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MOVE TO PRESERVE FORESTS BEAUTIFUL

All Branches of Vancouver Island Development League to Be Interested In Preservation of Cameron Lake Territory.

That Cameron Lake, with its magnificent stretches of timber land, unsullied wilderness and beauty should be set aside now, before it is too late, as a forest reservation and a game preserve, has been the opinion of the members of the Vancouver Island Development league for some time. Now the league has the Victoria Natural History society backing it in the project and influential members of both bodies will use every effort to have the government make the desired provision, says the Victoria Colonist.

The decision of the Natural History society was taken at the last meeting of that organization when a resolution was passed, a copy of which was sent to Lt.-Col. Prior by Secretary J. R. Anderson. The former handed the resolution over to Secretary Ernest McGaffey of the league, who has always been a strong advocate of the scheme. Mr. McGaffey had several copies of the resolution struck off and these will be forwarded to all branches of the league with a request for endorsation. Then, it is likely, the proposal will be laid before the government.

"This matter," said Mr. McGaffey, "is one in which the league is vitally interested and it is probable that it will be discussed at the big meeting in Alberni in July. It is hoped that the government may be induced to set this reserve aside as a monument to the natural resources of this great island, to stand when the forests of today are denuded."

To-Day's Telegraph News

Dunsmuir Invests.

Victoria, B. C., April 9.—James Dunsmuir is reported, on excellent authority, to have purchased four million dollars worth of Canadian Northern bonds.

Coal Lands In Demand.

Vancouver, April 9.—The revived interest in B. C. Coal lands following the bonding of the Dunsmuir Collieries for ten million dollars by MacKenzie & Mann, is indicated by the initiation of negotiations by other interests for coal properties on Vancouver Island only second in importance to the former. It is reported that a deal involving a purchase amounting to millions of dollars is pending. The names of the principals will be made public shortly.

The King's Health.

Biarritz, April 9.—Sir James Reid, physician in ordinary to King Edward, who is here with the King, said today, "The King is not suffering from a cold. He has been indoors for a few days. The weather is too unsettled for his majesty to go out doors.

Sorrow In Nanaimo.

Nanaimo, April 9.—Mrs. Mary Ann Baker, a resident of Nanaimo for fifty years, died today. Two days ago Mrs. Baker's son James, aged 30, died at Victoria. They will both be burried in Nanaimo on Sunday.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS ON INSPECTION TRIP

R. Marpole, vice-president of the E. & N. railway; H. E. Beasley, superintendent; H. J. Cambie, chief engineer, and R. A. Bainbridge, division engineer, arrived yesterday afternoon and registered at the Somass hotel, Port Alberni. They left this morning, at 10 o'clock, for Nanaimo and Victoria.

The party of railway officials were on an inspection trip, and came all the way from Comox yesterday. It is announced that tenders for clearing right-of-way, recently acquired from Union Bay to Oyster river, have been called for.

I. O. Graham, right-of-way agent for the E. & N. railway company, stated while in Nanaimo on Monday that the right-of-way for the railway from Comox to Campbell river has all been arranged and he is now working on the section between Comox and French Creek. No difficulty is anticipated in making terms with the owners of the land along the proposed route.

NEWS GENERAL AND PERSONAL

Thomas Maher came up on the Tees from the West Coast trail yesterday,

Danvers Osborn arrived yesterday from Victoria on his way to Bamfield.

Judge Barker will hold County Court in Alberni on Tuesday, April 19.

Mike King, of Victoria, was a visitor in Port Alberni yerterday.

It is expected that the new wagon road around the south shore or Cameron lake will be open for travel by May 15.

Services will be held in St. Andrews Presbyterian church tomorrow, both morning and evening. Rev. E. G. Taylor will take one or both services.

Angus McDonnell, of the firm of Janse, McDonnell & Timothy, railroad contractors, Port Alberni, returned yesterday from Vancouver.

A. W. Neill, Indian agent, left last night on an official trip up the West Coast.

A. Carmichael, Port Alberni, returned last evening from a business visit to Victoria.

Mrs. Sproat and her daughter, Miss Ivy Sproat, arrived last evening from Victoria.

Piggott-Davey Nuptials.

The wedding of William Piggott and Miss Adelaide Davey, both of Port Alberni, took place on Wednesday afternoon of this week. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. A. Love at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dayey. Miss Margaret Grandy was bridesmaid and Sidney White groomsman. Mr. and Mrs. Piggott have taken up their residence on Argyle street.

Farewell Presentation.

Rev. T. S. and Mrs. Glassford left this morning for Vancouver where they will take up there residence temporarily. They were waited upon by a number of friends on Thursday afternoon when an informal farewell was said. Mrs. Glassford was presented with a purse well filled with gold.

Ball and Supper.

The postponed ball and supper of the Alberni District Civilian Rifle association will be given in Waterhouse's hall, Port Alberni, on Wednesday of next week, commencing at 8:30.

New Tutor Again Tonight.

"The New Tutor" is to be reproduced in Waterhouse's hall, Port Alberni, tonight, by the same company as gave the presentation in Brand's hall on Friday night of last week. There are no reserved seats.

Dentistry.

D. E. Kerr, D. D. S., will be in Alberni from April 15 to April 30 prepared to do all kinds of dentistry.

LAND COMPANY WILL SOON PUT TOWNSITE ON MARKET

It was officially announced yesterday that the Alberni Land company would put its Port Alberni townsite on the market some time during next month. Clearing, which extends from the south end of the new town north to the Redford road, and several blocks back from the waterfront, is nearly finished. The sale is sure to attract outside investors in large numbers.

Commence Building Kettle Valley Road

That construction on the Kettle Valley Railway will start from Merrit, B. C. early in May is now almost definitely settled. The line will follow the Coldwater River to a point 30 miles up in the vicinity of Dan McKay's ranch. It will run through the Aspen grove copper camp and will penetrate a rich agricultural country. The divisional base will likekly be located at Merrit.

It is reported on good authority that the V. V. & E. Railroad will also secure entrance into Merritt, so as to get into contact with the vast coal fields in the district. The line now runs through a point about 20 miles south, and it is said that J. J. Hill will make a try for the coal fields.

The Canadian Pacific is considering the extension of its present Nicola branch north to Kamloops and thence along the North Thomson to the headwaters, through the Yellowhead pass and out to connect with the Alberta Central which it has recently acquired.

Fruit Demonstrations.

A regular meeting of the Alberni Farmers' Institute will be held on Monday, April 18, commencing at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and at 7:30 in the evening. The afternoon session will be held in the orchard beside Pineo's drug store when practical demonstrations of pruning will be given by an expert. The evening session will be held in the Court House.

Rifle Enthusiasts.

A general meeting of the Alberni District Civilian Rifle association was held in the Court House on Monday there being a fair attendance of members from both towns. The standard rules were read over and a set of by-laws adopted. It was reported that arrangements for the clearing of the range were being made and it was expected to have it ready for use at an early date.

To Elect New Officers.

A meeting of the Alberni Agricultural society will be held in the Court House on Saturday, April 16, commencing at 3 o'clock in the afternoon to elect a president to succeed F. Cowley, resigned, and a secretary to succeed Rev. T. S. Glassford who is leaving Alberni.

CARD OF THANKS.

The Rev. T. S. Glassford and Mrs. Glassford take this opportunity of thanking their friends for the many kindnesses during their residence of nearly six years in Alberni, and especially, at this time, for their generous parting gift.

LOST—Two weeks ago, grey colt with white face; 2 years old; had halter on. Leave note at Postoffice for Harry Thomas.

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 Barkley Sound division of the Alberni Water district.

The name of the company in full is the Barkley Sound Power Company Limited, the head office being at 514 Fort street, Victoria, B. C.

The capital is $10,000 divided into 100 shares of $100 each, $500 paid up.

The water applied for is not to be used for mining purposes.

The name of the stream is Sarita river.

The point of diversion is at a point immediately below the head of the river and just below the mouth of the lake.

The quantity of water applied for is 2800 cubic feet per second.

The character of the proposed works is a power plant for the generation of electricity for industrial purposes.

The premises on which the water is to be used are described as follows: A dam or weir is to be placed across the river immediately above the intake and the water is to be conveyed to a power house at a point on the land along the bank of the Sarita river about one mile below the intake.

The water applied for is not to be used for irrigation purposes.

The water if to be returned to the Sarita river at a point within one mile and a half below the intake.

The difference in altitude between the point of diversion and the point of return is approximately 200 feet.

The area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works is 100 acres.

This notice was posted on the 7th day of April, 1910, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 20th day of May, 1910.

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 are: The Crown, Tom Kains and R. F. Hanna.

Parts of memorandum of association which authorize the proposed application and works are as follows:

Paragraph 2 (a). The construction or operation of works or the supply or utilization of water under the "Water Act, 1909."

(b). To apply for and obtain, under the provisions of the "Water Act, 1909," or to purchase or otherwise acquire water records or water licenses.

Barkley Sound Power Company, Limited.
per H. W. R. Moore, Director.
Postoffice address: P. O. Box 724, Victoria, B. C.

LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Renfrew.

Take notice that Susanua J. King, of the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner and situate at the S. W. corner of the Clo-oose Indian Reserve, thence following the shore westerly about 80 chains to the S. W. corner of the Indian Reserve at the entrance of Nitinat lake, thence following the boundaries of the said Indian Reserve, east and north and west to the shore of Nitinat lake, thence following the shore of the lake northerly and easterly to the west boundary of Coal License 2643, thence south 60 chains more or less to the S. W. corner of said Coal License, thence east 40 chains more or less to the west boundary of Clo-oose Indian Reserve; thence south about 80 chains to point of commencement, being an area of 480 acres more or less.

Susanna J. King,
per S. Wood, agent.
April 2nd, 1910. apr9

NOTICE.

Provincial Elections Act.

TAKE NOTICE that I have received objections in writing to the undermentioned names being retained on the list of Voters for the Alberni Electoral District:

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	REASON FOR OBJECTION.
Bradley, James	Errington	Farmer	Ceased to reside in district
Christiansen, Carl	Cape Scott	Farmer	Has not resided in district for one year
Fisher, Benjamin	Errington	Farmer	Ceased to reside in district
Guier, James	Pulp mill, Quatsino	Lumberman	Resides in Comox district
Hansen, Jens Peter	San Josef	Farmer	Dead
Hansen, Niels Peter	Cape Scott	Fisherman	Residing in Denmark
Hansen, Rasmus	Cape Scott	Carpenter	Left the district six years ago
Holm, Jens Christain	Cape Scott	Farmer	Left the district several years
Hughes, John C	Parksville	Farmer	Dead
Jensen, Hans Peter	Cape Scott	Farmer	Left the district several years
Jensen, Martin	Cape Scott	Farmer	Left the district over a year
Jorgensen, Lauritz	Cape Scott	Fisherman	Left the district several years
Kent, George Vipon	Parksville	Lineman	Ceased to reside in the district
Kramer, Paul	S. E. Arm, Quatsino	Miner	Resides in Comox district
Matterson, Ian Gordan	French Creek	Rancher	Ceased to reside in the district
Macauley, Alexander	S. E. Arm, Quatsino	Miner	Resides in Comox district
Niclson, Neils	Cape Scott	Farmer	Left the district several years
Niclson, Nels Tycho	Cape Scott	Farmer	Left the district several years
Sorensen, Valdemar Axel	San Josef	Farmer	Ceased to reside in district
Thomassen, Byrge Falk	Cape Scott	Farmer	Ceased to reside in district
Thorp, Soren	Cape Scott	Farmer	Ceased to reside in district
Williams, Albin	Cape Scott	Farmer	Resides in the Comox district
Williams, George	Parksville	Lineman	Ceased to reside in district

AND TAKE NOTICE that at the Court of Revision to be held at the Court House, Alberni, on the 2nd day of May, 19I0, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, I shall hear and determine the same, and unless they or some other Provincial voter on their behalf, satisfy me that said objection is not well founded, I shall strike their names off the Register.

H. C. RAYSON,
Registrar of Voters for the Alberni Electoral District.

Dated at Alberni, this 7th day of April, 1910, A. D.

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Alberni, B. C., April 9, 1910

WATCH THIS CANADIAN.

The most interesting happening in Canadian newspaper business for some time past was the passing of the Vancouver News-Advertiser into the control of J. S. H. Matson, managing-director of the Victoria Colonist. It was all done without advance notice, and the plain announcement of the deal having been made was a remarkable surprise.

This is not the first time Mr. Matson has surprised the public; neither is it likely to be the last. The quiet and certain manner in which he placed himself in control of the Colonist made many wise people sit up, rub their eyes, and guess at things they couldn't understand. Then when he was seen to be changing a business failure into business success, and developing an easy-going old newspaper into a large and powerfully influential journal that soon began to show it was drawing a large share of the world's attention profitably towards Victoria in particular and Vancouver Island in general, some of them were disappointed.

Mr. Matson has ideals as well as ambitions in a business way. He is a Canadian, loyal and patriotic. He is able to trace his Canadianism back for four generations to the sturdy pioneers of the days when the foundations of this Great Dominion were being roughly but solidly laid. He is an Imperialist and his imperialism is inbred.

When J. S. H. Matson puts his directing hand at the helm of the News-Advertiser its course will be progress, and it will be worth watching. Mr. Matson has no use for any but first place when he enters a race. He will do things in Vancouver—things that will add to its credit in enterprise.

Incumbent Reports at Annual Meeting

At the annual vestry meeting of All Saints church, held on Wednesday night of this week, the incumbent, Rev. F. H. Fawcett, submitted his report which read, in part, as follows:

Dear Parishioners:

It is customary in most parishes in Canada for the rector or incumbent to give at the easter vestry meeting a resume of the year's work as it appertains to him.

The parish register shows for the past ecclesiastical year one marriage, six baptisms, one burial and seven candidates confirmed.

Regular morning and evening services have been held in All Saints church on Sundays with afternoon services every other week at Port Alberni. During Lent mid-week services were held in All Saints with a morning and an illustrated evening service on Good Friday.

During the year the Holy Communion has been celebrated on the first Sunday of every month at the 11 a. m. service; also to my incumbency once a month at 8 a. m. I did not think it advisable, at least during the winter months, to continue the early celebration.

The Lenten services, with those of Good Friday, were, for the most part, well attended. The Good Friday offering for Jewish missions was up to, if not above, the average.

The Easter day services were well attended, the number of communicants being the greatest recorded, save once, in the history of the parish.

The Easter offertory which, by a canon of the synod, is a gift from the congregation to the incumbent, I gratefully acknowledge. The Lenten self-denial offering for the D. M. S. is very gratifying surpassing the amount received in any previous year, but in this cause we cannot be too enthusiastic.

Our Sunday School is composed of ten scholars, more or less, according to the weather, and two lady teachers with the incumbent as superintendent. We look upon this small beginning as simply the nucleus of a larger school.

The Women's auxilary has not only been faithful in holding weekly meetings but also enthusiastic in their endeavors to beautify the church and in bearing a considerable share of the current expenses of the parish. We have to thank the ladies for the beautiful curtain in the chancel and also for the lovely Easter flowers. They also carry the burden of the interest on the vicarage debt.

Our parish hall was placed at the disposal of the Men's Club for the winter months but, being very little used, we think it best to terminate the arrangement at least for this season.

The Rev. F. H. Wimberley B. D., my predecessor, resigned this charge in December and within a month left to enter upon the curacy of St. Alban's, Ottawa, Ontario. The Bishop of the diocese placed me in temporary charge and I entered upon my duties on Jan. 23. Since then I have visited considerable around this neighborhood and have tried to interest my fellow men in things pertaining to my calling.

With regard to our church services I have been not a little encouraged with the members that have attended Holy Communion as well as the increased attendance at the regular morning and especially the evening services.

For lack of opportunity, rather than desire, I have not done justice in visiting my Port Alberni parishioners.

We hope soon to see the church ready for services especially for the services of Mr. Bird's Sunday School which he so faithfully has taught and kept together.

Parishoners, we are approaching a psychological moment if indeed it is not on us at the present time. We cannot afford to loose our opportunity to sow our faith according to the order of the Church of England broad and deep. Let us lay aside all that might hinder us from working in harmony and concentrate our energies on the furtherance of the work which we now have on.

FOR RENT.—Small house with ground, at Milltown. Address, A. Thompson, Beaver Creek.

TO LET—Five-roomed cottage. Apply James Hills.

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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.

COAL LANDS ACT.

Prospecting License Notices.

Take notice that I, Mrs. S. Spence, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 3 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse and on the shore of Hesquiat bay, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

Mrs. S. Spence,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, John Anderson, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 3 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse and about 3 miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

John Anderson,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I. Fanny Hudson, of Vancouver, B. C. intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 3 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse and on shore of Hesquiat bay, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Fanny Hudson,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, John Hudson, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 3 miles from Hesquiat Lighthouse and on shore of Hesquiat bay, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

John Hudson,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, Margaret Street, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 3 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse and on shore of Hesquiat bay, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Margaret Street,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, Cory S. Rider, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 1½ miles north of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Cory S. Rider,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, T. F. Haggart, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island:

Commencing at a point about 1½ miles north of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

T. F. Haggart,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, F. E. Parker, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancover Island.

Commencing at a point about 13 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement. (Covered by water.)

F. E. Parker,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, Chas. C. Knight of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 13 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

Chas. C. Knight,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, A. J. Cook, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 13 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement. (Covered by water.)

A. J. Cook,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, G. A. Davidson of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 13 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

G. A. Davidson,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, J. H. Stanton, of Vancouver, B. C. intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 11 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement. (Covered by water.)

J. H. Stanton,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, E. P. Cook of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 9 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement. (Covered by water.)

F. P. Cook.
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, E. Knight of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Commencing at a point about 7 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement. (Covered by water.)

E. Knight,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, F. S. Knight of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described lands, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island. Commencing at a point about 9 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

F. S. Knight,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, S. E. M. Parker, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point on the West Coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about seven miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

S. E. M. Parker.
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, K. J. Haywood, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about seven miles northwest of Hesquiat lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement. (covered by water). K. J. Haywood,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, J. T. Blowey, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 7 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

J. T. Blowey,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, Fresno Blowey of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 7 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Fresno Blowey,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, H. A. Blowey, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about seven miles northwest of Hesquiat lighthouse, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

H. A. Blowey,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, J. T. Street, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about five miles north west of the Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement

J. T. Street,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, W. D. Haywood, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 11 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

W. D. Haywood,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, G. H. Green, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 11 miles north west of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement. (Covered by water.)

G. H. Green,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, N. H. Davidson, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 11 miles north west of Hesquiat light house, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

N. H. Davidson,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, G. R. Davidson, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 9 miles north west of Hesquiat lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement. (Covered by water.)

G. R. Davidson,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, S. A. D. Purington of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 9 miles northwest of Hesquiat lighthouse, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

S. A.D. Purington,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, D. Parsons, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about nine miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

D. Parsons,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, Mina Parsons, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situate near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about nine miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

Mina Parsons,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, S. A. Clements, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about nine miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

S. A. Clements,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, H. McAllister, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about nine miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

H. McAllister,
by Maurice McArdle, agent,
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, J. J. Gray, of Vancouver, B. C,, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about seven miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

J. J. Gray,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, William Windburn, of Vancouver, B. C, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described lands, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 5 miles north west of Hesquiat lighthouse and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

William Windburn,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, Frank Walsh, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan Point, West Coast of Vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 3 miles north west of Hesquiat lighthouse and about 3 miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

Frank Walsh,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, M. W. Haywood, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver island: Commencing at a point about eleven miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

M. W. Haywood,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, William Murdock, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver island: Commencing at a point about five miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

William Murdock,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, K. D. McArdle, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 11 miles north west of Hesquiat lighthouse and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north. thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

K. D. McArdle,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, Martin Dunsmuir, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver Island: Commencing at a point 11 miles north west of Hesquiat lighthouse and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Martin Dunsmuir.
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, Maurice McArdle, of vanconver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver island: commencing at a post about seven miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Maurice McArdle.
Located February 7, 1910.

Take notice that I, Mary McArdle, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver island: Commencing at a point about eleven miles northwest of Hesquiat light house, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

Mary McArdle,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, James Yates, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver island: Commencing at a point about 5 miles north west of Hesquiat lighthonse, and about 2½ miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

James Yates,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 8, 1910.

Take notice that I, William Dick of Vancouver, B.C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 3 miles north west of Hesquiat lighthouse and about 3 miles from coast, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

William Dick,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, B. R. Hamilton, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described lands, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver island: commencing at a point about half a mile northwest of Hesquiat light house, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

B. R. Hamilton,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, E. Bottomley, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver island: Commencing at a point about half a mile northwest of Hesquiat light house, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

E. Bottomley,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, R. C. Brown, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 3 miles north west of Hesquiat lighthouse and about 3 miles from coast, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

R. C. Brown,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, Robt. Gray, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver Island: Commencing at a point about 1½ miles north of Hesquiat Lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Robt. Gray,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, John Dunsmuir, of vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of vancouver Island. Commencing at a point about 1½ miles north of Hesquiat lighthouse, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north. thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

John Dunsmuir,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, Anna Anderson, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described lands, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about half a mile northwest of Hesquiat lighthouse, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Anna Anderson,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Take notice that I, A. A. LaFergey, of Vancouver, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum upon the following described land, situated near Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver island: Commencing at a point about half a mile northwest of Hesquiat light house, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

A. A. LaFergey,
by Maurice McArdle, agent.
Located February 9, 1910.

Obedience Results In Triple Tragedy

Siberian newspapers recently received in St. Petersburg tell of the following incident which happened in the town of Bodaibe:

A peasant's wife was going to market and left her baby in charge of a three-year old brother.

"See that he doesn't cry," said the mother as she went out.

"But if he does?"

"Ah, cut his tongue out," replied the mother carelessly.

When she came back she asked the little boy: "Did baby cry much?"

"He tried to once," was the reply.

"And what did you do?"

"I cut his tongue out as you said, mother." Then he stopped.

The frightened mother ran inside and saw, to her horror, that her criminal injunction had been carried out.

In a fit of rage the mother seized the boy who had obeyed her and threw him against a wall. Then when she saw that his skull was fractured she hanged herself.

Prof. Frederick Starr, the distinguished anthropologist, was recently discussing the Roosevelt hunting trip.

"Mr. Roosevelt," he said, "will encounter very great dangers in the jungle. I don't mean the wild beasts; I mean the fevers. Mr. Roosevelt's is not the tempermant to resist these dangers, either. He is a heady, rushing temperamant; but the sort of temperament that keeps off jungle fever is like that of a London cabby that once drove for me.

"I had boarded a four-wheeler in Piccadilly, and I directed the driver to take me to Claridge's. He drove at a snail's pace. Exasperated—for I was already late for luncheon—I finally put out my head and shouted.

' "Look here, cabby, we're not going to a funeral!' "

"The cabby looked at me, took out his pipe, and frowned. 'No,' he replied, 'and we aint goin' to no bloomin' fire, either.'"

An old lady on her first railroad trip remarked the bell-cord over-head, and, turning to a boy, she asked, "Sonny, what's that for?"

"That, marm," he said, with a mischevious twinkle in his eyes, "is to ring the bell when you want anything to eat."

Shortly afterward the old lady reached her umbrella up to the cord and gave it a vigorous pull. The whistle sounded, the brakes were put on, the train began to slacken its speed, windows were thrown up, and confusion reigned among the passengers. The old lady sat calmly through it all, little dreaming that she was the cause of the excitement.

Presently the conductor came rushing through the train. "Who pulled that cord?" he demanded.

"I did," replied the old lady meekly.

"Well, what do you want?" snapped the official.

"Well," said the old lady meditatively, "you may bring me some ham sandwiches and a cup of tea, if you will."

A distinguished member of the National Geographic Society, on his way down town one day when the polar controversy was at its height, passed some little colored boys who were playing with two very pretty kittens.

Pausing, he asked the leader of the party if he had named the kittens.

"Oh, yes," was his reply, "I calls 'em Tawn and Jerry."

"Why not call them Cook and Peary?"

'Deed, boss," was the quick rejoinder, "dese yere ain't polecats."

Admiral Hichborn once had a Chinese servant, named Chow, whom he brought with him from the East. One day Chow asked permission to go to a funeral.

"All right," said the admiral. Then he added, "I suppose you will put a lot of food and sweatmeats on his grave as they do in China?"

"Allee same China," Chow replied.

"Now, Chow," continued the admiral, "when do you think the dead Chinaman will come up to eat the food you leave on his grave?"

"Allee same time Melican man comes up to smellee flowers you leave on his grave," answered Chow urbanely.

F. Hopkinson Smith is an enthusiastic sportsman—when he is sitting on the sidelines or in the bleachers. Not long since, at the conclusion of a reading from his own works, one of the young women who was presented to him sought to inquire into his passion for sport.

"Mr. Smith," she asked, what is your favorite game?"

"That," replied the novelist, "depends upon the season."

"Of course," assented the young woman, "but though you may like football in the autumn and baseball in the summer, you must have some general preferance. Isn't there one game that you like best?"

"Well, yes," replied Mr. Smith reflectively, "I think that, all things considered, my favorite game is canvasback, just a trifle high."

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LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.

District of Barclay.

Take notice that B. Bekker of Alberni, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three quarter mile distant in a south westerly direction from P. Michelsen's pre-emption's northeast corner post, thence 20 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 20 chains west, thence 40 chains north following the shore of Trout lake to point of commencement containing full 80 acres. The purpose for which the land is required is agriculture.

Bertel Bekker.

Date, April 1, 1910.

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

Commencing at a post planted about three miles east from the north east corner of the Indian Reserve on the western shore of Pachena Bay, west coast of Vancouver Island, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to this post. Arthur Conway,

per Chas. McHardy, agent.

Date, March 22nd, 1910.

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

Commencing at a post planted about three miles east from the north east corner of the Indian Reserve on the western shore of Pachena Bay, west coast of Vancouver Island, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west to this post. Arthur Newland.

per Chas. McHardy, agent.

Date, March 22nd, 1910.

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

Commencing at a post planted about three miles east from the north east corner of the Indian Reserve on the Western shore of Pachena Bay, West Coast of Vancouver Island, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to this post. Cbarles Over.

per Chas. McHardy, agent.

Date, March 22nd, 1910.

Take notice that Charles M. Stewart of Vancouver, B. C., occupation tailor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles east from the north east corner of the Indian Reserve on the western shore of Pachena Bay on the west coast of Vancouver Island, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to this post.

Charles M. Stewart,

per Chas. McHardy, agent.

Date, March 22nd, 1910.

LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.

District of Barclay.

Take notice that Lionel E. Hodson of Winnipeg, Manitoba, occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner and situate at this point one chain above high water mark on Island known as Hill island, thence following the shore line of said island to the point of commencement.

Lionel E. Hodson.

Arthur G. Willoughby, Agent.

Date, February 10, 1910.

Take notice that Christian Cator of London, England, occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at north west corner and situate about a quarter of a mile north and two miles east from the north east corner of Pachena Light House Reserve, thence eighty chains east thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north to the point of commencement, containg six hundred and forty (640) acres more or less.

Christian Cator.

Arthur G. Willoughby, agent.

Date, February 8th, 1910.

Take notice that George S. Seaton of London, England, occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner and situate about three miles north and two miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Light House Reserve, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains east to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres more or less.

George S. Seaton.

Arthur G. Willoughby, agent.

Date, February 8th, 1910.

Take notice that Annie E. M. Cator of London, England, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner and situate about three miles north and three miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres more or less.

Annie E. M. Cator.

Arthur G. Willoughby, agent.

Date February 8th, 1910.

Take notice that Raymond B. Punnett of Victoria, B. C., occupation agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner and situate about a quarter of a mile from the south east corner of Section No. 2, Township No 1, Barclay District, on the mainland, and one chain above high water mark on the beach, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains south to point of commencemt, containing six hundred and forty acres, more or less.

Raymond B. Punnett.

Arthur G. Willoughby, agent.

Date, February 10th, 1910.

Take notice that John Godson of Bamfield, B. C., occupation accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner and situate about three miles north and two miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres more or less.

John Godson.

Arthur G. Willoughby, Agent.

Date, February 8th, 1910.

Take notice that Ernest Powell, Esq., of Vancouver, occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner and situate about three miles north and two miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains north to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres, more or less.

Ernest Powell.

Arthur G. Willoughby, agent.

Date, February 8th, 1910.

Take notice that Frederic H. Mayhew of Victoria, occupation agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner and situate about one mile north and two miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Light House Reserve, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres more or less.

Frederic H. Mayhew.

Arthur G. Willoughby, agent.

Date, February 7th, 1910.

Take notice that Jessie M. Godson of Bamfield, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner and situate about three miles north and two miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Light House Reserve, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains north to the point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty acres, more or less.

Jessie M. Godson.

Arthur G. Willoughby, agent.

Date, February 8th, 1910.

Take notice that Herbert E. Punnett of San Francisco, California, occupation accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner and situate about one mile north and two miles east of the North east corner of the Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains south to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres more or less.

Herbert E. Punnett.

Arthur G. Willobghby, agent.

Date, February 7th, 1910.

Take notice that Violet M. C. Cator of London, England, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner and situate about a quarter of a mile from the north east corner of the Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence two mile east, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty acres (640) acres, more or less.

Violet M. C. Cator.

Arthur G. Willoughby, Agent.

Date, February 8th, 1910.

LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.

District of Barclay.

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

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner and situate about one mile north and three miles east from the north east corner of Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west to point of commencement containing six hundred and forty (640) acres, more or less.

Sylvia G. Punnett.

Arthur G. Willoughby, Agent.

Date, February 8th, 1909.

Take notice that Arthur G. Willoughby of Victoria, occupation civil engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands;

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner and situate about one mile north and two miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains south to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres, more or less.

Arthur G. Willoughby.

Date, February 7th, 1910.

Take notice that Bertie N. Cator of Victoria, occupation surveyor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner and situate about one mile north and two miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains north to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres more or less.

Bertie N. Cator.

Arthur G. Willoughby, agent.

Date, February 7th, 1910.

Take notice that Laurence Rundall of Victoria, B. C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner and situate about two miles north and three miles east from the north east corner of the Pachena Lighthouse Reserve, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains south to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres, more or less.

Laurence Rundall.

Arthur G. Willougby, agent.

Date, February 8th, 1910. mar12

Take notice that I, Jeanie R. Neill, of Alberni, occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of section 18, township 1, Barclay, thence 80 chains west, thence 20 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 20 chains north to point of commencement, comprising 160 acres more or less.

Jeanie Rutherford Neill.

James Budge McKay, agent.

Date, Feb. 5 1910. mar5

Take notice that Edward Despard of Parksville B. C., occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner and situate about 4 miles northerly from the N. E. corner of Pachena Light House reserve, thence 40 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, being 320 acres.

Edward Despard.

Date, Jan. 14, 1910. feb5

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Basil Kendall Garvice, of Alberni, occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Mence Island, situate north of Pender Island, and following the shore line to point of commencement, comprising the whole island of 15 acres more or less.

Basil Kendall Garvice.

Date, Feb. 26, 1910. mar5

Take notice that E. P. Davis, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation lawyer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on Pender Island, south shore, and claiming all of the island.

E. P. Davis,

Carmichael & Moorhead, agents.

Date, Jan. 26, 1910. feb12

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that I, A. C. Macfie, of Alberni, occupation carpenter, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted near the mouth of Taylor river on the south side, thence 40 chains easterly along the lake shore, thence 20 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains north more or less to lake shore and point of commencement and containing 120 acres more or less.

Archibald Campbell Macfie.

Date, February 8, 1910.

Take notice that B. M. Douglas, of Alberni, occupation domestic duties, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about five chains in a northerly direction from the mouth of Taylor river, thence north 40 chains, thence east 30 chains more or less to the western line of T. L. No. 84, thence south 10 chains more or less to the corner post of T. L. 84, thence east 15 chains more or less to the southwest angle post of T. L. 84, thence south 30 chains more or less to the shore of Sproat lake, thence westerly along the shore of the lake 45 chains more or less to the point of commencement, and containing 140 acres more or less.

Bella Murray Douglas,

A. C. Macfie, agent.

Date, Feb. 8, 1910. feb12

Take notice that Jeannie Coulter Moorhead, New Alberni, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the southerly point of Erin island, thence following the shore line to point of commencement and claiming the whole island.

Jeannie Coulter Moorhead,

Basil K. Garvice, agent.

Date, Jan. 31, 1910. feb12

LAND ACT NOTICES.

LAND ACT.

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that I, William Fullarton Gibson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation timber cruiser, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of Hesquiat Harbor, situate about 2 miles south west along the shore of said Hesquiat harbor from the south west corner of the Indian reserve; thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the shore of Hesquiat Harbor, thence following the meanderings of the shore line of Hesquiat Harbor in a south westerly direction to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres of land more or less.

William Fullarton Gibson.

Date of location March 10, A. D. 1910,

Take notice that I, Benjamin Taylor Hale, of Towanda Penn. U. S. A., occupation lumberman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north east corner of pre-emption 1644, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence following the meanderings of the shore of Hesquiat Harbor to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres of land more or less.

Benjamin Taylor Hale,

William Fullarton Gibson, agent.

Date of location March 10, A. D. 1910. mar26

Take notice that Frederick Aspinwall of Victoria, occupation boilermaker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Lot 83 on the north shore of Great Central lake, thence north 40 chains more or less to the south boundary of Lot 859, thence west to east boundary of Lot 750, thence south to lake and easterly along shore of same to point of commencement, containing 150 acres more or less.

Frederick Aspinwall,

C. L. Roberts, agent.

Date, Jan. 22, 1910.

Take notice that Harold John Boteler Harper of Victoria, occupation civil engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Lot 716 on South shore of Great Central lake, thence south 30 chains more or less to the north boundary of Lot 718, thence east along said boundary to shore of lake and returning westerly along shore of lake to point of commencement, containing 300 acres more or less.

Harold John Boteler Harper,

C. L. Roberts, agent.

Date, Jan. 22, 1910.

Take notice that Simon Nelson of Victoria, occupation machinist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Lot 756 on the south shore of Great Central lake, thence west 60 chains more or less to east boundary of Lot 718, thence north to shore of lake and following same easterly to point of commencement, containing 100 acres more or less.

Simon Nelson.

C. L. Roberts, agent.

Date, Jan. 22, 1910.

Take notice that John Thomas Graham of Victoria, occupation painter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Lot 870 on north shore of Great Central lake, thence 40 chains, more or less, north to corner of Lot 71, thence north and east following boundary of Lot 71 to E. & N line, thence south and east along same to shore of lake and along shore westerly to point of commencement, containing 150 acres more or less.

John Thomas Graham,

C. L. Roberts, agent.

Date, Jan. 21, 1910.

Take notice that J. B. Holcroft of Victoria, occupation civil engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Lot 761 on the north shore of Great Central lake, thence following the boundary of Lot 761 north 40 chains, more or less, and west 40 chains, more or less, to the boundary of Lot 83 and following boudary of Lot 83 west and south to lake shore and returning easterly along shore to point of commencement, containing 250 acres more or less.

J. B. Holcroft,

C. L. Roberts, agent.

Date, Jan. 22, 1910:

Take notice that Clark Ewing of Victoria, occupation cabinet maker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands on the north shore of Great Central lake:

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Lot 761, thence north 40 chains, more or less, to the south boundary of Lot 857, thence east along said boundary to the western boundary of Lot 762, thence south to lake shore and returning along shore westerly to point of commencement, containing 200 acres more or less.

Thomas Clark Ewing,

C. L. Roberts, agent.

Date, Jan. 22, 1910.

Take notice that James Hilton of Victoria, occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the followir g described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Lot 763 on the north shore of Great Central lake, thence north 40 chains more or less to lower north east corner of Lot 763, thence east to western boundary of Lot 764, 40 chains more or less, thence south along said boundary to lake shore and following same westerley to point of commencement, containing 150 acres more or less.

James Hilton,

C. L. Roberts, agent.

Date, Jan. 22, 1910.

Take notice that Henry Woodward of Alberni, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Lot 497, thence east along the shore of Taylor Arm about 30 chains to the north west corner of Lot 949, thence south 40 chains, thence east 30 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 10 chains, thence south 30 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 10 chains, thence north 10 chains, thence east 10 chains, thence south 70 chains, thence west 70 chains, thence north 120 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, to the shore of the lake, the point of commencement, containing 580 acres more or less.

Henry Woodward,

Per Wm. F. Gibson, agent.

Date, Jan. 18, 1910.

Take notice that Edith E. Gibson of Alberni, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of T. L. 714, thence west about 8.68 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 11.42 chains, thence north 117.40 chains, thence south east along the E. & N. line about 90 chains, thence west about 37 chains, thence north about 170 chains to the point of commencement containing 520 acres more or less.

Edith E. Gibson,

Per. Wm. F. Gibson, agent.

Date, Jan. 14, 1910.

Take notice that William Nicholas Sr. of Alberni, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Lot 413, thence west 20 chains, thence south about 3 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

William Nicholas Sr.

Per Wm. F. Gibson, agent.

Date, Jan. 17, 1910.

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PRISONER TELLS COURT BEAR AND WOLF STORY

Joseph Bnssolotti Runs Foul of the Law and Tries an Ingenious Explanation Before the Magistrate.

Joseph Bussolotti could not have heard of the day when a wild bear from the woods invaded the town that is now named Port Alberni, and, by its impertinent inquisitivness, rudely shocked the manager of a highly first-class tourist hotel and caused general excitement among the quiet living citizens.

If he had known anything of the incident he might have strengthened his defence by citing it in the police court on Monday morning when he was charged with having been in possession of concealed weapons, but he never mentioned it.

Bussolotti hails from Sunny Italy. He is engaged on rock blasting work on the railway line in this vicinity. He was making a call on the Indian reserve last Saturday night, and had a large bottle of whisky with him when his presence within the prohibition limits was challenged by Charlie Ross, an Indian constable. Bussolotti responded to the challenge by throwing away the parcel of liquor and commencing to run. He was speedily overtaken and escorted to jail. The whisky was recovered by the officer after a careful search in the dark.

While going through the prisoner's clothes, in the lock-up, Chief of Police Cox found a loaded, 38-calibre, five-shooter in his hip pocket.

On Monday morning Bussolotti appeared before Magistrate Rayson on two charges, one of having been on an Indian reserve with intoxicating liquor in his possession, and another of having carried a concealed weapon.

When Constable Ross had told his story to the court the accused was asked what he had to say for himself in answer to the first charge. He said he did not know he was on an Indian reserve; that he was endeavoring to find a short cut to a railway construction camp.

"If you did not know you were doing anything wrong, why did you throw the whisky away when the constable spoke to you?" asked the magistrate.

"I thought he was going to steal from me and I wanted to run," was the ready answer.

As plausible as the excuse might seem to be the court refused to accept it, and, assuming that the prisoner had gone to the reserve with intent, gave a little valuable advice on the error of carrying temptation to the Indians which was listened to with marked interest by a few of the large audience.

"Throwing the whisky away when you were caught seems to make your offence worse," said the magistrate. "If the officer had not been able to find it the people for whom you intended it might have got it. You are fined $30 and costs, with the alternative of serving sixty days in jail, and if you come before me again on a charge like this you will not get off so easily."

The second charge was then read, and the chief of police produced for the inspection of the court the loaded weapon that had been found on the prisoner.

"Was it loaded like that when you took it away from him?" asked the magistrate.

"Just like that, and I have reason to believe that the prisoner loaded it just before going onto the reserve.

"These shells," said the chief, producing four empty cartridges, "were found on the road close by, and they are the same make and size as those in the revolver."

Bussolotti admitted that he had been in the habit of carrying the revolver about with him. The reason, he said, was that he was afraid of bears and wolves on the road.

"That is a very poor story," said the magistrate, "and I do not believe it. There are no bears and wolves running around the streets or roads in this neighborhood, and you could not be carrying that weapon for any good reason. I want you to understand that there is no need for that in this country, and it will not be tolerated. You are fined $15 and costs on this charge, with the option of going to jail for thirty days."

"Court is adjourned sine die." announced the chief.

Bussolotti moved out of the prisoner's dock and was about to join some friends on the public side of the court rail, and have a little talk with them on finance, when the magistrate, who was in the act of leaving the room, turned to the chief and said: "See that he is kept in custody until the fines are paid."

The bewildered Bussolotti, who did not understand quite enough about the English language to gather a clear idea of what the court had done to him, was taken into the police office to negotiate a settlement. When assured that if he would hand over a total of $53 in cash there would be no use for him in the jail that had been spoken about, he heaved a sigh of relief. A friend contributed the difference between what the mulcted man had in his possession and what the law demanded of him which was about half the amount.

The country schoolteacher had been telling her scholars about the seasons and there peculiarities, and to impress their minds with the facts, she questioned them upon the points she had given. Several queries had been put, and finanally she reached the stupid boy in the corner.

"Well, Johnny," she said, "have you been paying attention?"

"Yes'm," he answered promptly.

"I'm glad to hear it. Now, can you tell me what there is in the spring?"

"Yes'm, I can, but I don't want to."

"Oh yes you do. Don't be afraid. You have heard the others. Be a good boy now, and tell us what there is in the spring."

"W'y—w'y—mum, there's a frog an' a lizard an' a dead cat in it, but I didn't put 'em there. It was another boy, for I seen him do it."

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NEWS GENERAL AND PERSONAL

E. G. Taylor, Dominion Fisheries Inspector, is in town.

Sam Handy has his pile driver at work making repairs to Capt. Huff's wharf.

Two new buggies, of modern make, have been added to J. J. Burke's livery business.

Mrs. (Dr.) P. A. Hoff, of St. Paul, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schacht, Alberni.

James Taylor, of the Bamfield-Pachena life-saving crew, was a visitor in town on Monday.

W. H. Marcon has moved into his new residence, Gertrude street, on the banks of Rodger creek.

William Armstrong, Port Alberni, left yesterday for Kamloops where he will take up his residence.

W. W. Moore, Port Alberni, left on Monday for Mt. Tolmie where he will spend a few weeks holiday.

Leonard Frank returned on Saturday last from Victoria where he had been finishing a number of enlarged photographs of Alberni district scenery which are to be exhibited by the Provincial government at the Vienna exposition.

Forrest & McKinnon have commenced the building of an addition to J. J. Burke's livery stable.

J. Redford returned last Saturday from Victoria with a large shipment of meat for his butcher business.

D. E. Kerr, D. D. S., will be in Alberni from April 15 to April 30 prepared to do all kinds of dentistry.

Mrs. Rydor, wife of the new manager of the Somass hotel, Port Alberni, arrived from Victoria last Saturday night.

James Fraser and Mr. Johnson, of Ucluelet, were passengers on the Tees returning home from Victoria last Saturday night.

News has been received by A. Macfie of the death in Glasgow, Scotland, on Friday of last week, of his father, Robert Macfie.

Rev. G. A. Love and wife, Port Alberni, returned last Saturday night from a visit to New Westminster, Vancouver and Victoria.

A meeting of the Alberni Conservative association has been called for next Monday night at 8 o'clock to be held in M. Tebo's office.

W. McAllister returned on Sunday last, accompanied by his wife and family, from Victoria. He re-opened the Alberni hotel on Monday.

One hundred and forty-two tons of general freight for Alberni and Port Alberni were discharged from the steamer Tees at Waterhouse's wharf on Saturday last and Sunday.

W. R. W. Vaughan, who was admitted, at the recent examinations, to the practice of law in British Columbia, has opened an office in Port Alberni, above the Royal Bank.

M. A. Jull, the poultry expert who was to lecture in Alberni, under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute, on Monday night, failed to put in an appearance. On the following day a telegram was received from him explaining that he had been unable to get through. He offered his apologies to the Institute, and asked that another date, after August 1, be named.

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News From Near and Far

C. A. Gass, of Victoria, died in San Francisco last week.

Duncan Ross, ex-M. P., will change his residence from Vancouver to Victoria.

The Nanaimo mines produced 48,000 tons of coal during March—a record in output.

Edwin Machin, for many years city librarian of Vancouver, is dead at the age of seventy-seven.

A bill for the disfranchisement of negroes has been passed by the legislature of the state of Maryland.

Mr. Lake, M. P. for Qu'Appelle, Sask., was married in Ottawa on Monday to Miss Dorothy Fletcher of that city.

The total output of copper in the Dominion in 1909 was 54,061,106 pounds, of which Phoenix, B. C., claims 27,000,000 pounds.

The announcement is made that the Canadian Northern will build one hundred miles of line from Kamloops north during the present year.

Mrs. Alex Ingram, aged 100 years, was killed by a shunting engine while crossing the tracks at Elm street, Brockville, Ont., on Tuesday.

In Rossland's First Congregational Church five of the prettiest girls of the congregation are now acting as ushers, with great advantage to the offertory.

The double steamship service between Victoria and Vancouver was resumed on Wednesday of this week, the Princess Royal being put on the run with the Charlotte.

The Canadian Northern has decided to name its new townsite on the south side of the Fraser "Port Mann." In order to do full justice to the vice-president it is to be made something of a model town.

Vancouver's city council has authorized Mayor Taylor to apply to the Attorney-General for an investigation of methods employed by certain real estate speculators in sub-dividing and offering for sale properties outside the city limits not suitable for the purposes for which they had been advertised.

The investigation, by Royal Commission, of police affairs in Victoria, has caused to be produced a general impression that the average Chinaman has no regard for any manner of oath that may be administered to him by a white man.

Mayor Morley, of Victoria, says he believes the social evil can be eradicated. If he can make a successful demonstration of the plan he will be easily able to find a larger and more lucrative field for the employment of his unequalled ability. The Ministerial association of Winnipeg would likely be willing to bankrupt the treasury of that city to secure the services of such a man.

LAND ACT NOTICES.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.

District of Barclay.

Take notice that John Webb Benson of Sechart, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following deecribed lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Lot 58 Clayoquot District, thence north about 40 chains to the north west corner of Lot 58, thence following the shore line of Mayne Bay and Sechart Channel in a westerly, southerly and easterly direction to the point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

John Webb Benson.

Date, March 15th, 1910.

Take notice that James Russell Forster of Kingston, Ontario occupation accountant intends to apply for perpission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of the north west quarter of Section 5, Township 4, Barclay, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west about 40 chains to T. L. 33924, thence north about 20 chains to the N. E. corner of T. L. 33924, thence west about 40 chains to the N. W. corner of T. L. 33924, thence north about 60 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 560 acres more or less.

James Russell Forster.

Date, March 15th. 1910.

Take notice that Della Hanna, of Golden, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of the north east quarter of Section 10, Township 4, Barclay, thence east 60 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence north 40 chains to the point of commencement, comprising the N. W. 1-4 and the west half of the N. E. 1-4 of Section 11, Township 4 Barclay, containing 240 acres more or less.

Della Hanna.

Date, March 15th, 1910.

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