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OUR BOARD OF TRADE

With place of meeting in Abbotsford the municipalities of Matsqui and Sumas should be proud of the fact that Board of Trade has been established and holding monthly (at least it should be monthly) meetings for the past two years or more. Of course there are those who will ask in all earnestness what good is a Board of Trade, and especially in a small community like this where the government attends to all the wants of the town and the municipalities have the council to look after them. Of course too much looking after, like too many cooks spoil the broth, but on the other hand when several bodies, be it Board of Trade or municipal council ask the government or any corporation for what is required we all believe that the more pressure brought to bear the better the chances of securing the desired object.

There is work for our Board of Trade to do during the coming year. It should endeavor to see that the town and surrounding district be brought before the attention of many people in the old land who are thinking of coming to this province to reside. There is no literature that the secretary can send to inquirers when he is written to asking about the district. Only this week he was heard to remark that he had several communications asking about the openings for business enterprises or information about the district, and what the land was adapted for, etc. Now it is unreasonable for any one to ask that he sit down and write a lengthy letter to three or four or more people during a month or two, relling them about the district He would have to be a mighty strong booster and deeply interested in the development of the district to undertake such a task; and then again, what he might write to such an inquiry, might not suit every person who is a member of the Board should copies of his letters be read at the next meeting. He should have approved literature to send out to inquirers, without having to wait to write a letter. All or many of the inquirers write to several different parts at the same time and the most tempting is the one that secures the visit of the man who is lookinng for a home in the Fraser Valley.

Has the Board yet brought to the attention of the member for the district the requirements of the town and the districts represented? Has the Board asked for the spending of any money during the coming year. There will not be a better opportunity to secure needed improvements for the town and district, than during the next six months. This is almost an assured fact. The member will not again be more anxious than he is this year, to please each voter. Now is the time and now is the opportunity. Ask those in the know.

The railway commissioners will meet in Vancouver at an early date Is there anything in Abbotsford requiring adjustment that can be brought before this august body? What about the opening of that street across both railways?

The past record of the Board has shown that it is able to accomplish something, something for the advancement of the community. Then why not make it a live Board of Trade.

The Board is asked to meet the first of each month. The secretary informs this paper that he would like to have a real good meeting next time. Every person who is a member of the Board and who is also a reader of this paer, is hereby notified that the next meeting the Board will be held in the Board rooms on Monday, February 5th, Don't forget the date.

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THE TOWN BOOSTED

It was a privilege of a representattive of this paper to listen to a conversation bettween a resident of this town and a stranger the other day, and, while no notes were taken the conversation ran something like the following, and shows that all the boosters for Abbotsford are not yet become faint hearted;

Resident—Good morning, stranger.

Stranger—Good morning (Seeming surprised that he should be spoken and apparently welcoming the opportunity to talk) This is a fine morning. Do you have much weather like this in Abbotsford? I have come from the province of eternal sunshine, but we have nothing like this there.

Resident—Yes, this is a nice day We are so used to such fine weather here that most of us old-timers do not take much notice. We take it as a matter of fact that Abbotsford is entitled to days just such as this one, but it is a beauty nevertheless.

Stranger—What keeps this town alive?

Resident—The surrounding country. This is a central location We have excellent communication with the outside world. We have trains from the north, east south and west, morning, noon and night Our real estate agents say that "All Roads Lead to Abbotsford" and do you know I believe they are pretty near right. Just look at that envelope; it represents a map of Abbotsford and part of the district.

Stranger—It looks as though Abbotsford was the Hub of the Universe6

Resident—Well it does you know The Board of Trade is responsible for that envelope. It is all right too. When strangers d onot know where to go and they have seen everything at the coast many of them come up here, and do you kknow we have kept a lot of them Many have purchased five and ten acre plots and are making country homes for themselves. But within a short radius of the town there is room for many more. Were you looking for fruit lands or manufacturing sites? We have a lot of good land to the south, the west and east on Sumas Prairie—land that will suit any taste or whim in the line of farming. For manufacturing sites we can offer good inducements. Cheap sites and the power from either of the two competing companies, then as I said "All Roads Lead to Abbotsford" so can one go out in all directions from Abbotsford.

GOOD OPENINGS IN ABBOTSFORD FOR—

A Steam Laundry
A Sash and Door Factory
Any Manufacturing concern requiring cheap power and good shipping facilities are an inducement—cheap sites, light taxes, etc.

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THE BUILDING LINE—

The new year appears to be startin g in well. There are a number of residence going up at the present time and the building season in small towns throughout the province cannot be said to have yet fairly begun. It is hoped that a dozen or two houses will be built this season. Houses to rent have always been scarce in Abbotsford. Houses built with the idea of selling them to newcomers on the instalment plan or outright should prove a good investment.

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TELL IT TO THE EDITOR—

The average citizen does not at all dream how often this or any other paper is pressed for news items There is always space for a good piece of news—even as small an item as telling about the fellow who went to sleep in one of the front pews of the church during the sermon, although his best girl was seated beside him up to the best business announcement where a million dollars are to be spent in improvements of a district—no item to small if of local interest and of course none too large.

Any citizen with a wholesome piece of news is always welcome at The Abbotsford Post office next door to the Abbotsford post office All the news of the district is wanted. The more the better we like it Don't confuse the two places as the Abbotsford post office is a government institution where all employees get a government salary and don't have to rustle for news, whileThe Abbotsford Post office is maintained on the results hard rustling with many disappoint ments. Now don't confuse the Abbotsford Post office with the Abbotsford post office, but send all the news to the former place.

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MONTANA PETE CAUGHT

Montana Pete will serve three months for supplying liquor to the Indians of Sumas and district. He was caught this week and appear ing before the judge was sentenced The credit belongs to Mr. Lister who has been promoted to Mission City.

Stranger—You must live here?

Resident—Yes I live here, and to me it is a very fine place to live. I'll show you where I live and what I have done during the past two years, if you have time.

Stranger—Time to burn.

Both start away together, and the reppresentative knowing what had been accomplished in that time felt that the stranger was in good hands and hied himself away in another direction. But perhaps some reader will say that this was hardly worth recording. Maybe not. Maybe, yes. It is better to be a booster than a kicker. One feels happier,

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1912

It begins to look as though Premier McBride will go to the country, says the Islander, about the first of June on the northern railroad question. He may do so with a perfect assurance of the hearty support of the people. No man has done more for the province than Mr. McBride. He has procured concessions and money when others failed and the present prosperous condition of the province is in large degree due to the efforts of the Premier.

Relative to the matter the Victoria Daily Colonist says;

"If the government shall ask the Lieutenant Governor to grant a dissolution of the House and a new election there will be nothing at all unprecedented in such a course. The practice both at Ottawa and London as well as in many of the provinces, is not to allow a legislature to live out its full term, and in a province like British Columbia, into which there is a constant influx of new people, and in which new areas are being opened up, it is excellent policy to have new elections at frequent intervals, so that the legislature may be truly representative. If the present House is not dissolved until after its fourth session, that is, in 1913, full term there would be but one and the next House shall sit out its election between 1909 and 1917, which we submit is too long a period for the affairs of the province to be carried on without an appeal to the people in view of the rapid increase in the population and the changing conditions of the community.

"For this reason, if for no other, if Mr. McBride shall determine to advise the Lieutenant-Governor that a dissolution after the present session is desirable, he will be consulting the public interest. Opponents of the government will no doubt object, but they will also object if he permits the House to live out its full term. Mr. McBride is not likely to do this in this or any other matter of vital importance what his captious critics say he ought to do, for experience has shown that they are never right."

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THE BACKWOODSMAN

By Acton Seymour

"Oh, shut up!" snapped the young man.

"She wait. You have promised," insisted the Indian. "You go back with me."

Wiggin perceived that the others were listening an had overheard. He grew red and angry.

"I tell you to close your mouth," he commanded. "If you've got business with me, talk in private. I haven't got any time for you now."

But the old Indian stepped in front of him when he attempted to pass.

"I have wait. I have hunt long for you. She cánot wait longer. This is the time to talk. Do you come with me?"

"I've given you your warning. You keep out of my way!"

He thrust his arm against Noel to push him aside. The Indian clung to him. Wiggin, beside himself, cursed, leaped back, and struck the old man. Noel fell, and Wiggin came on. He glared at George, challenging him with his eyes. But Harry, shocked though he was by the brutal act, said nothing. Another public quarrel with this young fire eater was not to his taste. He had an account to settle with Blinn Wiggin, but he proposed to attend to it at a more fitting time.

The landlord was not restrained by such considerations.

"That was about as dirty a trick as I ever saw done," he declared. "You did take a man of your size the other day, but you struck him when he wasn't looking. Now, you hit a man a hundred years old. We'll ride you on a rail, Wiggin, if you keep this up." The Indian had struggled to his feet. "It's too bad, Noel. Did he hurt you much?"

"He hurt me here," replied Noel, drawing up his tall form and patting his breast. "For she wait. If I not bring him, she die of shame and sorrow."

"Say, what's the trouble here, anyway?" demanded the landlord. "Now, you needn't flare up at me, Wiggin. You tackle me, and I'll brain you with this chair. What are you battering that old man for?"

"None of your devilish business! If I've got any mail here, give it to me. That's all the busines I've got with you."

"There isnt any mail for you."

Wiggin turned to leave.

"I say you come," cried Noel, his voice breaking.

But Wiggin hastened down the street. Noel tried to follow, but he staggered, and the landlord ran after him and brought him back to the porch.

"It's too bad, old man," he said soothingly. "You're only an Injun, but doin that to you wa'n't right. You seemed to have business with him about some 'she.' What's the matter?" The landlord displayed the curiosity of the busy-body.

Noel drew himself up. He towered even above George's stalwart figure.

"My talk for him, not you," he said, with dignity. The wrinkles that marked his face were set into deep lines that made his visage grim. He turned, and walked away.

"I wouldn't want to have that Injun after me, even if he is a hundred years old," vouchsafed the landlord. "I'll tell you what it is, son, that deviler of a Wiggin has got mixed up with the White Lily. If he's done her dirt, there's trouble ahead for him, and some white folks I know of will be willing to help make it."

The return of the brisk stranger broke in on their conversation. He came with Jepson Wiggin at his heels. The old man was worried and haggard.

"I'd like to see you in private," the stranger informed George crisply. The young man led the way to his room, and the two followed.

When they were closeted, the stranger began without preamble.

"I'm from the main office of the Great Trust Co., Mr. George. You were sent up here on forestry work. You were supposed to be in the woods with our cruisers. Just what authority do you have to make talk with Mr. Jepson, here, on matters you know nothing about?"

"I had no authority," confessed Harry.

The old man began to curse, but the stranger snapped his finger at him, and ordered him to keep still.

"You deserve to be discharged, George, and I have full power to fire you. We make no allowances, understand? You've been here on a spree with the rest of these yahoos, when you——"

"I have been here doing no such thing," cried Harry indignantly.

"You've been loafing here, making talk about matters that you have no license to meddle with. Our company is not what you try to make it out. Jepson has told me how you tried to bribe him. I say, I ought to dis-

[illegible] cried. But he hurried to her, and pushed the letter into her hands.

"A wedding card!" she gasped. "What does it mean?"

She looked into his face, and suspected.

"It's not — it's not the——"

"It's the girl," he said. "Read it — read the letter. I could not. I could not wait. I could not see."

Controlling herself — turning his face from him, she read:

"Dear Harry: You will understand and forgive me, maybe. But if you cannot forgive me, remember that I thought I loved you once. You left me and I——"

Harry tore the letter from the girl's hand, and crumpled it in his fist. She stared at him, startled and wondering.

"Don't read any more — there's no need of any more!"

"Poor boy," she said, thinking she understood, though her heart was breaking, "it is cruel — wickedly cruel. It kills you to listen. I am sorry I read your——"

"Cruel! No, Clare; it is life to me, that letter. It is strength, hope, love, happiness, that letter! Oh, the words are choking me. I must say them. I must go down at your feet and tell you the words that have been bursting in me all these days. I'll go away after I say them. You want no discarded lover, I know that. But I want to tell you that I never knew love till I loved you. It was only a boy's liking — that other! This is a man's passion, and——"

She put her hand on his arm.

"Hush!" she said, looking past him. She said it gently. "I want to listen, Harry. But it's too sacred for others to hear."

He followed her gaze, and saw Romeo Bragg at the door of the camp, trying to look innocent. He took her hand.

"Strength is in me again," he declared. "Come, my Clare! Come up to the hill. Let's get nearer heaven — for it is sacred, what I have to tell you!"

"I've said it would happen," said Romeo Bragg to Governor Harris; "the only thing is, he's hung off longer'n I expected he would."

"Where do you reckon they're goin' to?" asked Harriss.

"Heard him say something about heaven," chuckled Bragg. "But if that girl ever looked at me the way she looked at him, just now, I'd reckon that old earth was a good place to stay a while in."

"They'd better not go too far," mumbled Harriss. "I ain't said anything about it — for I didn't want to worry a sick man or Miss Clare. But I'm knowin' to it that that hyena of a young Wiggin has been hangin' around this place on the sly for some time."

"You must be mistook," declared Bragg, turning to his duties; "he don't want any more. George provender passed to him. He ain't got appetite for it."

The two who slowly climbed the hill did not see the skulking figure that ran away toward the deeper woods of the summit. The man who ran evidently did not want to encounter them in the open where those at the camp would detect him.

It was Blinn Wiggin who ran.

He found a hiding place near the top. He seemed to guess that they would come that way. His shelter was a hole under the looming shadow of the roots of an upturned tree that had been felled by a tempest. The roots held in their meshes the broad plat of earth, mixed with stone, and the heavy mass was set on edge, supported in that position by the prostrate trunk. Wiggin squeezed himself down close to the plat in the hollow it had left. He swung his rifle into position. He commanded the path.

But there was another skulking figure in the hilltop woods, a figure that had followed Blinn Wiggin for many days.

It appeared now with cautious steps. It saw what ambuscade Wiggin had prepared. It was Noel, the Bear, treading with the soft foot of the trailer. He heard the voices of the young people, as they climbed slowly, favoring Harry's new convalescence.

Noel stood for one moment, motionless. He understood.

He threw his knife and ran to the rear of the upraised plat. He peered at its upper edge, as though he intended to clamber up and drop on the man waiting there with rifle aimed. But, glancing down, he saw something that brightened his dull eyes. When the tree had fallen, its trunk had been splintered across a boulder. The stub at the plat was joined to the tree only by strands of wood fiber, already half rotted.

The Indian had the quick knowledge of his forbears in regard to the affairs of the woods.

He kneeled upon the trunk. He began to cut at the fibers with his keen knife, grunting all the time like

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The manufacture is carried on in the homes of the weavers and taken to the wholesale dealers on certain market days. They work about six to eight hours every day, fine hats being made only in the early morning or evening hours, when there is greater humidity, while the coarser grades are woven at any time. The quality and value of the hats depend upon their weight, evenness, compactness, and colour.

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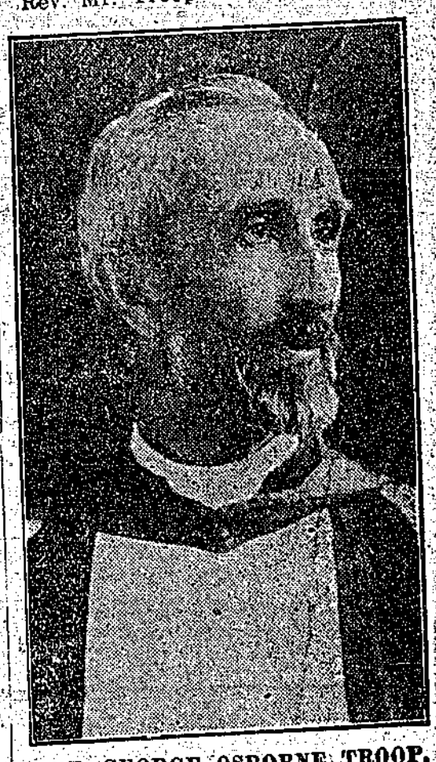
Rev. Mr. Troop has as one of his



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The man in question wears a big red beard, and stands six feet and some inches high. His shoulders are broad, and his muscles hard from continued exercise. A woman entered his studio and asked for the artist.

"That's him, standing over there," the attendant said.

The woman looked over to where the artist stood, towering like an ancient viking, and gasped. "Why," she whispered, in surprise, "he's big enough to work, isn't he?"

Wrong Anyway

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Invitations will be out in a few days for a bachelor ball to be given in the Maple Leaf Hall at an early date.

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Many people have asked this week who "WEE WILLIE" is but we can only guess not say. He is all right in any case.

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It is reported that our watchmaker intends to stay and intends adding to the number of new business blocks to be erected this summer. Just watch Abbotsford grow.

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Watch Abbotsford GROW!

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A man, one of the workmen on the Great Northern contruction work, fell through the trestle work this week, and after being taken to the hospital at Sumas, died.

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Mr. Faulkne ris our new policeman.

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The representatitves of the Canada Power Company state that they are delighted with the amount of business secured in this town.

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Mr. Laurie of the Great Northern supply house has gone to another section of the road situated near Edmonton.

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Mr. Hammond and son are building a residence for themselves on a lot recently purchased from Mr D. H. Nelson.

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Mr. F. H. Lister, who had taken the place of Mr. Gordon as constable for our town and district was removed to Mission City this week.

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Rev. A. Dunn, jnr., gave a most interesting illustrated lecture in the Maple Leaf Hall on Monday evening. It was given under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

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Watch Abbotsford GROW!

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The Rev. Hr. Hughson of the Methodist church at Sumas, Wash, will will give an address to the young people of the Presbyterian church on February 4th at 3 p.m.

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The Rev. Geo. A. Wilson, supt, of the B. C. Home Missions of the Presbyterian church, preached at Pine Grove and Mt Lehman on on Sunday last.

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Miss McNeill is visiting friends in Alberta, near Edmonton.

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Miss McKenzie who has been visiting friends in Bellingham and Huntingdon, spent a few days last week at the manse.

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The open meeting of the Loyal True Blue Association held on Monday the 22nd was a grand success.

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