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TWO STEAMERS FOR THE NORTH. Camosun and Vadsø Carry-Full Complements of Passengers And Much Freight.

DEVELOPMENT AT STEWART. First Freight Taken for Ports at Headwaters of Skeena River by Vadsø. (From Thursday's Daily).

Two steamers left for northern British Columbia ports yesterday. The steamer Camosun of the Union Steamship company, which returned yesterday from the weekly trip to Prince Rupert and other northern ports.

Among the passengers who left by the Camosun were J. W. Stewart and a party of miners, taking supplies and stores to begin development work on the property of the Stewart Mining Development company at Stewart.

Other passengers of the Union company's steamer were: R. Brown, B. Meyers, J. Daly, G. McKenzie, H. Anderson, S. Hain and Miss M. S. McClelland for Port Essington; Fred J. Hill, J. C. Clements, J. W. Stewart and Mrs. Clements for Prince Rupert; A. Stewart for Port Simpson, and many others.

News was brought from the north by the steamer that the various canneries are all busily engaged in preparation for the coming season's business. On the Skeena the collection was well up to the average.

From the storied island of Cyprus in the Mediterranean, where a chaplain for the Anglican Bishop of Jerusalem, he was stationed, comes Rev. W. R. Livingstone to the city.

IMPROVEMENTS FOR PRINCESS VICTORIA. Awning Being Stretched on Promenade Deck—New Carpets.

A number of improvements are being made to the first G.P.R. ferry steamer Princess Victoria which is in the hands of a swarm of painters, decorators, furnishers and others being overhauled and renovated.

At the same time the awning on the promenade deck will be stretched in a few days. The awning will cover the open space where many passengers found accommodation on top of the season's skylight.

New carpet is being placed in the steamer throughout and the furniture and equipment generally is being overhauled. The painters have finished a good portion of the housework and the interior and have put on a ground of red paint in readiness for the summer deck of white.

W. J. Dowler's Poem Sung by Gideon Hicks—British Uniforms Are Wanted. (From Thursday's Daily).

The Canadian club, at their business luncheon yesterday, endorsed a new national song, written by Wellington J. Dowler and recommended to the National Battlefields Commission. The song was sung yesterday by Gideon Hicks, whose rendering of the tuneful setting composed by Gideon Hicks met with great applause.

Over 1,200,000 children under 12 months die annually in European Russia. The death rate of infants is 440 per 1,000 live births in Germany, 204 in Germany, 187 in France, 122 in England and 77 in Norway.

TELLS OF WEALTH OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE. Charles Harrison, Pioneer of Graham Island Revisits Winnipeg.

(From Thursday's Daily). Yesterday there arrived in the city an old-timer who is an old-timer in the region where the trail of civilization is being laid.

Mr. Harrison was a missionary at Masset inlet, and acquiring a land-holding on the Hudson's Bay Company's mainland, ranching on the island some eight years before his arrival in 1882.

Graham Island is the largest of the Queen Charlotte group, and with North Island comprises the north-westerly portion of the Pacific seaboard of the Dominion of Canada.

Resources of the island. The resources of the island, said Mr. Harrison, have only to be made known to the world, and the island is accessible by water through a deep and narrow waterway, which, after a distance of seventeen miles, expands into a bay.

Excellent Climate. The climate is almost as good as Victoria. There is only a few degrees difference in temperature. The growth of all staple farm products and small fruits is remarkable.

John Salisbury, aged 80, and Eliza Ellen, Roberts, aged 50, who began their courtship in Tiverton Workhouse, were married in the presence of the local registrar.

WILL PLACE BEACONS IN SERVICE AGAIN. Tug William Jolliffe Goes to Re-illuminate Northern Lights—New Fog Alarms.

The tug William Jolliffe of the B.C. Salvage company, under charter to the marine department, leaves this morning for Skidgate, Prince Rupert and other northern ports.

Also that on and after the same date, the fog signal at Pachena point, west coast of Vancouver island, will be changed to a double blast as follows: four seconds, blast, two seconds, silent, eighty-six seconds.

PRISONER ESCAPED TO VISIT SICK CHILDREN. Indian Who Flew From Provincial Jail Gives Himself Up at Duncan. (From Thursday's Daily).

Claiming that he escaped from the provincial jail here, a man who desired to revisit his family, several members of which were sick and were in the hospital at Duncan.

CREW IS PAID OFF FROM JAMES NESMITH. Ship Which Brought Coke to Crofton Will Ship New Crew Here—Glan Galbraith Leaves. The American ship James Nesmith, which brought a cargo of coke to Crofton for the smelter, has paid off her crew.

While the Belgian electric street lighting lines in Tien-Tsin, China, are not as yet pay making, the Chinese are riding on the cars in ever increasing numbers and in a few years the company expects to make handsome profits.

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IMPERIAL VETERANS ORGANIZE SOCIETY. Elect Officers and Arrange for Regular Monthly Meetings—Details Arranged. Friday, April 10, 1908.

TWO BROTHERS ENGAGE IN FORENSIC BATTLE. V. Harrison Defeats C. L. Harrison in a Real Estate Suit in the County Court. (From Thursday's Daily).

NEW WRECKING APPARATUS. Device Recently Patented Will Be Used in Effort to Raise Steamer Mainlander. Within a few days a new salvage machine will be put to actual test.