

PRINCE GEORGE WILL HAVE FINE HOCKEY THIS SEASON

General Meeting Held Wednesday to Organize Club is Very Enthusiastic One—First Game to be Played on Christmas Day.

At a meeting held in the Herald office last Wednesday night the Prince George Hockey Club was organized for the coming season. A large number of hockey enthusiasts attended the meeting, and, judging from the interest shown, the city should see some good hockey this winter. There will be but two teams in the local league, South Fort George and Prince George. Fort George will be unable to place a team in the field this year, owing to so many of her players having left this vicinity. The following officers were appointed:

Honorary president, Mayor W. G. Gillett; president, Rev. H. L. Morrison; vice-president, Ald. F. M. Ruggles; secretary-treasurer, R. R. Walker; manager, Reg. Brehaut; three additional executive committee members, Alex. Wimbles, A. M. Ramsay, and Dr. R. W. Alward.

A meeting of the executives of both clubs was held in the Herald office last night for the purpose of drawing up a schedule and attending to other matters of organization. Prince won the toss, and the first game of the schedule will be played in the

new rink here, corner Fourth and Victoria, on Christmas Day. The second game will be played in South Fort George, New Year's Day. The balance of the games will be played as follows:

Prince - - January 7th
South - - January 14th
Prince - - January 21st
South - - January 28th
Prince - - February 4th
South - - February 11th
Prince - - February 18th
South - - February 25th

With the exception of the holiday games the contests will be pulled off at night. Ample light for playing purposes will be provided by the management of both rinks. Western playing rules will be adopted.

Lists of players must be placed in the hands of the executive three days before the opening game. In case either team wishes to replace a man, or later in the season add a new player for any reason, it will be necessary to place the name before the executive three days before the game in which the new player is to take part.

Well, she's off! A little boost from each one will keep the ball rolling nicely.

THREE HEROES OF THE DARDANELLES.



Left to right, Lieut. Wm. B. Walker, R. N., Midshipman Geo. L. Drewry, R. N. R., and Surgeon P. B. Kelly, R. N. These men were wounded in the landing from the lighter "River Clyde" and all have received honors for their bravery.

Buried Shells.

An odd problem, which will be encountered all through the fighting territory after the war, is that of guarding against the exploding of shells which buried themselves in the ground without having exploded. In the section of France along the Marne, where the fighting was sharp early in the war and from which the Germans retreated, the peasant farmers already have found this danger to be real. A plowman at any moment may strike a shell that will explode with sufficient force to kill him and his team.

Various solutions have been suggested, but the most promising is one worked out by a French scientist and considered by the Academy of Science. The plan is to go all over the farms with an electrical instrument that will give warning when a mass of metal is near. Such an instrument is an old American invention frequently used in laboratory work. Some modifications of it were adopted by the French scientist to fit it for field use, and his apparatus requires the services of two men.

In practical tests on the old battlefields he found that it is possible for two men to explore an acre thoroughly in about one hour, and locate every buried shell near enough to the surface to do any harm.

CITY STREETS.

Despite the great amount of work that has been done during the past few months on the city streets, some of them are in a bad condition. George Street will never be finished until a layer of gravel has been spread. If this were done this fall, we could look forward to good roads next spring.

Recruiting in Canada.

How do the figures stand in Canada? The census of 1911 showed an excess of males somewhat over 420,000. The disproportion in numbers of men and women has increased rather than diminished since 1911, and it would be entirely reasonable to assume that of the 8,000,000 people in the Dominion when war broke out 3,750,000 were women and 4,750,000 men. The enlistments up to the present time fall somewhat short of 160,000, or slightly less than 4 per cent. of the male population, as compared with over 16 per cent. in Great Britain.

Counting the Cost.

The second year of war, it seems, will cost about twice as much as the first. Every official statement that has been made since this war began shows higher daily cost than its predecessor; and this applies to all the belligerents. Figures for which a considerable degree of authority may be claimed show that direct money cost can hardly be less than seventy-five million dollars daily, or, say, roughly, at the rate of thirty billions a year. As yet, no belligerent gives any sign of exhaustion. Apparently they can keep it up for another year, or even two. Short of peace, nothing except diminution in the size of the armies by excess of casualties over recruiting seems likely to stop the uptrend of cost.

War figures have all been meaningless, in that nobody can resolve them into terms of ordinary experience. To say the belligerents are spending thirty billion dollars a year makes much the same sort of impression as to say they are spending fifteen, for both sums sound fabulous. There is nothing in previous experience with which either can be compared. Yet these long rows of numerals connote actual dollars. It is real, veritable wealth that is being expended, and it is inconceivable that the United States can finally avoid paying some share of the bill.

That we can continue a high pitch of prosperity in a world that is growing poorer at such a rate is not credible. Stocks may boom and the banks overflow with money now, but it is unlikely that any part of the world is getting permanently richer.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN.

Charlie, the fun-maker, holds the boards at the Dreamland tonight. A roaring comedy entitled "By the Sea" will be shown. In addition there will be a two-reel Edison feature, "Tracked by Hounds." Also an interesting and instructive Hearst-Seig News Pictorial.

LIEUT. COOKE COMING.

Word has been received from Lieut. W. F. Cooke, of the 67th Western Scots, to the effect that he expects to reach Prince George next Thursday. Lieut. Cooke has taken the field-gun course at Ottawa and is returning to join his regiment at Victoria.

FUR BUSINESS PROMISES TO YIELD GOOD PROFITS

The Trappers Catch Brought the First Foreign Wealth to North America—Millions Will Change Hands Between Trappers and Dealers.

A. B. Shubert, Inc., Chicago, U. S. A., the largest house in the world dealing exclusively in American raw furs, submits a very interesting article for the readers of the Prince George Herald:

"Millions of dollars will change hands between the trappers and dealers in Raw Furs during the coming season. It is indeed wonderful to contemplate, when one thinks of the thousands upon thousands of fur-bearing animals killed every year throughout North America, and still the supply does not seem to be withering. Many people are of the opinion that the fur industry is becoming extinct, due to the fact that the animals are being killed off in many parts of the country. This is not the case, in fact, it is just the opposite of conditions as they exist. The demand of fashion, the competition of the large circular houses and the general utility of fur garments have sent the price of furs up to such an enormous height that a clever trapper can make a small fortune, if he handles his catch properly.

The fur trade has rightly been called the greatest of our natural

resources. No industry, agricultural, mineral, or otherwise, has been the origin of as much wealth to this country and Canada as the fur industry. Before a single field was cultivated, before a single mine was opened, or a single railroad constructed, the fur-bearing animals of this country were the only source of revenue. This was one of the main reasons for the rapid colonization of our country, especially of the West. It was the trappers' trail that formed the path of the first highway, and the trappers' fur formed the first cargo that was ever freighted on any of the inland waters of this country. It was also the trapper's catch that brought the first foreign wealth to this country, and ever since, we have been practically supplying the world with furs. No other of our natural resources have been productive for so long a time or have yielded such an aggregate wealth as the fur-bearing animals; so after all, the fur industry is not dying out. The fight is getting keener, and this promises to be the banner year for the trapper and fur shipper."

CORRESPONDENCE.

Editor, Herald.—In replying to personal remarks made by Mr. Parker Williams, in connection with certain coal measures situated in the Peace River district, I wish to say that the statement made by Mr. Williams is very misleading. There are at the present time several coal fields which have been discovered in this district, and taken up by different people. So I am informed; but my interests lie only in the one which I discovered a number of years ago. The statement that Neil Gething is another name for Bob Green is of course only a slur. As a matter of fact Mr. Green owns but a small interest. The Johnsons of Montreal, and Kootenay people are the chief owners.

Going back to the real history of this coal, I may say it was discovered on one of my prospecting and exploration trips made a number of years ago, before the railways were even talked about in the north. At that time it was a long way from civilization and the luxuries of city life. The coal was discovered after travelling on unknown waters, through dangerous canyons and rapids, which gave us more than one close shave of having to "hit the long trail." We had to travel in all kinds of weather, and, as all prospectors know, were often wet from head to foot, while snow and slush ice in the fall were other unpleasant features.

In my opinion the prospector should be encouraged in his efforts to discover the hidden mineral resources of the province. The greatest assets of this large province are probably undiscovered, but lie latent, as they have for ages.

Mr. Williams attempted to tell us what a lot of people are doing in the province, but he neglected to tell us about his great socialist friend, Mr. Hawthornwaite, who is purported to have made a half million out of the natural resources of B. C. in a few years.

Yours respectfully,
NEIL GETHING.

Premier Borden's Trip Postponed.

Some weeks ago it was announced that Premier Borden would make a tour of the West in the interests of recruiting. Nothing has been heard of it since. This may mean that he has decided to spend the time in the East, where the need of stirring up is undoubtedly greater. In that event the West will balance the compliment against the disappointment, and hope that the largest possible measure of success may attend his efforts.

Western Scots Praised.

Victoria has already gained considerable publicity from the wonderfully successful and rapid mobilization of the 67th Western Scots. This is amply demonstrated by the letters of approval the commanding officer, Lieut.-Col. Lorne Ross frequently receives from eastern points. Among the latest of these missives is one from Sir Hugh Graham, owner of The Montreal Star. Nor are these expressions of good will confined to words alone, as in almost every case cheques for quite substantial amounts are enclosed as tokens of appreciation and to aid in the necessary special equipment of the battalion. Quebec, Montreal and Toronto, as well as other points in the eastern parts of the Dominion are represented in these pleasant concrete evidences of good will. Although the battalion is the "Western Scots" the East has been most liberal in lending a helping hand in solving some of the problems that beset the pathway of those who undertake, under present conditions, to organize new fighting units.

King George Injured

While inspecting some of the allied forces in France, Thursday, King George suffered painful injuries as a result of his horse rearing and falling with him. The King's condition is not serious.

HERE AND THERE.

A knocker and a quilter have a good deal in common.

Whisper it softly: A well-known rancher, of indisputable integrity, telephoned us this week that a man in whose good faith he had every confidence rushed to his, the rancher's, home with the story that off in the direction of Six Mile Lake he had seen an aeroplane. The machine was in sight for two minutes, according to the informant. Now to be able to report the actual appearance in this district of an air craft would be very interesting, but we are strongly inclined to believe that the supposed flying machine was a wedge of Canada geese or a small flock of sandhill cranes energetically aeroplaning to warmer climes.

Another critic of General Ian Hamilton says that the general is too fond of handling the pen to make a good soldier. Another case of the pen overshadowing the sword.

Meanwhile, what of Mexico? The barbarous Yaqui evidently believes that the good old days have returned. The greaser is greasier than ever and the Don Juans of the ruling class are having the time of their lives. There is enough barbarism outside of Europe to cause the whole world to hold up its hands in holy horror and start a crusade against vicious oppression, and yet the big show takes so much of the world's surplus attention that the lesser evils are unnoticed.

Jack Barry, apart from drawing down a fat playing salary, has annexed approximately \$15,000 during the past six years as extras. During that time Barry has participated in five world's series—four while with the Athletics and this season with the Red Sox.

prepaid) to the Superintendent of the nearest branch Experimental Farm in that province.

J. H. GRISDALE,
Director, Dominion Experimental Farms.

Distribution of Seed Grain and Potatoes.

By instructions of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture a free distribution of superior sorts of grain and potatoes will be made during the coming winter and spring to Canadian farmers. The samples will consist of spring wheat (about 5 lbs.), white oats (about 4 lbs.), barley (about 5 lbs.), and field peas (about 5 lbs.) These will be sent out from Ottawa.

A distribution of potatoes (in 3 lb. samples) will be carried on from several of the Experimental Farms, the Central Farm at Ottawa supplying only the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

Each application must be separate and must be signed by the applicant. Only one sample of grain and one of potatoes can be sent to each farm. If both samples are asked for in the same letter only one will be sent. Applications on any kind of printed form cannot be accepted.

The destruction by fire of the cereal building at Ottawa, which contained grain-cleaning machinery and a large stock of seed grain for distribution, may make it necessary to curtail the distribution to a certain extent. We shall fill as many as possible of the applications which conform to the rules; but requests received after the end of December will probably be too late. Samples cannot be sent in response to applications (no matter when received) which fail to state clearly the needs of applicant, his experiences in crop-raising, and the character of the soil or which he intends to sow the seed.

All applications for grain (and applications from the provinces of Ontario and Quebec for potatoes) should be addressed to the Dominion Cerealist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Such applications require no postage. If otherwise addressed, delay and disappointment may occur.

Applications for potatoes from farmers in any other province should be addressed (postage

MY, oh my! what a whirlwind of abuse we have unwittingly invoked upon our unsuspecting self! How chastened we feel, and small in spirit! We have failed in our bounden duty to the great Canadian people, and if we may rely implicitly upon our esteemed contemporary's judgment we rank high in the category of willful prevaricators—nay, the word is liar, (that is, if one who is reputed to "seek to spread untruthful statements" may be so dubbed). The clouds on the journalistic horizon loom darkly ahead, with nary a glint of the silver lining.

Customary as it is for one newspaper to rag its local contemporary—and we welcome most heartily just and courteous criticism—still, any fair-minded journalist, however crude his ability, bitterly resents any unwarranted aspersion cast upon his own honest efforts to build up a reliable newspaper, and to take his place in the community as a citizen putting forth every effort to further the general welfare of the district as a whole.

The editor, or maybe some unknown scribe, of the local daily, which, judging by past associations and present policy, we might refer to as the Conservative-Liberal-Socialist organ, has taken to the promiscuous hurling of barbed invective, which, however innocent the motive, would never be written if the author thereof paused to consider the common courtesy due a competitor, and consumed more time composing his scathing editorials.

Unsophisticated and illiterate as the proletariat may be in the average community our respected opponent in the field of the fourth estate would do well to bear in mind that the reading public of this favored section is a very enlightened one. And unless he cares to risk the incurring of the disrespect, not to say disdain, of his readers, he would do well to revise any future articles similar to the one in question, before inflicting them upon a long-suffering public. The only result would be the stirring up of unnecessary ill-will. The citizens of the Georges have been nauseated with journalistic haggling.

To bring order out of these, perchance, chaotic remarks, it is necessary to refer to the address of Mr. Parker Williams, and the comments that have resulted therefrom.

Parker Williams is the leader of the socialist party (if two members may be called a party) in the provincial parliament. In his recent speech, delivered in the Princess Theatre a week ago last night, he managed to keep clear of the discussion and propounding of so-called red-flag socialistic doctrines. Their day has passed. Mr. Williams contented himself with commonplace generalities and rather weak criticism of the party at present in power, laying stress upon the fact, at the same time, that, in his opinion, if the conservative party were ousted and the liberal party assumed the reins of government, there would be little improvement. The only hope is to place the balance of power in the hands of the socialists.

Every fair-minded man agrees with Parker Williams that capitalistic monopoly is a scourge to the race, and yet what would be the result if socialist principles, as they are at present understood, were set down as the rules by which men must live? The world to-day is struggling for life against the iniquitous domination of autocracy, plutocracy, militar-

ism that has been taught for ages would offer a state of affairs but little better if its doctrines were universally accepted. There must be a middle course, and there lies the only safe way. Competition is the life of trade. Without this spur commerce stagnates. Equalize men's shares of this world's goods and you kill ambition, which would inevitably result in stagnation, retrogression and complete dissolution.

Mr. Williams' arguments prove that he has made a careful study of conditions in this province and has primed himself with an array of augmentative material that sounds interesting delivered from the public platform. Indeed, without careful preparation, it would be difficult to satisfactorily answer some of his charges. Such is the case whenever controversy arises. A man may have the right upon his side and yet become completely bewildered by the arguments of a clever opponent. Without question, many of the statements made by Mr. Williams were in a sense misleading.

The News maintains that we made a deliberate mis-statement in claiming that the roads of the Fort George district are a credit to the country. Parker Williams called our pre-emptors human pack-animals, and said that they had been robbed of the money necessary to build roads. We still conscientiously claim that the roads throughout the Fort George district are better than those to be found in the average new section of country where development has only been in progress for a little over five years. All summer hundreds of men have been constantly at work, and the unbiased judgment of a selected body of men would undoubtedly be that the roads throughout the Cariboo district are a credit to the province.

Mr. Williams poses as a legislator of great moral principles. Are we mistaken when we state that he advised the road-workers in order to retain their jobs, to pose as conservatives, and then at election time vote as they thought best?

'Is there a business man in this district who has had dealings with the B. C. government in the way of selling supplies who can produce a duplicate of an account paid by the government when that account had not been itemized? If so, we should like to see it.

The visit of Parker Williams has evidently proven a god-send to the News. All week they have managed to devote considerable space daily to attempts to confirm and enlarge upon the socialist's charges. On Tuesday appeared "An Independent Press." The gist of this article was that whenever a paper declared its independence it was at once smothered. This is the way it was done, according to Parker Williams and the News:

"During the McBride-Bowser regime, however, most of those which showed any signs of opposition to the powers that be or of independence, have been either bought over, body and soul, or choked out of existence. If a paper is not with the government every possible opportunity is taken to make it come over or to fight it with money in unlimited quantities from the public treasury, until it is forced to quit."

Such a statement is utterly absurd, and it would be exceedingly interesting to know of a single instance where a paper in British Columbia had been forced to the wall, as the direct result of opposing the conservative government.

Canada became a nation of world importance at the time of Confederation. Of the 33 Fathers of Confederation only one survives, Sir Charles Tupper.

Nature seems to be hostile to the Panama Canal.

ST. STEPHEN'S, SOUTH FORT GEORGE.
Sunday, 8 a. m., Holy Communion (second and fourth Sundays); 2-30 p. m., Sunday school; 7-30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.
Wednesday, 7-30 p. m., evening prayer with intercessions for those engaged in the war.

ST. GEORGE'S, CENTRAL FORT GEORGE.
Sunday, 8 a. m., Holy communion (third Sunday); 11 a. m., morning prayer, litany and sermon; 2-30 p. m., Sunday school; 7-30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.
Friday, 7-30 p. m., evening prayer with intercessions for those engaged in the war.

PRINCE GEORGE—Temporary church on Seventh Avenue. Sunday, 8 a. m., Holy Communion (First Sunday); 11 a. m. Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon; 2:30 p. m., Sunday School.

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KNOX CHURCH, SOUTH FORT GEORGE. Rev. A. C. Justice, B.A., minister. Service every Sunday morning in the church at 11 a. m.; Sabbath school at 2 p. m.

SAINTE ANDREW'S CHURCH, PRINCE GEORGE.—Rev. A. C. Justice, B.A., minister. Service is held in the Rex Theatre, George Street, every Sunday evening at 7-30 p. m.; Sabbath school in the Rex Theatre, at 2-30 p. m.

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Recently the Hon. W. J. Bowser, who has just returned from an extended tour of Eastern Canada, stated that while at Ottawa he had conferred with Sir Robert Borden in respect to the plans which are being formulated by a commission for the training of disabled soldiers and their employment. Mr. Bowser had received a telegram from Sir Richard stating that it would be impossible for the Minister of Education to be present at the conference and asking him to express to Sir Robert that British Columbia was fully in accord with the scheme and would be glad to co-operate in any plans that might be formulated. Mr. Bowser assured the Prime Minister that this province would be found quite willing to do its share in making easier the lot of the returned wounded soldiers.

The Japanese steamer *Tambu Maru* recently arrived from the Orient with a silk cargo valued at \$2,500,000.

The Vancouver Chinook wants Mrs. Coward saved from the hangman's noose. Surely all agree with that Chinook that the time has come when capital punishment should be made a thing of the past. No woman has yet paid the death penalty in this province. Are we about to establish a precedent?

"No election till May." So states Parker Williams. After which, the millenium.

If hundreds of men working steadily for 75 cents per day can't provide a section of country with good roads, what scheme will accomplish the desired result?

It is practically impossible to pick up a Vancouver paper without reading of the arrival, departure or expected arrival of an Oriental merchantman. Strange indeed that America in general is so sound asleep on the question of a merchant marine that the yellow man now controls the Pacific shipping.

MISSING.

The Salvation Army has been asked to locate one, William N. D. Angus, age 22 years, height 5 ft. 11 ins. black hair, dark grey eyes, and dark complexion.

Will anyone knowing of his whereabouts kindly communicate with Staff-Captain Simms, 259, Fountain Street, Winnipeg, Man.

Advices which have been received by the Hon. the Minister of Lands, from the Vancouver forest district, speak of the improvement noticeable in the lumber industry as compared with September, 1914. Conditions are much healthier, and the general opinion is that the winter will be a good one so far as trade conditions are concerned. A number of orders from the prairie provinces are being received, prices have become stronger, and a better class of order is being placed. The shingle business is particularly active. The past season has been the driest for many years, and the proximity of many logging operations to slash off eight and ten years' accumulation made the hazard extremely grave. In spite of this, comparatively little merchantable timber has been destroyed, and many thousands of acres covered with slash and logging debris have been cleared up safely. During the month of September many logging operators were able to burn their slash, thus safeguarding the timber stands for next season. Numerous applications for timber sales are being made, and a number were concluded during the month. In addition, there is much activity on the part of handloggers, especially in the cedar belt up the coast.

THE TENDERFOOT.

I wanted to go to the end of the world,
Where life is fresh and new,
Away from the tramp of a city's feet,
With never a thing to do.

I wanted the freedom of clean, pure air,
Unspilled by chimney spires;
I wanted to live by the giant hills,
And build my own camp-fires.

Oh, I went my way to the end of the world,
Where life is wild and free;
Now I eat my meat alone in camp,
There's never a soul to see.

And I want to go back from the end of the world,
Back where the street-cars hum;
I want the glare of electric lights,
And the crowd when day is done.

I want the street where the multitude walks,
And the smoke of the chimney spires;
I want to flee from the stillness of death
And the quiet of dead camp-fires.

The mountains breathe a silence that hurts,
As I ride over hill and plain,
But I long with a heart that almost bursts
For the roar of the city again.

Oh, I want to go back to the city once more,
Back where the soul is aglow
With the fire that burns in the city's breast—
But I haven't the money to go!

"Daughter am I in my mother's house, but mistress in my own."
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The municipal voters' list of the City of Prince George is composed of the names of three classes of voters, namely, those who vote as:

1. The assessed owners of property of the assessed value of not less than \$100.

2. Householders.

3. Licensees.

No 1 embraces:

(a) Assessed owners who are not holders of an agreement of purchase of the property upon which they desire to qualify.

(b) Those who are. Before the assessed owner of property held under agreement of purchase can have his name entered on the voters' list, he is required to file with the clerk or assessor before the closing of the voters' list (on the 30th day of November next, at 5 p.m.) a statutory declaration providing that he or she is the holder of the real agreement to purchase land or real property or is the last assignee thereof by the terms of which such holder or assignee is liable to pay the taxes, and is a British subject.

(c) Authorized representatives of corporations. A corporation whose name is on the voters' list shall vote only by its duly authorized agent, whose authority shall be filed with the clerk of the municipality on or before the 30th day of November, and who shall be a resident of the Province and a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years; such agent shall be entitled to vote for the corporation from year to year until his appointment as agent is cancelled and the clerk has notice of the cancellation.

2. Householder shall extend to and include any person of the full age of twenty-one years who (1) occupies within the municipality a dwelling, tenement, hotel or boarding house, or any portion of a dwelling, tenement, hotel or boarding house, and (2) has been a resident in the municipality from the 1st day of January of the current year, and (3) has, unless exempted by the provisions of sub-section (167) or sub-section (168) of Section 54 of the Municipal Act, paid to the municipality direct all rates, taxes and assessments, which are not chargeable on land and are due by such person to the municipality for the current year, to an amount of not less than \$2, exclusive of water, electric light, gas and telephone rates or taxes and license fees for dogs.

(The \$2.00 road tax is payable before the end of the year by every male resident who does not pay any other tax or license.)

3. Licensee. Any male or female of the full age of twenty-one years, and any corporation, carrying on business in, and being the holder of a subsisting trade license from the municipality, the annual fee for which is not less than \$5. Provided, that in the case of a partnership the annual fee paid for a trade license is not less than \$5 for each partner who is a British subject and otherwise qualified to vote.

2 and 3. (2) The name of a householder or of the holder of trade license shall not be entered on the annual voters' list unless such holder or householder shall, during the month of October in each year, deliver or cause to be delivered to the municipal clerk a statutory declaration made and subscribed before a supreme or county court judge, stipendiary or police magistrate, justice of the peace, commissioner for taking affidavits within British Columbia, notary public or the municipal clerk, in the form and to the effect of Form 1 in the schedule of the said Act in the case of a holder of a trade license, and of Form 2 in the said schedule in the case of a householder.

4. No declaration to qualify as a householder or license holder shall be accepted by the municipal clerk unless it is delivered within forty-eight hours after it is made and all such declarations shall be delivered to the municipal clerk before 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the last day of October.

(As this day falls on a Sunday the time is, by the interpretation act, extended to include the following day.)

5. No person shall, under any circumstances, be entitled to more than one vote for mayor or aldermen at the same election, except a voter who also acts as the duly authorized agent of a corporation as above mentioned.

6. No person who is not a British subject can have his name placed upon the voters' list, or be allowed to vote at any municipal election.

Forms of declaration may be obtained and the necessary declarations made at the office of the city clerk, City Hall.

JOHN A. TURNER,
City Clerk.

Prince George,
October 19th, 1915.
City Clerk's Office.

The Entente Powers will win, whether it be in 1916 or 1926. But this the Bulgarian and Greek kings, having strong German sympathies, and no doubt being more or less dazzled by German promises, cannot see. They are led by their self-delusions to "back the wrong horse." This error will cost their nations heavily.

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-West Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 2,500 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
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IN THE MATTER of "The Land Titles Act," and in the matter of Notice of Exercising Power of Sale given by Mary Quatsoe to Ernest Edwin Deleree, in respect of Mortgage No. 2730 AV North Alberta Land Registration District.

To ERNEST EDWIN DELEREE:

TAKE NOTICE that proceedings have been commenced against you under "The Land Titles Act" by Mary Quatsoe in respect of your default in payment of \$600, principal; and \$93.40, interest; due to her under a mortgage made by you to her of Lot five (5) Block one (1) in Norwood Extension, Edmonton, Plan 6537U, North Alberta, L. R. D., and such default having continued for one calendar month, the Mortgagee hereby demands payment, and gives you notice of her intention to enter into possession of the said land.

And take notice that if such default continues for two months from the date of publication of this notice, the Mortgagee intends to proceed to sell the said land under the provisions of "The Land Titles Act."

And further take notice that if such sale proves abortive and such default continues for six months from the time for payment mentioned in said mortgage, the Mortgagee intends to apply to the Registrar for an order for foreclosure.

And further take notice that publication of this notice will be deemed to be sufficient service of notice of the said proceedings, under Order of the Registrar, dated 13th October, 1915.

Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this 13th day of October, 1915.

MCDONALD & TIGHE,
Solicitors for Mary Quatsoe.

Approved, October 13th, 1915,

W. A. DEYL,
Deputy Registrar, N.A.L.R.D.
(Oct. 30-2t.)

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Col. Ben. Niels, who caused a sensation at the Senior Golf Tournament, and was the envy of younger players.

The Russian bear evidently has no intention of hibernating this winter.

King George is looking 'em over in France. The British Tommy will stand some inspection.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910. (Section 42.)

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel licence to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Hotel Northern, situate at South Fort George in the Province of British Columbia. Dated this first day of October, 1915.
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KODAKS - GRAMOPHONES - RECORDS

A rather precocious young hopeful, who apparently had come out second best in a bout with Jack Barleycorn, stood recently on the corner of George and Third, ruefully surveying the sullied wreck of his John B. Stetson. The new chapeau had successfully hydroplaned across the duck resort at the corner, dipping gracefully into the liquid earth at each revolution. A series of goose-steps effected a rescue, when the principal with the title role dramatically remarked: "If I was runnin' this town I'd open her wide, but I'd close.....these damn swimmin' ponds."

Programme For Hallowe'en Dance at Ritts-Kifer Hall.

We're all becoming greatly interested in Puck—not the famous English publication of doubtful humor, but the little rubber disc which helped make Canada famous. As soon as Jack Frost gets into the game in earnest our knights of the slippery sheet will don their gladiatorial regalia and open hostilities.

Nothing marks the invasion of civilization more than the setting up of law courts. In line for local court sessions are McBride and Vanderhoof. Sittings will be held at Vanderhoof November 8th, and at McBride November 15th. Judge Robertson will preside.

W. F. Gregg, B. C. L. S., returned on yesterday's train from Vanderhoof. Mr. Gregg has been establishing straight and narrow paths in the forests primeval of the Stuart Lake region for the past few weeks.

Frank Cooper, the popular tonorial artist, who holds forth in a corner of Boston John Boelner's billiard parlors, has completely recovered from his recent illness.

The regular weekly dance of the Prince George Dancing Club was held in the Moose Hall last night. The new sidewalk from George Street to the hall is greatly appreciated.

The many friends of Mrs. J. H. Johnson, of the Alexandra Hotel, will be pleased to know that she is rapidly recovering from her illness.

Yesterday's eastbound train was six hours late in reaching the city. A rock-slide was the cause of the trouble.

Mr. J. E. T. Armstrong leaves for Vancouver tomorrow evening, and expects to be in the coast metropolis for a month.

A trainload of oil arrived this week for the G. T. P. The consignment consisted of eighteen cars, 90,000 gallons.

Pantelettes Latest Fashion.



This doubtful fashion is being tried out by ultra fashionable women of New York.

A. E. Fawcett, of the Union Bank in this city, left last Sunday for Edmonton, to which branch he has been transferred.

The programme for the Hallowe'en Hard Times Masquerade Dance and Entertainment is as follows:

The afternoon will be given over to a sale of work, candy stall, pumpkin pie and plum pie, full of good things for the kiddies. Tea will be served at dainty tables presided over by "Martha Washington" and "Old Mother Hubbard."

The Misses Wilson will be seen in one of their pretty dances. The school children will sing the national anthem and other songs in the afternoon. Witches will be present to tell us the past, present and future.

Tickets for the cushion which is on view at Miss Higgin's store, 3rd Avenue, can be obtained during the day. A picture of local scenery, by Mrs. Daniell will be on view at the hall, for which raffle tickets can be had.

The Dance will commence at 9-30 p.m. Music will be furnished by Kerr's well-known orchestra. A banquet supper will be served at midnight and a good time is promised. "Kum in your old 'clo'es" is the slogan. Prizes will be given for the most absurd costume.

Black and white masks can be obtained at Mrs. Booth's store, 4th Avenue, or at the door of the hall.

OF GENERAL INTEREST

Canada produces 80 per cent of the world's output of nickel.

The Peace River country has 45,000,000 acres of land, and one hird of it is ready for the plow.

While the United States produces more wheat than Canada she produces less than one third as much per head of population.

The Canadian army of nearly 33,000 men is the largest army which ever crossed the Atlantic.

Vancouver, the youngest city in Canada, is fourth in size and importance.

Back from the firing line come the sick, the lame and the blind. The terror of war is thus brought home to those of us who have not experienced at first hand the awfulness of armed conflict.

THE SPICE OF LIFE.

The British submarine that fought off four German warships and sank a destroyer must have been A No. 1.

The young hopeful: "Father, what do standing armies sit on when they are tired?"
Father: "On the seat of war, my boy."

We must be in for a drought judging by the way old Jupe Pluvius has been weeping lately.

With the mayor and three of the city fathers away, the baby city has been pretty much alone part of the week.

According to Parker Williams our yoke is not easy. Our growth has been sadly stunted. We are pack-animals. Still, we have built a hustling young city in a year and a half. We evidently take kindly to our burden.

No carrying coals to Newcastle by the common people, since the honorable member from that city claims all our coal fields have been alienated.