

Committee on North Road is Favor of Idea

A meeting of the International Committee on the Yukon-Alaska highway was held last week in Victoria. Mr. Speaker Black of the House of Commons, and appointed by the Dominion Government as one of the Canadian members of the committee, was elected chairman. After a meeting of the committee in Victoria last Friday the chairman declared that the engineering feasibility of a road to Alaska had been completely demonstrated by data already gathered. He indicated that while no decision on this point had been reached, a route leaving the B. C. highway system in the vicinity of New Hazelton and running straight north to the Yukon boundary was favored.

A road already running across the Yukon could be repaired and used for a trunk highway at a cost of some \$5,000,000, it was estimated.

"This road if built, would be built as a special scheme that would not be allowed to interfere in any way with the general road program of British Columbia," Premier Tolmie emphasized. "Nor will it be allowed to embarrass the treasury of this province. The road would benefit every part of the province by drawing thousands of tourists across ports of entry from Victoria to the Alberta boundary, would lead to settlement, attract capital to our resources, and open up a territory highly mineralized and offering the best big game hunting in America. To the south of us are 120,000,000 people with 80 per cent of the automobiles in the world. The opening of this road would bring them north. Undoubtedly this road would be built some time, but just when it is impossible to predict."

The Canadian delegates on the committee are Mr. Speaker Black, J. M. Wardle, engineer of the federal parks branch, and Geo. Naplar, assistant to the chief engineer of the Provincial government. The American delegates are Major Malcolm Elliott, president of the Alaska Road Commission, E. W. Sawyer, assistant United States secretary of the interior, and H. H. Rice, automobile manufacturer of Detroit.

Both Mr. Sawyer and Major Elliott were members of the Caravan headed by Premier Tolmie a year ago last June. Great progress has been made in connection with this proposed road. It is a big undertaking and introduces lot longer to get such a road under way than would an ordinary road. At the same time the public will be surprised how soon that road will start. There will no doubt be a lot of opposition from Vancouver and other places who would much prefer that the Yukon and Alaska territories be moved down to Vancouver. But the road is going ahead and it will not be many years before the big motor traffic will be headed straight north.

When that time comes New Hazelton will be in a most enviable position. All traffic will be through here and this point will be the turning of point from the main provincial highway to the Yukon-Alaska highway. The very numerous attractions here will cause many of the tourists to stop off for a day or two. New Hazelton should also be the main supply point for the big northern trade.

J. McLaren is busy on a job at Remo

It is reported that J. Spitzle and family plan to return to Terrace in the near future. For the past few years Mr. Spitzle has been operating his ranch at Carnaby.

Pat Mulville is Killed in a Car Accident Friday

Patrick Mulville of Grasseys Plains in the Lakes District was killed as the result of being thrown out of a truck while driving with Norman Schrieber of Grasseys Plains also. The two men left Burns Lake on Friday last with a load of freight, etc., and about six miles out of Burns Lake on the main highway something went wrong with the truck and it turned sharply to the left and overturned. Both men were thrown out. Schrieber was rendered unconscious and when he came to a short time after he looked for Mulville. He found him lying in the ditch and dead. In time another car came along and took Schrieber in to Burns Lake for medical attention. The police were notified and that same evening Sgt. Fairbairn and Coroner Dr. Agnew left for the scene of the accident and undertook the investigation.

A coroner's inquest was opened and a jury empanelled. The remains and the scene of the accident were viewed and an adjournment taken until 10 o'clock on Thursday next.

In the meantime the police are continuing their investigation. They are also in possession of the truck.

Pat Mulville was known from the coast right through the valley. He was for years time keeper for John Bostrom during construction days and after Bostrom settled at Grasseys Plains Mulville was associated with him, later opening a small store near the Bostrom residence. He was also postmaster for the district. In business he was fairly successful as he was a man everyone liked. He had a great many friends in the north and his sudden death is greatly regretted.

Mulville was about forty-five years of age. He was not married. He had a brother Jack in Utah and he was notified immediately. Jack left Utah by plane for Tacoma immediately he heard of the accident and is expected in Burns Lake Wednesday or Thursday of this week.

SOME BIG PURCHASES

Provisions for the work camps has already involved an immense amount of buying which is being done through the department of the government purchasing agent. Purchases have already clean up the cooking ranges, wheelbarrows, picks and shovels in different parts of the province. The packing and canning factories have benefited. Owing to the closing of logging and mining camps many of these institutions found themselves with a large quantity of last year's pack still on their hands. Purchases for the relief camps have cleaned them out, so that they are able to place in a new lot and thus provide more employment in doing so. This follows the government policy of using British Columbia goods to the fullest possible extent.

NORTH LOOKS GOOD

H. Rive, dairy commissioner, who has just returned from a trip along the Canadian National Railway and the Bulkley Valley states that feed conditions for dairy farmers in the north are excellent and that they are in good condition for pulling through the winter. Farmers further west who have been supplying Prince Rupert with raw milk have been doing well. Those selling butter fat to the creameries are suffering from the low prices.

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Terrace Ladies Give up Farm Go to England

Terrace lost three of her outstanding people on Saturday when Mrs. Lanfear, Miss M. Lanfear and Miss French left for Prince Rupert enroute to Vancouver and from there to England where they will make their homes. On Monday evening a community fare well was tendered to them, when about fifty people gathered in Knox church to pay tribute to their popularity and to wish them God speed on the trip.

The church was tastefully decorated with dahlias, asters and carnations. During the evening J. K. Gordon spoke eloquently of their work in the district. Coming to Terrace in 1915 they settled on the land now known as Hillcrest Farm. In those days that section of the country was dense bush, and many ridiculed the idea of two women hoping to carve out a home for themselves in such a place. Patient persevering effort has resulted in beauty place now in evidence. For some years the scene that once was wild land, interwoven with native trees and shrubs, has been the site of one of the best flower gardens in the district. Mr. Gordon told of how, of late years the ladies have not taken any special active part in social matters, yet those who resided here during the dark days of the war still remember their self-sacrificing efforts on behalf of the men overseas. They will leave a gap in the community life hard to fill. Mrs. Lanfear's successful efforts in providing a summer home for children from coast points has brought Terrace to the favorable notice of many who would not otherwise have had such an interest in the interior.

The ladies have been progressive farmers, at one time keeping several head of cattle and being known as the breeders of a fine strain of Buff Oringtons.

Miss French, by her untiring efforts has given many of the younger generation a thorough grounding in music, carrying the education of some of her pupils to the point where they in turn can now teach others the art.

During the evening Mrs. Geo. Dover read an address of appreciation from the ladies of St. Peter's Anglican church. Among those who took part in making the evening an enjoyable one were Mrs. Lanfear, Mrs. Flinter, Rev. T. H. Allen, A. Attree and T. J. Kirkpatrick. Dainty refreshments and community singing brought the evening to a close.

Skeena Tories in Session

The annual meeting of the Skeena District Conservative Association was held at Hazelton on Wednesday, Oct. 7th. While the attendance was not so large as in some other years, this is accounted for by the fact that so many are working at present. It was also evident that the time has passed when the need to voice strong protests with reference to local grievances. A resolution was passed expressing the appreciation of the meeting to the Tolmie government for their efforts on behalf of Skeena during the past year.

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows:—
Hon. Presidents—Hon. R. B. Bennett and Hon. S. F. Tolmie.
Hon. Vice-presidents—C. H. Orme and Dr. R. C. Bamford.
President—O. T. Sundal.
Vice-presidents—W. J. O'Neill, Mrs. C. Duggate, Mrs. E. M. Whitlow.
Secretary-treasurer—Will Robinson

Mrs. D. L. McNeill is home again in the country. Many have been shot

In Peace River Conditions are Good says Gow

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gow returned to South Hazelton on Sunday morning after a trip to the Peace River country, where William goes each fall for goose hunt. They are both feeling great benefit from their trip.

Mr. Gow states that the farmers in the B. C. portion of the Peace River block have been granted the five cents a bushel bonus for wheat that had been granted to the prairie, and as the B. C. section of the block will have a half a million bushels of No. 1 wheat this year, the government is assisting them to the extent of \$25,000.

The crops in the Peace were generally good, running from 20 to 30 bushels to the acre. While the price of grain was down and many of the farmers were unable to get their usual credits from the banks, they were unable to use their tractors and American gas and oil. They had to go out into the fields and bring in the big horses again. He said he saw as many as eight and ten big horses hitched abreast and doing more work than two tractors. It will also be necessary for the farmers to haul their own grain to the elevators this year instead of contracting it to some outside firm with big trucks and the farmers would not be able to spend their winter in California, but would stay at home and work on the farm and haul grain.

The depression had done one great thing for the Peace. It had abolished big credits and everything is now on a cash basis. Business is about 75 per cent of normal and the country as a whole is benefiting.

In order to assist the farmers and other residents of the Peace the government is putting in a grist mill and a flour mill so that much money is being saved in freight on wheat out and the finished product in. These industries are at Fort St. John. Another big boon to that part of the district is a modern hospital built by the Roman Catholic church.

Mr. Gow says that there is now a lot of talk in the Peace about the successful growing of apples at Fort Resolution. He says the apples are of the finest grade and in abundance.

Speaking of the geese Mr. Gow says they are getting too wise. The old ganders are next to the ways of men and are protecting their flocks more than ever. One thing against the old time hunters was that last winter the snow fall was light and consequently the lakes are low and the geese stay away out in the water. There are he says more geese than ever he saw up there before, and as for ducks, prairie chicken and ruffed grouse, they are so numerous that people do not hunt them any more. But the geese have all the old hunters buffaloed this year.

CAMP OFFICIALS NO POWER TO ENGAGE MEN

The public works department at Victoria, issued a warning last week to unemployed men not to apply for jobs at government road camps. No men will be given jobs except through government agencies or the provincial police. Camp officials have no authority to employ any applicant. This warning was issued to head off a movement of men to the 167 camps now in operation on the roads of the province, and employing some 10,000 men.

There are still a lot of grouse left in the country. Many have been shot but a great many fooled the hunters.

B. C. is Better Dr. Wrinch is Happy at Home

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Wrinch arrived in Hazelton on Tuesday morning after a trip to Toronto where they visited with Arthur Wrinch who was in the general hospital, and who is now out of danger and progressing favorably. They also visited with friends and relatives in the district.

While in Toronto the Doctor attended sessions of the World's Hospital convention which was in session for four days. Between four and five thousand delegates were present, most of whom came from the United States.

A feature of the convention was the exhibition of hospital and surgical supplies. Every modern contrivance was there and the Doctor gained a lot of very valuable information. The exhibition, he said, was a great thing and on a very large scale.

Considerable attention was paid by the convention to the smaller hospital problems, and this was of great benefit to the local doctor. Then there was a lot of discussion on Hospital Day and how it was celebrated in the different parts of the continent. Of the ten most successful the Hazelton Hospital was mentioned. The first prize was granted to Brantford, Ont. Dr. Wrinch picked up a number of new ideas which he said he could apply to the local observance of the National hospital day.

He also went into the modern methods of using the X-ray and he finds a number of treatments can be given in the local institution besides the taking of photographs.

In many respects Dr. Wrinch found that the Canadian hospitals were farther advanced than were many of the American institutions, and while most of the displays were made by American firms, the Canadian firms goods were equal in quality and quite as up-to-date. He saw many things on display in the way of instruments and equipment which the local institution does not possess, but he got some and he formed connections with supply houses he did not know about in the past. In many ways the convention was all that he had hoped it to be.

Speaking of general conditions the Doctor stated that the farmers were in good shape and would get by this winter alright. Prices were low, but there was no depression. He found the wholesale houses were hardest hit as people were only buying as necessity dictated. Ontario had opened up road camps in northern Ontario and a lot of men had been sent north to work.

When he got back to British Columbia he felt more satisfied than ever that we here are in as good shape as in any part of the country and much better than in many parts. He was glad to see the provincial government doing so much road work and taking such big strides to carry people over the period of depression. He had hopes of a general business revival in the coming year. Even now a number of the saw mills east of Prince George are working.

Norman Watt, government agent at Prince Rupert, returned to the coast city on Sunday. By the load he was seen carrying the duck population of Katum Lake has been considerably reduced during the last few days.

Stan Smith of the local bank staff received word on Sunday that he is to be transferred to Vancouver in the near future.

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Roads Not Wide Enough

A road building engineer who stands high in his profession, both as an engineer and an operator, made the statement recently that the road policy of the provincial government was excellent with only one fault, and that fault is that the roads are not being built half wide enough to accommodate the traffic that will be waiting for the roads as soon as the roads are ready. This engineer had in mind the building of the Yukon-Alaska highway from New Hazelton north in the very near future. He held the view that work on that highway would be started in a much shorter time than people in British Columbia imagined, and once it was started it would push through with a speed not usually witnessed in a pioneer country. He stated that as soon as that road was opened for traffic there would be the first summer at least 10,000 cars pass over it. The heavy tourist traffic is during June, July and August—three months—and that would mean 3,000 and more cars per month or nearly 1,000 cars per week. The roads as being built today are not nearly wide enough, and that is one of the reasons the government is at the present time widening the existing roads in so many places.

Conditions are Better

Conditions in northern British Columbia have improved materially in

that the road camps are working in force. Practically all the men who asked for work are on the job, and it seems that they are all well satisfied with their conditions. There are on all sides indications that with the new year industry will have been greatly stimulated throughout the Dominion. Manufacturing eastern Canada is enjoying a large measure of increased business. There is comparatively little unemployment.

It is well known that there is a difference of about a year between the rise and fall in the east and in the extreme west, so that the increased good times in eastern Canada should hit out here next spring.

The policy of the Premier of Canada and of the government of British Columbia to employ the men of the country during the winter, was an excellent one, and when spring comes and opportunity to work at other jobs than road work will find the men in a position to go to work and able to do good work.

At the same time the tax payers must not lose sight of the fact that all the millions of dollars the governments are spending now must be paid back and with interest. At the present time, with British Columbia employing ten thousand men, it is costing a million dollars a month. When another 10,000 men are put to work, as is anticipated, it will cost two million dollars a month. Those figures run into bigger figures very fast and it all has to be paid back. That is one of the big tasks Premier Tolmie and Minister of Finance Jones are wrestling with right now. They have to get the money, and they do not wish to increase taxes. The only other alternative is to reduce expenditures of an unnecessary nature. It may be that taxes will have to be increased also. But we will get by.

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WATER NOTICE

(Diversion and Use)

Take Notice that Beatrice May Johnstone, whose address is Terrace, B. C., will apply for a license to take and use 15,000 gallons per day of water out of Lakelse Hot Spring, which flows westerly and drains into Lakelse Lake, B. C., about near the north-west corner of Lot 3083, Range 5. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point at about near the source of the Hot Spring on District Lot 684, Range 5, Coast District, and will be used for mineral trading purpose upon the land described as District Lot 4127, Range 5, Coast District. This notice was posted on the ground on the 7th day of October, 1931. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act" will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder, Prince Rupert, B. C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is October 14, 1931.

Beatrice May Johnstone
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An important development in local mining is looked for in the Porcupine creek district. A ten foot seam carrying a high percentage of lead has been opened up. While no definite news is to hand it is understood that the Consolidated interests are considering plans for extensive development of the property.

J. B. Johnstone of Lakelse Hot Springs left for Prince Rupert on the Thursday train.

Making Money In Retailing

In this district are many retailers who could and should have larger businesses.

The right way to get on in business is to set sales mark for the year—\$5000, \$10,000, \$20,000—whatever is reasonable and within one's financial ability.

Then the year's objective should be reduced to monthly and weekly amounts in accordance with the seasonal character of one's business.

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Terrace Notes

Government Agent Norman Watt arrived on Wednesday in connection with some disputes over staking claims

Dr. S. G. Mills had a call to Dorreen last week on account of an outbreak of measles. Upon investigation he did not consider it serious enough to close the school.

Bishop Rix conducted services in St. Peter's church on Sunday morning. The church was well filled and the Bishop gave a very interesting address dealing particularly with the relation of the church to the unemployment

problem.

In spite of threatening weather local nimrods took full advantage of Thanks giving Day. Several small parties left in the morning for this favorite hunting grounds.

Messrs. Daly and Oliver left on Monday for Usk, taking with them tractor, grader and scraper to be used on the highway construction.

A daughter was born to Rev. T. H. and Mrs. Allen on Friday, October 9.

A meeting of the Terrace Par. Teach Association was held on Thursday evening. About twenty members were present. It was decided the same officers should carry on the work of the organization until the end of the year. A discussion of sports activities revealed a lack of equipment and plans were discussed to repairing the defect.

Billy West reports an apple tree in bloom and violets in blossom. The vital question yet remains to be solved. Is the bench land six months ahead of itself or were the shrubbery just loafing on the job the past half year.

Mr. and Mrs. David Owens of Vancouver were visitors in town on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Latest reports state that Mrs. E. T. Kenney is making good progress toward recovery. She has been quite ill for some little time.

Mr. McCallum of the boys and girls pig club work visited the district this week to inspect the 1931 pig clubs. As H. S. French, district agriculturist of Prince George had done the judging in connection with this work during fair week, he returned to Winnipeg without seeing the pigs.

Are Opposed to P. G. E.

The Terrace District Board of Trade held its monthly meeting in the municipal hall on Tuesday, Oct. 6th with President J. K. Gordon presiding.

A fair attendance of members resulted in a good discussion of a variety of subjects. A vigorous protest was made against the completion of the P. G. E., the members feeling the money would be better spent on highways. This matter was discussed at the request of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce.

Letters from several prospective settlers were received and dealt with. It is likely that before another meeting a jewellery and watch making business will have started in Terrace.

The quarterly meeting will be held on October 20th. It is expected this will be a joint meeting of the Board of Trade, the Farmers' Institute and the Terrace Fair Association.

A resolution was passed asking the department of fisheries to extend to white settlers the privilege enjoyed by the Indians in the matter of fishing, thus enabling the people of the district to supplement their fare with fish.

Major J. Wilby, principal of the Kitsungallum High School was the guest of the evening and gave a very good address.

The first radio broadcast in history of musical entertainment from a steamship in motion, sent over a network of Canadian and United States land stations, was carried through successfully as the Empress of Britain was sailing up the St. Lawrence on her maiden voyage from Cherbourg June 1.

All records for the St. Lawrence route to Europe were shattered when the new Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Britain, 42,500-ton flagship of the company's Atlantic fleet, made the run from Cherbourg to Father Point in four days, nineteen hours, on her maiden voyage May 27-June 1.

"The train ride from Vancouver to Banff is the most wonderful I have ever taken," was the comment of the much-travelled and famous writer J. B. Priestley, of "Angel Pavement" and "The Good Companions" fame, interviewed recently at the Banff Springs Hotel. "These parts are too wonderful to describe," he said, and added he was coming again in September for the trail riding.

The Shield for efficiency among the four Canadian Pacific white Empresses of the Pacific, donated last year by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the company, was presented for the second time at Vancouver recently to Captain A. J. Hosken and the ship's company of the Empress of Russia. During the presentation the gathering was entertained by the broadcast from the Empress of Britain, over 3,000 miles away, steaming down the St. Lawrence.

Definite promise of an international travelling Art School with headquarters to be established at Banff in 1932, or at one of the Bungalow Camps in the Rockies, has been given by Tom Hall, prominent London, England, artist who has been assured by a number of his conferees in England that they would join him in artistic exploitation of the scenic wealth of the Canadian Rockies.

Travelling by Canadian Pacific special train from Toronto to Victoria and return, over 100 members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association held their annual general meeting early in June and took the opportunity to make a Trans-Canada tour, including Winnipeg, Regina and Saskatoon, where they conferred with local industrialists and were given civic and provincial welcomes. The meeting coincided with the 60th anniversary of the entrance of British Columbia into Confederation. (744)

Apple Growing Terrace District Best Varieties

Now the fall rains have started and crops are nearly all harvested, the time has arrived to consider plans for the coming season. One phase of agricultural life that is worthy of thought is the planning of the orchard extension in the spring of 1932. The time of experimenting with many varieties has now passed, and local fruit growers have fairly well decided as to the varieties of tree fruits best suited to the locality. There should be little more of the old idea of setting out an orchard of 30 trees—every one a different variety. While that may be all right for a home orchard, as a commercial proposition it is a distinct failure. When only a few trees of one variety are found in an orchard the grower has great difficulty in his grading and can do little more than offer the cheaper "jumble pack", thus cutting into his profits.

Experience has shown that while the Duchess of Oldenberg does well it is difficult to market this variety in competition with southern apples that appear on the market at the same time. Of the fall apples the Wealthy and Gravenstein easily take the lead, the latter, especially making a delightful eating apple, selling readily, and the trees bear well, the only drawback appears to be the comparatively short life of the tree. Wagners, while not making such a good size as could be wished for, do fairly well, the drawback appears to be the comparatively short life of the trees. The fruit keeps well, and under proper conditions can be held until July of the following year.

Winter Bananas, also are well received, and this variety has proved to be a good bearer locally. W. H. Robertson, director of plant industry, Victoria, is a strong advocate of the Vanderpol Red. This variety has not been planted largely in past years, but those trees that are found in local orchards give a good crop of a round scab-free apples, a fruit that does not mature until late March of the following year and one that can be kept well on to late summer with proper storage facilities.

It is understood that representations are to be made to the Dominion government looking to the establishment of an experimental station in this locality. It is felt that this should be on land that includes in part the red soil of the bench and also the black river bottoms, so that proper work can be done in checking up the possibilities of the two types of farming.

Mrs. W. West is able to be around again after her recent illness. Her daughter Mary is also improving.

W. A. King, local poultryman, spent a few days in Prince Rupert this week.

At the last meeting of the Terrace branch of the women's institute Mrs. J. A. McConnell gave a very full report of the pig club work since its inception in this district in 1928. She emphasized the value of this work to the farming community of the district, and paid great tribute to the government at Ottawa and also at Victoria in fostering the movement.

The annual harvest festival was held in Knox United church on Sunday. The church was very prettily decorated with autumn leaves, fruits, flowers and vegetables. The C. G. I. T. girls rendered a selection. Rev. T. H. Allen preached a sermon appropriate to the occasion.

Here and There

Montreal with 996,000, Toronto with 627,582, Winnipeg with 217,587; and Vancouver with 245,307, show as the four largest cities of the Dominion on the Federal Government census returns for 1931.

Saskatchewan ranks second to Ontario as an egg-producing province, with an estimated production last year of thirty million dozen eggs. Total value of poultry products to Canadian farmers in 1930 was \$30,000,000.

United States motor traffic to New Brunswick for the current season up to July 31 was 12 per cent heavier than for the corresponding period of last year, according to a tabulation just issued by the Provincial Government Bureau of Information and Tourist Travel.

What is regarded as probably the highest park in the world is the National Park on Mount Revelstoke in the Canadian Rockies, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific trans-continental system. It covers an area of 100 square miles and is above the clouds. There is a new motor road to the summit of the mountain.

Evangeline Memorial Park, Nova Scotia, with its chapel and museum dedicated to the memory of the heroine of Longfellow's poem and of the Acadian pioneers, has been visited by more than 94,000 tourists since it was opened in 1924; it is announced from Dominion Atlantic Railway headquarters.

Steady development of young Canada's interest in farming has increased to the point where a Canadian Council on Boys and Girls Club Work has been formed to co-ordinate the junior agricultural movement as a whole. The programme has been broadened to include practically every line and department of modern farming in Canada.

Harassed officials of the Canadian Pacific Express Company at Vancouver played nurse recently to a mother and her family of 14 when "Fanny," a sad-eyed retriever, carried by the company from Nelson, B.C., became the mother of 14 puppies. Hurry-up calls were put through for the consignee, a Vancouver youth, who was overjoyed to find the unexpected parcel.

When Dr. Josef Wielawski, surgeon of the S.S. Polonia, suffered an attack of appendicitis his life was saved by the intervention of Dr. A. B. Taylor of the Canadian Pacific liner, Duchess of Richmond, who attended him after a boat had been lowered and the stricken physician taken on board the Duchess. The incident occurred recently when the Duchess of Richmond was 300 miles off the coast of Ireland.

With a jammed rifle and a rearing grizzly, a few yards distant, Dr. L. B. Kingrey, of Portland, Oregon, guest at the Banff Springs Hotel, on a hunting expedition in the Palliser River section of the Canadian Rockies, had a narrow escape. The huge animal delayed its attack long enough for the doctor to clear his rifle and shoot it in the bag on the hunt was two grizzlies, four black bears, three goats and two elk. (781)

George Porter is the latest addition to the list of mill owners in this district. George has nearly finished the construction of his shingle mill on the bench, and expects to start manufacturing rough materials in about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Merkeley have rented Hillcrest Farm for the winter and are busy getting established.

J. K. Gordon is enjoying a busy fall in his apple orchards. He is a steady shipper, and reports fair returns from his fruit.

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Staff Capt. Acton of the Salvation Army called at the Herald Tuesday morning. He has just completed an inspection tour of Army activities in northern British Columbia from Prince George west to and along the Skeena river. He is in charge of the Army work in northern B. C. and Alaska and his headquarters are at Wrangle, Alaska. He was accompanied by T. R. Tomlinson of Cedarvale.

The New Hazelton Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Dan: McKeenle on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 15, for general business and the election of officers. All the ladies interested in this work kindly attend.

Miss Mussallem of Prince Rupert is at the Hazelton Hospital a pupil in the school for nurses. She arrived last Wednesday evening.

Short Stories

Close to Home

For Sale—Apples—Kings, Jonathan, Grimes Golden; \$1.15 to \$1.35 per box, packed and graded, F.O.B., Vancouver.—H. K. Arnould, R2, Sardis, B.C.

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The Ladies Aid of the United church in Hazelton will hold their annual bazaar on Friday evening, December 4. Keep this date in mind.

Ed. McLean of Prince Rupert arrived on Saturday night to spend the Thanksgiving week end with his sister, Miss Margaret McLean of Hazelton superior school.

Chas. Wilson of Lake Kathlyn celebrated his 21st. birthday again last Friday night when he entertained a number of his old friends. The boys and girls had a very good time.

There are still a lot of grouse left in the country. Many have been shot but a great many fooled the hunters.

One of the best ways to decrease the cost of raising poultry and producing eggs is to head your flock with a registered cockerel. These birds have been properly reared and from hens that measure up to the standard.

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Cull potatoes when fed to steers for beef have a value of 45 cents per bushel. That is better than throwing them away. They are also better than turnips.

Peter Anderson, age 25 years, a Norwegian known along the Skeena, died in his shack on the Ecstall river the beginning of last week. He was alone at the time and the police think he was the victim of the accidental discharging of his own rifle when he tried to jump ashore from a small boat.

Mrs. Fred Ritchie, jr., was the victim last week of ptomaine poisoning. She is survived by her husband and 3 children.

Mrs. (Rev.) Redman was able to go home from the hospital last Thursday. She and the baby are doing well.

Thanksgiving Day was quietly spent throughout the district. On Sunday Rev. Mr. Redman preached in New Hazelton and Hazelton a very appropriate sermon on Thanksgiving, and he enumerated many things for which Canadians should be especially thankful at this time.

It is expected 150 car loads of apples will find a market on the prairies this year. Not bad for a suffering population.

A turtle was found along the west coast of Vancouver Island that weighed 1400 pounds. It was nine and a half feet long. This is the first turtle known to have been found so far north.

There was a successful turkey shoot held on the golf grounds at Mission Point on Thanksgiving Day and W. E. Larmer coming out on top with three turkeys. J. Hartnet of the R.C.M.P. was next with two turkeys. Nine of the birds were shot for.

HALLOWEEN DANCE

Now is the time to prepare your costumes for the Hospital Auxiliary dance to be held Friday, October 30 at 9 p.m. in Kitmanax Hall, Hazelton. Good music and refreshments. Prizes will be given for ladies and gents' best dress; ladies and gents' best comic, and ladies and gents' best home made costume. Friday, Oct. 30th.

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