

# THE DAILY NEWS

LARGEST CIRCULATION  
IN THE CITY AND NORTHERN  
BRITISH COLUMBIA

NEXT MAILS  
From South  
Prince George.....Wednesday  
For South  
Chelohsin.....Wednesday

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1913.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

## ANXIETY AS TO WINTER COAL SUPPLY RELIEVED

### HEAD CONSTABLE OF CALCUTTA KILLED -- ONE TOWN OF LOUISIANA SUBMERGED BY FLOODS

#### LOCAL COAL DEALER HAS CONTRACTED FOR A SUPPLY

REGULAR SHIPMENTS FROM OREGON OF 1,500 TONS PER MONTH--SEATTLE CANNOT SUPPLY VANCOUVER.

Word has been received from H. Rogers, of Rogers & Black, who is expected in the city today from the Chelohsin, that he has secured a contract with the Coos Bay Collieries at North Bend, Oregon, for a supply of 1,500 tons of coal per month for the next six months with the option of increasing the order. Mr. Rogers has been spending the past two weeks in Washington and Oregon for the purpose of making definite arrangements for a regular and assured supply. According to information received from Mr. Rogers, Seattle will not be in a position to supply Northern British Columbia with coal

for several months; in fact, it seems more than likely that Vancouver will have to look elsewhere for its supply this winter. While the supply that Mr. Rogers has arranged for is not sufficient to fill the demand in Prince Rupert, it is enough to somewhat relieve the anxiety of consumers. The Coos Bay coal is described as exceptionally good steam coal. While in the south Mr. Rogers also secured the agency for Southeastern Alaska for the Coos Bay Collieries. The coal will be shipped to Prince Rupert by the Simpson Lumber Company's vessels, which will not be required in the lumber trade this winter.



REV. HANS SCHMIDT MISS ANN AUMULLER

#### ONE OF THE STRANGEST CRIMES ON RECORD.

Rev. Hans B. Schmidt, a priest in St. Joseph's Church, New York, killed his sweetheart, Miss Ann Aumuller, and then cut her body into sections, which he later dropped into New York harbor, making six trips in all. A piece of the girl's lingerie was the first clue which led to Schmidt's arrest and full confession. He conducted service in the church the Sunday following the crime.

#### PARLIAMENT MAY NOT MEET UNTIL JANUARY

Majority of Cabinet Favor Postponement of Session Until After New Year

(Special to The Daily News.) Ottawa, Sept. 30.—Notwithstanding many rumors parliament is not likely to meet until January. The matter has not yet been definitely decided, or even considered, by the cabinet; it is understood, however, that a majority of the ministers favor a postponement of the session until after New Year. But there is still a possibility of the House meeting some time in November.

#### ALBANIANS VICTORIOUS

Defeat The Servians and Capture Important Position

(Special to The Daily News.) Vienna, Sept. 30.—According to reports received here the Albanians, after fierce fighting a few miles south of Kjaeva, routed the Servians who sustained heavy losses. The Albanians have now surrounded Kjaeva and its fall is hourly expected.

#### MINING AND AGRICULTURAL BUREAU TO BE ESTABLISHED

BOARD OF TRADE LIKELY TO TAKE ACTION ALONG A MUCH NEEDED LINE--EXHIBITS ALREADY DONATED.

Among the many good results of the recent fair held here the establishment of permanent mineral and agricultural exhibits in this city, which is almost an assured fact, is not the least important. Nearly the entire mineral exhibit at the fair, which was acknowledged to be one of the finest collections of ore ever seen in Northern British Columbia, has been donated to the board of trade for this purpose. J. D. Wells of Kitseas has donated his collection of copper ores, C. McDonald of the Queen Charlotte Islands his paraffin wax and oil exhibit and the Stewart Citizens' Association its entire exhibit. The Hazelton exhibit was returned, but word has already been received from D. McLeod, of the Silver Standard mine, that Hazelton will send down a collection for a permanent exhibit that will eclipse the one at the fair. An effort is also being made to secure a grant of the Atlin exhibit. In addition to the mineral exhibits the various districts have promised to send in splendid collections of grains, fruits and vegetables. These will not be sent until a little later in the season, when the grains particularly will be more matured and will be in better shape for preserving in a permanent exhibit. Several locations for displaying permanently the entire exhibit are under consideration. In the meantime, an effort is being made to get the real estate exchange to act jointly with the board of trade in maintaining such an exhibit, as well as to secure financial assistance from the city.

#### DISCUSSION IN CITY COUNCIL ON THE SALE OF CITY BONDS

MEMBERS OF THE MAYOR TO SELL CITY DEBENTURES WITHOUT RATIFICATION BY COUNCIL LIMITED TO HIS TRIP TO LONDON.

At the meeting of the city council last night Alderman Bullock-Webster asked a number of questions in regard to the proposed trip of Mayor Pattullo to Victoria. He said that if the mayor's mission was to market the city bonds it was unnecessary, as the money could be had in the city. The alderman said that in the past few days he had come into communication with four people in this city who were willing to take up city bonds. He asked if any communications on the subject had been received by the council or the acting mayor in regard to the sale of the debentures, and particularly if one had been received from Mr. Hicks Beach, who had written some time ago that he was able to dispose of the bonds in London. The alderman also asked if the council understood that the mayor had the absolute power to dispose of these bonds, as he imagined that only a majority of the council had that power. If he did not that power he would ask whether the mayor had quoted the figure of \$83,35 and thus come outside the council, as in this case such action would be ultra vires. Acting Mayor Naden said that he understood it, the power given to the mayor when he went to London to sell the bonds at any price ended upon his return, and he certainly would not now sell any bonds without the ratification of the council. To the second of Alderman Bullock-Webster's questions he replied that no communications had been received offering to buy the bonds, but one had been received in the nature of an option. Alderman Maitland thought the council should have full information as to how things were going on, and he asked for all the information that had been received in regard to these bond sales. Acting Mayor Naden replied that dozens of letters of enquiry in regard to the bonds had been received and answered, but it would be useless to bother the council with this mass of correspondence. The council might feel assured that should any offer to buy be received it would at once be reported to the council. Any definite offer would have to come before the council before it could be acted upon. In further reply to Alderman Leek and to Alderman Bullock-Webster, the acting mayor said there had been one letter received, not to buy the bonds, but asking an option upon them, which was a very different thing. Even this letter had been withdrawn for the present. Alderman Kerr asked if a communication had not been received from the provincial finance minister stating that the government could not guarantee the city's bonds. Alderman Naden said the day the mayor left there had been some communication from Mr. Ross along these lines, but he himself did not know the full content of the communication.

#### CITY IN DARKNESS FROM HEAVY FLOOD

Rice Crop of Southern Louisiana Seriously Affected and May be Completely Ruined

(Special to The Daily News.) Lake Charles, La., Sept. 30.—The floods south-east of Louisiana have reached serious proportions. One result is that this city is in complete darkness and without street car service, with many houses and stores in the lower sections flooded. It is still raining and the waters rapidly rising. The rice crop is seriously affected and may prove a complete loss.

#### CAPTURED BY BANDITS

Eight Foreigners Held by Chinese Robbers

(Special to The Daily News.) Peking, Sept. 30.—Bandits have looted and still hold the town of Tsaoyang. According to reports received here last night eight foreigners were captured and are held by them.

#### PRINCE ARTHUR FOR VICEROY

May Succeed His Father as Our Governor General.

(Special to The Daily News.) London, Sept. 30.—It is reported in high circles that Prince Arthur of Connaught will succeed his father, the Duke of Connaught, as governor general of Canada. It is said that his marriage with the Duchess of Fife is being hurried forward in order that he may thus qualify for the exalted office.

Launch Alice B for hire. Telephone Green 394, Davis' Float, 155-16

#### BASEBALL

National League.

New York 5-1, Boston 3-8. Brooklyn 3-4, Philadelphia 4-1. The last game was called in the fourteenth inning on account of darkness. Others, wet grounds.

American League.

Boston 1-1, New York 3-5. Philadelphia 0, Washington 1.

#### SCORE SIX TO FOUR

Vancouver Champions Defeated by the All Stars

(Special to The Daily News.) Seattle, Sept. 30.—The All-Star Northwestern Baseball league team won the exhibition game yesterday, beating the Vancouver champions by a score of 6 to 4.

#### TARIFF REVISION BILL

Brought Back to the House with Strong Endorsement.

(Special to The Daily News.) Washington, Sept. 30.—The Democratic tariff revision bill was advanced to its last congressional stage yesterday. It was brought back to the house from the joint conference of both houses with the unanimous endorsement of the Democratic conferees. There were no less than six hundred and seventy amendments made to it by the senate, but it is not expected that these will take up much time in debating.

#### General Election in Italy.

(Special to The Daily News.) Pisa, Italy, Sept. 30.—King Victor Emmanuel signed a decree yesterday, dissolving the chamber of deputies and calling for a general election at the end of next month.

#### ROY HORIE'S EXCITING EXPERIENCE WITH BEARS

SINGLE HANDED, WITH AID OF DOG, HE KILLED MOTHER BEAR AND CUB WITH A SPRUCE STICK--MOTHER WEIGHS 400 POUNDS.

Roy Horie, in charge of a government survey party working on Banks, Prescott and Porcher Islands, had an experience about a week ago which he will likely remember for many a day and which will serve as the material for a good story to relate to his little ones by the fireside when they are anxious for a real bear story. While cruising some land at Kameolan Inlet, about forty miles south of Prince Rupert, he espied two black bear on the mountainside about fifty yards away. With a small pistol he fired two shots, wounding both of them. The wounds, however, were sufficient only to arouse the anger of the beasts and they at once made for him. With only one shell left he fired at the larger bear but missed. He then grabbed a spruce limb as his only defence, the bears still advancing. His faithful dog joined him in the battle and kept worrying the big bear from behind. Each time the bear turned at the dog Mr. Horie inflicted telling blows on the bear's head with an occasional blow at the smaller one. Finally he rendered the big one a stunning blow and then ended its existence with a knife. With this one out of the way he soon despatched the smaller one. The larger of the two, a she-bear, weighed nearly four hundred pounds and the cub about a hundred. Several times during the encounter, which took place in a hollow beside a large fallen tree, Mr. Horie longed for the haunts of civilization, but now that the excitement has worn away he is justly proud of his victory in the thrilling episode. Mr. Horie reports that wolves are particularly numerous on Banks Island. An Indian told him he had seen one pack of over forty. The Indian dogs are running wild with them.

#### TOM LAWSON'S LATEST FREAK A BOOK ON HIGH COST OF LIVING

ADVOCATES JOINT CONGRESSIONAL COURT TO HOLD INVESTIGATION--DECLARES WHOLESALE LOOTING OF INVESTORS IS NOW GOING ON.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Every member of both houses of congress today received by express and received for a handsomely bound and expensively gotten up book. The title of the volume is "High Cost of Living," and Thomas W. Lawson is named as the author. There are five principal subdivisions to the subject matter of this unique demand for an investigation of alleged plunderings. One chapter is headed "The Hell of It All," another "If Cents Reigned Where Dollars Rule"; a third, "The Spirit of the Times"; the fourth, "Reformation or Revolution," and the balance is "The Remedy." After advocating a joint congressional court to make a sweeping investigation Mr. Lawson gives at random and briefly a few samples of exposures which should be made by such a tribunal. Here are some of the samples: "A director of a great insurance company, without even consulting any of its officials, binding it to buy \$4,000,000 of a worthless bond flotation which would return to him personally over 50 per cent. "The collection inside of 48 hours of a corruption fund of \$5,000,000 from banks, insurance companies and corporations for the purpose of purchasing the electoral vote of a number of states. "The president of a great national bank honoring a cheque drawn by its controlling director for many millions of dollars more than the director had to his credit. "A great national bank lending itself to the creation, operation and consummation of a criminal act whereby its controllers secured more than \$30,000,000 worth of plunder. "A group during the last administration cleaning up scores of millions of personal profit by trading on government decisions in advance of their becoming public. "A wholesale looting, right now, of American and European

#### EARLY CLOSING BYLAW

Was Repealed Last Night by the City Council.

The early closing bylaw passed by last year's council, upon which a report had been made by the city solicitor that it was inoperative because it would not stand the test of the law, was last night formally repealed. There was no discussion during its several readings and only one alderman, George Kerr, voted against its repeal. So that merchants can keep open just as long as they like during week days without fear of the law.

#### A Serious Crime.

William Brown, from one of the Skeena River canneries, appeared before Judge Young yesterday on a serious criminal charge. He pleaded guilty, sentence being deferred.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4.

#### "TANNHAUSER" PROVED A RARE TREAT

Those who braved last night's storm to see Wagner's "Tannhauser" in moving picture at the Westholme were amply repaid. The interesting and immortal opera was vividly portrayed by a very large company of artists and throughout its presentation it was watched with rapt attention. The excellent accompaniment by the Westholme orchestra added materially to the appreciation with which the pictures were received. Tonight will be the last opportunity of seeing and hearing this rare treat.

In the case of McMillan vs. Hillis, an action to recover money on a cheque for furs, which was continued before Judge Young yesterday, judgment was reserved. The case of Gilmour vs. McCoskrie, which was up yesterday, was continued this morning.

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Richard Wagner's Immortal Grand Opera  
**'TANNHAUSER'**  
IN MOVING PICTURES  
With Complete Musical Setting from the Opera by the Westholme Orchestra  
ADMISSION 10c AND 15c

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