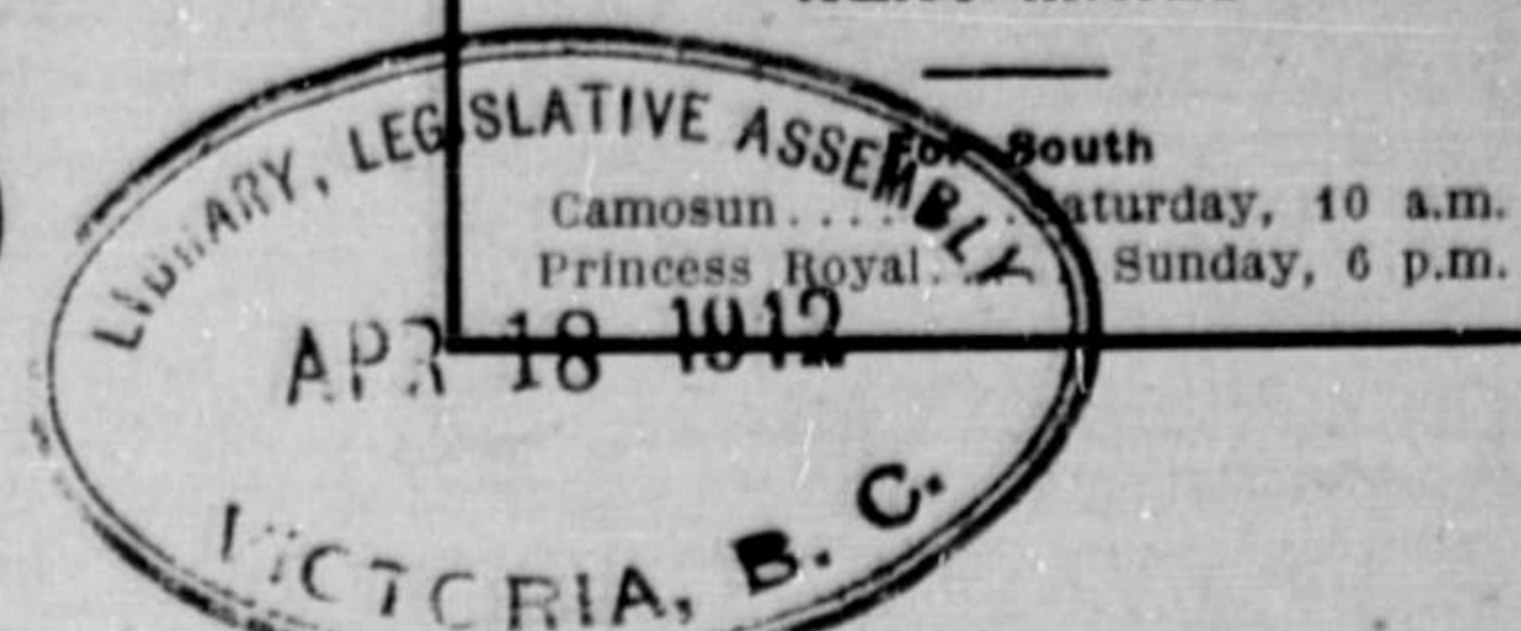


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## FREIGHT RATES AND EXPRESS CHARGES DEBATED

### NEWTON INTERRUPTS COURT AND IS SILENCED BY CARSS

**Mayor Treats Police Magistrate's Ruling With Contempt and With Harsh Accents Drives Home a Still Deeper Sense of Degradation to a Despised One of the Underworld---Appeal for Order in the Court is Upheld**

This morning's Police Court proceedings witnessed a sensational incident. Mayor Newton took upon himself from the public benches, to interrupt the Court with a loud voiced order to Acting Police Chief Merritt, worded so as to express positive contempt of court. An appeal to the Magistrate to maintain order was at once made by counsel for the defence of the accused Julia Belmont in the case being dealt with. Magistrate Carss quietly and with a good deal of dignity, commented from the bench on the interruption, ordering that absolute order be maintained. The Mayor was silent.

The case at which the interruption occurred was that of Julia Belmont, against whom a charge of liquor selling has just been dismissed, and against whom there was immediately laid information charging her with conducting a house of ill repute. To this charge she pleaded guilty.

**Argument for Consistency.**  
As her counsel, Mr. Alex. Manson, addresses the bench, stating that this woman had been resident in the recognized district for a year. She had never before been required to attend the police court, but had maintained herself in the manner required by the authorities under whom the system of the segregated district is permitted to continue.

He represented to the court that under the circumstances the fine imposed in this case might well be a light one.

The Court concurred with counsel in this and after careful consultation of the law on the matter, along with the City Solicitor, Magistrate Carss, following precedent, imposed a fine of \$25 and costs.

**Mayor Hurls His Stone.**  
The woman was just leaving the court room to pay the fine when the strident tones of the Mayor's well known voice broke the silence harshly.

"Mr. Chief," he said, "I desire that you see that this lady is asked for her notice at once to leave Comox avenue, in view of the ridiculously low fine imposed by the court here."

There was a moment's hush, in which the woman nervously hesitated under this further indignity driven home loud voiced upon her degradation by the Mayor.

**Is Silenced by Carss.**  
Then her counsel appealed to the Magistrate.  
"Your worship," he said, "I beg that you will use your authority to maintain order in court."

In quite level tones, without sign of disturbance or perturbation, under the dark, glowering eye of the Mayor, Magistrate Carss said:

"I do not wish to seem officious in this matter, but at the same time I do not think any-

one—unless perhaps the counsel inces—should be allowed to interrupt with remarks during the procedure of this court."

The Mayor made no reply, and later when the case of Stella Palmer, similarly charged with Julia Belmont, was adjourned, he left the court.

### VANCOUVER'S GOTTA QUIT KICKIN' OUR DAWG AROUND

**Edict Promulgated by Prince Rupert Board of Trade---Letter from General Passenger Agent Hinton That Vancouver Board of Trade is Responsible for Misrepresentations as to the Weather Conditions---Statistics to be Prepared**

"Knocking Prince Rupert" was one of the many subjects discussed at the regular meeting of the Board of Trade last night, which was held in the police court. It came up on a letter from W. P. Hinton, chief passenger agent of the Grand Trunk Pacific, addressed to H. B. Rochester and referred by the latter to the board for action. It was familiarly addressed "Dear Harry" and begun:

"I notice in the interview with you in the Empire concerning your trip east, and referring to that portion of it dealing with the impression obtained throughout the country generally that Prince Rupert is excessively wet, more so than any other coast city. I think this impression is largely due to reports put out, especially in the early days, by the Vancouver Board of Trade and citizens."

"In fact if you will look at the board of trade annual reports you will find that the rainfall in Prince Rupert is more or less in-

definitely recorded, and why they should continue to go out of their way to publish this information about a city 550 miles from them is very difficult to explain. I believe that your board of trade should make an effort to have this thing stopped by showing that it was an injury to Vancouver itself. Prince Rupert is now forging ahead fast and I believe your board of trade can bring about a change of sentiment regarding to this by having correct weather reports supplied to Vancouver, contrasting your climate with that of Vancouver itself."

Mr. Naden thought it would be easy to get up statistics showing the number of fine and rainy days here, and that these in comparison with those of Vancouver would show up very much to the advantage of Prince Rupert. But at the present time nearly all the newspapers of Vancouver printed weather reports of Prince Rupert and other coast points every day, and it was only recently while he was there that

**POKES FUN AT BORDEN**  
London Newspaper Imagines Him Wearing Windsor Uniform.

(Special to Daily News.)  
London, April 12.—The Weekly Truth, issued yesterday, has no use for Canadian politicians and has many bitter things to say about them. It says the payment of members of parliament will have a tendency to bring many more of them to England.  
It pokes fun at Premier Borden and his Windsor uniform, and remarks an statesmen who like to be photographed.

**LECTURE ON SOCIALISM**  
Collectivism, Economic Determinism and Other Socialistic Isms.

Rev. Father Donnelly, the famous missionary priest, will lecture next Monday evening in the Westholme opera house at 8 o'clock. The subject will take in collectivism, economic determinism and all the social reforms common to every party and organization, with explanations of their aims, objects and meanings. He will show the difference between evolution and revolution, and trust there will be many present to ask questions so as to make the subjects under discussion all the more clear.

### PRINCE RUPERT WILL SOON BE THOROUGHLY ADVERTISED

**Grand Ball Under the Auspices of Royalty Suggested---High Freight Charges, Exorbitant Express Rates and Custom House Inconveniences Discussed by Board of Trade ---Transportation Facilities for Naas River**

J. Lorne McLaren, secretary of the Board of Trade, stated at the meeting of that body last night that no less than 400 letters had been received and answered during the past month, and impressed upon the members the necessity of having printed booklets to obviate such a mass

of letter writing. President Mobley immediately took steps to hurry up the work of the publicity committee and the work of getting out a pamphlet of official information as to the city is to be rushed. Mr. McMasters said he was preparing a new and corrected edition of the Grand Trunk Pacific pamphlet of Prince Rupert, with the latest photographs, and this would be ready shortly. A request of the Prince Rupert Publishing Company to issue in pamphlet form the last annual report of the board was granted, so that in a short time the city will be fairly well advertised.

A number of important subjects were discussed by the board last night, and it was intimated that from now on its business was certain to be largely increased because of growing correspondence and the amount of public questions naturally coincident with rapid growth.

**Freight Rate on Hay.**  
The question of the transportation rates on hay was one of the minor questions. Thomas Trotter, of the Prince Rupert Feed Company, in a letter drew attention to the fact that while general merchandise was exactly the same figure from Seattle as Vancouver—namely, \$4 per ton—hay was \$6 from Vancouver and \$10 from Seattle. The matter was important because alfalfa hay was not grown in Canada and could only be obtained from the United States.

Mr. Rogers said he had taken up this matter with Mr. Pinneo of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company of Seattle, who had said so little hay was moving that it did not seem worth while to alter the rates. Mr. McMasters said this was the reason why transportation companies were slow to change rates, but he felt sure that any representation made to the companies by the board would receive every consideration. The matter was then referred to the rate committee with instructions to lay the matter before the companies.

**Exorbitant Express Rates.**  
Mr. Naden stated that he had been informed that a strong representation had been made by residents of Port Simpson to the railway commission as to the excessive freight charges and that through the commission a substantial reduction had been obtained. If that was the case, surely Prince Rupert could get one, too.

Mr. Rochester said it was perfectly correct and that Prince Rupert obtained the benefit of this reduction five months ago. The change was from \$16 to \$13 per ton.

In the discussion that followed it was pointed out that there was a graduated rate according to size of shipment, and that anything under seven pounds did not get the benefit of any reduction. The rate from Seattle to this

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### WILL DISARM I. W. W. GANGS

**Fifty More Special Constables Sent Along Line of Construction Work on Canadian Northern—Men Are Working.**

(Special to Daily News.)  
Victoria, April 12.—Fifty more special constables will be sent to-day along the line of the Canadian Northern construction work to disarm the gangs of I. W. W. agents. Those men who went to work last Monday have not been interfered with, but gangs of the I. W. W. are still along the line of the work, most of them being on the other side of the river. Those who are armed the police have been instructed to disarm and once this is done it is thought the trouble will be at an end.

**Earl Grey's Own Rifles.**  
The members of Earl Grey's Own Rifles are particularly urged to attend the church parade to St. Andrew's hall Sunday at 4 o'clock sharp.

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### V. STELLA IS FOUND GUILTY

**Sentence Deferred Until End of Assizes—Stella an Interesting Prisoner with a Peculiar Case.**

Vancouver, April 11.—Valentine Stella, accused of wounding a fellow countryman, W. Brandt, at Prince Rupert, was found guilty at the assizes here today. His sentence was deferred until the close of the assizes.

Valentine Stella while on preliminary hearing in Prince Rupert amused himself in gaol by modeling contractors' gear in papier mache. He was suspected of being a member of a regular Camorra gang opposed to the employment of certain classes of labor, and the assault for which he is now awaiting sentence is said to have been the outcome of a labor dispute.

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### PRINCE RUPERT TWENTY MINUTES AGO

Mayor invests in a megaphone for use in the police court. Terebos at wharf have a jag on through attacking that submarine blind pig.

M. M. Stephens by wireless denies that he commandeered the George this morning.

"Bullock Holmes; or, the Mystery of the Lady Barber," latest amateur detective yarn is all the rage.

Hotel men busy training a candidate for Pastor Kerr's early closing marathon.

### HIGH COST OF LIVING

Ottawa, April 12.—The Labor department is negotiating with the United States government with a view to the two nations co-operating in investigating the conditions causing the present high cost of living in the two countries.

### CONCERT WAS A REAL TREAT

**Another Success for the Baptist Church Ladies Following Their Highly Successful Bazaar the Other Day.**

Another successful musical entertainment falls to be credited to the Baptist Church. The concert given by the ladies after their most successful bazaar went off splendidly. The program, both in arrangement and the manner of its rendering reflected full credit to those participating. The program comprised ten numbers, all equally attractive. Mrs. Margaret Carpenter contributed several piano selections. Her rendering of Mendelssohn's "Rondo Capriccioso" was a revelation of grace and beauty to those having heard this popular classic. Cornet solos by Mr. Peyton were well rendered and much appreciated. Mrs. Chisholm gave a clean recitation and delighted her audience, as usual. Vocal numbers by Mr. Davey, Stovell-Garrett and Russell were especially pleasing. Auld Robin Grey, a pantomime, was excellently presented.

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### HOME RULE BILL IS NOW BEFORE HOUSE OF COMMONS

**PREMIER ASQUITH CHEERED BY LIBERALS AND NATIONALISTS—SAYS HE WILL NOT PERMIT ULSTER MINORITY TO VETO WILL OF MAJORITY.**

(Special to Daily News.)  
London, April 12.—When Premier Asquith introduced the government home rule bill in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon there were spontaneous cheers from both the Liberals and the Nationalists. Bowing to the applause from the latter, he said: "We know the will of Ireland to be preponderantly in favor of some home rule measure and also believe that this bill will meet their desires, and I for one shall not admit the right of the Ulster minority to

veto the will of the large majority." (Renewed Cheers.)

Montreal, April 12.—Sir Robert Perks, the British contractor, who is here in connection with the Georgian Bay waterway scheme, in speaking this morning of the discussion in the British House of Commons last night, said: "There will be civil war in Ireland if the present home rule bill becomes law."

(A synopsis of the bill as introduced will be found on the second page.)

### POPE IN GOOD HEALTH.

(Special to Daily News.)  
Rome, April 12.—The reported death of the Pope was indignantly denied at the Vatican this morning. It is reported that he is in better health than for some time, and as a proof of this that he held several important interviews yesterday.

### Indoor Baseball.

Greens vs. Quill Drivers, at Auditorium tonight at 7:30 sharp. Admission 25c. Skating after the game.

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## HOW DOES IT BEAR LITERARY ANALYSIS?

The *Tucuhoe Star* is asking some of the psychologists or higher literary critics to give as the reason for the popularity of the song whose closing lines are:

Makes no difference if he is a houn',  
They gonna kick 'em 'round 'em 'round 'em 'round.

It certainly isn't a love song, nor yet a comic song. It does not make you laugh and it does not make you cry. The tune attached to it is rather solemn, suggestive of an old-fashioned hymn. The *Tucuhoe Star* is by no means the first to give it the importance of an editorial. It has received such distinguished treatment from many leading journals. The *Dawson Daily News* devoted a well-written column to it, but then in the *Yukon* the dog is a wage earner and entitled to respect and public regard. However, here is the story and you can judge for yourselves:

The singer and two others visit the town, apparently the centre of a thriving agricultural district in Arkansas, with a head of corn, accompanied by the dog. In their absence the animal suffers an unprovoked assault. The owner and his friends come to the rescue, and subject the persecutors of the dog to severe but well merited punishment. Subsequently the dog lovers, who are evidently men of good instincts, but amenable to certain human weaknesses, over indulge in intoxicating liquors. In their helpless condition they are attacked by the ancient enemies of the dog. The dog now comes to the front and stimulated by the double motive of revenge and loyalty disintegrates the persons and clothing of the hostile powers. The curtain falls upon the declaration of the owner that the practice of kicking the dog must cease, no matter what may be his race or creed.

The popularity of the song in our opinion is on the whole creditable to the public. It is simple, grave and at times rises to a sort of dignity. It celebrates a double triumph of moral justice. The closing scene, with portions of the transgressors of the moral law scattered about the leading thoroughfare of the town, is perhaps too tragic and sanguinary. But it hits the mark and to hear it is to sing it. It seems to interest everybody.

Even its origin has begun to be questioned. A few days ago we published the information that it had been dug up in the archives of Rheims, one of the most ancient of French cities. It is also claimed that it was first written in Gaelic. Alderman George Kerr, who is a professor of that most ancient tongue of the world, has promised to give the readers of *The News* the pleasure of at least reading it in Gaelic, and he may also be induced to sing it for them on some special occasion.

Britain cannot consume Canada's present surplus products. We cannot consume our own surplus products. The figures stare us in the face. The British nation has so much eating capacity, that capacity cannot be doubled, trebled and quadrupled by Ottawa legislation. The proposition is a very simple one.—*Winnipeg Tribune*.

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## WALES TO WED WITH GERMANY

Another Victoria May Come to Throne of England—Prince of Wales to Marry Princess Victoria, Daughter of Kaiser.

London, April 9.—Since the failure of the British government to disclose any tangible political results arising out of the much discussed visit of War Minister Lord Balfour to Germany, court gossip has been busy with a new theory—that the real purpose of his trip was in connection with the often suggested possibility of a betrothal of Princess Victoria Louise and the Prince of Wales.

Hardly a responsible statesman or close observer of affairs in England or Germany will now deny that he considers very between the two countries a probability, unless some form of rapprochement is effected in the near future. The marriage might affect the desired result.

Victoria Louise is the only European princess of the proper age worthy of the notice of the British court, and young Wales is the only European prince of sufficient importance to aspire to the hand of the German War Lord's only daughter. The princess is nineteen months older than Wales—she was married on September 23rd last, and the prince will be eighteen on June 23rd next.

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## KAISER TO UNCLE SAM

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New York, April 7.—Not only should the United States fortify the Panama Canal, but it should also maintain a good sized army in the zone to defend it, the Kaiser told Colonel Grethals on the latter's recent visit to Berlin. Returning from Europe the "canal builder" said that the Kaiser was deeply interested in the canal and had criticized the width of the locks, which, he said, should have been made 135 feet instead of 110. The Kaiser, Colonel Grethals said, was convinced the time was rapidly approaching when battleships will have a beam of 110 feet instead of 86 as at present.

The Place to Go.—Mrs. Friedman's, Empress Block, 6th Street, for new seasonable goods for ladies.

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## REVOLUTIONIZE COAL MINING

Harvard Professor Agrees with Famous English Scientist on Feasibility of Turning Coal into Energy in Mines Themselves.

Cambridge, Mass., April 8.—The claims recently made by certain English scientists as to the possibility of saving coal mining expense by turning the energy of the coal into electricity at the mines has the approval and support of Prof. Condit A. Adams of Harvard.

In a statement regarding the work of the proposed new electric laboratory here, Prof. Adams says that he believes that some day Boston, New York and other cities will receive their electricity for heating, lighting and power by wire from the coal field.

The installation of a million volt transformer in the Harvard laboratory will, it is believed, prove that such a scheme is feasible. The Harvard experts hope to show that by using current of 1,000,000 volts electricity may be economically carried distances of 1,000 miles or more.

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## PROVISIONS OF THE NEW IRISH HOME RULE BILL

London, April 9.—The following is a synopsis of the principal features of the new Home Rule bill, as prepared under the supervision of Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, although he may not figure as the parent of the measure. In its main features, as will be seen, it follows the old Gladstonian lines. It is to be formally introduced in the house next Friday, the day following the assembly after the Easter recess.

The Irish legislature will consist of the Crown and two houses sitting separately. One, the council, will have 48 members, 36 to be elected and 12 to be nominated by the Crown. Their term of office will be eight years. The other, the assembly, will consist of 103 elected members and is to be dissolved every five years.

Establishing or endorsing any religious creed or imposing disabilities or conferring privileges on account of religion is affecting the undenominational education of national schools and universities.

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Imposing disabilities or conferring privileges on account of the birth, parentage or place or business.

Ireland will send 74 members



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The legislature will have no power to make laws affecting the Crown, army, navy, territorial, revenues, titles, treason, naturalization, currency, copyrights, patents, the post office, except in Ireland, or trade except within Ireland.

With regard to finance, for six years the customs and excise will continue under imperial control. All other taxes will be under Irish control and Ireland will have power to impose additional taxes of her own.

After six years the control of the customs and excise will pass into the hands of the Irish legislature, subject to approval by the imperial parliament of this provision and subject to free trade between Britain and Ireland.

The initial deficit in Irish revenue will be supplied by a grant in aid, diminishing annually, and terminating in six years. The Dublin police will be under Irish control. The Royal Irish Constabulary will remain under imperial control until a new force, under the local authorities, is established.

For six years the supreme court judges will be appointed by the imperial government. The first lieutenant will be appointed for a fixed term of years.

With regard to safeguards, the Irish peers will remain as before, pending the reform of the House of Lords. The executive will consist of the Crown, represented by the first lieutenant, acting in Irish affairs with the advice of the Irish cabinet responsible to the Irish legislature.

The power of restraint on the Irish legislature will be exercised as follows:—  
a. Veto by the first lieutenant on instructions from the imperial parliament.  
b. The imperial parliament can repeal an unjust law.  
c. The privy council can declare such an act void.

Other provisions are: Ireland will make no direct contribution to the imperial revenue. The customs and excise of Ireland will remain under imperial control, but the local parliament will have the power to vary the duties on articles, although it may not vary the articles themselves.

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It is surprising to find an otherwise hard-headed businessman who takes a strange, abnormal joy in posing as a freak. He doesn't call it that, of course. He doesn't even know he is posing. Ponderously in earnest, he would not dream of describing his business as "freakish"—but delights in saying it is "unique"—which really amounts to the same thing.

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# In the World of Sport

## POPULARITY OF HUNTING

Motley Crowds Assemble in England  
Every December.

It is a curious collection of hu-  
manity and horseflesh that is seen at  
the typical annual Boxing Day (every  
December 26) meet of hounds, writes  
an English correspondent. Occa-  
sionally sedate-looking followers on long-  
tailed blacks are actually to be found  
there, causing the shrewd suspicion  
that even undertakers make holiday  
at times, and it is certain that many  
of the ewe-necked, wall-eyed, roach-  
backed, cow-hocked, crupper-marked  
animals under borrowed saddles and  
in makeshift, home-repaired bridle,  
that are brought on to the scene,  
spend the greater part of their lives  
between the shafts. Cyclists are  
there in their scores; pedestrians in  
their hundreds. Soldiers and sailors  
on furlough seem to emphasise the  
all-embracing nature of the gathering.  
One comes to the conclusion that Jo-  
rocks was right when he suggested  
that, in the estimation of most men,  
to view a fox break cover is a sight  
more glorious than the Lord Mayor's  
Show; at any rate, the Boxing Day  
meet proves again and again, as no-  
thing else does to quite the same ex-  
tent, what an immense hold hunting  
has upon the affections of the people  
of Great Britain. The majority of mas-  
ters, recognizing this fact, arrange  
their fixtures at the most accessible  
parts of their countries at Christmas  
time, and many packs last December  
26 met in the market places of the  
chief towns within their borders.  
Perhaps the most extraordinary Box-  
ing Day meet of all is that of the  
Surrey Union Foxhounds at the Bur-  
ford Bridge Hotel, Boxing Hill. Hunt-  
ing is far from the Surrey Union  
country, though long threatened by  
the spread of bricks and mortar, and  
the Boxing Day meet attracts not only  
the people of the neighborhood but  
hundreds, but vast numbers from  
London itself besides. This Burford  
Bridge fixture is a revival of an old  
custom, which had long lapsed be-  
fore Edward Murray became joint  
master in 1907. Since then it has  
always been held on the morning fol-  
lowing Christmas Day, and last year,  
in the second season of Mr. Murray's  
sole control, it touched the record.  
One could count the people by their  
thousands. Not only was it the lar-  
gest gathering of the kind in England,  
but probably the best-attended meet  
that has ever taken place in the whole  
history of fox-hunting.

There can be no question that the  
outstanding feature of last year's golf  
was the renaissance of Harry Vardon  
and Mr. H. H. Hilton. That they  
should regain the place they once held  
in the golfing world is not, perhaps,  
remarkable in itself, but the fact that  
their revival should have occurred in  
the same year is certainly a curious  
coincidence. For both seemed to have  
reached the zenith of their careers  
about seven years ago.

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# The Daily News

As a Spring Poet, You've Got to Hand it to Scoop

—Drawn for the Daily News by "Hop"



## EVERY EVENING OCCUPIED

Board of Trade Selects Date for Regular Monthly Meeting.

George Naden pointed out to the Board of Trade last night that it would be more convenient to members if a regular date was fixed for the monthly meeting of the board, especially as the business will largely increase from now on and it was important to have a large representation at such meetings. The suggestion was unanimously adopted, but when it came to fixing upon one evening of the week when no other meeting would conflict there arose a difficulty. At last the first Friday of the month was adopted, that evening being the least conflicting with the fixed meetings of other organizations.

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The management of this popular theatre offer as a special attraction tonight and tomorrow night two very beautiful moving picture films which no one should miss. Scenes from the Swiss Alps is a scene picture taken from the platform of a railway train in Switzerland and shows a succession of the most beautiful natural tableaux imaginable—mountains, valleys, immense chalets, cities, villages and pastoral scenes, interspersed with catarracts and forest scenes of great beauty, follow each other in bewildering succession, and yet all of them together blend into one grand, harmonious whole that can only be appreciated when seen. Poems in Pictures is a film of great beauty that will be sure to please all moving picture patrons.

Ninety-nine feet frontage on Seventh Ave., near Hays Creek. \$3,500. H. F. McRae & Co., 315 2nd Ave.

The place for the very latest. Always the most fashionable designs in suits and millinery at Mrs. Frizzell's.

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### LOCAL JOTTINGS.

**Mr. R. A. Harrop**, the popular traveler for J. Percy, Morris & Company, returned by the Princess Royal from a trip to all the coast cities as far south as Alert Bay. He reports good business.

At Mrs. Frizzell's for everything in ladies apparel. Sixth Street, Empress Block.

Lot 8, block 27, section 6. \$1635. Cash payment \$435. O. M. Helgeson, Ltd.

H. S. Wallace & Company are painting inside and out their large store at Fulton and Third.

Very large stock of general hardware. Sole agents for Sherwin & Williams paints, at Howe & McNulty's.

Douglas Sutherland, customs broker, 225 6th st.

Wanted—Position as experienced saleslady or chamber-work at once. Phone Black 148.

The good ship Camosun is due to arrive at 3 o'clock this afternoon with mail and freight. She is somewhat late on account of having to do some of the Chehalis's work.

Do you pay your bills? Could you pay them if you were burned out? Get a policy in the Commercial Union Fire Insurance Corporation. Assets \$111,000,000. The Mack Realty & Insurance Co., Agents.

The Princess Royal arrived at about 1 o'clock with twenty passengers for this port.

Douglas Sutherland, storage, office 225 6th st.

Piano for rent. Apply Keeley's Drug Store.

Choice steaks at the Royal Hotel.

For row boats and launches telephone 320 green. Davis boat house.

The Pacific Coast freighter Delhi is due with a large cargo of freight, including a consignment of dressed lumber for the Prince Rupert Planning Mills.

Lot with good cabin, section 5. \$800, half cash. H. F. McRae & Co., 2nd Ave.

Straw hats, spring suits, latest arrivals at Sloan & Company, Limited.

**Submarine Blind Pig.** Jacob Shaw and Joshua Sebastian were each fined \$10 and costs for having got drunk and disorderly at the submarine blind pig discovered by the Dudgeon gasoline boat the other day.

Douglas Sutherland, forwarding agent, 225 6th st.

Fine double corner, section 7, easy terms. O. M. Helgeson, Ltd.

J. H. Rogers will leave for the south on a visit by the Camosun. Best room in town at the Savoy.

### For Rent

FOR RENT—Large front room, nicely furnished, with bath, suitable for two persons. Reasonable. Inquire Gen. Eckermann, 2nd apartment, 4th and Fulton. 22-24.

FOR RENT—4-room house, 140 2nd ave. Apply Phone 312.

FOR LEASE—McIntyre Hall, well heated and lighted. J. H. Rogers, Phone 114.

FOR RENT—3-room cottage, near McBride, 4th ave. Bunker & Sloan. Phone 247.

LARGE 4-room house for rent, 112 2nd ave., corner McBride. P. O. box 145. 24-26.

### Insurance

OUR Companies are noted for prompt and just settlements. We write every known class of insurance. The Mack Realty and Insurance Co.

### Help Wanted

WANT girl attending school to help mind baby from 4 to 5. State what age. Address 1 15, News.

### Wanted Houses

WANTED—Large store with good show windows in best business locality. Will lease on good but not exorbitant terms. Box 217, News Office.

### Business Chances

WANTED—Restaurant outfit, especially range, also bedding and cheap furniture for about ten rooms. P. O. box 195. 2-17.

### Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—One dory, one round and one flat bottomed boat, also sailing nets. The lot \$400. E. Hayes, Gen. Del. 40-43.

FOR SALE—One 2-story hallport schooner, with a 25 H.P. Standard engine with all dining gear. Twenty-eight hundred (\$2,800) dollars. A snap. Address EDWARD A. J. ANDERSON, Ketchikan, Alaska. 40-47.

WANTED—All kinds of plain sewing. Will make house, upstairs, Fulton and 4th ave. Phone Red 218. 78-84.

WANTED—House cleaning, washing and ironing by competent woman. Apply apartment house, 430 Taylor st., off Sothen. 12-45.

### Lost and Found

LOST—Large silver cuff link with initials J. A. G. Reward if returned to Parkin-Ward Electric Co. 41-35.

### TENDERS

Tenders wanted for clearing and stumping 10 acres of land on Porpoise Harbor. Specifications at office of Prince Rupert Hydro-Electric Co., Hays Bldg. 41-48.

### PRINCE RUPERT BARGAINS.

Lots 19-20, Block 15, Section 8. \$750; ¼ cash, 6, 12 months. Lots 3-4, Block 15, Section 8. \$500; ¼ cash, 6, 12, 18 months.

### YH. COLLART

Box 805 225 6th St. Ph. 381



The Knights of Pythias second "At Home" will be held Monday, April 15th, at 8 o'clock, in their hall. Visiting Knights and their ladies invited.

## Prince Rupert Will Soon be Advertised

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port was \$4 per ton, the express matter coming by freight as general merchandise. President Mobley remarked that if the freight charges were \$4 per ton and the public was paying at the rate of \$10 a ton the matter was thoroughly worth while looking into, and it was thereupon referred to the transportation rate committee with instructions to act promptly.

**Kick About Customs Red Tape.** The great inconvenience caused to those getting parcels that had to go through the customs was pointed out and debated, and it was decided to appoint a committee to wait upon Mr. Marchant, inspector of customs, who is now here, to see if the several inconveniences pointed out could not be remedied.

### Transportation on the Naas.

W. A. Myers of Gwinoka appeared before the board with a petition from the white people along the Naas River for assistance in obtaining federal and provincial aid in running gasoline launches on the Naas to the canyon, where one of the finest valleys opens out to be found in the whole province. The petition predicted this would be the great feeder in agricultural products for this port. It stated that no aid was to be obtained from the Indians pending their land controversy with the government, but that they would place no obstacles in the white man's way. The matter was referred to the transportation committee.

### For a Royal Ball

A letter franked "On His Majesty's Service," was read by the secretary. It was dated from the Government House, Ottawa, and signed by Elizabeth Pelly, Lady-in-Waiting, and stated that Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Cornwall, commanded her to ask the co-operation of the board in behalf of the Victorian Order of Nurses, the scheme of which order was to provide nurses and hospital accommodations for the small towns and scattered districts of this great Dominion.

It was pointed out that this community had been generously liberal in providing its own hospital accommodation, yet perhaps we were called upon to help the less fortunate places. The happy suggestion was made of turning the communication over to the Daughters of the Empire. A ball "under the auspices of royalty" was certain to be a most successful social function, and would net a modest amount to be forwarded to Her Royal Highness.

### Minor Matters.

The Business Men's Association of Winnipeg, whose annual excursion is to the coast this year, are to be invited to extend their visit to Prince Rupert.

There are now eighty-two members on the roll of the board. F. W. Hart was last night re-instated and George Leek, Cyril H. Orme and A. J. Broderick were elected as new members.

It was pointed out that they had a Small Debt Court at Haz-

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elton and other outlying places and there ought to be one here. The secretary was instructed to write to the Attorney-General for full information as to the requirements and qualifications.

A delegate will wait upon the Vancouver Progress Association which proposes to establish a permanent exhibition and to act as publicity agent for other cities, to enquire into the cost of space.

Novelty knitted neckwear in plain accordion, hobble and Roman styles. See window. Sloan & Company, Limited. 413

### M. M. Deparis.

M. M. Stephens departed for the south this morning by the Prince George. He was waved a fond farewell by Magistrate Carrs, Joe Merryfield and George Kerr.

We have for sale a lot on 5th Avenue, Section 6, for \$500 cash, on very easy terms. H. F. McRae & Co., 315 2nd Ave.



**FOR SALE.**  
Lots 12 and 13, Block 19, section 1, \$1,500. \$500 cash, bal. in 3 years, interest 7 per cent per annum.  
Lot 12, Block 14, section 2, \$900. \$400 cash, bal. 6 and 12 months.  
Lot 24, Block 27, section 5, \$1,000. \$400 cash, bal. 6 and 12 months.  
Lot 24, Block 7, section 4, \$1,375. \$600 cash, bal. 1 and 2 years.  
Lots 19 and 18, Block 27, section 7, \$1,500. ¼ cash, bal. 4, 12 and 18 months.  
Lots 1 and 2, Block 13, section 1, \$950. 1-3 cash, bal. 6 and 12 months.

**FOR SALE.**  
Rooming house, best location in the city. Restaurant on 2nd Ave., near 10th street.

**FOR RENT.**  
Store, 2nd Ave., corner of 10th street. Store, 2nd Ave., corner of 12th street.

Jeremiah H. Kugler, Ltd.

PHONE 217

### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on March 15th after date of M. Helgeson, Limited, 2-15, to apply to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies to change the name of the company to "M. Helgeson, Limited," dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., on the 10th day of March, 1912.

CARL & BENNETT, Solicitors for M. Helgeson, Limited. 424

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Cottage on Hays Cove Avenue \$20.00

Cottage on Seventh Avenue, near McBride, \$15.00

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2 Lots in Block 3, Section 1 \$15,000

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