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JARDINE THROWS BOMB INTO ENEMY'S CAMP

Sensation Is Sprung In the Provincial House ---Member For Esquimalt Makes Templeman, John Oliver and Brewster Look Funny---Oliver Comes Back.

Once in a while we hear of the case of a man who, having undertaken to stir up trouble for an enemy, caused to be produced a bitter mixture that he, and his friends as well, were forced to swallow. Some men are remarkable successes in this line, and the latest of them to claim public attention is J. C. McIntosh, secretary of the Esquimalt Electoral District Liberal association, and also organizer for the Liberal party in British Columbia.

Mr. McIntosh's chosen mark was John Jardine, M. P. P. for Esquimalt. The Liberal association had passed a resolution in which it was intimated that Mr. Jardine was a traitor and other things bad, and in order that the resolution might have the fullest effect in humiliating its victim Mr. McIntosh caused copies of it to be spread on the desks of members in the Provincial House on Monday of this week. Here is a copy of what Mr. Jardine found on his desk:

"Resolution unanimously adopted by the executive of the Esquimalt Electoral District Liberal Association, Wednesday, January 25th, 1911:

"Whereas, Mr. John Jardine accepted the nomination of the Liberal party as their candidate in the provincial election of 1909, in opposition to the policies of the Conservative party and the government of Mr. McBride.

"And whereas, the election was duly contested by Mr. Jardine as a Liberal and he was then elected as a Liberal to represent Esquimalt Electoral District.

"And Whereas, in the 1910 session of the legislature, Mr. Jardine in supporting the Conservative government on outstanding issues of the campaign which he had opposed and was elected to oppose, thereby stultified himself and betrayed the electors of Esquimalt, whose suffrages had placed him in office.

"And whereas, in the session of 1911 Mr. Jardine has upheld and applauded the Conservative policy which he was elected to oppose, and has further declared himself as endorsing and approving the present Conservative government and their policies and administration.

"Therefore, be it resolved by the executive of the Esquimalt Electoral District Liberal Association that as Mr. Jardine has no longer the confidence of the Liberal party of this riding and no longer represents their views he is hereby called upon in fulfilment of his statement on the floor of the legislature and in common decency and propriety to resign his seat in the legislature as representing Esquimalt Electoral District, and that his name be struck from the membership roll of the association."

Mr. Jardine had but little time to study the matter before him till the opportunity of speaking on a question of privilege arrived, and he immediately took advantage of it. To make his position clear he went into considerable history of his connection with the Liberal party, and told a story of long suffering and ultimate satisfaction.

Punches Templeman's Face

The most dramatic part of the story was its conclusion and had to do with a fistic encounter with Hon. William Templeman in the office of Mr. Henderson, chief inspector of Dominion Government public works at Victoria. Mr. Jardine had an appointment with Mr. Graw, and went to Henderson's office to keep it. Here is what he told about the happenings on that occasion:

"Well, on Wednesday morning, between 10:30 and 11, I went into Mr. Brown's office, and Mr. Drury was standing there on the other side of Mr. Brown. I walked to the other side, to the door of Mr. Henderson's room. I looked in and I said to Mr. Henderson, 'has Mr. Graw been here this morning?' Just then Templeman, who was sitting in the office, said: 'Shut that door behind you,' and I shut it. Templeman got up and he came over to me and shoved his clenched first into my face, against my mouth and my nose, and he said: 'What do you mean going about calling me and Ralph Smith Siwashes?'

"Well, Mr. Speaker, he put his clenched fist on my upper lip and on my nose, and pushed my head back so that the tears came into my eyes. I said 'go back,' and I put my hand on the table and said: 'Mr. Templeman, I want to know who is your authority for that statement.' He said: 'Don't you try to make me believe that you didn't say it.' I said 'I am not arguing; I want your authority for that statement.' With that he rose, with his cane in his hand, and he laid it down on Mr. Henderson's table, and he said: 'You get out of this public office.' Well, Mr. Speaker, as I have had a little training in my time, I thought it was about time I got my Marquis of Queensberry legs under me, and I stiffened up the muscles of my left shoulder as he came at me, and relaxed the muscles of the right, and then I let out, sir, and I landed him right on the very spot, sir, where he put his clenched fist in my face, like that"—(and the member illustrated to the complete uuderstanding of the house, by driving two swift right-hand uppercuts into his own left hand). I landed him on the right eye and threw my arm over his neck and got his head in chancery, and I was pounding away at him when Mr. Brown rushed out of his office and took me by the hand and took me off. He didn't make a mark on me, sir, but I did on him, even to the effusion of blood.

John Oliver's Map.

Not quite so dramatic, but more interesting, was Mr. Jardine's description of the position of the Liberal party in the last provincial campaign, and of his struggle with Mr. Brewster, after the elections, for the leadership of a party of two.

Mr. Jardine told how, just before the last election, he had met with certain chiefs of the provincial liberal party and John Oliver, their at-that-time leader, and how Mr. Oliver had on that occasion produced his famous "railway map" with a variety of lines depicted in red, yellow and blue.

"But, John," Mr. Jardine quoted himself as having said to Leader Oliver, "how do you intend to connect these lines with a trans-continental system?" With that he looked up at me and he said: "John, the fact is that Dick's (McBride) got us skinned to death before we start in."

Mr. Jardine told also how John Oliver came to put his Alberni line of railway on the map. It was suggested to the leader that he should offer something of the sort, whereupon he simply took a paint brush in his hand and drew another line across the big sheet, and while executing this stroke of statesmanship he lay on his stomach on the floor.

Fight For Leadership.

In the controversy over the leadership four reasons had been advanced by Mr. Brewster in proof of his (Mr. Jardine's) unfitness for the office, these being that he had originally been elected to parliament as a Labor-Liberal; that he had had no business education; that he could never hope to grace the seat reserved for the Opposition leader at Government House functions; and that he was incapable of spontaneously taking on the Premier or the Attorney General in the House.

Mr. Brewster made a brief reply to Mr. Jardine in which he argued that the member for Esquimalt had, by his own words, proved his unfitness for the position of leader which he sought to attain, and that he had also brought discredit upon himself rather than upon the honorable gentleman he assailed. Mr. Brewster said also that some of what Mr. Jardine said was only half truth.

Speaker's Views.

Speakers Eberts directed the attention of the legislature to the fact that such action as that of Mr. McIntosh constitutes a gross infringement of the privileges of parliament, specifically referred to by British Parliamentary authority as both a "crime and misdemeanor;" and it is fully to be expected that cognizance will be taken of the incident by the House, and Mr. McIntosh in all probability summoned to its bar to answer for his conduct and be dealt with as the House in its wisdom may deem fit.

Liberal Indignation.

It was to be expected that Mr. Jardine's speech would raise the fighting ire of someone, and it did, John Oliver being the first of importance to step into the arena. Mr. Oliver ignored Mr. Jardine's pleasantries about railway maps and chances of the Liberal party in the last provincial election, and proceeded to hammer him with charges of graft. It was at a meeting of the Esquimalt Liberal association on Tuesday night, and Mr. Oliver said:

"The reason for this assault on William Templeman was that at that very time and that very place William Templeman was stopping the graft of John Jardine.

"John Jardine, when he was elected in 1907, claimed that he lost work on account of his position as a Liberal representative. He appealed to the Public Works department and was given work at the quarantine station. He was authorized to do work to a certain extent. He went on and did work and put in claims—I am speaking conservatively—to the extent of several thousand dollars in excess of the cost of the work he was authorized to do. He received that money without the knowledge of the minister, without the knowledge of the government, and William Templeman, having learned of that, went to the official who paid that money and wanted to know what authority he had to pay that without authorization, and his demand for an explanation led up to the assault. If Mr. Jardine disputes this let him take me into the courts of the land and he can find the proof.

"He declared yesterday that he had been making financial sacrifices and gave that as a reason why he wanted the leadership—to improve his financial position. After last session I received information that Mr. Jardine was complaining about not getting assistance from the Liberal party in paying his election expenses, and a man told me one day that there were two Liberals in the legislature and that 'Dick could have one of them any time he liked to pay his bills.'

"There are accounts for the last provincial election in the Esquimalt district which he placed in my hands last September, and put it up to me to discharge. I stand here tonight and tell you, the Liberal electors of Esquimalt who elected Mr. Jardine as your representative, that, whether intentionally or unintentionally, these accounts are padded to the extent of hundreds of dollars. Do you know what that means? I will put it plainer. John Jardine represented his expenses to be hundreds of dollars more than what they were and tried to get the Liberal party to pay him this large sum in excess of what he spent. Do you understand? Is it plain enough? Is it plain enough to found an action at law upon? If it is let John Jardine start it tomorrow and I will stay here and give him the proofs."

Mr. Jardine being questioned later, stated that at present he had nothing to state in this connection He fortunately had copies of all bills rendered by him to the department of public works, which he would at the proper time make public.

Board Committees.

Standing committees of the Port Alberni board of trade for the current year have been struck as follows:

Municipal—R. H. Wood, A. E. Waterhouse, A. Carmichael, J. MacIntyre, A. D. Cooper, Dr. Hilton, R. F. Blandy.

Permanent Exhibit—A. E. Waterhouse, R. H. Wood, A. Carmichael, A. D. MacIntyre.

Transportation and Communication—R. F. Blandy, J. F. Hanna, A. D. MacIntyre, Nat. Rolph.

The Hospital committee, composed of Dr. Hilton, Rev. Mr. Seale and R. J. Burde will be continued as a special committee.

Publicity committees will be appointed as occasions require.

Opposition Wins on Amendment

The government in the Alberni mock parliament was defeated during the sitting of Thursday night by a majority of two votes.

The vote was on an amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne. It was moved by Rev. H. H. Lewis Seale, and regreted among other things that the government had no land policy to offer the House. The amendment was debated at some length, the supporters of the government sparring for time in the hope that more of their numbers would turn up in time to vote, but when the ayes and nays were counted it was decided by the speaker that the amendment had carried.

It is understood that the government will resign.

The principal debate at the sitting on Thursday next will be on a resolution having to do with the proposed reciprocity agreement between Canada and the United States.

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R. J. BURDE. - - - EDITOR.

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Port Alberni, B. C., Feb. 4, 1911.

Pioneer News Is Charged With Graft.

The Pioneer News has, this week, found itself, for the first time in an existence of nearly four years, charged with graft. The charge is made by Bruce of the Vancouver Saturday Sunset, who classes this paper with "little two-by-four sheets that squeak approval of the government," and then endeavors to show by reference to the public accounts that these are "pap-stuffed supporters of the government." Bruce prints the names of most of the British Columbia newspapers that received advertising patronage from the Provincial government during the fiscal year commencing April 1, 1909, and ending March 31, 1910, and gives the amounts which each is supposed to have received. The Pioneer News is credited with having received $274.14, which is just $60 above the correct figures. But as this is probably a typographical error, and does not seriously affect the principle on which the charge is based, it can be excused.

The other newspapers are left to answer for themselves, and it is here agreed that some of them would find it hard to give an honest account of themselves.

If Bruce, or anyone else, will take the trouble to investigate the nature of the advertising business given the Pioneer News by the Provincial government during the period mentioned, they will find honest justification for the receipt of every cent of the $214.14 which is the amount correctly shown in the public accounts.

That advertising consisted of two lists of names, on the voters' list for the Alberni Electoral district, that had been objected to, the annual land tax sale and the annual mineral tax sale, with the addition of a couple of smal notices the cost of which was insignificant. All of it had to do specifically with this district, and would have to have been given to this newspaper, no matter what its politics, for the good and simple reason that there is no other newspaper in the district.

It is only the advertising of the protested voters' names that calls for any further explanation or comment. There was graft in that connection, and the Pioneer News might have shared in it but declined to do so. Nearly every other newspaper that was given one of these lists to advertise, spread it over three, four, five or six columns, when one column was all that should have been used and all that was used by the Pioneer News, thereby keeping the cost down to the lowest possible figure, one-third, one-fourth, one-fifth or one-sixth of what was piled up by various others.

When that graft appeared the Pioneer News was among the first to denounce it, and the denunciation, double column and double leaded, was in as strong language as has ever characterized these columns.

Bruce might also recall the fact that months before this particular advertising graft was perpetrated the Pioneer News, at an opportune time, just prior to a session of the House, attacked the Provincial government along similar lines calling attention to the large amount of money that was being wasted by publishing all government advertisements in the Victoria Week. In this attack the Pioneer News was in the lead of the Saturday Sunset and all other papers in the province.

Bruce concludes his attack on all newspapers that figured to any extent in the public accounts of the fiscal year 1909-10 as follows:

"No one will argue that these large sums are distributed purely for the reasons which influence a business man in selecting his advertising mediums. It is not business, it is sordid politics, and that is graft—pure unadulterated graft and corruption."

The Pioneer News does not pretend to be the only newspaper among the many mentioned that has a right to take objection to Bruce's charge. If there are others that is their business and they will probably be better pleased by being left to attend to it themselves.

The Pioneer News herewith objects on its own account and objects strongly. It expects that Bruce will do it justice.

As a result of a seizure of something like seventy-five thousand gallons of Russian eggs in Montreal the other day an active investigation of how that city obtains its food supply has been started and the people are learning so many horrible facts about what they have been eating that are all troubled, more or less, with stomach sickness. The eggs were put up in tins for sale to the bakers, and samples of them, tested by the city analysist, were tried on guinea pigs, one dose being found to be fatal to the subjects.

Horses and Cows for Sale.

Two horses for sale, good for general purposes, and three cows. Also one Democrat wagon and one set of harness. Enquire George Lovell, Alberni Postoffice.

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New Stock of Buggies and other Rigs.

Buggies from $80 to $140.
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E. M. Whyte. -- Alberni

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JAS. R. MOTION,

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Carmichael & Moorhead, Ltd.,
Port Alberni and Chancery
Chambers, Victoria.

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Parties desiring to have their Boots and Shoes Repaired by the Champion Shoe Repairing Outfit of Victoria, can do so by leaving them at Duncan's Horse Millinery Shop, Alberni. Freight and Express charges Free.

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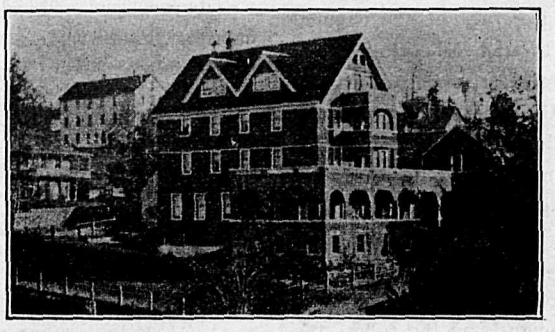

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LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take Notice that I, Maud Nicholas, of Alberni, occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the N E corner of Lot 684, thence west 40 chains more or less, thence north 20 chains, thence east 40 chains more or less to the N W corner of Lot 1023, thence south 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

Maud Nicholas,
R. W. Lindsay, agent.
January 19th, 1911. jan28

American Poachers On the West Coast

Even the Indians of the west coast of Vancouver Island have become aroused at the frequent and flagrant violation by American fishermen of the international regulations in British Columbia waters. Systematically within the last fortnight United States fishing vessels have been operating for halibut among the islands of Kyuquot Sound, and sending their dories up into the inlets to secure bait in the form of herrings, which are found in large numbers at this time of the year, says the Victoria Colonist.

The Indians state that on one day, within the past fortnight, five American fishing boats were anchored in Kyuquot harbor, getting their fishing lines baited and ready for setting. This fact is further vouched for by Mr. E. MacLeod, the provincial constable at Clayoquot, who was on an official trip to Kyuquot at that time. On the morning of the 23rd. instant Constable MacLeod states that two American fihermen were anchored in Kyuquot harbor, and he boarded one of these, the "Carrier Dove," of Seattle. He found the fishermen on board busy baiting their lines and getting everything ready for going out and making a setting, just as they would have done in any United States harbor. At the same time the fishing schooner Thistle, of Seattle, was tied up at the Kyuquot whaling station wharf. Two others were at the same time anchored in the harbor.

West coast residents describe any attempt at fishery protection along that coast as an absolute travesty. They state that American vessels are allowed to use their harbors for anchorage, their inlets to secure bait, and their halibut banks for fishing in with impunity.

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H. H. BROWNE, civil and mining engineer, and Provincial land surveyor, has opened an office in Alberni, and is prepared to receive orders for work in any part of the district.

Coal Prospecting Liceness.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Alberni.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and submarine area of the Alberni Canal, and described as follows:

Commencing at a post placed at the S. W. corner of Block 115, Lot 1, Alberni Land District, and marked N. E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 55 chains, thence east 80 chains to high water mark on east shore of Alberni Canal, thence northerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Chas. A. McNaughton.
Thos. Rowley.

January 5th., 1911.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Alberni.

Take notice that thirty days after date we intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S W corner post of block 115, Lot 1, Alberni district, and marked S E corner, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains or less east to a point on the east bank near the mouth of the Somass river, thence following the shore line at high water mark in a southerly direction to point of commencement containing 600 acres more or less.

G. A. Spencer,
George H. Bird.

Jan. 12, 1911. jan14

LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that I, Richard Sidney Thornton, of Ucluelet, occupation engineer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south point and following the shore till this point is again reached, enclosing about one acre of land. This island is situated in Ucluelet Arm, being due north of the S.E. corner post, and due east from the N. W. corner post of lot 284, Clayoquot District.

Richard Sidney Thornton.

Date November 12th., 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that W. E. Miller, of Victoria, occupation manager West Coast Fishing and Curing Co. Ltd., intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at northwest corner West Coast Fishing and Curing Co., Ltd, 1.6 acre block, east lot, 282, Clayoquot District, thence N astr, 250 feet, thence E astr 219 feet, thence S astr 208 feet, thence S 79° W astr 223 feet, and containing 1.15 acres more or less,

William Ernest Miller,
Dated December 23rd. 1910. dec31

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Andrew E. T. Liddle, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 25 chains west of N. W. corner of Kelsomat I. R., Vargas Island, Clayoquot, thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Andrew E. T. Liddle,
Agent F. C. Garrard.

Date January 6, 1911.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that I, Charles Green, of Port Alberni, occupation clerk, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the farthest S E corner of 1021, thence west 40 chains, thence south 68 30 chains or less, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains or less to one of the corners of T L 85, thence west 10 chains, thence south 10 chains, thence west 10 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 18.30 chains to point of commencement, containing 530 acres or less.

Charles Green,
W. F. Gibson, agent.

December 31, 1910. jan14

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that I, H. J. Hillier, of Ucluelet, B. C., occupation telegraph agent intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Lot 18, near Ucluelet Arm, thence north 35 chains, thence east 30 chains, thence south 35 chains, thence west 30 chains to point of commencement.

Herbert James Hillier.

Dated Dec. 15th., 1910. jan7

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Clayoquot

Take notice that Benjamin T. Hale, of Towanda, Penn., U. S. A., occupation timberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one mile in a south-westerly direction from the S W corner post of Indian reserve, on east side of Hesquiot harbor, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to shore, thence following shore line in a westerly and southwesterly direction to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Benjamin Taylor Hale,

December 6th, 1910. jan14

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Olive McEachran, of Spokane, Washington, occupation school teacher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and three miles west from the southeast corner of Township 20, marked O McE's S W corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Olive McEachran.

Dated November 23rd, 1910. jan7

NOTICE.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

Defiance Mineral Claim, situate in the Alberni Mining Division of Alberni District.

Where located: On left bank of Handy Creek, in the Alberni Canal.

Take notice that Mike Comerford, Free Miner's Certificate No. 37047 B, intends, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 23rd. day of January, A. D. 1911.

LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Frank Boyd, of Quatsino, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and one mile east from the southeast corner of Township 20, marked F. B's S W corner, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Frank Boyd.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Gus. Moerman, of Quatsino, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north from the south east corner of Township 20, marked G. M's S W corner thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Gus Moerman.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that William T. Hannah, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation electrician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and three miles west from the southeast corner of Township 20, marksd W T H's N W corner, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

William T. Hannah.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Eliza Ellis, of Victoria, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about five miles west and one mile north from the southeast corner of Township 20, and marked E E's southeast corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Eliza Ellis.

Dated November 22d, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that William J. Donahoo, occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and one mile west from the southeast corner of Township 20 and marked W J D's S W corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 400 acres, more or less.

William J. Donahoo.

Dated November 23rd, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that George H. Wilson, of Spokane, Washington, occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about five miles west from the southeast corner of Township 20, marked G H W's S W corner, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

George H. Wilson.

Dated November 22d, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that William McEachran, of Spokane, Washington, occupation blacksmith, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles north and 5 miles west from the southeast corner of Township 20, and marked W McE's S W corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

William McEachran.

Dated November 24, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Mabel McEachran, of Spokane, Washington, occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and four miles west from the southeast corner of Township 20, and marked M McE's S W corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Mabel McEachran.

Dated November 23rd, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Minnie McEachran, of Spokane, Washington, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the southeast corner of Township 20, marked M McE's N W corner, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 480 acres, more or less.

Minnie McEachran.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that John J. McEachran, of Spokane, Washington, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and two miles west from the southeast corner of Township 20, and marked J J McE's S W corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

John J. McEachran.

Dated November 23rd, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Eliza J. McEachran, of Spokane, Washington, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and five miles west from the southeast corner of Township 20, and marked E. J. McE's S E corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less,

Eliza J. McEachran.

Dated November 22nd, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Agnes McEachran, of Spokane, Washington, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and one mile west from the southeast corner of Township 20, marked A. McE's N W corner, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Agnes McEachran.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that A. W. Berger, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation hotel manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked A. W. B., N. E., located 200 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 5, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. W. Berger,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 22, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Louis Vincent, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation barber, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner and marked L. V., S. W., located 120 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 5, Township 28, Rupert District, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Louis Vincent,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 22. 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that George Vincent, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation barber, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked G. V., N. W., located 120 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 5, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

George Vincent.
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 22, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Joseph N. Raybould, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked J, N. R., N. W., located 200 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 5, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Joseph N. Raybould,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 22, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Isaac Richard Turney, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation mechanic, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner and marked I. R. T., S. W., located 360 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 4, Township 28, Rupert District, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Isaac Richard Turney,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 24, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Isaac McTavish, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation broker intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked I. McT., N. W., located 360 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 4, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Isaac McTavish,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 24. 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Oliver Hemphill, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner and marked O. H., S. W., located 240 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 3, Township 28, Rupert District, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Oliver Hemphill,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent,

Date, Nov. 24, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Jessie Elizabeth Passmore, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked J. E. P., N. W., located 240 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 3, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Jessie Elizabeth Passmore,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 24, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Mrs. Rose Thornton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner and marked R. T., S. W., located 240 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 2, Township 28, Rupert District, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Mrs. Rose Thornton,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 25, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Margaret L. Passmore, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked M. L. P., N. W., located 240 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 2, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Margaret L. Passmore,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 25, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Annie Maria Whyte, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation married woman intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked A. M. W., NW., located 200 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 1, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Annie Maria Whyte,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 25, 1910. dec24

LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Geo. S. Kerr, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner and marked G. S. K., S. E., located 80 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 6, Township 28, Rupert District, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Geo. S. Kerr,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 21st., 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that George A. Kennedy, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked G. A. K., N. E., located 80 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 6, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

George A. Kennedy,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 21st., 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Richard A. Henderson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation tailor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner and marked R. A. H., S. E., located 120 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 5, Township 28, Rupert District, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Richard A. Henderson
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 22, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that David D. Breckenridge, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked D. D. B., N. E., located 160 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 6, Township 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

David D. Breckenridge,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 21st., 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that Peter Alexander, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked P. A., N. E., located 120 chains south of the southeast corner of Section 5, Township, 28, Rupert District, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Peter Alexander,
Per C. H. Walker, Agent.

Date, Nov. 22, 1910.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that we, Wm. Spittal and Wm. Grogan of Vancouver and Victoria, prospector and woodsman, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands for quarrying purposes: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner, about 40 chains from Rose Marie and west side of Elk river: thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to place of commencement.

Dated November 29th., 1910.

Wm. Spittal,
dec31 Wm. Grogan.

WATER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a license in the Alberni district.

The name of the company in full is the Alberni Power Company, Limited.

The head office is at Victoria, B. C.

The capital, how divided, showing amount paid up—$100,000.00, divided into 100,000, $250 paid up.

The name of the stream is Stamps river.

The point of diversion is below and near the confluence of Ash and Stamps river.

The quantity of water applied for is 2000 cubic feet per second.

The character of the proposed works—Pipes and flumes from point of diversion to the foot of Stamps river falls and installation of power plant.

The premises on which the water is to be used—On property adjacent to Stamps river falls.

The purpose for which the water is to be used—Power purposes.

If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return—At the foot of Stamps river falls. Difference of altitude between point of diversion and return is 200 feet.

This notice was posted on the 3rd day of January, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 3rd day of February, 1911.

Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be effected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet—J. Drinkwater, Lot 80, Alberni, B. C., and the E. & N. Railway company.

Attach such parts of the company's memorandum of association as authorize the proposed application and works—(a). To apply for, obtain and hold, under the provisions of the Water Act 1909, or to purchase or otherwise acquire or hold water and water licenses, and to exercise any and all of the rights, powers and privileges conferred on power companies by Part IX of the "Water Act, 1909," or any amendment thereof.

The Alberni Power Company, Limited.
U. L. Parsenow, agent.

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All kinds of Household Furniture in Stock at Mainland Prices

A. I. BIND ALBERNI

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Hardware and Builders' Supplies

THIRD AVE., PORT ALBERNI

The Imperial Steam Laundry

Of Nanaimo, B. C., has opened a Branch in Port Alberni. Laundry will be called for every Monday and delivered every Saturday evening. Special orders can be returned on Thursday evenings if necessary.

White Labor Only. W. E. Morrissey, Agent,

Telephone System Soon To Be Ready

In the face of climatic disadvantages and delay in the arrival of freight, the telephone men, under direction of B. H. Mitchell, have been making rapid progress on the work of installing the British Columbia company's system in Port Alberni. The work is now so far advanced that Mr. Mitchell confidently expects to have the line working in the new town within two weeks. The staff of men will then be transferred to the old town, and by the first of March the two towns should be connected by telephonic communication.

The system will be modern in every respect, and there will be someone on duty at the central office to answer calls at all hours of the day and night. A temporary central office is to be established in A. D. MacIntyre's building on Third avenue.

Altogether there will be ten miles of line in and between the two towns, 400 poles being placed in the ground and there being forty of them to the mile. The estimated cost of the whole work is $10,000.

As soon as progress of railway construction will permit, work will be started on the long distance connection with Nanaimo. It is estimated that this work will cost $15,000.

A masquerade ball will be held in Alberni, under the auspices of the Athletic club, on Friday, February 17.

San Francisco Gets Panama Exposition

The United States House of Representatives on Tuesday, by a vote of 188 to 159 decided in favor of San Francisco and against New Orleans as the city in which an exposition to celebrate the opening of the Panama Canal in 1915 shall be held.

This vote was taken on a roll call to determine whether the San Francisco resolution or the New Orleans bill should have consideration in the house. On a final vote, the San Francisco resolution was adopted by a vote of 259 to 43.

The advocates of San Francisco claim that their fight is won and that the senate will ratify the action of the house.

The San Francisco resolution does not ask for government aid in any form. It simply authorizes the president of the United States to invite foreign nations to participate in the fair.

LAND ACT.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that the Canadian North Pacific Fisheries, Limited, a body corporate, of Victoria, B. C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following Pescribed lands:

Commencing at a post planted at high water mark 30 chains, more or less, in a direction easterly from the northwest corner of Lot 212, Rupert District, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains north, thence westerly following the sinuosities of the foreshore line of Narrow Gut Inlet to point of commencement, said to contain 40 acres more or less.

Canadian North Pacific Fisheries, Limited,
Per William Charles Meyerstein.

Dated January 24th., 1911.

Local News In Brief

Jack Bartlett returned on Tuesday from the Campbell River country where he had been engaged on E. & N. railway survey work.

W. Enter arrived on Tuesday from Cleveland, Ohio., and will be associated with his brother, Max Enter, of Alberni, in land clearing work.

Nat. Rolph who had been confined to his home for a couple of weeks with a serious attack of la grippe is now able to be about again.

The regular monthly meeting of the Alberni board of trade will be held in the Court House next Monday night commencing at 8 o'clock. The general annual meeting will be held on the first Monday in March.

A. R. Defieux and C. Green, left this morning on a holiday visit to Victoria, Vancouver and Puget Sound cities.

Owing to damages received in the accident on Thursday night of last week the steamer Tees was unable to sail from Victoria on Wednesday as scheduled. The Amur has taken the place of the Tees on the West Coast run for this week and is due in Port Alberni tonight. The Tees will be on the run again as usual next week, and is due to arrive in Port Alberni on Wednesday.

The two comedy sketches, which were billed to be given under the auspices of the Alberni Tennis club, have been indefinitely postponed owing to the inability of one of the players to take part.

J. F. Bledsoe, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Arlington.

A deal is pending for the sale of the King Edward hotel. The intending buyers are Vancouver men.

The Ghost dance given in Waterhouse hall on Wednesday night was well attended, the dancers being representative of both towns and the valley. The function was well managed, and the enjoyment lasted till long after midnight.

A. Berwick, the Victoria piano man who had been doing business in the two towns for a couple of weeks, left on Tuesday for home.

D. H. Anderson, in charge of the Port Alberni Methodist church, returned on Saturday last from Victoria.

The Methodist congregation of Port Alberni has planned to build a church on its property in the new town next summer.

A machine shop is shortly to be opened in Alberni. A. K. McDonell and Jack Bartlett are the men interested in the enterprise, and they will be located in J. C. Calhoun's building on Gertrude street. The firm will handle bicycles, and will be prepared to do all kinds of repair work in addition to carrying on a general machinist's trade.

SOCIAL DANCE

AND SUPPER

Brand's Hall, Alberni

Thursday, February 9, 1911

Ward's Orchestra

J. J. Burke, - - Floor Manager

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Get it into your mind, keep it working there, and make use of the fact, that we have a new stock of Men's Suits, right up to date and made of the best material. It will be to your profit as well as ours, and the latter has been figured low.

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Nabob Coffee --- Ground

Also Best Bean Coffee in Town.

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Delivery of Goods Guaranteed.

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The Quality of Our Butter, Hams, Bacon, Lard and Cheese is A1, and fully up to Our Reputation for Keeping High Class

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New Crop Naval Oranges and Lemons are now in Good Condition and Lower in Price.

Soap for the Multitude

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Conti's Castile Soap, Three Cakes for 25c.
Colgate's famous Soap from 10c. to 35c. Per Cake.
Tar Soap, 5c., 10c., 25c. and 35c. Per Cake.
Snap, a wonderful Hand Cleanser, 20c. the tin.
Cuticura, Zam Buk, Resinol, Baby's Own and other Standard Soaps at regular Prices.

PINEO'S, ALBERNI

Headquarters for Hardware.

Builders' Hardware,
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New Assortment of Styles added to our stock.

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