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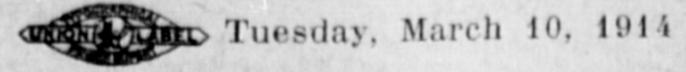
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only place where graft is used in securing sites for public buildings. A quarantine station was required at Levis, Quebec, and the opportunity was made use of to enrich at least three of the Tory party following. Land that a few months before could be had for \$5500 was purchased from a good friend of the party for \$32,750. The same motives seem to inspire the party in the east as well as the west.

Mr. Borden was elected on a platform that declared strongly in favor of civil service reform. Previous to his election the Liberals has established a competitive system for the inside civil service. Instead of extending that reform Mr. Borden has done the opposite. Since his election the Conservatives have appointed 361 civil servants and not one of them took the required examination. Add to this the ruthless discharge of an army of other civil servants, and we have a record of which any government should be ashamed.

This paper never attacked William Manson on personal grounds. A man may be a gentleman and nothing else. As a rule men who are strong on gentlemanly conduct are very weak on aggressive qualities. As government agent William Manson was a great success, and if he were still there he would have the respect of all who know him. He is a man built to be set under authority. His first thought is about what his superiors will think. This country, however, wants a man full of energy and persistence who will demand our rights, and see that they are granted. William Manson keeps on smiling while Bowser cuts the appropriations of Skeena in two. As such he

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Prince Rupert is not the; may be a gentleman, but certainly he is not a fit man to represent northern British Columbia.

> Twenty-five officers, one lady private secretary, one assistant lady private secretary, and two orderlies, with the officers' wives and daughters, comprised the party which Col. Hughes, minister! of militia, took with him to Europe last fall. The estimated total cost of the trip has been stated by the minister to be \$24,262. Those who are informed state that when all the bills are in the total cost will be vastly in excess of received for pay of rank \$3,other allowances in addition to a regular salary \$10 a day.

While Col. Sam Hughes was entertaining this gold braided brigade on the Continent, he engaged on an average of seven automobiles per day sent from England to Boulogne and from there conveyed the party over north and northeastern France and other continental countries. party from September 3 to October 17, and the total amount paid for automobiles alone was \$6,904.26.

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this sum. The officers re- BRITAIN'S CHIEF DIPLOMAT IN BENTON CASE IN MEXICO

984, and for subsistence and Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, British Ambassador to the U.S. has had many years' experience at the embassies. Spring-Rice was born February 27, 1859. He served as secretary at Brussels, Tokio, Berlin, Constantinople, and was First Secretary at St. Petersburg. He was Minister to Persia, and Minister to Sweden, going to the United States last year. This is a new character sketch by Harry Moyer and is a very striking likeness of the Ambassador.

from the Wolseley Motor Car Co., Ltd. These cars were POLITICAL ROAD BUILDING IN PORTLAND CANAL DISTRICT

The automobiles were with the MINING MAN WHO IS AFFECTED BY ROTTEN SYSTEM TELLS HOW THE APPROPRIATIONS ARE DISPOSED OF-NO HELP TO MEN DEVELOPING COUNTRY

No doubt some estimable peo- and undisputed reign of the Conthe militia department paid the government emanating from bia, collectively expressed by During the summer of 1912 their government, and a large Col. Sam Hughes and Sir Ian fraction of my life is in the comspection through Canada on a I have taken a pride in the pro- tants live by creative industry, a special train with a host of gress of the camp, and realizing wholesome respect for public trip cost the country \$20,740. before we could expect a renewal features of ring rule; in the minister and so wasteful a erty in which I am interested to for the proprieties. The machine the producing stage. So far this has a free hand. property has shipped twelve tons

> moralizing situation. It was inevitable that the long

> > First and McBride

PHONE 25

ple of British Columbia will be servative party should develop a During the years 1912-13 inclined to resent a criticism of political machine with the usual characteristics; moreover the out for repairs, furnishings an alien. To such I may say that period of inflation from which and upkeep of the automobiles I came here upon the invitation the country is just emerging afowned by that department in of the people of British Colum- forded the particular soil in which machine methods flourished. In the older settled districts of British Columbia, where Hamilton made a tour of in- munity I have helped to develop. a large proportion of the inhabiattendants and officers. This the necessity of showing results opinion eliminates the grosser How long can Canada of- of public support, I have been newer districts this restriction is ford to keep so expensive a endeavoring to bring the prop- lacking, and there is less respect

This is the condition at of ore of a gross value of about Stewart. The principal industry \$1800. The coming season I am is building roads and trails. The Demand the Brand ready to continue production un- road department is the largest less prevented by obstructions employer of labor. Public opinpretty closely traceable to the ion is a negligible quantity, government agency. I consider, there being only a corporal's UNION S.S. COMPANY OF B.C., Ltd therefore, that I am entitled to a guard of voters, most of whom hearing on a matter of public are directly or indirectly penpolicy that directly concerns me. sioners of the government. In Moreover, for whatever reason it short, the government dominates may be, no other person from the situation. Its local represenmy section has come forward to tatives are the inevitable procall public attention to a de- duct of the circumstances-pli- 66

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IS FUR SEAL HERD WORTH PROTECTING?

Seattle Paper Thinks They Are Expensive Enemy of the Salmon

The Seattle P .- I. treats editorially with the question of the fur seal herd of the Pribilif islands, which has cost a lot of money in controversies and in awards to other nations. The P .-I, thinks perhaps they are not worth while. It says:

"As a matter of fact, notwithstanding the many volumes which have been written on the subject, it is an open question whether the seal herd is worth preserving and whether it would not be far better to permit the last of the seal which resort to the Pribilof islands to be killed.

"The fur seal are the most voracious and destructive of al animals. It is the claim of men who have followed sealing for s. D. MACDONALD, CHAS. DENNIS, years that the fur seal each kills his weight in food fish every day. They follow the salmon run to the coast each year, and probably kill many times the number of salmon that are taken and used for food. The diminution in the size of the seal herd is believed to be the principal reason why the salmon run remains as great as it is, despite the enormous numbers which are taken for food each year. The complete destruction of the seal herd would mean the extermination of the most voracious and destructive enemy which the salmon have."

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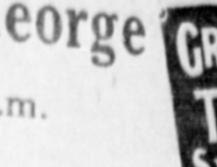
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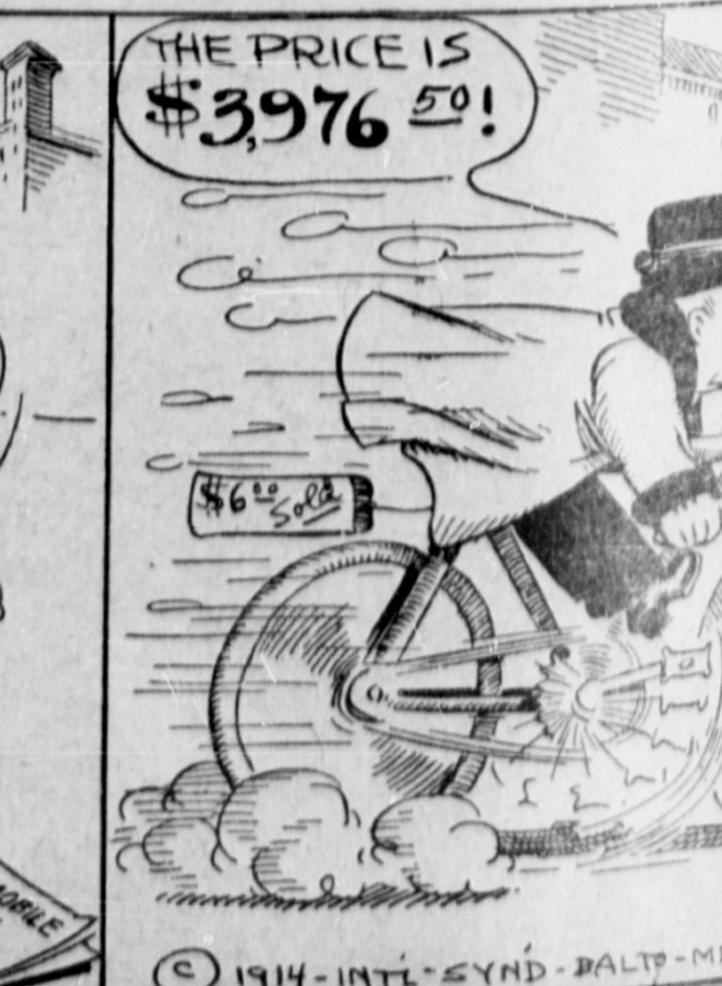


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