

C. P. R. PROJECT AT VANCOUVER

Proposed to Construct Line Around Head and Along North Shore of Burrard Inlet to Point Atkinson

START FROM POINT EAST OF PORT MOODY

Will Furnish Continuous Belt Line from Vancouver Terminal—Application for Approval at Ottawa

VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—The C. P. R. has made application to the minister of railways of Canada for the approval of a route map, starting at a point near Port Moody, on the Cascade division of the C. P. R. and going around the head of Burrard Inlet to the north shore of the same, thence westerly following the shore line to a point in the district of North Vancouver in the vicinity of Point Atkinson.

In other words, it is proposed by the C. P. R. to construct a railway line along the north shore of Burrard Inlet so that there shall be a line running from the city station and terminating at a point on the north shore of the inlet two miles west of the first narrows.

To belt in this way with one railway line both the north and south shores of the inlet, so that the northern line, on construction, would connect with the waterfront track and run westerly from a point east of Port Moody, through 21 miles of ground, including North Vancouver, until the terminus is reached beyond the first narrows. In the proposal of the C. P. R.

News of this important undertaking had been kept secret until the route map was permanently completed for submission to the Dominion government.

HEARS LAST CALL

Jacob Stranet, Veteran Actor, Who Played in Company With Henry Irving, Passes Away

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—There died in an obscure boarding house in Toronto tonight, unknown during his ten years of residence here, Jacob Stranet, who was 72 years of age and supported Sir Henry Irving in his early days. At 50 years of age he was forced to retire from his profession owing to approaching blindness. Ten years ago he moved to Toronto where he resided quietly until his death.

JOHNSON SIGNS TO FIGHT FLYNN

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—After eighteen months of idleness, Jack Johnson, champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, signed articles here today to fight a finish battle with Jim Flynn, the Pueblo freeman, generally regarded as one of the best "white hopes." The fight will take place somewhere in Nevada next July. As a tentative date July 22 was selected, but this may be changed at any time. The fight will be staged either at Wendover or Metropolis.

Johnson is to receive \$31,500 and one-third of the receipts from the moving picture rights. Flynn's share of the purse was not announced. He will be paid by his manager, Jack Curley, who represented the promoters. Their identity is a secret.

Forward Movement.

OTTAWA, Jan. 5.—It was decided at a conference here to undertake a branch of the men and religion forward movement in Canada. Temporary committees to make preliminary plans were formed. There are: C. J. Calhoun, Montreal; Dr. Scott, Brantford; Rev. Dr. Shearer, Rev. W. S. Warburton, Toronto, and T. D. Patton, Winnipeg. The movement is a result of a visit of organizers from New York.

Sheppard Recovered.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Completely recovered from the operation performed several months ago for the removal of a growth on his neck, Melville W. Sheppard, middle distance champion, today began training preparatory to taking his place again on the track. He hopes to participate in the Irish-American indoor meet in Madison Square Garden, scheduled for January 25.

Boxing in Salt Lake.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 5.—To comply with the regulations by the new city government, the managers of the bout between Jimmy Reagan and Chalky Germaine, book for next Monday night, have cut the bout to ten rounds. It had been advertised to go fifteen rounds. Control of boxing in this city has been left in the hands of the chief of police. He announces that contests will be permitted within such limitations as he may approve from time to time.

GET SMALL BOOTY

Robbers Hold Up Clerk in Vancouver Suburban Store and Find Only \$25 in Till

VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—To hold up a clerk at the point of a revolver, braving detection from half a score of customers who were in an adjoining store, and then to find that an expected haul will only reward them with \$25 for their pains, was the experience of two robbers shortly after 5 o'clock tonight on Westminster road. Mr. G. S. Kelly's branch grocery store at the corner of Westminister road and Fifteenth avenue was the scene of the holdup. One of the store clerks had emptied the till of \$110 just ten minutes before the hold-up occurred. The men escaped.

Engineer Killed

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 6.—Two Santa Fe passenger trains collided in a head-on collision at Wright, near Dodge City, at 8:30 last night. One engineer was killed, another fatally hurt and twelve passengers were injured.

Gasoline Schooner Sinks

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 6.—The gasoline schooner Patsy, which started from here yesterday and was reported in distress off Tillamook bay, returned here today with all hands safe. The revenue cutter Tahama, sent to the assistance of the Patsy, missed her.

Favors Mr. Roosevelt

TOPEKA, Jan. 6.—In a statement issued today, Governor W. R. Stubbs says he is in favor of the nomination and election of Roosevelt. He considers Colonel Roosevelt the only Republican whose election can be certain.

DEATHS RESULT FROM EXPLOSION

Boiler of Locomotive Standing in Roundhouse at Los Angeles Blows Up With Disastrous Consequences

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—The boiler of a big road engine standing in the Southern Pacific roundhouse here exploded at 10 o'clock tonight.

Two men were killed and three injured, all probably fatally. The entire engine was demolished and about fifty feet of the roundhouse destroyed.

The engine had arrived from a trip but a short time before the explosion, which was caused by low water. Fragments of iron from the engine and bricks from the roundhouse were thrown 200 feet. One huge piece of steel was hurled through the far end of the roundhouse and landed a hundred feet away.

The men killed and injured were working within a few feet of the front end of the locomotive. One man was picked up about 150 feet from the wrecked engine, but the others were felled in their tracks.

DEATH OF PIONEER

Mr. A. H. Gouge, Who Passed Away at Nanaimo, Was at One Time Resident of Victoria

NANAIMO, B. C., Jan. 5.—The death occurred in this city yesterday morning of A. H. Gouge, father of Fred F. Gouge proprietor of the Shades hotel. Deceased was in his 88th year, and was a native of Kent, England.

The late Mr. Gouge emigrated to Australia when a young man, and came to this country some 38 years ago. Arriving in California, he devoted his energies to the construction of the first tunnel on the Central Pacific Railway, besides carrying on much work on reservoirs. In this province he was an old-time prospector. From here he went again to Australia, and, after being 20 years there, returned to take up his residence with his son at the Shades hotel. Deceased had been a member of the Masonic fraternity for 60 years. He leaves one son, Fred Gouge, and two grandchildren. He was well known in Victoria, where he resided for many years.

Featherweights Fight

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 5.—Tommy Dixon of Kansas City and Johnny Roche of San Francisco, featherweights, fought ten rounds to a draw here tonight. Dixon was the aggressor from the start, but the California boy took his punishment gamely and finished strong.

Street Car Falls from Bridge

CINCINNATI, Jan. 5.—Four persons were fatally injured, while another was seriously hurt here tonight when a street car jumped from a bridge which connects this city with Newport, to the street pavement, 55 feet below. The car turned a complete somersault. The car left the track at a sharp curve in the bridge after having crossed the river.

Elimination Contest.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—James Johnson, manager for Owen Moran, the English lightweight, accepted today the proposal of James C. Coffroth, the San Francisco promoter, that Moran enter an elimination contest in California next month to find a suitable challenger for Ad Wolgast, the lightweight champion. Coffroth proposes that "One Round" Hogan and Tommy Murphy enter the elimination contest of twenty rounds each to pick the best man of the three to challenge Wolgast.

LABOR LEADERS INDICTED AGAIN

Federal Grand Jury's Dynamite Investigation at Los Angeles Closes With Return of True Bills

CHARGE IS MADE MORE COMPREHENSIVE

Case of Detective William J. Burns on Kidnapping Charge is Taken Into Federal Courts on Writ

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—Although two indictments were returned, the close of the federal grand jury investigation of the alleged national dynamiting conspiracy failed today to develop the expected sensation. The true bills returned, according to the best information obtainable in the face of the official silence, concern only the California labor leaders formally accused last Saturday of conspiracy to transport dynamite, who have been reindicted on the same charges. The only difference is that whereas the bill filed last week charged that the dynamite was transported on passenger trains across the continent, the two indictments returned today contained three counts covering all other possible means of conveyance. The indicted labor leaders, Olaf Tveit, Anton Johannsen and E. A. Clancy of San Francisco, and J. E. Munsey of Salt Lake City, will be arrested under the new charges on Monday. It was stated that the government authorities did not care to arrest the men after the close of the federal courts today and caused them to remain in jail pending the negotiation of bonds on Monday.

Detective Burns' Case

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 6.—The federal grand jury after hearing the testimony of Detective W. J. Burns today accepted his investigation of the alleged dynamiting conspiracy until Monday.

By a writ of habeas corpus, which Judge Albert B. Anderson issued today the kidnapping charges against Burns were taken temporarily from the hands of the county authorities into federal jurisdiction for argument. By voluntary arrangement with his bondsmen, Burns surrendered today to Judge Markley of the criminal court, immediately thereafter the writ was issued returnable January 11th. Attorneys for Burns declare it will be shown that the county had no right to enter indictments against Burns on the kidnapping charges. They contend that in acting upon a warrant issued here by Governor Marshall for the extradition of John J. McNamara to California, it was not necessary to indulge in any further proceedings except to establish the identity of McNamara, which he acknowledged when taken before Judge Collins. Burns was released on his own recognizance in the sum of \$1000.

ROBBER'S MISFORTUNE

His Attempt to Steal Athletic Young Lady's Handbag Ends in His Discomfiture

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—A robber attempted to seize the handbag of Miss May O'Rourke, 19 years old, near her home on North Racine avenue tonight. When he escaped from her he was minus his hat, coat, a neckscarf, shirt and one shoe. The robber slipped and fell to the icy walk, and Miss O'Rourke jumped on him, shouting for aid. When he finally wriggled from his coat, to which she was clinging, he left with it a neck scarf and the loose collarless soft shirt, which had pulled over his head. His hat lay on the walk, and as he started to run away one of his low shoes fell off.

HINDU QUESTION IS CONSIDERED

Vancouver Council of Women Opposing Suggested Relaxation of Immigration Regulations by Government

MR. STEVENS, M. P., STATES POSITION

VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—Following an interview with Mr. Stevens, the federal M. P., on the Hindu immigration question, delegates from the women's council of Vancouver today came to a decision to urge the women's council of British Columbia to pass a resolution protesting against the suggested admission of Hindu women into Canada. If this resolution is passed, as is expected, it will be forwarded to the national council of women of Canada, Mr. Stevens and Premier Borden.

Mr. Stevens informed the deputations that he was absolutely and irrevocably opposed to any removal of the present immigration restrictions on Orientals, and was prepared to support measures to make these restrictions even more pronounced.

Death of Mrs. Ferry

SEATTLE, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Sarah B. Ferry, widow of Ell P. Ferry, an early territorial governor of Washington, and first governor of the state, died here today in her 86th year. Mrs. Ferry was formerly Sarah B. Kellogg, and was born at Naukegan, Ill. She was the mother of Mrs. Elise Ferry Leary, the wealthiest woman in the Pacific Northwest.

WORTHLESS CHECKS

Seattle Youth Arrested in San Francisco on Charge of Passing Fraudulent Paper

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—L. C. Chadwick, a 19 year old Seattle boy of good family was arrested here today on the charge of passing fraudulent checks. The so-called Barbary Coast is said by the police to have been the scene of his activities. Willon Farquerson, a Detroit, Mich. man, was arrested with Chadwick.

SEATTLE, Jan. 6.—Leslie C. Chadwick, arrested in San Francisco today for passing fraudulent checks, is the son of H. A. Chadwick, publisher of a weekly paper here. A year ago his father made a journey to San Francisco to save the boy from punishment for deserting from the navy. Lately the youth passed a number of bad checks on Seattle places of business.

London Y. M. C. A. Needs Money

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Charles Summers Ward, champion money raiser of the world for philanthropic and especially Y. M. C. A. objects, commences on Monday next on a whirlwind twelve days campaign in England with the object of raising £10,000 necessary to free absolutely the new headquarters in London of the Y. M. C. A. from debt. The Lord Mayor, Sir Thomas Crosby, has generously promised to extend civic hospitality to Mr. Ward and will join him at the Mansion House each day at luncheon and report on the amount collected in the previous twenty-four hours. In addition to the Lord Mayor, the advisory committee includes Earl Grey, the Bishop of London and Sir J. Kennaway.

TORONTO FIRE IS DESTRUCTIVE

Breaking Out in Fancy Goods Warehouse, it Threatens Devastation of the City's Wholesale District

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—The wholesale section of the city was again threatened by a fire which broke out in the premises of Boyd, Brummell and Co., wholesale fancy goods, on Wellington street W. The entire building was gutted, involving one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars loss.

The adjoining premises of Robinson and Dale, the Powke Singer Co., and the head office of the Merchants' Bank were damaged to the extent of twenty thousand dollars additional.

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TO BE DECIDED BY BIG BATTLE

View of Chinese Situation Held in Diplomatic Circles—Small Hope of Effecting a Peaceful Settlement

YUAN PROFITS BY REPUBLICAN SPLIT

Extension of Armistice for 15 Days Expected—Foreign Troops Occupy Line of Tientsin Railway

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Diplomatic circles here see little hope of the deplorable situation in China being ended without a decisive battle, although the British nation as a keen diplomat in foreseeing the representatives of other powers, are endeavoring to effect a settlement. Yuan Shi Kai, in the opinion of those best able to judge, has maintained his reputation as a keen diplomat by foreseeing the differences which it is reported have broken out among the republican leaders, and by purposely delaying the peace negotiations by an armistice and other means until these differences appeared.

Foreign Troops Guard Railway
PEKING, Jan. 6.—The troops of the foreign powers today occupied the railroad from Peking to Tientsin, according to the plan recently devised by the foreign ministers here.

Will Extend Armistice
SHANGHAI, Jan. 6.—There is reason to believe that the armistice will be extended for fifteen days. Yuan Shi Kai has requested the extension, and President Sun Yat Sen is willing to agree to it conditionally. The republican army at Tientsin, Peking and other points, they notified officials representing British and German bondholders that the headquarters of the railroad have been removed from Peking to Nanking. Foreigners are being employed. By order of the president, a prominent contractor was shot this evening for extorting funds in Sun Yat Sen's name. General Honor Lee, the American officer who accompanied Dr. Sun Yat Sen to China, it was said, for the purpose of taking a responsible position with the revolutionaries as their military adviser has received official notification that there is a penalty of death attached to the participation in China. General Lee some time ago declined to act as chief of staff.

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LOWERING RATES

Canadian Northern Makes Concession on Grain from Manitoba Points to Duluth

WINNIPEG, Jan. 6.—The Canadian Northern Railway has lowered its rates on flax and barley from points in this province to Duluth, the order to take effect January 25, it was stated today by the minister of agriculture, Hon. George T. Lawrence. The same rate as existed to Fort William, Ont., on wheat and oats will apply to Duluth and other Minnesota towns. This order to be put into effect about Feb. 1, according to Mr. Lawrence, if arrangements can be made with the interstate commerce commission of the United States.

Killed in Trolley Car Wreck

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Fred Pougter, conductor on a Gravesend trolley car, was killed and five others were seriously hurt when the car was derailed and crashed into a telegraph pole early today.

Two Men Lost from Cruiser

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—According to wireless messages received here tonight the cruiser Salem was badly damaged in a gale off Cape Hatteras tonight. Two men are reported to have been washed overboard and drowned. Other ships also are reported damaged.

Heavyweight Contest

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 6.—Tony Ross, of Newcastle, Penn., and George Cotton of this city, heavyweights, fought six rounds here tonight. Cotton, a negro, seemed to land at will toward the end of the bout, and apparently had the best of the Italian.

WILL MOVE AND SECOND REPLY

Mr. H. H. Watson of Vancouver and Mr. Lucas of Yale Chosen to Put Response to Speech from Throne

Preparations are now virtually complete for the formal opening of Thursday afternoon of British Columbia's legislative assembly—a session which, while unlikely to occupy more than six or eight weeks, will nevertheless be of very great importance in its relationship to the development and future of the province.

One of its outstanding features will be consideration and endorsement of the recently completed revision and consolidation of the provincial statutes, in which numerous amendments have advantageously and necessarily been made by the commissioners, Messrs. Charles Wilson and A. P. Luxton, K. C., which must, however, be fully explained to and approved by the house before the consolidation can obtain the force and effect of law.

Considerable time of the approaching session will also of necessity be devoted to the radical changes in the Vancouver City charter; while acts in amendment of the land act and for the systematic protection and conservation of the provincial forest resources will be offered by Hon. Mr. Ross and obtain especially careful attention as among the extra important business of the session.

The initial debate of the session will be both interesting and instructive from the first is evidenced in the circumstance that two of the admitted orators of the house, young members, but speakers of eloquence, force and convincing earnestness, have been selected respectively to move and to second the reply to his honor's speech from the throne, these being Mr. H. H. Watson of Vancouver and Mr. Alexander Lucas, the Premier's successor in the representation of Yale.

Judge Donworth Resigns

SEATTLE, Jan. 6.—United States district judge George Donworth announced tonight that he had sent his resignation to President Taft several days ago. Inclination to return to private law practice is the reason given by Judge Donworth for the resignation.

Kurt in Train Wreck

PETERSBURG, Va., Jan. 6.—The Seaboard Air Line passenger train No. 86, was wrecked at McKinney, 30 miles south of here tonight, and the engine and five cars left the rails. The baggage and mail cars rolled down a 12 foot embankment. Engineer W. R. Bishop of Raleigh, N. C., a negro fireman and one passenger were probably fatally hurt. Several other passengers were injured seriously.

Democratic National Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—With a majority of the members of the committee here and large delegations from two cities seeking the national convention for 1912, the meeting of the Democratic committee next Monday promises to be one of the most interesting held in years. Parties are strongly advocating harmony. The introduction of innovations in the way of selecting delegates to the convention by presidential primaries and the abrogation of the two-thirds rule, are being frowned upon. Norman E. Mack, chairman of the national committee, conferred today with Democratic members of congress and other party leaders, urging that all should work for a harmonious gathering.

MORE VICTIMS OF COLD WAVE

New York Reports Eleven Deaths as Result of Bitter Weather—Thousands of Homeless Seeking Shelter

AGED MAN FROZEN IN MONTREAL

Snow and Severe Frost Visit Southern States—No Hope of Moderation Held Out for Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—A total of eleven deaths from the extreme cold was the record in this city for the winter's coldest day here. Although the thermometer had sunk to eight degrees at about 10 o'clock tonight from a maximum of the zero mark, suffering was not so intense because of a marked let-up in the furious gale. Lower temperature, however, was predicted within the next ten hours. The sudden cold snap has driven so many thousands of destitute and homeless to seek shelter in the municipal lodging houses, the covered places and even the morgue, that the leaders of the Bowery mission appealed to the Bowery mission appealed to the churches tonight to open their doors to the homeless.

Death in Montreal

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—With one man dead and scores of frost-bites treated at the city hospital to mark the advent of the bitter cold wave which hurled the temperature down twenty to twenty-five points within a few hours swept in from the east in mid-afternoon, the snow far below the zero mark, reaching to fifteen and twenty below. An unidentified man was found dead in a rooming house at the corner of St. Jean Baptiste and Ontario Streets.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—The weather man said tonight that this has been a colder day than any last winter. His lowest official record is ten below. The thermometers at exposed points registered 25 below. There will be snow tomorrow, but no indication that the intense cold will relax within the next two or three days. The coldest record for the province is at Cochrane, where it was 48 below this morning. All Ontario experienced very low temperatures. Ottawa was 22 below and Kingston 20.

Cold in South

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 6.—Snow is falling as far south as Montgomery, and the entire country in the grip of the cold wave. In the Texas panhandle the lowest temperature today was 14 degrees below zero. Near Herford, Texas, a blinding snowstorm was given as the cause for a wreck of two freight trains on the Peecos and Northern Texas railroad, in which W. J. Dermitt, conductor, was killed.

One Death in Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—While Chicago, as well as the rest of the middle west, continued to feel the cold tonight, and while the entire country in the grip of the cold wave, in the city went far to relieve the homeless. One death was reported in the city. At 8:30 p.m. the Chicago weather report indicated a temperature of seven degrees below Little hope for better conditions was held out by the weather bureau tonight, though a slightly higher temperature is promised for Monday. In the west central states the cold was increasing tonight.

Foot of Snow

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 6.—A foot of snow fell over northern Idaho today. The snow was so deep that the entire street car service was put out of business at 8 o'clock, and late shoppers were compelled to walk home.

Snow at Tacoma

TACOMA, Jan. 6.—With a fall of 1.5 inches of snow in 24 hours, as registered at the United States weather bureau at 5 o'clock this afternoon, Tacoma is having its taste of winter. The temperature, however, did not drop below 30 during the day. Snow at South Tacoma was reported to be several inches deeper than the figure of the weather bureau.

Wolgast Better.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 5.—Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion pugilist, is now rapidly recovering from his recent attack of pneumonia and for a time today walked around the sun parlor of his Venice cottage. Wolgast is in his good humor, and talked freely of his coming plans. He declared he would take no more foolish chances with the cold night air, but would take the best of care of himself, in the hope that he would be able again to enter the prize ring by July 4th. The champion had no particular favorite for his first opponent, but said he would like to "take on" Joe Rivers, the local Mexican featherweight, if the latter persisted in his challenge. Next, Wolgast said Freddie Welsh looked good, and so did Freddy McFarland. "I will allow McFarland to weigh in six hours before the fight," said Wolgast. "If I can only induce him to get into a ring with me, I'll guess there is no chance."