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DAILY EDITION.

MONDAY, FEB. 19

GRAND TRUNK ANNOUNCEMENT BRIGHTENS THINGS UP.

The glorious sunshine of today, glinting on the new snow of the distant hills, is a reflection of the general feeling in Prince Rupert this morning. Our detailed account of Saturday afternoon in regard to the great undertakings the railway company is to start in this city immediately has filled all classes with hope and encouragement. It is generally conceded that this is but the beginning of great things for the city; that it will bring other and probably larger private enterprises in its train. Meantime, there is work enough in sight for all, and this means a jubilant state of mind on the part of merchants. To them another big pay roll means much. Business houses are planning extensions and there is a hunt for good locations in which to start new businesses. In fact things are beginning to boom.

BEGINNING THE BOOM FOR DICK M'BRIDE.

We are informed by a government organ that McBride during the decade he has held the office of premier of this province has "rolled back" the map of British Columbia. There is every evidence that the premier has done this; has rolled up the map, tied it with a yard of red tape, and thrust it into a dusty pigeon-hole. Yet the province has prospered in spite of this. Its wealth of natural resources could not long remain undiscovered. The prosperity of the world outside during the past ten years, with the exception of a few months of financial panic in the United States has been unbounded, and accrued earnings are still seeking investment in all corners of the world. British Columbia could not and was not overlooked. Outside capital opened up her mines in this northern part, and is creating a fishing industry that will shortly rank second to none. Where does McBride come in for any particular credit?

Of the whole of this northern half of the province Prince Rupert is the hub. It is the newest and most desperately struggling city on the map, as well as being the city with the greatest future. What has McBride done for Prince Rupert to lead any citizen to give his vote to continue him in power? He has done this, and done it deliberately: He has kept one-quarter of this townsite from paying taxes; he has defrauded the city treasury by just that much. To make public improvements, to develop the city and make it worthy of front rank among the leading seaports of the world takes money and the city has to borrow it. Its collateral for such borrowing is depreciated by twenty-five per cent. by McBride's "policy of wonderful expansion." Even the credit of its debentures are smirched by the dilly-dallying of his legislature in the ratification of our debenture bylaws. Right in the heart of our business section are dirty, disfiguring vacant lots that would have been covered with handsome business blocks from which the city would be collecting revenues, but McBride is waiting to gather the "unearned increment"; waiting until the citizens make these lots of immense value by the investment of their own toil and money on adjacent properties. When William Manson starts on his still hunt for voters for McBride next April, he will need a search warrant to find one in this city outside of those holding provincial jobs or who hope to hold one.

WE SHALL GET THAT ALASKA TRADE EVENTUALLY.

During the federal election it was several times pointed out in these columns that if reciprocity carried this port would gain a very distinct advantage in at once becoming the supply point for the whole of the country to the north of us, including Alaska. There are indications that although reciprocity was defeated we may get that trade. Only two or three weeks ago some of the largest concerns of Ketchikan and Cordova decided to deal with Vancouver in preference to Seattle, being tired of the way Seattle has made a political football of Alaska and Alaskans. When the railway is through you may read this Prince Rupert instead of Vancouver.

But there is another point worthy of consideration in regard to this trade coming here. In an interview to be found in another column Mr. John Rogers, a well known mining man from Cordova, says that the agitation throughout Alaska in favor of political union with Canada is no idle talk, and he adduces strong logical argument. If that should ever take place we should have the Alaska trade; it would naturally belong to us.

Prince Rupert has always welcomed Alaskans. Among our leading property holders are several mining men from the north, some of whom were here as soon as the place had a name and have grown up with it. They are always welcome, and they can find no other place on the outside where they can leave their dust pokes with the same surety of large profit.

Convention of Liberals!

A convention of British Columbia Liberals will be held at O'Brien's Hall, Hastings street, Vancouver, on February 29th, 1912. Upon purchasing a first-class ticket to Vancouver via C. P. R. and obtaining at the time of purchase from the ticket agent a standard certificate, and upon the signing of this certificate by the Secretary of the Convention, the holder will be entitled to a return ticket at one-third the usual fare.

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
Take notice that I, Lemuel Freer, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the shore in a northerly direction from Port Nelson Cannery, marked L. F.'s S.E. corner, thence 20 chains north, thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains south to shore line, thence east along the shore to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

Dated Dec. 7, 1911.
Pub. Jan. 5, 1912.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
Take notice that I, Louis Caleris, driver, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1729, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
Take notice that I, George Young, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1484, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated Nov. 10th, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
Take notice that I, John Argiracis, carpenter, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1552, thence west to the northeast corner of Lot 1553, thence south to beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing one hundred and four (104) acres, more or less.

Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
Take notice that I, George Young, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
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Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar, Range 5.
Take notice that I, James T. Fullerton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation engineering student, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 1550, thence south to the north boundary of Lot 1551, thence east along the said boundary to the seashore, thence following along the shore to the point of commencement, containing three hundred and sixty-one (361) acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar, Range 5.
Take notice that I, Samuel Belites, gardener, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
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POPE FORBIDS LOW CUT GOWNS

Pontiff Issues an Order Which He Believes Will Abolish Decollette Styles in Roman Catholic Social Circles.

Rome, Feb. 14.—For a long time it has been known that Pope Pius was intensely opposed to some of the tendencies of current fashions, his special aversion being the extremely decollette cut in evening gowns, and from the beginning of the present pontificate the Vatican has urged Catholic clergy throughout the world to discourage so far as possible the wearing of them by Catholics. There is, therefore, no surprise at the edict issued today in which Pope Pius forbids cardinals and all other church dignitaries to accept invitations to social functions where women are permitted to wear decollette gowns. The Pontiff believes his order will tend to do away with a lot of low cut gowns in Catholic circles.

EXPERIMENTAL FARMS

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—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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—Seattle P. I.

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