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MAKE GOOD SHOWING ON TAYLOR RIVER MINE

D. T. Bordman, M. E., R. Sheffiield, J. Dixon and W. Naslund came into town from the Lindsay mineral claim on Wednesday, having completed a hundred foot tunnel into the property. A splendid showing was made, and it is understood that Mr. Bordman has a report to make to the interested parties in Vancouver that will induce a substantial appropriation of money for further development work.

The Lindsay claim is located on Taylor river, above the head of Sproat lake, and close to the line of the Alberni-Clayoquot wagon road on which it is proposed to do a lot of work this Summer.

Examining the Raven.

H. E. Newton, a well known mining man, arrived from Vancouver on Tuesday and is making an examination of the Raven mineral claim across the canal from Port Alberni. The property is owned by M. A. Ward and A. Rochester, and a good showing of copper and gold has been made by men doing assessment work.

Street Stump Blasters Shatter C. Wise's House

The greater part of a large stump, blown from the crescent, north of Argyle street, by the Alberni Land company's men on Tuesday, crashed through the roof of C. Wise's house, smashed in the ceiling, and hung in the rafters.

The house was showered also with other pieces of stump, stones and earth that made it look like a sorrowful wreck.

Mr. Wise was wisely out of the house, and some distance away, when the blast occurred; otherwise he would have received a severe shock to his nerves.

The damage has since been repaired at the company's expense, and the use of powder in removing stumps, close to buildings, has been temporarily abandoned.

Fletcher Returns To Build Boats

Ernest Fletcher, of Kamloops, who is making application to the Provincial government for lease of a waterfront lot on the Somass river, at Roger Creek, returned to Alberni last Saturday evening, and is a guest at the Arlington. Mr. Fletcher's mechanical equipment is billed for shipment from Victoria on the steamer Tees and should be delivered on Tuesday next. He intends to proceed, immediately his lease is granted, with the construction of a shop and slip for building and repairing ships and boats.

Mr. Fletcher has also purchased a river front lot from A. L. Smith, and will use this for his industry unless he secures his lease without unsatisfactory delay.

Charles Cree and family are moving into the house. on Marpole hill, recently vacated by J. Miller.

FURNISHED COTTAGE TO RENT—For the Summer at $10 per month. On Grandview, Nicholas ranch. Apply or address, H. Ward, Alberni.

The Advantages of Alberni District

Advantage No. 3.

Bannell's Bread

Waterhouse.

Carter. Alberni Trading Store

Contract To Clear Lots For Building

The contract for stumping and grading the three lots on Gertrude and Southgate streets, Alberni, where J. F. Bledsoe will build an imposing $6000 residence, has been let to Max Enter who operates a Ducrest stump puller, and work will be commenced next week. Mr. Bledsoe left, accompanied by his family, on Saturday last for Vancouver, and will return in about a month's time when it is expected the ground will be ready for the builders to proceed. The three lots are each 66x 132 feet, with a frontage of 198 feet on Gertrude street. The architecture of the house will be planned by Mr. Bledsoe, himself, who has previously displayed some genius in this line. Some years ago he designed and built, in turn, the attractive residences now owned by A. W. Neill and J. Howitt.

Mining at Wreck Bay.

Capt. Ferguson, of Ucluelet, who was in town on Monday and Tuesday, reported that a lot of drilling and dredging apparatus had recently been landed at Wreck bay, and that a small party of men was busy on the beach where gold has been found. The gold diggers are from Seattle. They are well equipped and have plans for extensive work.

Bank Opening.

E. S. V. McClintock, manager for the Bank of Montreal in Port Alberni, returned on Tuesday from a trip to Victoria. Arrangements have been made with the agents of the Alberni Land company for temporary premises on Second avenue adjoing the site for the permanent structure and the bank will be open for business about June 15th.

Government Grants Aid to Exhibition Building.

The construction of a large and handsome exhibition building on the grounds of the Alberni Agricultural Assn. this Summer is now assured, the secretary, James R. Motion, having received a guarantee of financial assistance to the extent of $2000 from the Provincial government.

Surveyors Move.

The Canadian Northern survey party, in charge of F. H. Shupp, that was camped at the mouth of Granite creek while completing a trial line along the beach of the canal in the direction of Port Alberni, left this morning for Cowichan Lake from where they will move this way again on actual location work.

R. H. Wood Injured

R. H. Wood met with an accident while superintending the construction of the E. & N. wharf on Thursday. He was walking on a piece of scaffolding that was not securely nailed when he became overbalanced and fell, landing on a raft that was tied below. His ribs were injured.

New Pool Room.

Harry Walton, of the Arlington hotel has rented the front part of the first storey of White's hall, Victoria Quay, Alberni, and will open a pool room and cigar store on May 15. He will leave today for Vancouver to arrange for his stock and equipment to be shipped. Mr. Walton has had considerable creditable experience in the management of pool and billiard halls having had charge of that department of the Vancouver hotel in Vancouver and other highly first-class resorts. He is personally popular and is well trained in the art of catering to the handlers of the cue.

New Office Building

A. D. Cooper has commenced the building of a general office in front of his brick factory at Third avenue and Argyle street.

Tennis Club.

The Alberni Tennis club's court will be open to members on Saturday next when one grass and one mud court will be ready. There will be a meeting of the committee in the Court House on Thursday next commencing at 8 p. m.

TENDERS.

Tender are invited for the construction of premises for the Bank of Montreal in Port Alberni; and also for a house at Sproat lake for Judge Irving.

Tenders to be sent in not later than May 6th, 1911.

Plans and specifications can be seen at our office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Carmichael & Moorhead, Ltd.

PORT ALBERNI

A Flourishing City Soon To Be

A Magnetic Point of Rail and Water Transportation Lines---A Radiator of Western Commerce---The Place For a Home and Opportunity.

(Published by authority of the Port Alberni Board of Trade.)

Port Alberni is located in the heart of Vancouver Island, British Columbia, at the head of Alberni Canal, a natural waterway, clear, deep and wide, that penetrates the land for 34 miles in from the open Pacific.

By reason of its geographical situation Port Alberni is destined to become an important shipping center. It stands conspicuous on the line of least resistance and shortest distance for the All Red Route, and offers the advantage of time saving on transportation to and from the Orient also.

By way of Port Alberni is the natural outlet to the open Pacific for the products of the rich interior and east coast of the Island, while the opening of the Panama canal, four years hence, will add to the importance of this route which will then afford shorter distance and safer transportation for a great part of the wares of western Canada to all the markets of the world.

With the completion of railway construction, now under way, Port Alberni will have undisputed command as a commercial distributing point for all of the rapidly developing district on the west coast of the Island, and will be the home of numerous smaller craft.

The extension of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway, which is controlled by the Canadian Pacific Railway company, to Port Alberni, will establish this point as the extreme western terminus of the Canadian Pacific system. Less than 22 miles of the road remain to be completed, and the company figures on having the whole line in operation by August 1st next.

Construction of the Vancouver Island section of the Canadian Northern Pacific railway is now progressing towards Port Alberni and the work is to be finished within two years when this point will become the extreme western terminus of a second transcontinental system.

Both railway companies propose to operate modern and speedy car ferries on the water that separates the Island from the Mainland thus making quick and convenient connection between the two sections.

Because of the vast wealth of timber and mineral in the tributary district, the rail and water shipping facilities that are to be provided, and the enormous water power available, Port Alberni will become one of the most important manufacturing centers in Western Canada.

The standing timber, Douglass Fir and Cedar, is the largest and finest in the world. It is mostly owned by large lumber manufacturing concerns. A conservative estimate of the amount already marked for manufacture in this port, compiled from reports of various timber cruisers of recognized reliability, is 14,600,000,000 feet, or enough to provide a manufacturing output of 1,000,000 feet per day for forty years.

There is 100,000 horse power in the waterfalls within a radius of eight miles of the town.

The whole unoccupied foreshore of Port Alberni, nearly two miles in length, is controlled by the E. & N. Railway company which has sub-divided it into manufacturing sites that are available for industries on lease at a nominal figure. A few of these have already been secured by lumber manufacturing companies.

The manufacturers of Port Alberni will be given the advantage of the same rate on export shipments to the Prairie markets as Vancouver and other Coast cities.

Salmon and deep sea fishing is also an industry that is at present under important development.

Back of Port Alberni is a valley of 60,000 acres. Most of this land is covered but can be cleared at an expense of from $100 to $150 per acre. The soil and climate are especially adaptable for fruit growing, and a ten or twenty-acre farm can be made to pay good profit.

In addition to fruit growing there are splendid advantages for poultry raising and other forms of light farm work.

There is now, and always will be, a home market for all the produce of the valley at prices that will compare with the highest paid on the normal markets of the Canadian west.

Uncleared land can be bought at from $20 to $100 according to location. There is some cleared land offered for sale at from $200 per acre up.

There is no land for pre-emption in the valley nor within a considerable distance of the town. From Ucluelet, on Barclay Sound, to the north end of the Island there is Crown land in various places, that can be either bought outright from the government at $5 and $10 per acre or pre-empted.

At the present time all lines of business and profession are fairly well represented in Port Alberni, but openings always occur with development. To secure advantage of such openings one requires to be on the scene when they become apparent. It will pay to get in on the ground floor.

Business lots are held at from $6.00 up. Residential lots, $2.50 and up.

The local lumber market is supplied by two mills at present operating on a small scale. Prices the same as in other places on the British Columbia coast.

Port Alberni has all the educational, religious and social advantages of a well ordered western town.

The climate, the scenery, the hunting and fishing, form a large part of the assets of the district, there being an important and rapidly increasing tourist trade. There are hotels to accommodate all classes. The district is favored with an early Spring (commenced Feb. 24 this year), a long sunny Summer, a fall that permits grapes and peaches to ripen in the open, and a short, mild winter in which zero weather is virtually unknown.

The Provincial Government has appropriated $75,000.00 for expenditure this season on improving and extending a most creditable system of wagon roads throughout the district making it more accessible for settler and tourist.

How To Reach Port Alberni.

FROM VICTORIA OR NANAIMO—By train every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, the train connecting with stages at Cameron Lake station. The train leaves Victoria at 8 a. m , Nanaimo at 11:30 a. m. The stages arrive in Port Alberni about 5 p. m. The steamer Tees leaves Victoria for Port Alberni and other West Coast points on the 1st, 7th, 15th and 20th of every month.

FROM VANCOUVER—By way of Nanaimo.

PIONEER NEWS.

Published at Port Alberni, B. C., and issued every Saturday.

R. J. BURDE. - - - EDITOR.

Subscription Rate, - $2.00 per year

Port Alberni, B. C., April 29, 1911.

The Islander, published at Cumberland is advocating the organization of a board of trade in that town.

The Ladysmith Chronicle tells its readers it has reason to believe that a properly directed movement by the Board of Trade would secure an all-night telephone service for the town.

"Your Credit Is Good." is a large and conspicuous sign in front of a furniture store in Vancouver, and, from court reports, it would appear that the dealer has been taken at his word more than he wanted to be. He is now suing one of his customers for $47,000.

Just as an offset to the report that has reached and disturbed an Alberta farmer who would like to emigrate to the Alberni district the school children who have been killed and eaten by mastadons or other prehistoric beasts are asked to stand up and be counted.

The board of trade of North Vancouver has sent to Ottawa a vigorous protest against the new dredge being sent to Alberni. The kickers claim they understood the dredge was originally intended for improvements to their harbor. Now then, sick 'em, Bill Templeman!

To the enquirer from far away, who wants advice about investing in this town or district, the Pioneer News says once more: The first and best investment is in a ticket that will bring you to the place to see for yourself. If you fail to find an opportunity to better your worldly condition you should, at least, gain something in bodily health and elevation of soul, the climate and scenery being unbeatable agencies in these lines.

The Liberals of New Westminster have already begun a Dominion election campaign. At a nominating convention, held in the Royal City on Friday of last week, J. W. Weart was chosen as candidate receiving 44 votes against 39 for Robert Jardine who was the unsuccessful candidate in the last election. John Oliver's name was offered to the convention but that worthy warrior declined.

The citizens of Hope, B. C., have started a movement for the incorporation of the town. The town of Merrit, B. C., has already been incorporated and is now governed by a mayor and council. The town of Port Alberni, B. C., being handicapped by an indifferent land company that looks upon its necessities from a far-away-London point of view is compelled to linger patiently behind a standard of progress that is set by less important places.

In answer to the question, "Is there any danger from wild Indians?" asked by an intending settler from Alberta, it may be stated that while no alarm need be felt on account of "wild" Indians except by the holders of athletic honors, there are some "wily" Indians who have proved dangerous to unsuspecting strangers in these parts. They know a few tricks about getting "easy" money and prohibited booze that white men sometimes have to sit up and take notice. For further information along these lines the reader is cheerfully referred to an acquaintance with Cultus Bob.

Now, if that Alberta man had not stipulated farming in connection with his desire to do something with seven or eight thousand dollars he might have been approached with a proposition to go into the newspaper business on Third avenue, a short distance south of Argyle street.

According to all accounts we are to have four pool rooms, two in each town, opened about the middle of next month. We appeal to the several promoters of this magnetic enterprise to consolidate some so that the approaching real estate boom may have a chance to receive a little share of our attention.

Hon. Sidney Fisher, speaking at a reciprocity meeting in Montreal on Monday, said, in reply to a question as to why the government did not present the question to the electors: "Just as soon as you want it you shall have the chance, but we do not propose to disfranchise a great number of people who, after the census, will have votes. We do not think the present distribution represents fairly the whole country. It would be a national crime for the government to dissolve and go to the country just in face of a census and redistribution."

Cigarette smokers are not popular with bosses on railway construction, and were not employed on the greater part of the Port Alberni extension unless they abstained during working hours. The objection on the part of the contractors was not of a moral nature, but was based purely on economic reasons. It was not figured, either, that the man with the habit was less capable than the man without it. It was observed that the cigarette man usually rolled his own smokes, and it was estimated that the time consumed in this exercise totalled thirty minutes per man in a working day of ten hours. If every laborer on this piece of railway construction had been a cigarette roller it would have cost about forty thousand dollars more than it did to build the road.

NOTICE.

Having now offices in both Port Alberni and Alberni we are in an exceptionally favorable position to handle both townsite and valley properties, and will be pleased to have full descriptions, with prices and terms, of any lands you may wish to sell.

JAS. R. MOTION

Real Estate and Insurance.

ALBERNI AND PORT ALBERNI.

LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that W. W. G. McAllister, of Alberni, B. C., occupation hotel owner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Beauty Island in Great Central lake, thence south 60 feet, thence west 100 feet, thence north 60 feet, thence east 100 feet to point of commencement.

William Wallace Goforth McAllister.
April 27th, 1911. ap29

Patronize the Steam Laundry

Riverview

On and after the 1st of May, 1911, the price of Lots remaining unsold in Riverview Addition

Will Be Increased 25 per cent.

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LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

Take notice that J. L. Leeson, of Quatsino, B. C., occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains north of the northeast corner of Lot 36, Rupert district, and marked J. L. L's N. E. corner, thence west 60 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north 60 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres more or less.

J. L. Leeson,
J. W. Kelly, Agent.
January 20, 1911.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Jennie E. Kelly, of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of small island in Winter Harbor, east of Indian Reserve, and marked J. E. K's N. W. corner, thence following shore line east, south, west and north to point of commencement, and containing three acres more or less.

Jennie E. Kelly,
F, M. Kelly, Agent.
January 18, 1911. feb25

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District o5 Alberni.

Take notice that I, Ernest Fletcher, of Alberni, occupation boat builder, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south side of Rodger creek, at a point where it empties into the Somass river, thence south (7) seven chains, following the Somass river, thence in a northeasterly direction to a point on Rodger creek, about (10) chains distant, thence following creek to point of commencement, containing three acres, more or less.

Ernest Fletcher.
Dated February 21st., 1911. feb25

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Barkley.

Take notice that Henry Robert Gargard, of Victoria, B. C., occupation electrical engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S. W. corner and situate about 80 chains distant in a westerly direction from the N. W. corner of Lot 67, Barkley District; thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Henry Robert Garrard,
Stanley Wood, Agent.
Dated Jan. 25, 1911.

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Branches at Alberni and Port Alberni

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ENQUIRERS PRESENT SOME NUTS TO CRACK

Strange and Startling Information Reaches People Who Figure on Coming To Alberni District To Settle.

As a specimen of the impressions of Port Alberni that, one way or another, get into the minds of interested people the following letter, particularly the latter part of it, is submitted:

Camrose, Alberta, April 16.
Secretary Port Alberni Board of Trade.
Dear Sir:

What would land cost per acre two or three miles out of town.

What could a man do with $7000 or $8000 farming at Port Alberni?

What would cleared land be worth?

What are cows and horses worth?

Could we get mowers, plows, wagons, etc., there, or would you advise us to bring them?

Is it so that school children are very often killed and eaten by the wild animals?

Is there any danger from wild Indians?

Yours Truly,
S. K. ALLEN.

George Charles Buchanan, of Beamsville, Ont., who has been making enquiries from various sources, about Port Alberni, has written to the editor of the Pioneer News for confirmation of some peculiar information he has been furnished with.

I have been told, he says, that the steel was laid from Victoria to Alberni on the new Canadian Northern line and only the buildings remained to be built.

That Old Alberni had moved over to Port Alberni, and that the Bank of Montreal had bought there after buying in Old Alberni and was building there.

That there is very little farming land on Barclay Sound or near Alberni.

That pears were to be bought in Victoria for 9 cents a peck, and that peaches were almost given away on Saturday nights.

That butter averaged 22 cents per pound for creamery, and eggs 24 cents per dozen.

That coal could be bought from $1.00 to $4.00 per ton.

You will see, adds Mr. Buchanan, that no one could farm in a new country at these prices.

E. CARVELL,
Contractor and Builder
Architect
PORT ALBERNI, B. C.

What Have You To Sell?

We are starting a campaign to advertise Victoria and the Island generally in all parts of Canada, Great Britain and the United States, and we want your assistance in this work.

There is going to be great development on the Island in the immediate future, and you and we must do our part in this expansion.

Development means the influx of people and money, and we want you to assist us in properly placing both.

What have you for sale? Write and give us the following particulars:

Description of property and number of acres.
Number of acres of cleared and wild land.
Number of acres of good soil.
Number of acres under cultivation and nature thereof.

In a word tell us all about your property and, if possible, send us photos of it.

Quote price and terms and make the price an appeal to reason.

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Buggies from $80 to $140.
Two-seated rigs and delivery wagons, $95 to $125.

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Brickwork
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Ladies' Blouses

Call and See Them.

Mrs. J. Heath - Alberni

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Tofino, B. C.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that, under the authority contained in section 131 of the "Land Act," a regulation has been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council fixing the minimum sale price of first and second class lands at $10 and $5 per acre, respectively.

This regulation further provides that the prices fixed therein shall apply to all lands with respect to which the application to purchase is given favourable consideration after this date, notwithstanding the date of such application or any delay that may have occurred in the consideration of the same.

Further notice is hereby given that all persons who have pending applications to purchase lands under the provisions of section 34 or 36 of the "Land Act" and who are not willing to complete such purchases under the prices fixed by the aforesaid regulation shall be at liberty to withdraw such applications and receive refund of the moneys deposited on account of such applications.

WILLIAM R. ROSS,
Minister of Lands.

Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., April 3rd, 1911. apl8

SURVEYING.

GEORGE A. SMITH, C. E., B. C. Land Surveyor. Surveys of timber limits, mineral claims, and land subdivisions. Address, P. O. Box 23, Alberni.

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.

Provincial Elections Act

Alberni Electoral District.

Take notice that I have received objections in writing to the retention of the following names on the Register of Voters for the Alberni Electoral District on the grounds stated below.

And take notice that at a Court of Revision to be held on the First day of May, 1911, at Alberni at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, I shall hear and determine the said objections, and unless such named persons or some other Provincial Voter on their behalf satisfies me that such objections are not well founded, I shall strike such names off the said Register.

Dated this 1st. day of April, 1911.
H. C. RAYSON,
Registrar of Voters.

The following Persons are reported Absent from the District:

No.	Name.	Place.
5.	William Anderson	Texada
17.	Gordon Babington	Departure Bay
22.	Aaron Barnes	Wellington
23.	Charles Elijah Barnes	Wellington
24.	John Barrett	Vananda
27.	Percival Bate	Alberni
48.	William Henry Joyce Blake	Port Alberni
90.	Milton Chamberlin	Alberni
92.	Alfred Cheal	Wellington
152.	William Henry Disbrow	Alberni
126.	Walter Alexander Cranford	Vananda
156.	Andrew Doumont	Wellington
159.	Francis Doumont, Jr.	Wellington
161.	Nestor Doumont	Wellington
162.	Moise Doumont	Wellington
175.	John Dunbar	Wellington
176.	Felix Dumont	Wellington
178.	Morris Dumont	Wellington
179.	James Dunbar	Wellington
184.	John Dwyer	Port Alberni
198.	Herbert Edgar Evans	Vananda
202.	Edward P. Fellows	Vananda
203.	Henry Christoe Ferris	Alberni
204.	Henry Edward Fitzgerald	Alberni
213.	Bernard Frank	Alberni
246.	Robert Graham	Wellington
267.	Smith Graham	Wellington
284.	Walter Handy	Alberni
287.	Wattes Leigh Harris	Clayoquot
308.	James Hiquebran	Wellington
320.	Archibald Cranford Holmes	Vananda
327.	Thomas Hughes	Port Alberni
328.	John Roy Illstad	Quatsino
361.	John Stewart Kirk	Vananda
394.	Stephen Little	Vananda
400.	George Albert Love	Port Alberni
423.	Henry Mills	Departure Bay
425.	James Lees Millar	Ahousat
428.	William Gifford Milsted	Alberni
434.	William Whitford Moore	Port Alberni
435.	Charles Andrew Moorhead	Port Alberni
438.	Peter Morrison	Wellington
442.	Werner Mueller	Port Alberni
446.	Charles Leverty McAllister	Alberni
451.	Alexander Fraser McDonald	Alberni
455.	William McCullock	Port Alberni
471.	Benjamin McKenzie	Wellington
474.	Alexander McKinnon	Wellington
478.	Robert Grieve McLachlan	Bamfield
458.	Daniel Collier McDonald	Alberni
523.	Louis Page	Departure Bay
526.	Bertram Edward Parsons	Bamfield
533.	William Pearman	Vananda
534.	Sidney Peck	Lasquiti Island
541.	Henry Piercy	Texada City
561.	William Price	Marble Bay
564.	Robert Prior	Vananda
594.	Charles Lloyd Roberts	Alberni
605.	John Thomas Robinson	Departure Bay
614.	John Rumsby	Wellington
615.	Laurence Rundall	Port Alberni
628.	George Scott	Bamfield
641.	Ernest Edward Smith	Vananda
653.	George William Spittal	Alberni
663.	Jotham W. Stephenson	Alberni
678.	Walter George Sweet	Vananda
714.	Harry Herbert Treloar	Vananda
723.	Laurence Valley	Port Alberni
743b.	Sidney White	Port Alberni
744.	Edward Williams	Alberni
755.	Arthur Philip Woolacott	Vananda

The following Persons are reported Deceased:

294.	John Heath	Alberni
322.	William Hosking	Vananda
500.	Peter Merryfield Nicholas	Alberni

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 mining division of Alberni district.

The name of the company in full—Big Interior Gold Mines, Limited.

The head office—402, Dominion Trust building, Vancouver, B. C.

The capital, how divided, showing amount paid up—$500,000, divided into 500,000 shares of $1.00 par value. 375,000 paid up.

Free Miner's Certificate No. 47157B.

The name of the lake, stream or source—Della Falls.

The point of diversion—Outlet of Della lake.

The quantity of water applied for—Ten (10) cubic feet per second.

The character of the proposed works—For mining purposes.

The premises on which the water is to be used—On mineral claims the property of the Big Interior Gold Mines, Ltd.

The purposes for which the water is to be used—For mining 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 or diversion and point of return—Returned to Drinkwater creek, a difference in altitude of about 1700 feet.

This notice was posted on the 13th day of April, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 7th day of June, 1911.

Big Interior Gold Mines, Limited.
A. J. Engvick, Secretary-treasurer.
P. O. Address—402, Dominion Trust Building, Vancouver, B. C.

LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that Wallace Fisheries, Limited, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation canners, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted on the coast line, about 3,900 feet westerly from the entrance to Mahati river, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north to the coast line, thence following the coast line in an easterly direction to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Robert Warren.
Dated 2nd. March, 1911. mar25

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

Take notice that I, Gust. Moerman, of Quatsino, B. C., occupation hotelkeeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the N E corner of the S E fraction of section 26, Limestone Island, thence south 20 chains, thence west 10 chains, thence north following shore line about 20 chains, thence east about 10 chains following shore line to point of commencement, containing 20 acres more or less.

Gust. Moerman.
March 27th, 1911. apl8

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Ewart Fenwick Jackson, of Nova Scotia, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Flores Island, about 160 chains east of San Rafael Point, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south about 55 chains to the shore, thence west 80 chains along the shore to point of commencement, containing about 450 acres.

Ewart Fenwick Jackson.
William F. Gibson, Agent.
Dated February 18th., 1911.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Donald Bruce Stewart, of Nova Scotia, occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Flores Island, about 160 chains east of San Rafael Point, thence north about 75 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south about 75 chains to the shore, thence east 80 chains along the shore to point of commencement, containing about 640 acres.

Donald Bruce Stewart.
William F. Gibson, Agent.
Dated February 18th., 1911.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that David Patterson, of Nova Scotia, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on Flores Island about 190 chains north east from San Rafael Point, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

David Patterson.
William F. Gibson, Agent.
Dated February 18th., 1911.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Frederick Welsford Jackson, of Nova Scotia, occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on Flores Island, about 135 chains north east from San Rafael Point, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Frederick Welsford Jackson,
William F. Gibson, Agent.
Dated February 18th., 1911.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that James Douglas, of Syracuse, U. S., occupation veterinary surgeon, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on Flores Island, about 140 chains north west from San Rafael Cone, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

James Douglas,
William F. Gibson, Agent.
Dated February 21st., 1911.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Mackenzie George Douglas, of Dundee, Scotland, occupation accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north shore of an island a little west of south from Catface mountain, and about five miles from shore, thence following the shore line all round the island to point of commencement, containing about 500 acres.

McKenzie George Douglas.
William F. Gibson, Agent.
Dated February 23rd., 1911. mar18

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Clayoquot.

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

Commencing at a post planted eight feet north from the north east corner of lot 407, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

Peter Alexander McBean.
Wilfrid Thornton, agent.
April 12, 1911. apl22

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Richard Albert Willing, of Ucluelet, occupation macninist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the beach at the southwest corner of Lot 54, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, more or less, to shore line, thence following shore line north easterly to point of commencement, comprising 80 acres, more or less.

Richard Albert Willing.
March 20, 1911. apl1

RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that all vacant Crown lands not already under reserve, situated within the boundaries of the Land Recording Districts of Carlboo and Lillooet, and the Kamloops Division of Yale Land Recording District, are reserved from any alienation under the "Land Act" except by pre-emption.

ROBERT A. RENWICK.
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., April 3rd, 1911. apl8

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Conservative Meetings.

The Alberni Conservative association meets in the Carlin hall, upstairs, the first and third Tuesdays of every month.
Leonard Frank, Secretary.

Local News In Brief

The Court of Revision on the voters' list will be held in the Court House, Alberni, on Monday next commencing at 10 a. m.

The regular monthly meeting of the Alberni board of trade will be held in the Court House on Monday next commencing at 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. C. Wood have moved into the Brand cottage, Southgate street and Victoria quay.

It will be unlawful for any one to use an automatic shot-gun in the pursuit of game in British Columbia on and after Sept. 1 next. The penalty prescribed is a fine of not less than $50 or not more than $250.

Capt. C. L. Roberts and J. W. Stroud went down to Nahmint on Monday, accompanied by Dan Clarke, the object of the trip being to locate some timber limit stakes. The stakes were found by Mr. Clarke just where they were supposed to be and where they were planted four years ago. The party returned on Wednesday.

A. Macfie went down to Bamfield on a business trip on Thursday.

Tom Hendley and Dick Porritt returned on Thursday from a visit to Nanaimo.

H. M. T. Hodson and wife and family left on Thursday for the Old Country.

A wing is to be built to the east side of the government office. The additional space will be used by the road superintendent.

The Third avenue bridge, over Dry creek, was completed this week.

The lay-out of the ground floor of the Arlington hotel is to be remodelled in time for the accommodation of the Summer tourists.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKinnon, Alberni, on Tuesday night.

The All-Red-Route publicity committee of the Port Alberni board of trade has received replys from Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. William Templeman in which both gentlemen promise to give the subject matter their careful consideration.

The steamer Tees is due from Victoria again next Tuesday evening.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Forsythe, Port Alberni, on Sunday last.

G. A. Spencer and wife and family returned on Tuesday from Bedford, England.

Max Enter has bought a lot adjoining the Bledsoe property on Gertrude street, Alberni.

Dr. F. H. Stirling arrived from Victoria on Tuesday and is registered at the Arlington.

Over fifty applications for homesteads in the northern part of Vancouver Island have been received at the government office in Alberni during the past month.

There promises to be a good representation from Alberni and Port Alberni at the musical and dramatic entainment and dance at Parksville on May 12.

F. H. Swayne and E. S. V. McClintock went down the canal on a fishing trip yesterday afternoon.

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Band Will Soon Be Ready to Play

After the regular weekly practice of the Alberni District Brass Band last Monday night there was a reorganization meeting when new officers were elected as follows:

President—Wm. E. Ryder.

Vice-president and captain — V. Shaver.

Secretary-treasurer and librarian—C. Green.

Executive committee—George Ward, J. B. Wood and A. W. Storey.

The band members have, of late, been making most satisfactory progress under the instruction of Capt. Fox, and the president announces that they will be ready to furnish suitable music for the first public holiday celebration in the valley.

Fresh Fish Every Week.

Capt. Ferguson brought the gasoline boat Merry Widow up from Ucluelet on Monday with a cargoe of halibut and other deep sea fish for the local market.

Capt. Ferguson announced that he has made arrangements for regular weekly trips with fresh fish for Port Alberni.

Lumber Activity.

G. D. McKay, provincial timber inspector, has received reports which indicate that lumber companies operating on the west coast of Vancouver Island and on the north coast of the mainland will in many cases increase the capacity of their plants this coming season so that they may double their present output, so says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. All reports point to a greatly increased output throughout the Province, and to meet the expected activity the government has appointed additional log scalers.

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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 division of the Alberni district.

The name, address and occupation of the applicant is George A. Smith, Alberni, B C, land surveyor.

The name of the lake, stream or source—A small creek running through block 3, lot 100, Alberni district.

The point of diversion is on the north boundary of lot 3.

The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second—.280.

The character of the proposed works—pipe line.

The premises on which the water is to be used—Premises on block 3 lot 100.

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

This notice was posted on the 25th day of April, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 25th day of May, 1911.

Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works either above or below the outlet—Applicant, George A. Smith.

G. A. SMITH.

Postoffice address—Alberni, B C. ap29

LAND ACT.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Barclay.

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

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 83, Barclay, thence north about 32 chains to the northeast corner of said Lot 83, thence following the south and southwest boundaries of Timber Lease 21, east about 32 chains, south about 16 chains, east about 24 chains, south about 16 chains, to the north boundary of Timber Limit 39,514, thence west about 56 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 140 acres more or less.

Arthur Hammond Cole.

Dated February 19, 1911. feb25

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