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## CITY HAS LOST ON BOTH OF CONTRACTORS' SUITS

### JUDGE CLEMENTS AGAINST THE CITY ON QUESTION OF LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

Before Argument Commenced in the Supreme Court Case of the Contractors, His Lordship Expressed His Views on the Evidence That Had Been Offered—Argument Is Still Going On

All the evidence in the case of Watson vs. City is now in, but before hearing argument Mr. Justice Clements expressed his views on the case as far as the evidence has impressed him. He warned Mr. Peters that he would have some difficulty in substantiating the city's claim for \$750 against contractor in this case, the difficulty being on points of law.

As for the claim for liquidated damages His Lordship expressed himself as "decidedly against" the city. He was not in agreement with Mr. Peters either on the question of whether the \$25 per day was liquidated damages or not, or further as to whether the city had any right to this levy at all.

On the matter of alleged delay owing to retaining wall construction, however, the Judge is rather inclined to believe that the retaining walls helped rather than hindered the contractor. Judge Clements declared yesterday afternoon that he did not

believe the city was liable for damages on account of the strike. The matter of the plank roadway in dispute, alleged shortage of lumber, etc., was set aside as trifling meantime, but on the point in regard to the dumping of 2,000 yards of rock at Beach place the Judge estimated that this might be charged against the city at the rate of 25 cents per cubic yard, or altogether \$500.

#### TEMPORARY BUILDING

Wooden Shack Round the Vault Proposed for Registry Dept.

W. J. Goepel, Provincial government inspector of office, who was here in connection with the fire which destroyed the Land Registry office, has gone below after visiting Stewart. It is understood that a temporary wooden structure surrounding the vault has been recommended to tide over the department until a permanent building is put up.

#### NO CHEAP LOTS LEFT

Sad Plight of "Uncle Jerry's Staff" at the Present

Uncle Jerry's staff this morning were bemoaning the fact that the run on low priced properties in the last week had cleaned them out of all the cheap lots on their list. Something must be done.

Toys, dolls, games—Wallace's

#### FIVE ARE RESCUED

Were Taken From Tennessee Coal Mine Last Night.

Briceville, Tenn., Dec. 12.—Five miners, alive and well, were taken from the Cross Mountain mine late last night. It is known that three others of the 207 are alive.

#### DOCTOR, HEAL THYSELF

Thirty London Medicos are all Poisoned at an Oyster Supper

(Canadian Press Despatch.) London, Dec. 13.—Thirty medical students and doctors were poisoned at an oyster supper here for medical men. All will recover.

### MAKE TORONTO AN OCEAN PORT

Ocean Steamers Will Reach the Port by Way of Lachine Canal. Will Deepen Harbor and Build Locks.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

Toronto, Dec. 13.—Following the visit here of Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine, public works and improvements will be made that will make this city an ocean port. Vessels will come by way of Lachine Canal up Lake Ontario to the port. The harbor will be deepened and docks built.

Prince Rupert's leading hotel—Savoy.

### THE MAYOR ADMITS ON OATH THAT HE KNEW ALL ABOUT THE "RAINBOW"

Admits That While in Victoria He Received a Telegram From Acting Mayor Smith Asking That the Cruiser be Sent to Prince Rupert to Quell the Strike—Two Mysteries of the Strike Are Cleared Up

A COSTLY FALL  
A Vancouver Stenographer Got \$1300 from Railway Co.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Vancouver, Dec. 13.—Hazel Bagnell, a stenographer, who was injured in a fall from a street car has been awarded \$1300 damages.

Panorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4.

ANOTHER COMMISSION  
This Time it is to Investigate Railway Officials

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Ottawa, Dec. 13.—A Commission has been named to investigate the complaints regarding conduct by certain officials of the Intercolonial Railway.

"When in Victoria did you receive a wire from Acting Mayor Smith suggesting that the Rainbow should be sent to Rupert to aid in quelling the strike?"

The question was addressed to Mayor Manson in cross-examination by Mr. Williams yesterday afternoon when he took the box as witness for the defense in the case of Watson vs. City. Mayor Manson's reply to that question, given under oath, was "Yes." He said that he did receive the telegram asking that the Rainbow be requisitioned for Rupert. Asked what he did about it, he replied that he left it to the authorities to see to, as they had their own means of attending to the request.

So one of the mysteries long kept dark in connection with the strike has at last come to light.

The Mayor was further asked: "Where were you at the time of the riot in Kelly's cut?"

To this question the Mayor replied: "I was in the mayor's office at the time"; the answer set-

ting another mystery of the missing mayor.

Throughout, for the most part, the Mayor's evidence was of a negative order. He did not know that the contractors had even tried to work during the strike. He would not admit that the work did not go on during the strike. He denied that he had ever talked with Contractor Frank Kelly suggesting that if the contractors compromised the matter of wages they would be let off their penalty clause, but declared that he had received letters from the P. R. I. A. demanding that the penalty be enforced. His suggestion that the parties should resort to arbitration was turned down flat by the P. R. I. A. As police commissioner the Mayor said that he had given orders that all possible should be done without violence to maintain law and order, and this he believed had been done.

Choicest liquors and cigars—Savoy.

### FEARS THAT INDIAN PEOPLE WILL REBEL AT THE CHANGES

LORD LANSDOWNE AND VISCOUNT CURZON VIEW WITH ALARM THE CHANGES ANNOUNCED BY KING GEORGE FOLLOWING THE DUREAR YESTERDAY.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) London, Dec. 13.—Lord Lansdowne and Viscount Curzon in the House of Lords last night expressed their grave concern at the changes proposed in India, and in this they are supported by some Conservative papers.

According to the official papers, the new policy was carefully considered before being adopted, as being essential to the growth of local self-government in India.

Lord Curzon's opinion, coming from an ex-viceroy of India, is given more than ordinary weight.

### SIDNEY CAPTAIN GETS DAMAGES

Policeman Arrested Capt. Johnson of Sidney, on a False Rumor that the Captain was Insane—Must Pay \$500.

(Special to Daily News.) Vancouver, Dec. 13.—A jury has awarded \$500 damages for false arrest in an action brought by Captain Johnson, a well-known resident of Sidney, against Constables Moore and Ego. Captain Johnson was arrested as insane following on a feud in the district. The jury held that the constables believed Johnson to be insane at the time.

#### THEY DON'T WANT PEACE

New York Mob Starts a Riot at Mention of the Word.

(Special to Daily News.) New York, Dec. 13.—A riotous outbreak interrupted a large mass meeting held in Carnegie Hall last night in support of arbitration treaties which President Taft has proposed with England and France.

#### THE LORDS REJECT

Naval Prize Bill Passes the Commons and Strikes a Snag.

London, Dec. 13.—The House of Lords last night rejected the Naval Prize bill by a vote of 145 to 53. The bill recently passed the House of Commons.

#### LABOR LEADER ARRIVES

Mr. J. C. Watters Will Arrange for a Labor Council.

Mr. J. C. Watters of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council arrived on the Prince Rupert this morning. He will confer with the local labor leaders tomorrow night with the view of organizing a labor council in Prince Rupert.

#### Which Are You?

Some people have trouble with their feet; others wear Scott, Froud & Co.'s shoes and leave trouble alone.

#### May Move to Terrace.

Dr. Traynor of Kitlas is in town today on business. The doctor, who has an extensive practice up river, is contemplating removal to the townsite of Terrace.

#### Wharf Looked Busy.

With the steamers Prince John, Princess Mary and the Venture all busy loading and unloading at the wharf last night, it looked a pretty busy spot.

### CITY LOSES BOTH LAW-SUITS

In Scathing Terms Judge Clements Condemns the City for Its Treatment of the Contractors—Says That in Honesty and Justice Authorities Have Not a Leg to Stand on

"I propose to allow the city, if so inclined, to bear the odium of taking to appeal on a dubious point of law a case in which in point of substantial justice and common honesty they have not a leg to stand on."

With these scathing words Mr. Justice Clements handed down his decision today in the case of Watson vs. City. The decision goes against the city on every point of importance. A few minor points, involving the disposal of planks, and the question of whether or not retaining walls hindered the contractor have been decided in the city's favor, but in all main issues the plaintiff, Watson, wins, and His Lordship has ruled that the city must bear two-thirds of the costs of the action, including all disbursements and increased fees at the rate of \$100 per day for counsel. Judge Clements also gave out his decision against the city in the case of Kelly vs. City. It is practically a clean sweep.

Referring to the strike, His Lordship found the contractor entitled to an allowance of fifty days extra and said: "It was an outrage for the city to attempt to charge the strike period against the contractor under the penalty clause." He could not, however, allow the contractor's claim for damages against the city for the strike trouble, but added: "This does not in any way moderate my view of the inequity of the city's attempting to charge the contractors for the time lost during that strike."

His Lordship ruled that the city had "improperly retained" a sum of \$750 from the contractor in respect of material dumped on low lying lots which had not yet been removed. He allowed the contractor \$500 for overhauling and \$92.50 for rock filling behind retaining wall, but did not find that retaining wall construction had hindered the contractor. He took special occasion to refer to the part played by the City Engineer in the matter, stating that the conduct of Col. Davis throughout was above reproach. After going at some length into the various points of the Watson claim, His Lordship concluded by giving in a word his decision in favor of Contractor Kelly in the other case for full amount of claim with costs.

### IS NOW THE EMPEROR OF INDIA

Durbar of King George Was Celebrated at Delhi Yesterday Amid Great Pomp and Magnificence—An Ancient Ceremony

DELHI TO BE THE FUTURE CAPITAL

Announcement of Change in the Seat of Government Arouses Criticism at Calcutta, But Gives Great Delight to the Native Princes and Officials—State Banquet at Night Was Attended by Over Four Thousand Notables

Delhi, Dec. 13.—The wealth and gorgeousness of India outdid itself in the Durbar of King George and Queen Mary, which took place yesterday in the presence of all the native princes and millions of their retainers. Many costly presents were given to the Emperor, who wore the famous

"Star of India" in his crown. A state banquet and reception concluded the Durbar celebrations at night. More than 4,000 notables were guests of their Majesties, who expressed themselves greatly delighted with the cordial reception tendered them, the chief towns throughout India are celebrating the event with fireworks, illuminations and fetes.

### WINTER GALES ON ISLANDS

Violent Weather Experienced on Graham Island During the Past Month—Buildings Blown Down by the Storm.

Masset, Dec. 12.—The stormy weather of the past month has been of unprecedented severity in the Queen Charlotte Islands, the wind recording over sixty miles an hour for many days. A

tree fell on the hospital tent at the Massett townsite, demolishing part of the structure, but doing no further damage. An engine house owned by Henry Edenshaw, on the Massett Reserve, was blown down, wrecking the plant. Old-timers among the natives are of the opinion that the windstorm on November 27th was the worst ever experienced on the island.

Fresh cut flowers Wednesday. Wark's.

Free doll at Ward's Candy Shop. Watch the window. Tf

### CHINESE CREW MUTINY ON BRITISH SHIP STRATHAVON

OFFICERS HAVE TO DEFEND THEMSELVES FROM THE BRIDGE WITH REVOLVERS—CREW IS GIVEN OVER TO POLICE ON ARRIVAL AT SYDNEY.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Victoria, Dec. 13.—Word has been brought by the steamer Makura that the steamer Strathavon from Puget Sound to Sydney has put into the latter port flying police signals. Her crew of twenty-one Chinamen were in a state of mutiny. They had at-

tacked their officers, who kept them at bay with revolvers from the bridge. They will be taken back here by the police.

Christmas Season.  
At Keeley's a large assortment of just the proper gifts for "him" or "her."

#### IS AFLOAT AGAIN

S.S. Empress of China Was Successfully Floated Today

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Tokyo, Dec. 13.—The C. P. R. liner Empress of China which went ashore on July 27, 40 miles from Yokohama during a fog was successfully re-floated today. She will be towed to Yokohama for repairs. For a long time it was feared that the vessel could not be saved.

Fine line of work baskets filled with candy. If you want a good one you had better have it laid aside. Christmas stockings. Ward's Candy Store. Tf

#### SHOULD COME TO RUPERT

Robert Caldwell Has Only Voted Once in Eighty Years.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) St. Thomas, Dec. 13.—Robert Caldwell, who is over 80 years of age, voted for the first time in his life at the elections on Monday.

#### Halibut Haul.

The schooner Princess Victoria with 3,000 pounds of halibut has arrived at the Davis wharf.

#### QUEEN CITY IS FLOATED

Vessel That Replaced the Tees Also Meets Accident.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Victoria, Dec. 13.—The steamer Queen City was floated safely last night and is being taken to Port Alberni. The extent of the damages is unknown till tomorrow. The Queen City, which was relieving the steamer Tees, went ashore at Dunsuir Point. The vessel was held by the bow. She had a full complement of passengers for West Coast points on board.

### MAYOR DODGED THE ISSUE

Sidelight on the Strike Trouble Brought Out in Evidence Regarding Penalty Clause Yesterday in Supreme Court.

An effort was made by counsel for the prosecution to secure from Contractors Morgan and Kelly, in the witness box, confirmation of the statement made that the mayor had suggested to them in an interview that if they would compromise on wages with the strikers the city would forego the penalty clause. The exact words used by the mayor could not be sworn to by Mr. Morgan, who declared, however, that the mayor had said it would be to the contractors' advantage to raise the wages, and that the possible rebatement of the penalty was mentioned. "It is hard to give evidence on this matter," said witness, "because Mr. Manson was very guarded in his statements and tried to dodge the issue as much as possible."

"That is quite a political speech you have got off Mr. Morgan," commented the city solicitor ironically.

#### Gentlemen,

Time you got "that Christmas spirit!" The women folks are wondering what you are going to give them and you are in a quandary, not knowing what to select. Bring your trouble to us. We've hundreds of things that make suitable gifts for ladies, so can easily solve the problem for you. Wallaces. Tf

Mrs. Frizzell, who has been under the care of Dr. Kergin for some time past, is now about again and will be back at her business in a couple of days.



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WEDNESDAY, DEC. 13

## HOW TO PUT SECOND AVENUE IN SHAPE.

Second avenue is the widest street in the downtown district. It has also the easiest grade. Theoretically it should be Prince Rupert's best street. Unfortunately, for over a year it has been put out of business. There is luck in odd numbers, and some of the aldermen have steadfastly done all they could to divert traffic from Second avenue to Third. Even a proposal to build a stairway from Second avenue to Rupert road was objected to. Although many thousands of dollars have been spent by the property holders of Second avenue to improve their street, it is not yet fit for traffic. This is a reproach that the Council should try and wipe out before the end of the year.

The present is an excellent time to put the road in order, while so much city equipment is already on the spot to assist in the moving of an old building owned by the Chairman of the Board of Public Works. Instructions have already been issued to the City Engineer to have the boulders broken up by the city staff, and the road placed in order to enable the building to be moved along. All it requires is for the Council and the citizens to join in a united movement to get the building moved and incidentally the road will be placed in order.

Having now got the building shored up on timber belonging to the city, ready for being hauled along a wooden road bed made of city lumber, by a wire hawser belonging to the city, why should not the steam roller belonging to the city and the rock crusher belonging to the city be brought into use. This would not only help to get the boulders broken economically, and supply power to haul the building along, but it would also gratify the property owners of Second avenue, who at present are under a wrong conception as to the reason why the rock crusher and the steam roller are not allowed to visit there.

Having marshaled all the City Hall forces on the spot, it would be a simple matter to direct the moving of the building. With all hands below at the ropes and the Civic Commodore pacing the poop, sending down wireless signals to the cavalcade beneath, it would be possible to quickly remove the present obstruction from Second avenue and place the road bed in condition before the snow comes.

## New Knox Hotel

BESNER &amp; BESNER, PROPRIETORS

The New Knox Hotel is run on the European plan. First-class service. All the Latest Modern Improvements.

FIRST AVENUE, PRINCE RUPERT



Department of the Naval Service

RADIOTELEGRAPH SERVICE.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, enclosed "Tender for Dwelling House" and accompanied by a certified cheque for \$100.00, of the amount of the tender, will be received up to noon on December 31st, 1911, for the erection of dwelling houses at the Government Wireless Stations at Prince Rupert, Cape Lazo and Point Grey.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the following places:  
The Government Wireless Stations at Point Grey, Cape Lazo and Digby Island, Prince Rupert. The Postoffice at Vancouver, Nanaimo and Prince Rupert.  
The office of the District Superintendent, Government Wireless Service, Victoria, and Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa. Unauthorized publication of this notice will not receive payment.

G. J. DESBARATS,  
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service,  
Department of the Naval Service,  
Ottawa, November 29th, 1911. 31

## LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.  
Take notice that I, James Z. Zullerton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation engineer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted 52 chains east of Naas River and 40 chains south of pre-emption No. 397 (S.E.), thence 40 chains south, thence 52 chains south, thence 40 chains north, thence 24 chains west, thence 40 chains north, thence 52 chains east; thence 52 chains east to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

J. Z. ZULLERTON,  
R. H. Stewart, Agent,  
Pub. Dec. 13.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Abraham H. Barber, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of a small island about twenty-five (25) chains north and two (2) chains east of the shore line in the 1323, Range 5, Coast District, Porcher Island, thence following the shore line in a northerly direction, thence 20 chains to the north end of the island, thence in a southwesterly direction along the shore about twenty (20) chains to the point of commencement, being an island containing about forty (40) acres, more or less.

ABRAHAM H. BARBER,  
Dated Dec. 6th, 1911.  
Pub. Dec. 13.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Dagobert Auriol, of Nanaimo, B. C., occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 4484, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

DAGOBERT AURIOL,  
Fred E. Cowell, Agent,  
Date Nov. 10th, 1911.  
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Theodore Nichalis, driver, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot No. 2287, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

THEODORE NICHALIS,  
Fred E. Cowell, Agent,  
Dated Oct. 31, 1911.  
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Paul Curtis, clerk, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, about ten chains back from the creek bank, and about fifty chains southeast from where the Kitimat branch of the G. T. P. Ry. crosses Williams Creek, thence south 30 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 30 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 120 acres, more or less.

MICHAEL BEGANS,  
Fred E. Cowell, Agent,  
Dated Oct. 31, 1911.  
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Samuel Belites, gardener, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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SAMUEL BELITES,  
Fred E. Cowell, Agent,  
Dated Oct. 31, 1911.  
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Louis Caleris, driver, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1799, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

LOUIS CALERIS,  
Fred E. Cowell, Agent,  
Dated Oct. 31, 1911.  
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, John Argiracis, carpenter, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one and one-half miles northeast from the intake of Trout River, on the west side of Lake Lake, and about five (5) chains back from the waterfront, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

JOHN ARGIRACIS,  
Fred E. Cowell, Agent,  
Dated Oct. 31, 1911.  
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## ISLAND NEWS ITEMS

Jottings From Growing Centres on the Queen Charlottes.

The pre-emptors of Massett Inlet held a meeting recently and discussed several matters of importance which will be laid before the Government.

A billiard room is the latest addition to the buildings on the townsite of the Natural Resources Company. A place of recreation has been greatly needed in Massett.

Mrs. Henry Moody's death at Skidegate was much regretted by all who knew the esteemed wife of the interpreter and hardy prospector of the Skidegate village. A large number of friends attended the funeral, which took place at the cemetery on the Skidegate Reserve.

A light fall of snow occurred on the island on November 9th, but it passed off in a short time. The cold wave which caused so much discomfort on the South Coast was scarcely felt on the island.

## Board of Works Chairman.

Alderman Hilditch was an interested listener during the cross-examination of the City Engineer by Mr. W. E. Williams this morning.

## Steamship Notes.

The G. T. P. steamer Prince Albert arrived overnight towing the North Bend with coal cargo.

## COAL NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte.  
Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter, of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:  
Commencing at a post planted one mile north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 10, marked C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 15, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BANTER, Locator  
Pub. Sept. 23.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 10, marked N. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 15, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.  
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Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Coal Lease No. 4458 marked C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 25, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. BANTER, Locator  
Pub. Oct. 7.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 17, marked S. W. corner A. T. B. Coal Lease No. 25, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.  
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Commencing at a post planted five miles east of Coal Lease No. 4474, marked C. E. B. S. E. corner A. T. B. Coal Lease No. 27, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.  
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This is a little section of the paper, which from day to day will be devoted to subjects of special interest to women. Any and all of the ladies of Prince Rupert are invited to contribute to its columns, and to take part in its discussions. Suggestions and criticisms are invited by the editor. The hope is expressed that "The Cosy Corner" will fill a social need.

## TO LOOK YOUR BEST

If You Are a Blonde You Must Ob-  
serve These Valuable Hints.

The path of the blonde beauty is beset with difficulties that her darker sisters do not have to contend with.

In the first place, fair hair requires much more washing than brown or black hair. It should really be washed once a week, without fail, whereas, darker hair can go three weeks and be none the worse.

A little borax, cloudy ammonia or ordinary washing soda should be added to the first cleansing water—about a dessertspoonful of either of the two former, or a piece the size of a hazel nut of the latter—to an ordinary basin of warm water is the right proportion. If more is used the hair will become brittle.

At least three waters should be used. After the hair is thoroughly washed in the above mentioned cleansing water it should be soused in warm water, and then in cold. If the first waters do not quite cleanse it, it should have a third washing in warm water with a lather of pure white Castile soap; then a final rinsing in nearly cold water.

In order to keep the hair as fluffy as possible it should never be combed or brushed before it is perfectly dry. Allowing it to dry in a tangled mass helps to keep it wavy, even after the use of brush and comb.

Fair people are generally afflicted with a dry skin, and for this reason they require more applications of cold creams, etc., than do their darker sisters. For this reason also fair people are more addicted to wrinkles. When these begin to show, massaging with a good massage cream should be commenced at once; it is the only effectual remedy for a wrinkled skin.

It is stated by some well-known authorities that there is nothing more beneficial to a fair complexion than the eating of oranges. As a last word, just a hint about dress.

The "blonde" must be particularly careful in her choice of colors. Red, pinks and, generally speaking, all bright shades of greens and blues should be avoided.

As a rule, she looks best in tones of green, also in black—a brownish tone, and in the darker black hat especially. For the evening she should wear white, or else a very pale shade of blue.

## SCARED OF THE WOMEN

Male Shop Assistants Won't Let Them Serve in the Stores.

The introduction of women clerks into department stores hitherto sacred to men has angered the male assistants of Melbourne, Australia, who view this as the thin edge of the wedge. As a result the men went on strike until arrangements were made that the women clerks were not to sell any article above the value of sixpence.

## TO MAKE FOWL TENDER

Even a Tough Old Bird Will Re-  
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The problem of selecting small Xmas gifts for sending by mail is easily solved at Wark's. Remember, your last opportunity for mailing gifts home is Thursday.

## WOMEN ON WOMEN

Clever Sayings of Women About  
Own Sex—Are They True?

It seems we never can unproot that time-grown notion, so essentially masculine, that we women must welcome men simply because men are men.

Some women have the habit of scintillating in the gaslight. If I were a man going in for loving a woman I should like her to appear ideal to other men than myself.

There has never been a mirror made that can show people how other people think they look.

Many superior women are bullied, but when a bullied woman once realizes her superiority the game is up.

The hardest habit for a thinking woman to conquer is the habit of being dominated.

The very best of women resort to coquetry in indecision.

We could never respect the ropes that bind us if we did not first break our finger nails trying to untie the knots.

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