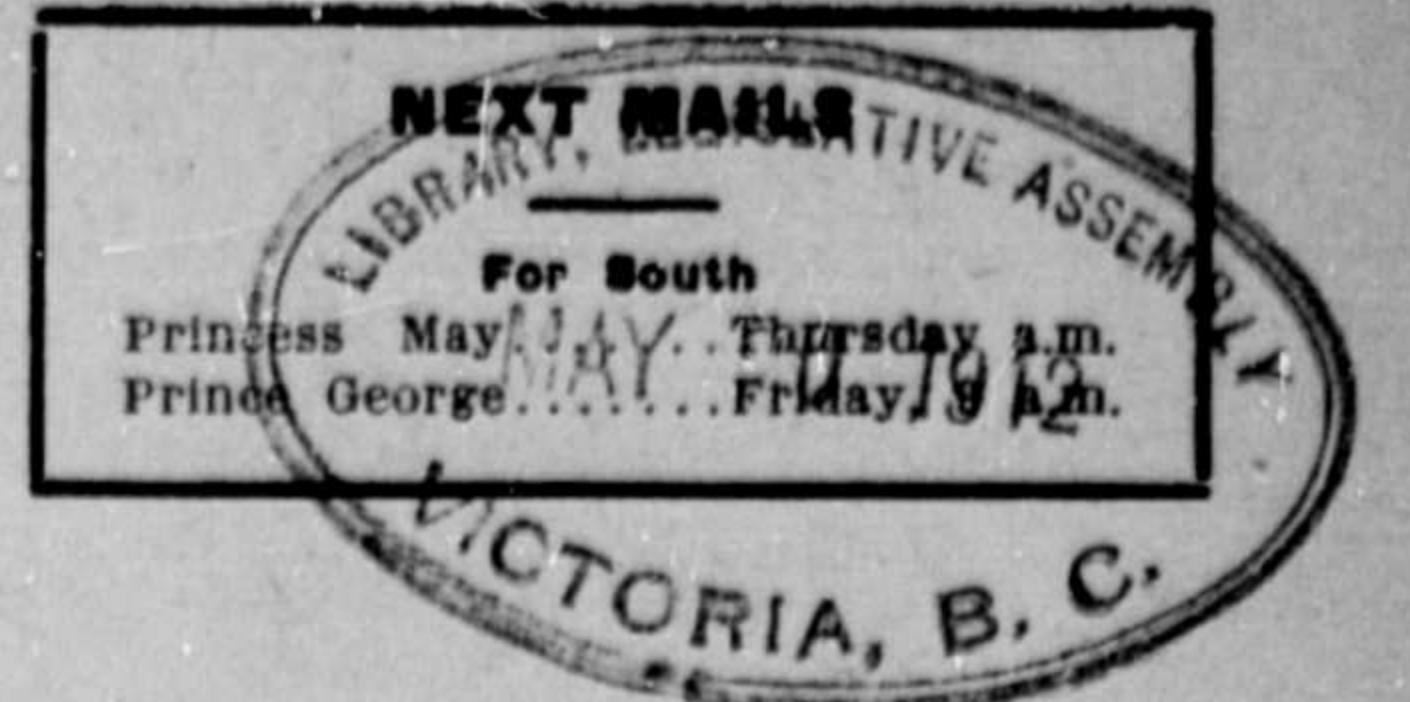


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MUNICIPAL CLAUSES ACT RENDERS BYLAW VOID

QUITE WITHOUT AUTHORITY MAYOR DRAWS CASH MONTHLY

Amendment to the Municipal Clauses Act Which Came in Force February 27th, Renders Null and Void From the Start Indemnity Bylaw Passed on April 1st---System by Which Mayor is Paid Monthly is Without Precedent in Rupert

Under the revised statutes of 1911, Section 53, sub-section 8 of the Municipal Clauses Act provides that a council may pass bylaws for paying the mayor out of the annual revenue, a sum of money not exceeding \$2000. Chapter 25, section 4 of the Amendment to the Municipal Clauses Act of 1912, repeals sub-section 8, and substitutes therefor a provision enabling the council to pass a bylaw for paying the mayor of a city having a population of 20,000 or more, a sum of money not exceeding \$4000. This Amendment came into force on the 27th day of February, 1912. There is now no authority whereby a city council of any city having a population of less than twenty thousand can pass a bylaw providing for the payment of

the mayor. There has been no authority since the 27th of February this year. Nevertheless Prince Rupert's City Council of 1912, Mayor Newton's council have on file today at the city hall a bylaw known as the indemnity bylaw for 1912, No. 108, which provides for the payment to the mayor of the sum of \$2,000 per annum, in twelve equal instalments, payable each on the first of the month until December, when the last instalment is paid on the 31st of the month. Payment of the aldermen at the rate of \$409 per annum in the same way by instalments is also provided for by this illegal bylaw, No. 108. This bylaw was read the first time on April 1st, 1912. The rules were suspended and it was read the second time, considered in committee of the whole, and

passed, all on April Fools' Day, 1912. It was reconsidered and finally adopted on April 9th. Today this 1912 indemnity bylaw is null and void. It was null and void from the first. Its drafting, reading, considering, passing and final adoption, right down to its signature by Mayor Newton, and the affixing of the city seal are all mere empty form. There is no bylaw. It is so much waste paper, representing so much wasted effort. It was passed on April Fools' Day, and it is an April Fool bylaw. The joke is on the Mayor, for as a matter of fact the aldermen's indemnities will not be affected by the illegality of the measure. The responsibility of the having taken illegally an appropriation from the city's treasury rests entirely with the mayor, through this hitherto unnoticed amendment of the Municipal Clauses Act.

What makes the situation so much less creditable to Mayor Newton is the fact that he seems to have been in such a desperate hurry to finger his money for acting as mayor. This passing of the Indemnity bylaw so that the moneys are payable in instalments monthly is a new thing for Prince Rupert. Mayor Stork and his council passed their indemnity bylaw almost at the end of their term of office. So did Mayor Manson and his council. It was left to Mayor Newton to sign his honored name to an illegal indemnity bylaw rushed through with unseemly haste about nine months earlier than either of the other councils had begun to think of paying themselves for their services out of the city funds. It seems like a foible of fate that Mayor Newton should have signed his name before that foolish looking date, April First.

RUPERT'S INDUSTRY
Canada May Soon Withdraw from Fisheries Treaty

Ottawa, May 10—The intimation given at Collingwood by the Hon. J. D. Hazen that Canada may withdraw from the international fisheries treaty is likely to be given effect to in a comparatively short time. The regulations were drawn up three years ago by a joint commission and were such as to protect and cultivate the fisheries in the international waters. The Canadian parliament promptly ratified them. The United States senate, however, has failed to do so and has insisted on amendments objectionable to Canada. There is a bare possibility that the treaty may pass the present Congress but it is improbable. If it does not Canada will certainly have to withdraw.

Popular Launch Narbethong in Commission Again.

Pleasure seekers will be glad to hear that Captain H. K. Freeman's well known gasoline launch is in commission again. A particularly popular feature of the boat is that it is fitted up with its own telephone, Black 53, and is thereby connected up with the city whenever it is at its moorings at the end of the G. T. P. wharf.

J. A. Kirkpatrick went up river today.

Remember Sons of Norway's banquet and dance, Friday, May 17th, at 8.30 p.m., at the Hotel Central. 8-11-12

Robert Jennings returned yesterday. He left the government agricultural party up river.

PRINCE RUPERT MARINE NOTES
The Camosun sailed on Saturday evening with the following first class passengers:
Gillespie, John
Dana, Mrs. A. P.
Williams, M. F.
Bergman, A.
McLeod, J.
Hodgson, S. B.
Parsons, I. W. S.
Rustand, G. C.
Wood, C. S.
McDiarmid, W. A.

For Vancouver the Princess Royal took south last night at 6 o'clock the following first class passengers:
Clayton, E. J.
Hays, R. C.
Livingston, Mr.
Mrs. C. J.
Tomlinson, Robert
Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Fraser, C. J.
Elick, A.
Gottson, T. G.
Mullen, P.
Schoenback, Mr.
Allen, C. A.
Bunoz, Rev. Father
Slade, G.
Crawford, R. C.
Jones, G. C.
Brain, E.

The Princess May, en route to Skagway, called at this port yesterday at about noon with mail and freight and a few passengers.

Promptly on schedule this morning the Prince Rupert sailed for Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle. Among the passengers were:
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Kuebler, J. H.
Richardson, Mr.
Harris, H.
Clark, Miss Olie
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Waghr, D.
Dunward, D.
McLean, J. G.
Drake, R. A.
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Nichol, Mrs. R. W.
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The next American boat from the south will be the City of Seattle on Thursday.

The Spokane will call here south-bound on Wednesday.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council will be held this evening in Carpenters' Hall.

Twirlers, Take Note.
Ball practice tonight on the Second avenue diamond at the usual hour.

Everyone delighted at Kooley's with the most delicious ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. William Manson left for a visit in Vancouver and Victoria today.

THE WEATHER.

For twenty-four hours ending 5 a. m., May 13: Barometer, 30.172; maximum temperature, 70; minimum temperature, 50.

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ISN'T TODAY JUST A PEACH

Sunday's Perfection Took the Whole Population Out on the Harbor or Far Afield—Everything That Floats Chartered.

Not a single boat could be had for love or money on the waterfront yesterday afternoon. Everything that would float was aired and out on the harbor in the ideal weather. Warmth like that of summer in its strength prevailed. Coats and waistcoats were discarded by the masculine population. The eternal feminine, fresh and cool in her gossamer garb of midsummer texture and radiance, paraded her charms in superb sunshine.

Streets were ashimmer in the haze of sheer hotness rising from their parched surface. The harbor was a sheet of shining silver, still as a mirror, a hundred reflections glimmering in its depths. Prince Rupert yesterday was like Toronto in June, yet with the refreshing tang of the great sea in her soft breezes so different from those of the lakes.

Today is even more perfect. The city is basking in sunshine. All the air is steeped in it. There is no finer weather to be found in the whole world than you are experiencing today in Prince Rupert.

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DIAMOND DRILLER'S BATTLE WITH BUSH ON GRAHAM ISLE

Development of Queen Charlotte Islands Coal and Oil Claims is Not Child's Play---Difficulties and Perils of Conveying Plant to Scene of Operations Detailed in Description of Doings of One of B. C.'s Pioneers of the Diamond Drill

W. L. Barton, who is in charge of the drilling operations for the Graham Island Collieries, Ltd., is one of the most remarkable men who have been entrusted with pioneering work in the new coal fields of British Columbia. He has drilled from Pennsylvania to the Yukon. Among other undertakings to his credit was the drilling for coal on the Klondike River, Yukon, carried out for the Morrison interests, and for the Mahatta Coal Company at Quatsino.

His Quatsino experience was peculiar. He was sent to work at Clear Creek. The plant was landed at the wrong place, and there was no means of getting it away by steamer for three weeks. He found a large scow on the sound, borrowed it, got a large piece of sheet iron, cut it into segments, to which he gave the necessary curve to make a propeller out of it. This he attached to his drilling plant, and with steam up in the boiler used to operate the plant he steamed away down the sound to the point where he was to work, completed his drilling contract and came on to Vancouver with his plant.

The Graham Island Collieries, Ltd., were at that time figuring on sending a drilling plant to their ground on Graham Island. They recognized the difficulties of getting a plant in there where there were no roads, no navigable waters and a dense forest growth through which to transport a plant. They heard of Mr. Barton's exploits at Quatsino, and they said: "That's the man for us." So they struck a bargain with him. He got his plant aboard the steamer for Prince Rupert, says the Mining Record, built a scow there, rigged up his drilling plant and a home made

propeller in the same manner as he did at Quatsino and steamed across Queen Charlotte Sound to Masset Inlet, beating a tug boat on the trip. He went up Masset Inlet as far as he could get with the scow and built one of different pattern to get up the Yakoun River. At some places this river is filled with log jams. At such places he felled trees, laid them at an angle, trimmed the upper side, and hitching on to a big tree the hoisting drum of the drilling plant, hauled the outfit up over the log jam and down the other side. At some places the water was too shallow to get along, so he dredged out a channel to float his scow through such places. At others trees overhung so low that the smoke stack of the donkey engine would not pass under them, and these had to be

cut out. Then, when he got to the head of the Yakoun River he hewed through the timber a roadway for his outfit, and in logging engine style hauled his plant along by means of the hoisting drum until he got to the ground where he was to work. It took nearly all summer to get there, and he was a played out man at the end of the trip, but he got his drilling plant to work and had a hole down 400 feet when winter came on and he had to come out for the winter months. He is returning to the field to resume drilling and will find out how many coal seams are there, their depth and quality, before he returns to his home in Vancouver.

Rev. Father Bunoz was among the passengers sailing by the Princess Royal.

another Vancouver or even greater here in Prince Rupert. Thanks to the efforts of Captain Kerr, who has held the fort during the interim between the resignation of Captain Tuttle's predecessor in office and the captain's arrival, Salvation Army affairs are ship shape and good work is in full swing.

CEMENT PLANT TO START
Million Dollars to Be Expended on Construction.

The Portland Cement Construction Company, a company subsidiary to the Associated Portland Cement Companies, Ltd., of London, England, has started the construction of cement works in British Columbia, the site being on Saanich Inlet, tributary to navigation and to the E. & N. Railway. The estimated cost of the plant is \$1,000,000. The plant will cover an area of five acres, and excavation work is proceeding on the site. The plant will be entirely of British manufacture, and will have a capacity of 2,000 barrels a day, or about the same as the output of the Vancouver Portland Cement Company's works on Tod Inlet. From 200 to 250 men will be employed. Homes will be erected for the employees near the works. This plant is intended to meet the demand for British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Observatory Inlet.
The 75 tons of ore shipped by Captain John Irving from the Roundy claim on Alice Arm to the Tyee Copper Company's smelter at Ladysmith averaged \$75 per ton.—Mining Record.

The Ramble Club of the Presbyterian Church will inspect the quarantine hospital at Digby Island on Wednesday night. The launch leaves at 7:30.

SEEKING A PRESIDENT

Alf. W. Smithers, Chairman of Board of Directors of G.T.P., is on His Way West to Select a Successor to late C. M. Hays.

(Special to Daily News.)

London, May 12—Alfred W. Smithers, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Grand Trunk Railway left today, sailing from Liverpool for New York. His intention is to select a successor to Charles M. Hays, who was the victim of the Titanic disaster, as president of the company before he returns to England. Sir Donald Mann, vice-president of the Canadian Northern Railway accompanied Mr. Smithers. Sir Thomas Tait, a well known Canadian railroad man, who filled several important positions on the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk lines, is regarded in some quarters here as likely to become President of the Grand Trunk.

Warm, clean rooms at Savoy.

RUSH IS ON TO CANADA
U. S. Railroads Have to Enlarge Emigrant Trains.

Duluth, Minn., May 11.—Emigration to Canada has become so heavy that the Duluth, Missabe & Northern road has placed two extra sleeping cars on trains north from Duluth to accommodate the increase in traffic. Similar action has been taken by the Canadian Northern. Officials of the Missabe road say the movement is the heaviest they ever have known and a further increase is likely to necessitate the addition of yet more cars to every train.

PRINCE RUPERT TWENTY MINUTES AGO

Mayor frantically turning over the pages of the Municipal Clauses Act hunting for that amendment.
Terrific boom in straw hats and parasols; tremendous slump in slickers and gum boots.
Merely Mabel says she guesses she'll put on her peekaboo safternoon, what?
Chorus of astonished aldermen securely drawing their \$33.33 per: "Oh, you Mayor!"
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MONDAY, MAY 13

ANOTHER MELON WANTED.

The Boston News Bureau, a financial journal, demands, on behalf of the share holders, the cutting of another melon by the C. P. R. The Montreal Witness, commenting on the request, says:

"The C. P. R. directors find it necessary to disguise their enormous profits and distribute them in a way that will not be too obvious to the people of the west, who feel the burden most directly. In 1909 they cut a melon, as the saying is, by allotting to the stock holders thirty million dollars' worth of new stock at \$125 a share. This year they made a new issue of about eighteen million dollars' worth at \$150 a share, and today with stock at \$250 they are asked to allot another sixty million dollars' worth at \$150. As every previous allotment has had from the day of issue a value not far from that of the old stock, this new issue will be tantamount to a present to the stock holders of about a hundred dollars a share. On an issue of sixty million dollars this would amount to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company making a present of sixty million dollars to its share holders. How many such presents is the country going to stand for before it calls a halt?"

The country—that is to say, the plain people of the country—have been calling a halt on this sort of thing for some years past; but without effect on the railway authorities or upon the Dominion government, which could put a stop to these practices if it had the requisite courage. The procuring of new capital by the issuing of debentures is easy, in view of the C. P. R.'s credit in the world's money markets; and this is the course which the C. P. R. should follow in the interests of the country. There is, however, an intimate relation between the buoyancy of C. P. R. stock and these periodical melon cuttings; which are nothing more than disguised supplementary dividends, and the railway company will continue the practice until it is forced to stop it.—Manitoba Free Press.

BRITAIN'S WEALTHY.

In his recent budget speech Mr. Lloyd-George showed in a single illuminating sentence what an extraordinary concentration of the nation's wealth there is in the hands of a few people in Britain. "The death duties," said the Chancellor of the Exchequer, "produced \$3,000,000 pounds sterling. The total amount of property passing on the death of 441,000 adults was 270 million pounds, and half of that belonged to 970 persons." Of the adult dead, 7,000 owned over 5,000 pounds each, the average over all being thirty thousand pounds each. The remaining 404,000 adults left property valued at 165 pounds sterling on an average, but the great mass of them as a matter of course left nothing at all, the average being made up by the savings of the more thrifty.

TO FIGHT THE RED FLAG

The Tacoma International Longshoremen's Association President Down on the Industrial Workers of World.

Tacoma, Wash., May 11.—In an interview today, T. V. O'Connor, president of the International Longshoremen's Association said: "I shall recommend at the international convention in Port Huron, Mich., that a man must choose between the I.W.W. and the International Longshoremen's Union and I expect similar action will be taken here. The I.W.W. has no respect for man, God, country, or the devil." The conditions are such as to warrant the employer and legitimate organization getting together to fight against the red flag, he said.

EDITOR SLEEPS IN PRISON

But is Allowed Out All Day to Do His Work.

Pasco, May 11.—That the publication of the Washuena Enterprise may not be suspended H. G. Roe, the editor, has been served out a thirty-day sentence allowed by the Superior Court for perjury at night.

Roe, who was convicted in a case charging his father, County Commissioner George H. Roe, with accepting a bribe, is released from jail each morning, works on the paper all day and returns to jail to be locked up each night.

The jury disagreed in the case of the elder Roe, and he will be re-tried.

Don't forget, little one, you can get ice cream at Keeley's. If

NEW SMALL ARM

Some Changes in the British Rifle

London, May 12.—It is understood that the design of the new rifle for the British forces will contain many features to distinguish it from the present short weapon. It is stated that the principle of the short rifle adopted in the pattern now in use, will be modified, and that there will be a return to a longer barrel. Some 2 1/2 inches, it is thought, will be restored of the length taken off when the Lee-Enfield weapon was adopted. The new rifle will be a few ounces heavier than the one at present in use. It is expected that trials will be made with it by selected troops this summer.

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- 1 Crate Vertical Engine. 2 Sheaves. 3 Crates (2) Sheaves (each). 4 Crates Fittings for Sheaves. 1 Anvil. 1 Hoisting Engine. 1 Crate Cooking stove. 2 Crates do. Utensils. 1 Box Paint. 1 Crate Cross Cut Saw. 2 Crates Swings Pump. 1 do. Engine. 1 Forge. 1 Grindstone. 1 Chain. 2 Jackscrews. 1 Pump. 1 Sack Pipe Fittings. 15 Pieces Pipe. 1 Steel Wire Rope. 2 Scrapers. 2 Saw Guards. 1 Crates Fish Plates. 2 Jackscrews. 2 Crates Gates. 15 Pieces Rail. 8 Crates Patent Electro Amalg. Separators. 3 Boxes Anodes for Above. 1 Box Fittings for Engine. 1 Sack Wood Boiler Tube Plugs. 1 Reel Wire Cable. 1 Do. Screws. 10 Keys Galvanized Nails. 1 Roll Wire Cloth. 1 Kg. Screws. 1 Reel Wire. 1 Box Return, Condensers and Molds. 1 Case Packing and Lamps. 1 Package Wire. 1 Case Rheostat. 1 Case Electrical Instruments. 1 Iron Snatch Box. 1 Bdl. Track Iron. 1 Iron Plate. 2 Sacks Bolts. 2 Bids. Bolts. 2 Bids. Washers. 2 Bids. U Bolts. 1 Bdl. Links. 1 Box Fittings. 1 Drums Calcium Carbide. 1 Boiler. 1 Box Boiler Fittings. 12 Cast Iron Grate Bars. 1 Smoke Stack. 1 Carload Wooden Water Pipe. 1 Box Hardware. 1 Box Engine Parts. 1 Quantity Lumber. 1 Bdl. Windows. 6 Doors.

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