdered? I'll come with you, Bateman."

He left the room with his secretary.

"There's a very efficient young man," said Battle, looking after them.

"What's his name—Bateman?"

Jimmy nodded.

"Bateman—Rupert," he said. "Commonly known as Pongo. I was at school with him."

"Were you? Now, that's interesting, Mr. Thesiger. What was your opinion of him in those days?"

"Oh, he was always the same sort of ass."

"I shouldn't have thought," said Battle mildly, "that he was an ass."

Always Serious

"Oh, you know what I mean. Of course, he wasn't really an ass. Tons of brains and always swotting at things. But deadly serious. No sense of humor."

"Ah!" said Superintendent Battle. "That's a pity. Gentlemen who have no sense of humor get to taking themselves too seriously—and that leads to mischief."

"I can't imagine Pongo getting into mischief," said Jimmy. "He's done extremely well for himself so far—dug himself in with old Coote and looks like being a permanency in the job."

"Superintendent Battle," said Bundie.

"Yes, Lady Eileen?"

"Don't you think it very odd that Sir Oswald didn't say what he was doing wandering about in the garden in the middle of the night?"

"Ah!" said Battle. "Sir Oswald's a great man—and a great man always knows better than to explain unless an explanation is demanded. To rush into explanations and excuses is always a sign of weakness. Sir Oswald knows that as well as I do. He's not going to come in explaining and apologizing—not he."

"He just stalks in and hauls me over the coals. He's a big man Sir Oswald."

Such a warm admiration sounded in the superintendent's tones that Bundie pursued the subject no further.

"And now," said Superintendent Battle, looking round with a slight twinkle in his eye, "now that we're together and friendly like—I should like to hear just how Miss Wade happened to arrive on the scene so pat."

"She ought to be ashamed of herself," said Jimmy. "Hoodwinking us all as she did."

"Why should I be kept out of it all?" cried Loraine passionately. "I never meant to be—no, not the very first day in your rooms when you both explained how the best thing for me to do was to stay quietly at home and keep out of danger. I didn't say anything, but I made up my mind then."

"I half suspected it," said Bundie. "You were so surprisingly meek about it. I might have known you were up to something."

"I thought you were remarkably sensible," said Jimmy Thesiger.

"You would, Jimmy dear," said Loraine. "It was easy enough to deceive you."

"Thank you for these kind words," said Jimmy. "Go on, and don't mind me."

"When you rang up and said there might be danger, I was more determined than ever," went on Loraine. "I went to Harrods and I bought a pistol. Here it is."

She produced the dainty weapon. Superintendent Battle took it from her and examined it.

"Quite a deadly little toy, Miss Wade," he said. "Have you had much—er—practice with it?"

"None at all," said Loraine. "But I thought if I took it with me—well, that it would give me a comforting feeling."

"Quite so," said Battle gravely.

Miss Wade Explains

"My idea was to come over here and see what was going on. I left the car in the road and climbed through the hedge and came up to the terrace. I was just looking about me when—plop—something fell right at my feet. I picked it up and then looked up to see where it could have come from. And then I saw the man climbing down the ivy and I ran."

"Just so," said Battle. "Now Miss Wade, can you describe that man at all?"

(To Be Continued Monday)

RADIONS' MEETING

(Continued from page one)

"At our annual meeting a year ago the big problem was the interference from the C. N. Telegraph. You instructed the executive to deal with the C.N.R. In 24 hours something was done which removed about 75% of the interference. About the first of October, Mr. Batt made some further improvement but the C.N.R. continues to interfere. How far out the interference goes I do not know. I do know that it is impossible to have radio in our store. Mr. Waugh, however, informs me that he expects shortly to receive new motors that will be interference proof."

"As a result of considerable persistence, the radio inspector, Mr. Grey, visited us last March. Mr. Grey inspected all the transformers in the city—97 in all, and found 24 of them producing interference. The trouble was rectified. Mr. Grey also spent considerable time in trying to run down other interference but with practically no results. Again in May, Mr. Grey gave us a call and did some work but no results."

"Early in the year your executive got in touch with Ocean Falls, Anxox, Stewart and Prince George with the result that associations were formed at each of these places. We all petitioned the government for an inspector for Northern B.C. Very likely due to this Prince Rupert got a part time inspector. The government pays the part time inspector about what it collects in licenses from Prince Rupert. Mr. Batt, however, is responsible to the government and not to our association."

Men Who Work

"A year ago this association pledged itself to the sale of licenses and the executive sold 59 licenses and 89 memberships in the association. In furtherance of the same work members have listed every set owner in the city and make a total of 212. Undoubtedly some few were overlooked, 225 would likely be about right. Bert Rice, in order to locate the squealers, listed every set owner between the Cold Storage and Fruit Street, giving the name of the set used—115 names in all. It is men like Mr. Rice you should elect to office. Men who will do work when there is work to do."

"Last June when a British cruiser in the harbor life was made miserable for every set owner due to their wireless. Next day your secretary wrote the master of the ship requesting a minimum of wireless from 8 to 11 p.m. No further wireless was heard."

"In December, your executive took up the matter of interference with E. J. Haughton, superintendent of Radiotelegraphs. In consequence, interference from that source has been reduced to a minimum. During the past week a request went forward that a change be made in wave length so that Digby would not interfere with KOMO."

"During the year we adopted a constitution and bylaws. Clause 1 of which reads: 'The object of this association shall be to minimize avoidable causes of interference to radio listeners and to secure the co-operation of radio listeners, amateurs, the press and public utilities companies to this end.'

"In Prince Rupert some people are disposed to think that we have more interference than any place in the world. Evidently every place thinks the same. I will read you an extract from a late issue of the 'Radio News of Canada,' regarding interference: 'I might say that in this city of Guelph, Ont., radio is full of interference. Here is some of it—not all, just a little. A stock ticker bangs away from 9:30 a.m. to 4:40 p.m. each day. A large elevator half a block away roars up and down three floors every few minutes all day and half the night. There is a beautiful discharge from our local power house all day and all night. Then, in the evening, at dusk, on some several electric flash signs that sound like a large number of race horses running on a hardwood floor.'

"Being so far from all broadcast stations the matter of reception is vital to us. Full volume most of the time and long distance all the time. That is what we have to contend with. However, if the part time radio inspector will hold on to that testing set and use it freely we will get along pretty well."

MARRIAGE NOTICES APPEAR

J. H. M. asks what the law is in Canada in regard to lotteries, and whether they come under Dominion or Provincial legislation. They are dealt with by Dominion legislation, namely, the Criminal Code of Canada, which forbids them, with the exception of raffles for religious or charitable purposes. It is illegal for any newspaper in Canada to publish any announcement of a lottery.—Kitchener Record.

Is It His Last Laugh?



Mr. War may not find it such a permanent good joke.

WOMEN SWELL LABOR RANKS

Representatives of Women's Federal Trades Union Seated at Halifax

HALIFAX, Jan. 25.—A new chapter was written in the annals of the international trades union movement in the maritime provinces recently when, for the first time, the working women took their place by the sides of their brother labor folk, in carrying on the struggle for living wages, better working conditions and advanced social and labor legislation.

The occasion was the January meeting of the Halifax District Trades and Labor Council, which was marked by the Women's Federal Trades Union recently organized here under charter from the Trades Labor Congress of Canada, affiliating with the council, parent body of the international movement in this city. Never before in the history of the movement, has a woman sat in the council of such a representative body of organized labor in the maritimes.

The delegates, who, after presenting their credentials, were duly obligated and seated as members of the council, were Miss Gladys Wood, president of the Women's Union, Mrs. E. Blackburn, Mrs. S. McCluskey, Mrs. G. Horne and Mrs. G. Spinney.

P. J. Healey, president of the Trades and Labor Council, welcomed the women delegates, stressing the importance of their entry into the ranks of organized labor and stating that it had long been realized that labor in Halifax could never reach the highest point of efficiency until the women took their places by the side of the men.

A rather unique feature about the seating of the women delegates was that, for the first time in the history of organized labor in this district, not only father and daughter, but also husband and wife, sat side by side in the councils of organized labor.

These were James Wood, chairman of the trades council, and his daughter Gladys, and George Horne, a member of the same committee, and his wife. Mr. Wood, who had always been one of the strongest agitators for a women's union, is, like his daughter, also a union president, being president of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Shipbuilders and Helpers of America.

Being the first woman to speak in the meetings of the Trades and Labor Council, Mrs. S. McCluskey, during a discussion of the poll tax on women in Halifax, declared she wanted personally a graduated tax and more study of the question of whether women without property should be taxed at all.

Pioneers Prepare For Banquet to Be Held On March 10

The Prince Rupert Pioneers' Association, at a meeting last night in the mayor's office at the City Hall, decided to hold its annual banquet on March 10, the twentieth anniversary of incorporation, in the Moose Hall. Catering will be looked after by members of the association.

Mrs. J. E. Jack was appointed banquet convener; P. W. Anderson, for the program, and F. W. Wesch, for the dance. These conveners will name the other members of their committees.

G. W. Johnstone, the president, was in the chair at last night's meeting.

New Record Weight For Swine Litter

LOREBURN, Sask., Jan. 25.—G. H. Potts, farmer of this district, recently shipped six pigs of one litter that averaged 255 pounds each, said to be a new record weight, of the Yorkshire strain. The pigs were five months and five days old. They were not scientifically fed; but, as Mr. Potts put it, "just farm fed."

Previously the University of Saskatchewan had announced the results of an experiment in feeding a litter of Yorkshire-Tamworth cross on shorts, screenings, oat hulls, barley, buttermilk and minerals which produced an average weight of 202 pounds at the age of six months, so that Mr. Potts is very proud of his achievement.

Gas On Stomach Hated To See Meal Time Come

Mrs. B. Lesnick, Fort Williams, writes:—"My husband suffered a bad stomach; could not eat at all on using four bottles of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. He is feeling a different way together."

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District News

METLAKATLA

Three spring salmon were here during the week, one by Campbell and two by G. Le...

E. A. Leighton has been appointed council secretary for 1930. He makes the twelfth year that he has filled this position.

T. A. Bryant has been appointed to act as village caretaker during the summer months while the people are away from the village.

On the local voters' list there are 11 Leightons and nine Ryans. The entire list contains a total of 100 voters.

During the week there are religious services held in the village—three by Church Army, by Salvation Army, and two by Paul's Church.

SKIDEGATE

For nearly a month now Queen Charlotte Islands have experienced unusually weather. There is no snow, ever.

Dr. G. A. Roberts of the Charlotte City Hospital is using an X-ray machine in the hospital. The electricity is derived from a water power dam near the hospital. The sum of \$500 was appropriated by the provincial government toward this last year.

THEY MUST DIFFER

It is not generally known that there is a New York on the eastern shore of Loch Awe in Scotland. But there is little danger either of the New Yorks being mistaken for the other—Glasgow Citizen.

Tampico, Mexico, is noted for tarpon, and fishermen from all parts of the world come there to try their luck.

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Man in the Moon

What a good thing love is blind. If it weren't think how high the light bill would be.

There are three ways of dieting. Some diet before meals, others diet during meals and others again diet after meals.

I think I have an artistic temperament. I hate earning a living and paying my bills.

Success would be all right if it did not cost so much in labor, thought and midnight oil.

If there were no noses what would the druggists do for a living?

If men were perfect and women always charming, life would still need an application of the salt duster to make it palatable, and possibly a little vinegar on the salad.

We sent our mayor down south. What'll he get? He'll use his brains and mouth but what'll he get? He'll get promises galore. For they'll never make him sore. But he'll get us nothing more. That's what he'll get.

Labor is doing its best to prevent matrimony. It wants high wages for single girls.

Twenty Years Ago

George Byron Baillie and George John Frizzell have been elected the two most popular citizens of the town of Port Essington.

Sixty-four municipalities in Ontario have voted against liquor sale under local option and, as a result, 192 bars will be closed.

The Main Reef Mining Co. has been incorporated to take over a property at Stewart which was recently purchased by Major George E. Gibson.

IRISH ARMY IS OPPOSED

Difficulties Face Effort to Muster 50,000 Volunteer Reserve

DUBLIN, Jan. 25.—Recruiting of the new volunteer reserve army of 50,000 men and officers for the Irish Free State is meeting with considerable opposition.

So far most of the opposition has come from the "young intellectual" class and older Republicans who vividly remember the late civil war and fear what they call a "militarist movement which may be used to break strikes or keep Irish citizens in subjection."

The authorities, political observers say, are handling the situation with tact. The work of organization is proceeding apace and will undoubtedly be an accomplished fact before much longer.

Most of the trouble so far has centred on the attempts to enroll National University students as officers in the new army. Some of it is undoubtedly sponsored by the secret, illegal Irish Republican army which is still in existence.

Exciting scenes took place at National University College when Free State army officers appeared to enroll students in the officers' training corps. A large number of students objected, the gist of their protest being: "It is not right that the university should be turned into a recruiting office."

After the speeches the students rushed into the room where the army officers were enrolling applicants and threw a number of "stink" bombs.

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Diversion and Use

TAKE NOTICE that James B. Stapler whose address is Hotel Castineau, Juneau, Alaska, will apply for a licence to take and use 200 cubic second, foot of water out of East Fork Tulequah River, which flows Southerly and drains into Taku River about 20 miles above the mouth.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 3 miles up stream from the mouth of the East Fork and will be used for Mining Power purpose upon the Tulequah Chief group.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 31st day of October, 1929.

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 Adlin November 15th, 1929.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

The date of the first publication of this notice is December 2nd, 1929.

JAMES B. STAPLER, Applicant.

By H. McN. FRASER, Adlin, B.C., Agent.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of British Columbia, and situated on the South Bank of Skeena River, opposite Mile 28.76 on Canadian National Railways, East of Prince Rupert, B.C.

Take notice that Northern British Columbia Power Company, Limited of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation Power Corporation intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 120 chains distant and in a Southerly direction from centre line of Canadian National Railways, opposite mile 28.76 East of Prince Rupert, on the south bank of the Skeena River, thence North 5 chains more or less to Low Water Mark; thence West along L.W.M. 5 chains; thence South 5 chains more or less to H.W.M. thence Easterly along H.W.M. to point of commencement and containing two (2) acres, more or less.

NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA POWER COMPANY, LIMITED.

Per: Thomas D. McLean, Agent.

Dated September 21st, 1929.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land

In Stikine Land Recording District of British Columbia, and situated on the north bank of the Taku River at a point about three miles north of the junction of the Tulequah River with the Taku River.

Take notice that the Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Company of Juneau, Alaska, occupation a mining company, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted near the southwest corner of the Jack M. C. thence South 40 chains; thence West 30 chains; thence North 40 chains; thence East 20 chains more or less to point of commencement and containing eighty acres, more or less.

ALASKA JUNEAU GOLD MINING COMPANY

By Paul A. Decker, agent.

Dated 28th day of October, 1929.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of British Columbia, and situated on the North bank of the Beaver River, 30 chains Northwest of the mouth of the Little Beaver River in the Kitsumkalum Valley, East of Prince Rupert, B.C.

Take notice that Joseph Hart of Aberdeen, Washington, occupation, miner, intends to apply for a lease or purchase of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 30 chains distant and in a Northwesterly direction from the mouth of the Little Beaver River in the Kitsumkalum Valley, thence North 20 chains; thence West 80 chains; thence South 80 chains; thence Easterly 80 chains and containing 1280 acres, more or less.

JOSEPH HART, JOHN B. COUTURE, Agent.

Dated—January 4, 1930.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land

In the Cassiar District Land Recording District of Stikine and, situated on the Taku River about three quarters of a mile up stream from the confluence of the Taku and Tulequah Rivers.

Take notice that Horace McNaughton Fraser of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Civil Engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the Taku River about three quarters of a mile up stream from the mouth of the Tulequah River, thence North 20 chains; thence East 20 chains; thence South 20 chains; thence West 20 chains more or less to point of commencement and containing forty acres, more or less.

HORACE McNAUGHTON FRASER.

Dated October 29th, 1929.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

Take Notice that J. James Martin of Massett, B.C. intend to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at high water mark, and at the shore corner of Main Street, and the corner of Block 20 Town of Massett, B.C.; thence South Westerly and in line with the East side of Main Street for about three hundred feet to low water mark; thence in a North Westerly direction to New Massett wharf; thence along the wharf about three hundred feet more or less to high water mark; thence along high water mark to the point of commencement.

Dated at Massett, B.C. this 30th day of November, 1929.

JAMES MARTIN.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land

In the Stikine Land Recording Division: Land Recording District of Telegraph Creek and situated on extreme tip of peninsula on North bank of Tulequah and West bank of Taku Rivers, approximately one mile south of Maple Slough.

Take notice that E. J. Norman and R. McCombe of Juneau, Alaska, occupation miners, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile south of Maple Slough; thence North 40 chains; thence West 20 chains; thence South 40 chains; thence East 20 chains and joining 80 acres, more or less.

EDMUND JEAN NORMAN ROBERT SALE McCOMBE.

Dated 19th day of October, 1929.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In The Queen Charlotte Land District Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated near Block 20, Massett Township.

Take notice that Arthur Robertson and Eugene H. Simpson of Massett, B.C., occupation Lumbermen intend to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. Cor. Blk. 20 Massett Township; thence Westerly 10 chains to Gov. Wharf; thence Southerly 4 chains running parallel to Gov. Wharf to Low Water Mark; thence Easterly 10 chains; thence North 4 chains and containing 7 acres, more or less.

ARTHUR ROBERTSON EUGENE HUMPHREY SIMPSON

Dated—Nov. 13th, 1929.

MINERAL ACT

Section 28

Notice to Co-Partners

Mineral claims Star, Rand, Belle Aurora, situated at Lockeport, Queen Charlotte Islands. Owners Ross Morrison F.M.C. 871693 C. R. Dunlop and H. H. McColl.

To all concerned, take notice that I, Ross Morrison F.M.C. 871693 C. having done all the work and paid all dues on the above Mineral Claims for the year ending Oct. 27th, 1929, without any work done or moneys paid by co-owners, R. Dunlop and H. H. McColl, intend to apply within a period of 120 days after first appearance of this notice, to the Mining Recorder, to have the interests of said co-owners vested solely in myself.

ROSS MORRISON, Per—J. L. Barge, Agent.

COMPANIES ACT

BELMONT SURF INLET MINES LIMITED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Section 213 of the "Companies Act" a meeting of the Creditors of the above named Company will be held at the offices of E. P. Davis & Co., 6th Floor, Royal Trust Building, 626 Pender Street, Vancouver, B.C., on Monday the 20th day of January, A.D. 1930, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon for the purposes provided for in the said Section 213.

DATED this 6th day of January, A.D. 1930.

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WATERFRONT WHIFFS

Billmor Still Stuck In Ecstall River; Melville and Covenant Back From Vancouver; Two Well Known Halibut Fishermen Returning

The Pacific Salvage Co.'s power vessel Billmor, Capt. Lorne Peck, is still held fast in the ice of the Ecstall River about three miles above Port Essington where she was frozen in, toward the end of last week while attempting to deliver workmen, supplies and mail to the Power Corporation of Canada's power house construction camp at Falls River. The company's vessel Salvage Princess tried at the first of this week to reach the Billmor and cut a way out for her with her special ice-breaking equipment but failed to get even as far as Port Essington. While it will be quite easy, it is expected, for those aboard the Billmor to get ashore if necessary, it is hard to say what may happen to the vessel in the ice floes if she is not released soon. Certainly no amelioration of cold weather conditions seems in prospect for a few days at least. There is little information of a definite nature since the mouth of the Skeena River is frozen over in such a way as it has not done for many years. Navigation even out as far as the Blind Slough is impossible and there has been no ferry service between Haysport and Port Essington for several days. Even steamers found it impossible to break through at the end of last week.

Thomas Thompson arrived here at the first of the week to join the local staff of the Pacific Salvage Co. as accountant. He comes from the company's Vancouver office.

With Indian Agent W. E. Collison and Dominion Constable A. J. Watkinson on board, the Indian Department's local power cruiser Naskeena left on Wednesday afternoon for Kitkatla, where Mr. Collison on Thursday conducted the election of the native council for the year 1930. Mr. Collison was due back yesterday in order to conduct the annual election at Metlakatla.

Jim Bacon Back

Returning at the end of last week from a three weeks' business trip to Vancouver, Jim Bacon spent the early part of this week at Port Simpson with Mrs. Bacon to attend the funeral of her mother, the late Mrs. Sam Bennett. On Thursday he made a hunting trip with Fred Scadden before settling down to work after the intermission.

Capt. John Ivarson with the local halibut boat Melville and Capt. Hans Underdahl with the Covenant are back after a month's trip to Vancouver. The engines of the two boats were given a thorough going over in the south and are now in readiness for the fishing season's activities to commence.

Capt. George Cook's new 54-foot halibut vessel, being built at Cow Bay by Y. Suehiro, was moved down to Albert & McCaffery's dock early this week to receive the 48 h. p. Gardner diesel engine with which she is being equipped. There is considerable more work to be done above decks on the new boat and she is not expected to be ready for use before early in March.

Jack McLeod, well known uptown haberdasher, paid his weekly visit to the waterfront on Thursday afternoon and made a name for himself by cleaning up the cribbage experts, including the marine champion, Nels Peterson. As a result, Jack feels so cocky that he has issued a challenge to meet all and sundry at the royal and ancient winter pastime. Rumor has it that Jack may go deep sea fishing this season, but we know he will not be satisfied with the lowly halibut, but will try conclusions with nothing less than whales or sharks.

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Capt. E. C. Tibbitts has taken over the 16 h. p. Atlas engine from Capt. Clarence Campbell's Joe Baker and installed it in his halibut boat Jack. A 20-25 N. and S. engine from Seattle is to be in turn installed in the Joe Baker.

Returning Here

Earl Haines and Herman Nicholls, two of the best known and most popular local halibut fishermen, will be welcomed back to the local fleet this spring after an absence of two years in Nova Scotia. Earl Haines, we are glad to report, is now almost completely recovered from a serious illness with which he was afflicted even before leaving here, and, according to word received by local friends, is fine and fit again. Herman Nicholls has been long lining on the Atlantic

coast for the past couple of years but is giving that up. Both are expected back within the next few weeks.

Capt. Merrill Sollows, owner of the local halibut boat Relief, and Mrs. Sollows are due back within the next few days after having spent the winter on their native heath of Nova Scotia. They have been away since September last.

Overhaul work in preparation for the forthcoming halibut fishing season is now general and there are few boats upon which work is not now being carried out. Most of them will be ready by the time of the opening gun on February 15, now less than three weeks off. The cold weather of the past three weeks has been interfering with work to some extent.

Visiting Scott's Cove last Sunday, George Bryant, Alex McRae and Roy Nichols, on the Harla, took a nice bag of fifteen ducks. Jack Lindsay and party were out on the Irene L. and had their usual success.

Pete Lorenzen, Charlie Mills and Cap Elfert went out to Big Bay on the Arranmore Saturday afternoon and returned Sunday evening with the odd goose and duck to show for their prowess. Dr. W. T. Kergin and party also visited Big Bay with the Full Moon.

Mystery Ship

Here's one from our Skidegate correspondent: "A short while ago a strange steamer crept into Alford Bay early in the morning with all lights out. This craft had never been seen before in the Inlet and was a complete stranger. After she had dropped anchor, three large motorboats were noticed to glide alongside the steamer and lay there for some time. The next day there was no sign of the steamer nor of the large motor vessels. It is believed here that they were rum runners or some craft bringing in a large shipment of dope."

Capt. Jacob H. Engdahl of the well known American halibut schooner Eagle has been elected president of the Fishing Vessel Owners' Association at Seattle, succeeding Capt. Fred Sorensen of the Havana, who successfully guided the affairs of the association during 1929. Capt. Engdahl is one of the real veterans of the Pacific halibut fleet, having served with the deep sea fishing fleet out of Seattle since the days of the steamers. He has owned the Eagle since 1923. Other new officers of the association include: Vice-president, Capt. I. Hansen, Pioneer; secretary, Capt. A. S. Einmo, Polaris; trustees, Capt. John Hansen, Sunset; Capt. Ole Hvatum, Dorothy; Capt. Fred Sorensen, Havana; and Capt. Peter Leiren, Flamingo.

The local halibut boat Dolphin, Capt. Pete Byrne, arrived in port yesterday morning with 5000 pounds of brill, soles and flounders after two days' fishing off the mouth of the Skeena River. The catch was disposed of to the Bacon Fisheries which will ship considerable of the fish fresh. It was the Dolphin's first trip and she went right out again. The Bacon Fisheries expect to have a regular supply of this fish for the time being at least.

Capt. Peter Wold, well known Seattle halibut skipper, has retired from the game at least temporarily, having sold his schooner Attu to Capt. Peter Pettersen, formerly of the Majestic. Capt. Pettersen has in turn disposed of his share in the Majestic to his partner, Capt. Abrahamson. The Attu is 65 feet long, 17 feet beam with draft of seven feet. She was built in Seattle in 1924 and is equipped with 125 h.p. Atlas-Imperial engine.

DIAMOND WEDDING

Celebrated Recently in England by Parents of Well Known Local People

A copy of the "Isle of Thanet Gazette" (England), which has just come to hand, contains an interesting account of the diamond wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Shrubbsall, parents of Mrs. J. E. Unwin, Alfred Shrubbsall, Edward Shrubbsall and Robert Shrubbsall, all of this city; William Shrubbsall, formerly of Prince Rupert and now of Victoria; and Harold and Horace Shrubbsall, who also lived here at one time but are now in England. The article is accompanied by a picture of the wedding celebrants of 60 years ago.

The article was as follows: Sixty years of happy married life is the proud record of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Michael Shrubbsall of "Hillside." Boothplace, Margate, who celebrated the diamond anniversary of their wedding on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Shrubbsall spent the day quietly at home with relatives and friends, and were very gratified to receive a number of presents.

Mr. Shrubbsall is eighty-five years of age and his wife is eighty-one, and they were married at Old Murs-ton Church, Sittingbourne, on Christmas Day, 1869. Although he has not been in the best of health for some time, Mr. Shrubbsall is still fond of a joke, and he is always smiling. Mrs. Shrubbsall is remarkably active for her age, and still looks after her husband as carefully as ever.

"We have lived for a long, long time, and never had a fight yet," smilingly remarked Mrs. Shrubbsall to a representative of the "Gazette." "We are too old to begin now." They have had twelve children—seven sons and five daughters. Mr. Shrubbsall is fond of recalling that the number of his sons is quite a tradition in the family, for both his father and his grandfather reared seven in their families.

A native of Milton Regis, Mr. Shrubbsall was the son of a fisherman, and he followed in the footsteps of his father. After his marriage to Miss Priscilla Faulkner, Mr. Shrubbsall resided at Sittingbourne with his wife for about twenty years. He then came to Margate, still following the calling of a fisherman, and he is one of the best known of the old salts whose trade has been associated with the place for centuries. Several of Mr. and Mrs. Shrubbsall's sons in Canada are connected with the fishing industry. Mr. Shrubbsall was still actively at work until the end of the war, but he has not done a great deal since that time.

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