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FISTS WERE SHAKEN IN THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Stormy Nineteen Hour Session Ends Amid Turbulent Scenes—Opposition Were Trying to Block Consideration of the Lord's Veto Bill.

(Special to the Optimist)

London, March 11.—Fist fights in the House of Commons were narrowly averted last night at the close of a nineteen-hour session, in which violent speeches were made and excited tempers were let loose.

The revenue bill was up for discussion. Before the debate had proceeded far, it became obvious that an attempt was to be made to prolong the debate in order to prevent the House from taking up the Lords' Veto Bill which comes up next on the agenda for its third reading.

Amendment after amendment was tacked to the revenue bill by the Conservative members, and spoken to, while the hours dragged on in the session. Premier Asquith gazed over a

ruffled House with watchful mien, standing ready to move the closure after each amendment had been spoken to. One by one the debates on amendments were closed and voted down, while more amendments were forthcoming.

In the heat and excitement angry voices were raised, and personalities freely hurled back and forth across the House. Then followed challenges and upraised fists. The House became a bear-garden, with the Speaker struggling with gavel and rules of order to maintain the dignity of the House.

At length after nineteen hours of debate, the revenue bill was forced through. The opposition tactics had failed. A sleepy-eyed House will meet again today and proceed with the debate on the Lords' Veto bill.

MILLIONAIRE TO GO TO PRISON

CLARENCE HILLMAN OF SEATTLE IS FOUND GUILTY

May Get Sentence of 65 Years in Prison, and \$130,000 Fine—Maximum Penalty on Thirteen Different Counts.

(Special to the Optimist)

Seattle, March 10.—After being out for twenty-four hours, the jury who have been trying Clarence Hillman, the millionaire promoter have found him innocent on five counts and guilty on thirteen counts.

The charge was that of using the mails for purposes of fraud. During the trial, a great deal of light was shed on the man's methods of working up real estate booms. He would give lectures telling of the great railways and factories that were coming. People buying lots and falling behind with their payments would receive bogus letters from railways and factories asking what they would sell out for right of ways and factory sites. In many cases the same lots were sold to several different purchasers, all of whom were paying money on them.

The maximum penalty for each of the thirteen counts would be five years' imprisonment and a fine of \$1,000, making a total possible penalty of sixty-five years' imprisonment and \$130,000 fine.

KILLED AT VANCOUVER

Gustave Jacobsen Died as Result of Thirty Foot Fall

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, March 11.—Gustave Jacobsen who was injured while working at an addition to the Hotel Vancouver and fell thirty feet, died last night as a result of his injuries.

The Deadly Oil Lamp

Everett, Wash., March 9.—(Special)—As the result of an exploding lamp which set fire to her home, Mrs Phillips, aged 68, and her grandson three months old were seriously injured.

SHIPPING REPORTS

From the Dominion Government Wireless Stations

(At 8 A. M.)

Skidegate—Snowing, calm, sea moderate.

Ikedea—Snowing, north, light. Bar. 29.80, ther. 32. Light swell.

Triangle—Snowing, south west, 48 miles. Bar 29.36, ther. 40. Sea moderate.

Pachena—Cloudy, calm. Bar. 29.83, ther. 35. Sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy, south west, 8 miles. Bar. 30.18, ther. 39. Sea smooth. Out: steamer President. In: steamer Watson at midnight. Out: steamer at 4.45 a.m. In: two masted steamer on the other side at 6.10 p.m.

Estevan—Cloudy, north east, light. Bar. 29.74, ther. 31, sea moderate.

Point Grey—Overcast, calm. Bar. 29.24, ther. 30.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy, south east. Bar. 29.25, ther. 30. Sea smooth.

(At Noon)

Fishing steamer Chicago spoken 30 miles north west of Triangle at 8.30 a.m. At noon the Quadra was off Egg Island northbound.

A steam whaler was sighted off Pachena at 8.20 this morning.

Tatoosh reports the tug Snohomish outbound at 9.50 a.m., also in bound two-masted steamer with black smoke-stack bearing a red band and the letter "K" upon the band.

Point Grey reports a two masted steamer outbound at 8.20 a.m. and the Prince Rupert in bound at 11 a.m.

Chicago, and efforts will be made to locate him. To stimulate the search a reward of \$2,000 has been offered by the police to anyone giving information that will lead to his arrest.

INVITED TO CORONATION

Premier Roblin of Manitoba and Two Members to Attend

(Special to the Optimist)

Winnipeg, March 11.—Premier Roblin has received and accepted an invitation to attend at the Coronation. One member from each side of the House will also attend as a delegation.

St. Patrick's Night

To celebrate St. Patrick's Day there will be a grand concert held in the Empress Theatre on Friday. A good programme of local talent is arranged and a good time promised for every one. Reserved seat tickets are on sale at one dollar.

Helpful Talks to Business Men

Mr. Storekeeper Do You Know?

That to advertise your prices is an evidence to the public that your prices are right, and that you know they are right. That newspaper advertising can secure for you the confidence of the public, and make friends for your store : : :

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CHIEF McCARVELL HANDS IN HIS RESIGNATION

Was Indignant at the Suggestion That He Was Not Doing His Best to Clean up the Town—Resignation Has Been Accepted.

Chief McCarvell handed in his resignation to the Police Commissioners yesterday, and it was accepted to take effect at once. Interviewed this morning Police Commissioner M. M. Stephens would state officially only the fact that the Chief's resignation had been handed in and accepted. He said that so far nothing had been done in regard to the appointment of a new Chief Constable, but Sergeant Phillipson is meantime interim Chief with full powers under the Board.

To the Optimist this morning Chief McCarvell gave his statement of the matter. His resignation was handed in at short notice as the result of a stormy interview with Commissioner Stephens during which the Commis-

sioner criticised the Chief's efficiency in cleaning up the town. Chief McCarvell asked for instances of cases where cases might have been proved, defying anyone to give a single instance. He preferred to hand in his resignation at once in view of Commissioner Stephens' attitude, and a hurried meeting of the commission was called at once at which Commissioner Stephens moved and Commissioner Kirkpatrick seconded the acceptance of the resignation forthwith.

Chief McCarvell expressed his willingness to remain in town until the Mayor or Acting-Mayor return in view of the present labor difficulty and possibility of disturbance arising now that there are over a thousand strikers of different nationalities in the city.

SCHOOL FIRE AT WINNIPEG

INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL IS TOTALLY DESTROYED

Library Containing a Collection of Rare Books and an Indian Dictionary Lost in the Flames—Loss Cannot be Replaced.

(Special to the Optimist)

Winnipeg, March 11.—During yesterday afternoon a serious blaze broke out in the Indian Industrial school at St. Boniface doing damage to the extent of \$15,000, and irreparable loss to the Indian library for which the institution was famous. Fifty students were residing in the building, but none were hurt.

The most serious loss of all is the destruction of the valuable library, containing rare books and a dictionary of the Indian languages in manuscript. These cannot be duplicated. The building was completely destroyed.

WERE TRAPPED BY AVALANCHE

PATRICK JOHNSON AND GEORGE BANBURY CARRIED AWAY

Banbury Saved Himself by Falling on His Back, but Johnson was Hurled Under the Slide and Killed. Accident at Kaslo.

(Special to the Optimist)

Kaslo, B. C., March 11.—Patrick Johnson was killed by an avalanche this morning while crossing from Flint to Granite King mine. Patrick Johnson and George Banbury were both caught by the slide but Banbury saved himself by throwing himself backward, on the slide and moving down with it. It took forty minutes work to extricate Johnson by miners who came to the rescue. He had died instantly.

THE WEATHER

Twenty-four hours ending 5 a. m. March 11.

MAX. TEMP.	MIN. TEMP.	BAR.	IN. RAIN
36.0	29.0	29.815	...

Snow—2 inches

P. R. I. A. NUMBER OVER THOUSAND

NEW MEMBERS BROUGHT BY LAST NIGHT'S CAMOSUN

Strike Situation Remains Unchanged Contractors and Men Are Equally Determined not to Give in. McInnis May Start Gang.

Fifteen laboring men arrived by the Camosun last night. The steamer was met by a body of the strikers, and the situation was explained to the newcomers in their own languages. They accompanied the strikers to the Industrial Hall, and there after further talk, seven of them joined the Industrial Association. The roll of membership now stands at 1004.

No new development falls to be recorded today in reference to the strike situation. Still the strikers maintain a resolute front, and are determined to hold out. The contractors declare themselves unconcerned saying that there will be plenty of labor available quite soon at the old rate. There is a general impression among the business men that a large proportion of the strikers will go up river before long, and that the spring influx of new labor will not adopt the stand of the strikers.

The fact that under present weather conditions work on the streets could not be very effectively carried on is used as an argument to belittle the effect of the strike. To the strikers the same condition is made an argument for the 45 cent rate.

For a number of days Messrs. McInnis & Kelly have expressed their readiness to start work at the old rate whenever labor is available, and today it is stated that a start will be made on Monday. McMorde and Watson could not make any definite statement.

DEATHS ARE CONFIRMED

Seventeen People Are Killed in Nevada Avalanche

(Special to the Optimist)

Carson, Nev., March 10.—Late despatches from Mono county confirm the deaths from the avalanche during the recent storm, of seventeen people.

SPRING and House Cleaning Will Soon Be Here

and this suggests some of the following articles:

Old Dutch Cleanser.....10c
Sanatine Cleanser.....10c
Lye, per tin.....10c
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Lux, just the soap for those fine flannels...10c
Speaking of house cleaning reminds us that during those trying days the culinary arrangements are somewhat disorganized and a quick and tasty lunch is often desirable, for this we recommend:

C. & B. Potted Meats...20c
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Van Camp's Macaroni and Cheese 15c

An excellent soup may be made from a jar of Armour's French Potage 20c
A tin of condensed clams or Campbell's soups at 15c will serve same purpose.
In cheese we have choice Canadian, Swiss, Holland, Vaset, also the celebrated Edelweiss from the German Alps.

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= THE COSY CORNER =

DEVOTED PRINCIPALLY TO THE INTERESTS OF WOMEN

This is a little section of the paper, which from day to day will be devoted to subjects of special interest to women. Any and all of the ladies of Prince Rupert are invited to contribute to its columns, and to take part in its discussions. Suggestions and criticisms are invited by the editor. The hope is expressed that "The Cosy Corner" will fill a social need.

Shall Cake be Abolished?

In the New York Sun is an article supposed to be the outpouring of a man's heart on the subject of cake.

This supposititious man professes to be passionately fond of cake—not, as the reader sees, of the more economical variety such as gingerbread, plain, "riz cake," and the like, but the expensive and more tempting kinds which are lovingly named, as almond, angel's, citron, chocolate, cup, caramel, coffee, coconut, election, fruit, sponge cake and the like, not to go through the whole list. This supposed man complains that women no longer make cake, that they profess not to care for it themselves; never eat it, and therefore will not make it. This may be so in some places, but the love of cake still lingers in the land, and the notable housewife still cherishes the recipes handed down to her by her mother—perhaps her grandmother—and glories in the art. For it is an art to make good cake.

It used to be said that so and so had "a good han at cake," and it was always considered a compliment. Many women still remain proud of their skill, and love to exhibit it. Cake plays its part in romance even at this late day. What is Christmas and New Year without their appropriate cakes? What, for that matter, is any feast day? And if cake is no longer popular, why are there cake sales to further the financial condition of the parish? Why do pious and hard-working ladies spend precious hours making cakes of the kind that melt in the mouth, if there is no demand for these confections? Let no one believe that the appreciation of cake will ever perish as long as good cake-makers exist. And pray why are there so many pages devoted to recipes for cakes in all the so-called women's magazines and household companions? Simply to provide new recipes for those that long for them. It is slander to say that we have ceased to be a cake-eating people.

Caring for a Bureau

The girl who has a handsome mahogany bureau has often much trouble to keep its top from being injured by water or scratched by some of the innumerable little things that are laid out on a bureau.

The difficulty is the same whether the bureau is one of the charming old ones that belonged to her grandmother or great-grandmother or a modern one with a fine piece of mahogany for the top. In either case it soon loses its smooth and perfect finish by use.

This may be prevented by covering it with a piece of clear glass and still the beautiful grain of the wood is plainly seen. The glass should be cut the exact shape of the bureau, and it may have a tiny frame of mahogany fastened on it which fits over the edge of the bureau. Or, instead of the wooden frame, a girl can finish the edge herself by gluing on a binding of heavy narrow ribbon, just as passe partout framing is done. One edge of the ribbon is glued on one side of the glass and then it is turned over the edge of the glass and glued down on the other side. Great care must be taken to have the edge of the glass come exactly in the middle of the ribbon and at the corners the ribbon must be carefully mitred.

Don'ts for Teachers

Don't forget that a harsh word does not pay.

Don't forget to care for your own and the pupils' health.

Don't forget to treat the pupil kindly after punishment.

Don't forget to enforce what you threaten.

Don't forget your ventilation.

Don't forget to avoid "Yes" and "No" questions.

Don't forget to cultivate punctuality and neatness.

Don't forget to ascertain the pupils' guilt before punishing.

Don't forget to teach manners.

Don't forget to keep your sorrows and troubles to yourself.

Don't forget that a suitable and well-told story is never lost.

Don't forget that many children have at home all the scolding they need.

SOME APPLE RECIPES

Apple Cutlets

Make a stiff apple puree, sweeten to taste and stir in a little softened gelatin. Set aside to cool. Meanwhile cut some slices of sponge cake, trim them neatly and lay them on a flat dish. Moisten each with a little fruit juice, and when the apple puree is partly cool cover each sponge slice with a layer of puree, keeping the whole shapely. Then quite cold arrange on lace paper doilies or in an ornamental dish. Ornament with cut angelica and crystalized violets.

Pommes Polaires

Peel, core and quarter some good cooking apples. Cook them gently till tender and set aside till quite cold. Arrange them in a deep glass dish, cover with Devonshire cream, scatter chopped pistachio nuts over all and serve as cold as possible with water biscuits or sponge fingers!

HOUSEHOLD HITS

Scraps of toilet soap should be saved, and when half a cupful or so is on hand it is a good plan to make the scraps into a soap jelly.

Whole wheat or brown bread cut into very thin slices and spread with unsalted butter is very tasty served with oysters on the half shell.

Cheese may be kept soft and good for a long time if wrapped in a cloth wrung out in vinegar and then wrapped again in a dry cloth.

Stick a pin through the cork of every bottle that contains poison, and this may save tragic mistakes when seeking medicine in the dark.

Uncle Jerry Is Pleased

A son and heir was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kugler yesterday at their apartments in the Clapp Block.

"Uncle Jerry" is a proud grandfather these times.

Baptist Services

A Special song-service will be given by the choir at the Baptist church tomorrow evening. The services commence at 7.30, regular morning service at 11 a.m., Bible School and Brotherhood Baraca Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. You are cordially invited to attend these services.

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 Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
 Clarence McDowell, Agent

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 Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted about four miles north and one mile east of the mouth of the Tiel-el River and marked J. McLeod, N. E. Corner, No. 5, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.
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13, 14	4	5
3, 4	18	5
17, 18	18	5
1, 2	25	5
7, 8	14	6
8	19	6
1, 2, 3	40	7

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ROOSEVELT IS AFTER BENNETT**SCOLDS THAT COMIC OPERA CONGRESSMAN IN SPEECH**

Says that the Annexation Resolution Was Introduced in a Mean Spirit with the Object of Causing International Estrangement.

Bangor, Maine, March 9.—President Roosevelt who is on a lecture tour here fervently denounced the action of Congressman Bennett in introducing the annexation resolution. He made three speeches before large audiences and in the last of them warmly advocated the proposed reciprocity trade agreement with Canada and scored congressmen who he said were responsible for hindering the confirmation of the agreement, by means of "annexation scare."

"I am sure you share with me," he said, "the feeling of profound disapprobation for those members of Congress who have indirectly sought to bar the path, not only to the proposed reciprocity agreement, but to bar the path to good feeling between us and Canada, by introducing in Congress resolutions pretending to look toward the annexation of Canada."

"I say pretending because those resolutions obviously were introduced in bad faith."

"And they were introduced in what I must call a very mean spirit, the desire to do petty mischief to people in one's own country with whom they disagree politically at the moment by causing a possible serious estrangement and misunderstanding in the foreign relations of this country with a friendly power."

STILL MORE DREADNOUGHTS**British Naval Programme Provides For Five More**

(Special to the Optimist)

London, March 10.—The naval estimates issued last night provide for an increase of \$19,000,000 over last year's programme. It includes five dreadnoughts, three protected and one armored cruisers, twenty destroyers and six submarines.

RUPERT MERCHANTS READY**Mining Boom for Hazelton Will Bring Good Business**

Passengers returned on the Prince Rupert this week report that Vancouver and Victoria seem to be pretty much alive to the importance of the great Hazelton mining district now that the Grand Trunk Pacific has announced its intention of building a ten mile span from Hazelton to Nine Mile Mountain.

The good showing made by the Lead King and Silver Cup on their shipments to the Trail smelter have stimulated mining interest.

Local brokers say there have been quite a few inquiries in the past week and with the prospect of an early stamped up the Skeena, Prince Rupert business men look for a busy spring.

Martin O'Reilly will send a representative up to Hazelton to look over the business chances soon.

The Sloan Clothing Company started their representative up the river a month ago.

H. H. Morton also has a man out for him.

The Brin Furniture Company established a branch in Hazelton last fall.

Many other local business men have signified their intention of taking the first boat up to prepare for the up-river business.

\$50.00 prize to be given away now displayed in C. B. Wark's display window. See adv. 52-59

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast
 Take notice that Henry Macartney of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted on left bank of Ex-chum-sik River about two and a half miles from its mouth and about one half mile above rapids, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains more or less to river bank, thence west 40 chains more or less along river bank to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.
 Date Dec. 10, 1910.
 Pub. Jan. 7, 1911. HENRY MACARTNEY

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
 Take notice that David McLennan of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted 40 chains south from the south west corner of Lot 994, thence 40 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains south to point of commencement; containing 160 acres, more or less. Post marked D. M. S. W. Cor.
 Dated Feb. 13, 1911. DAVID McLENNAN
 Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
 Take notice that Alexander Beaton of Vancouver, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south from the south west corner of Lot 3065, Post marked A. B., N. W. Corner, thence 30 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 30 chains north, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement; containing 200 acres, more or less. Dated Feb. 13, 1911. ALEXANDER BEATON
 Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
 Take notice that Angus Beaton of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Lot 3987, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains south, thence about 60 chains east to Lakelse Lake, thence meandering said lake shore in a northerly direction to point of commencement; containing 170 acres, more or less. Post marked A. B., N. E. Corner.
 Dated Feb. 14, 1911. ANGUS BEATON
 Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
 Take notice that George Levick of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted on shore of Lakelse Lake about 60 chains north east from outlet of said lake (Lakelse River), thence 20 chains north, thence about 60 chains east to Lakelse Lake, thence meandering said lake shore in a westerly direction to point of commencement; containing 80 acres, more or less. Post marked G. L. S. W. Corner.
 Dated Feb. 14, 1911. GEORGE LEVICK
 Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Rang 5
 Take notice that Benjamin Russel Rice of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation waiter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted 65 chains south from the south east corner of Lot 3060, thence 70 chains west, thence 65 chains north, thence 70 chains east, thence 65 chains south to point of commencement; containing 455 acres, more or less. Post marked B. R. R., S. E. Cor.
 Dated Feb. 13, 1911. BENJAMIN RUSSEL RICE
 Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
 Take notice that William Franklin Carpenter of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation restaurant keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:
 Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of surveyed Lot 1712, thence 80 chains south, thence about 35 chains west to Lot 2656, thence 20 chains north, thence 45 chains west thence about 25 chains north to Lot 3068, thence about 30 chains east to south east corner of Lot 3068, thence about 35 chains north to Lot 1711, thence about 55 chains east to point of commencement; containing 480 acres, more or less.
 Dated Feb. 15, 1911. WILLIAM FRANKLIN CARPENTER
 Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
 Take notice that Mary Margaret Gillis of Victoria, B. C., occupation housekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Lot 3987, thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains west to T. L. 32597, thence about 80 chains north to Lakelse River, thence meandering said river up stream in a southeasterly direction to Lakelse Lake, thence meandering said lake to point of commencement; containing 160 acres, more or less.
 Post marked M. M. G., N. E. Corner.
 Dated Feb. 14, 1911. MARY MARGARET GILLIS
 Pub. March 4.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
 Take notice that J. John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted about three miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tiel-el River and marked J. McLeod, S. W. Corner, No. 18, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.
 Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
 Clarence McDowell, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
 Take notice that Mary Bell Beaton of Vancouver, B. C., occupation spinner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Lot 3980, thence about 30 chains north to Lot 1723, thence 80 chains west to Lot 3982, thence about 30 chains south to Lot 3981, thence 40 chains east, thence 20 chains south to Lot 882, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains north, thence 20 chains east to point of commencement; containing 280 acres more or less.
 Post marked M. B. B., S. E. Corner.
 Dated Feb. 14, 1911. MARY BELL BEATON
 Pub. March 4.

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DAILY EDITION.



SATURDAY, MARCH 11

A Vancouver Opinion.

(Vancouver Sunset)

That an overwhelming majority for a government does not tend to the furtherance of the institution of responsible government has been abundantly demonstrated in the sitting of the legislature just closed.

The attitude of the Premier and his colleagues has simply been that of a body of men who think they know better what is good for the public than the people who elect them. The government, in face of the clearly expressed wishes of Vancouver, and South Vancouver, has flatly refused to pass the required enabling legislation for annexation. The reasons given are entirely inadequate and disingenuous. Nobody puts much stock in the reasons put forward by the Premier. His excuse that he did not think public opinion in those municipalities was in favor of annexation would be hooted if made from a platform in either Vancouver or South Vancouver, even if made by the Premier himself, just as H. H. Watson's statement that 90 per cent of the people of these cities support the government's action was hissed from the gallery of the House. If Premier McBride is so cocksure of his position let him and Mr. Bowser and Mr. Watson meet the public of this city on the platform and defend their action. If they have the courage to face an audience either in South Vancouver or Vancouver city they will probably get such a reception as will convince them they are wrong for once.

That political considerations have played a prominent, in fact a predominant, part in the decision arrived at by the government is now a certainty. By annexation Vancouver, as pointed out by the Premier, would occupy nearly double its present territory and it would be presided over by Mayor Taylor. Premier McBride no doubt bit his tongue when he let that admission slip out, but it is out. By annexation Vancouver would be entitled to two more Dominion members in parliament and a redistribution will be made after the census which will be taken this summer before the legislature meets again. There is no doubt that Dominion politics has played a part in this purely local question.

Premier McBride suggested that the Provincial Health Department would be at the service of South Vancouver in the solution of the sanitation problem of that city. What right has Premier McBride to force his government upon a municipality? Is the municipality of South Vancouver such a ninny it cannot attend to its own affairs without the intervention of some provincial officer. The provincial government sent its officer to meddle in the isolation hospital question of this city and a nice mess he made of it. But this is only a piece with the government's policy and the attitude of both McBride and Bowser toward the public. Bowser's policy and practice is to centralize all powers in the government at Victoria and to make them vote traps. He manipulates the hotel licences. His companies act is a vote catcher as well as a trade discrimination. He robs the municipalities of their fire insurance taxes. Even the provincial police is a vote-making organization. All these various services require officials and inspectors who travel up and down the country neglecting no opportunity to give wholesome advice or to secure useful information. It is at once an elaborate propaganda and a fine system of espionage. Every session of the legislature sees some power or rights taken from the municipalities and vested in the government, to be administered by some official—a friend—of that government.

The Contractors Want to Know

Some of the workmen on strike declare that they have been promised by the Chairman of the Property Committee that if the contractors do not give way, their contracts will be taken from them and finished by day work.

The contractors to whom this is told do not know whether to believe the statement or not. It contrasts so with the assurances of moral support that the Council gave them. In fighting the demand they believe they are obeying the will of the Council. But they would welcome an expression of the Council's opinion on this point.

Who was the alderman who advised the contractors to "Starve the . . . out?"

TROOP TRAIN IS WRECKED

WAS ON ITS WAY TO THE MEXICAN FRONTIER

Two Soldiers Reported Killed and Many Injured. Carload of Cavalry Horses Were Burned in the Blaze Which Followed.

(Special to the Optimist)

Fort Worth, Texas, March 10.—While on their way to the frontier last night, a troop train on the St. Louis & South Western railway ran off the line and was wrecked. The train caught fire afterwards. Two soldiers are reported killed and seven injured. A carload of cavalry horses were burned to death among the broken debris.

NAD NARROW ESCAPE

Nelson Man Had Clothes Ripped Off by Machinery

(Special to the Optimist)

T. Parker while working a planer at the Edgewood Lumber Company mill here was caught in the machinery and had every stitch of clothing stripped off. By a miraculous piece of good fortune he escaped with only a few bruises.

FERNIE MAN KILLED

Fred Shaw Caught Between Cars at Coal Creek

(Special to the Optimist)

Fernie, March 10.—A man named Fred Shaw was killed at the Coal Creek tipples near here this afternoon. He was caught between two cars and crushed to death.

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The Boys and the Frogs

A party of mischievous boys were playing in a field near a pond. When they got tired of running about they gathered at the side of the pond and amused themselves by throwing stones at the unfortunate frogs as often as they showed their heads above the water.

At last an old frog put his head out and said: "Boys, you don't seem to remember that though this may be play to you it is death to us."

Moral: Never play games which are cruel.

Letters to the Editor

He Visited the Council

Sir,—We all hear serious complaints from various taxpayers that the present city council has not tackled any of the important business of the city since coming into office. Anyone that will take the trouble to attend a council meeting will see that the greater part of the time of the council is taken by a couple or three aldermen who in turn deliver long speeches on issues that a half dozen schoolboys could settle intelligently in five minutes.

Some men have the gift of saying a few words with a whole lot of meaning, but I must say, unfortunately for the city one of the aldermen is gifted the other way. He says a whole lot of words without any meaning at all. The only point that he is any authority on is the wickedness of the old council.

There is a character in the School for Scandal, a busy old woman, very fond of poking her nose in everybody's business. When I hear this false alarm statesman I think of her.

Without seeing for yourself, no amount of imagination could give one an idea how helpless some of the aldermen really are on Monday night. One member made a long speech on the hardships one clause of the Liquor By-law might work on the hotel men, namely, "men coming in drunk to the hotel." After hearing him patiently the Acting Mayor remarked that if the alderman would read the clause he would see that the hotel man was only responsible for men that he supplied with drink.

Then the 45 cent farce came up for final consideration. On this issue the council are very much like the story of the man and the ass. He tried to please everybody and finally pleased nobody and lost the ass into the bargain.

My own opinion is that no work of any importance will be carried out during the tenure of office of the present council. The city wants a council of practical business men without any strings on them who will act honestly and fearlessly in the interests of the city and not of individuals.

Yours truly,
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Two Servants' Pillow Covers.	One Single Bed Quilt.
Six Linen Bedroom Towels.	One pair Servants' Blankets.
Three Servants' Towels.	One Under Blanket.
Three White Bath Towels.	One Colored Quilt.
Four Glass Cloths.	Two White Toilet Covers.
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AVALANCHES WORK TERRIBLE
HAVOC IN NEVADA

Men Were Hurlled to Death While
They Slept in their Bunkhouses.
Landy, Mono and Jordan Were
Carried Clean Away.

(Special to the Optimist)

Carson, Nevada, March 10.—Two terrible avalanches, travelling in each instance two miles swept down the mountain sides last night and carried away the mining camps at Landy, Mono and Jordan. The men were swept away to death while they slept in the bunkhouses. Hourly as reports come in the death list grows and the number killed will probably never be known.

Meagre reports only are available. Ten names are known of those killed and messengers are being sent out on snowshoes to find out more of the disaster.

COAL MEN CANNOT AGREE

Deadlock Arises Over the New Miners
Agreement

(Special to the Optimist)

Calgary, March 10.—The joint conference of operators and mine workers which has been sitting during the past seven days came to an abrupt conclusion today owing to the request of the miners' representatives for an adjournment till March 20. It is thought the miners hope to get the independent operators to agree to the closed shop clause in the interval; they can thus come back and use this argument against the associated operators.

Good choral concert on Thursday, March 23rd in the Empress theatre. Popular local artists. Admission 50c; reserved seats \$1. at Orme's. 581t

A FLUTTER IN SOCIETY

Police Raid in London Causes Sensation

(Special to the Optimist)

London, nt., March 10.—The police last night raided a fashionable club to which some members of the best families belonged. The president who holds a responsible position was this morning charged with selling liquor without a licence, fined, an allowed to go on condition that the place is closed without delay.

Mr. T. McClymont leaves tomorrow for Winnipeg, and during his absence his affairs will be looked after by Mr. Hurt. 58-59

ARRESTED AT LAST

Half Breed Bootlegger in Custody at
Vancouver

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, March 10.—A half breed who for some time past is alleged to have given the police in the northern interior considerable trouble, and who is accused of supplying liquor to the Indians near Clinton, B. C., which resulted in a squaw being fatally shot, was arrested at North Vancouver today.

Made Midnight Raid

In the small hours Friday morning Sergeant Phillipson with Constables Mansell and McArthur of the city police force made an official search of a number of the parlor houses on Comox avenue. The purpose of the inspection, which round town rumor today styles a "raid," was to ascertain if any of the frequenting fraternity who come and go about such places, could be identified and dealt with. Rumors are active in town regarding the number and names of persons involved in the affair.

TO RAID COMOX AVENUE

Police Searches Will be Frequent and
Severely Thorough

With the utmost rigor the system of unexpected inspection of the Comox avenue resorts from roof to basement at any hour of the day or night is to be carried out in future. Anyone at all found within the houses will be required to furnish the information required by the police or take the alternative of appearing in court and furnishing it to the Magistrate. The intention is to get rid of the frequenting class entirely.

LITTLE NEWS ITEMS

Notebook Jottings From all Sorts of
Sources

Three or four building permits have been issued by the Building Inspector this week. They are for small buildings, and the total amount involved in under \$1000.

The Kestrel which has been in port for a day or two left this morning on another cruise around the fishing grounds.

Two steamers, the Romona and the Beatrice got in from the north yesterday. Passengers passing down remark that work is pretty brisk in Dawson at present.

Vacant house? Tell Helgerson.

Salvation Army Services

Mr. Charles Kilway who arrived of the Prince Rupert from Vancouver on his way to Dawson, Y. T., will preach in the Salvation Army Citadel tonight commencing at 8 o'clock.

Tomorrow's services will be as follows: 11 a.m. public meeting led by Ensign Johnstone; 1:30 p.m. Sunday School; 3 p.m. Song Service, singing to be led by Lieutenant Wright, lesson by Ensign Johnstone. Commencing at 8 o'clock sharp, the officers will again give that beautiful song service "The Larchmont Wreck," illustrating the confidence that the young men and women had in God on that awful night when the steamer Larchmont sank on New England's coast.

Everyone is cordially invited to every meeting. The Children's Entertainment will take place on the eve of March 31st.

Don't forget the Prince Rupert Choral Society's grand concert on Thursday, March 23, in the Empress Theatre. It

COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

1. Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of coal licence No. 3829, marked J.M., N.W. corner; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

JOHN McLEOD.
Dated Feb. 1, 1911 Wilson Gowing, Agent.
Pub. Feb. 11

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about five miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tiel River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner No. 17, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

JOHN McLEOD
Dated Feb. 26, 1911. Clarence McDowell, Agent
Pub. Feb. 28.

FORESHORE LEASE NOTICE

Coast Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Paul Brendler, of Porcher Island, occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to lease the following foreshore: Commencing at a post planted about 12 feet from the location post of lot 1301 on Porcher Island, thence in a southerly direction following high water mark 1200 feet; thence west to low water mark; thence northerly following low water mark 1200 feet; thence east to point of commencement.

PAUL BRENDLER.
Dated March 7, 1911.
First insertion March 11



A Real Tonic

Clothing, particularly new clothing, is a powerful, mental and moral tonic—shabby or ill-fitting clothes are a source of constant worry, which tends to take the keener edge off the wits of the average man. The mere fact of being smartly dressed is a strong mental stimulant, and the man who is shabby and knows it is often less capable than a well dressed mental inferior. Those who wear 20th Century Brand Garments know the comfort of mind and body they give.

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that I, Fred Garton, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of surveyed lot 1937, Range 5, Coast district, thence north 60 chains to a slough; thence west 28 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 28 chains to the point of commencement.

FRED. GARTON.

Dated February 25th, 1911
First insertion Mar. 11

If it's news, you will find it in
The Optimist

Letters to the Editor

In Fairness to Alderman Clayton

Alderman Clayton having denied that he used the words attributed to him in yesterday's Optimist, during the debate on the liquor by-law, the question was agreed to be settled by the judgment of a disinterested party. The following letter is the result of that decision, from which it would appear that we read into the alderman's remarks, a meaning not intended by him.—Ed.

Sir,—Alderman Clayton and yourself having referred the controversy over an editorial in last night's Optimist to myself for decision. It was in regard to Alderman Clayton's reputed utterances during the discussion of the liquor licence by-law.

Alderman Newton had explained that he opposed Alderman Clayton's motion to submit the 45 cents an hour question to a plebiscite, on the ground that the recent campaign was a virtual plebiscite on that question, for their attitude was well known by the electors and endorsed.

In reply, Alderman Clayton drew attention to the fact that he and Alderman Newton had stood shoulder to shoulder in repudiating Alderman Mobley's Liquor Licence By-law. He continued, "If our attitude on the 45 cents an hour question was understood in the campaign, then our attitude on this question was indeed a very live issue."

The question under debate at the time being the change of hours from 11 to 12 o'clock—which question Alderman Newton moved be referred to a plebiscite—there might be a natural inference that on that issue Alderman Clayton declared them to have taken a stand.

This he quite disavows and explains that he had in mind only certain other features in the old by-law which he had declared that he considered ultra vires.

Yours truly,
F. W. KERR

CLUB BILLIARD MATCH

Win for Prince Rupert Club Over Kaien Islanders

Every month now a billiard contest is held between the Prince Rupert and the Kaien Island clubs for a trophy to be held by the winning club for the

month. Last night the contest resulted in a win for the Prince Rupert Club by 1462 points to 1241. The following are the details of the game:

Prince Rupert Club

McMullin 250
Carss 250
Pillsbury 250
Benson 250
Broderick 248
Mobley 214

Kaien Island Club

McMordie 205
Pettigrew 186
Oakley 153
Simpson 107
Howe 250
Casey 250

The next tournament will be played in the Kaien Island Club rooms.

FIRST EVER
IN RUPERT

BASKET BALL MATCH PLANNED
FOR MONDAY NIGHT

Team of Kaien Island Athletic Club Will Meet Team of Roller Rinking Club. Live Game Promised at Rink.

Live young men of the city are looking forward with keen expectation to the forthcoming Basket Ball Match planned to take place in the Roller Skating Rink on Monday at 8 p.m.

The contesting teams are to be selected from members of the Kaien Island Athletic Club, and of the Roller Rinking Club. At the time of going to press the Rink team had not been finally arranged but the Kaien Island Club team is composed as follows:

Guards: Miller and Angle; Centre R. Neil; Forwards Ramsay and McLeod.

The Kaien Island Club has also a strong list of substitutes including McLeod, Rogers, Sherraton and McFarlane.

Ray Power is to act as referee, and Leo Waugh manager and captain of the Kaien Island Athletic Club is arranging the match.

About 11 p.m. yesterday the Camosun got in with mail and general cargo. She pulled out again for Stewart at daybreak with a number of passengers.

No cases came up before Magistrate Carss this morning.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that I Joseph Belway of Vancouver B.C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted two and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date Feb. 3, 1911
Pub. Mar. 10
JOSEPH BELWAY

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that I Arthur James Welch of Vancouver, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail commences near the trail, thence east eighty chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.
Date Feb. 3, 1911
Pub. Mar. 10
ARTHUR JAMES WELCH
Joseph Belway, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that I Andrew Cummings of Vancouver, B.C., occupation cook, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins, near the trail, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.
Date Feb. 3, 1911.
Pub. Mar. 10.
ANDREW CUMMINGS
Joseph Belway, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that I Hugh D. Gillis of Prince Rupert, occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins and one mile in a northerly direction from the said Lava Lake trail, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.
Date Feb. 3, 1911.
Pub. Mar. 10.
HUGH D. GILLIS
Joseph Belway, Agent

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Date Feb. 3, 1911.
Pub. Mar. 10.
BOLCOM McDONALD
Joseph Belway, Agent

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Date Feb. 3, 1911.
Pub. Mar. 10.
CHARLES MORRIS
Joseph Belway, Agent

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With never a fence to divide,
And if each little house had three little maids
At play in the garden wide;
And if each little maid had three little cats
(Three times three times three),
And if each little cat had three little kits,
Now many kits would there be?

And if each little maid had three little friends,
With whom she loved to play,
And if each little friend had three little dolls
In dresses and ribbons gay;
And if friends and dolls and cats and kits
Were all invited to tea,
And none of them all should send regrets,
How many guests would there be?

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No. 11

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And so unless I was telling you anything but the truth in these messages I would do better by going over to the Optimist, handing them the money and tell them to keep it without running my ads. The results would be the same.

To live properly we must be progressive. We must ever go ahead, expand. We cannot stand still, for when we do we go back.

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He Buys Leases He Buys Buildings
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He has Stores to Rent.
He Buys Lands in Skeena and Naas River Valleys.

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He Sells Lots He Sells Contracts
He wants Stores to Rent
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