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THEY LAUGH RATHER THAN FEEL INDIGNANT

New Alberni Board of Trade Appreciates Amusement Afforded By Hon. William Templeman---Boost For Experimental Farm.

There was a momentary indication of a general outburst of indignation at the regular meeting of the New Alberni board of trade on Monday night, but the situation was saved by a predominant sense of humor.

The mark of the meeting was the Hon. William Templeman, member of parliament for this constituency. Several shots were taken at him and every one with good aim. but, owing to the length of the firing distance, the results were not visible.

There was no serious intent to iujure the honorable and sleepy gentleman, the marksmen having no worse design than to wake him up.

At the previous general meeting of the board Mr. Templeman's stupid reply to an urgent telegraphic message from the citizens of both towns, in regard to railway construction, was read, and it was decided that another attempt to get something to the point out of him should be made. The board adopted what was considered to be the slow-but-sure method of approach, and the secretary sent the following by mail:

New Alberni, B. C., May 18, 1909.
Hon. Wm. Templeman.
Ottawa.

Dear Sir,—By resolution of the Board, at a meeting on May 17, I have been instructed to thank you cordially for your letter of April 27, sent through Mr. J. Thomson, and to request you to ascertain whether the plans for the E. & N. Railway extension to Alberni have been filed, and if so, what action has been taken in respect thereof.

As you are doubtless aware, the early completion of the railway line is a matter of vital importance to the people of this district, and if you could inform us definitely of the exact state of affairs at Ottawa as they affect our railway line, it would be greatly appreciated by the Board, which represents a considerable section of your constituents.

Yours Faithfully,
R. F. Blandy,
Hon. Secretary.

And this was the reply:

Ottawa, May 25, 1909.
R. F. Blandy, Esq.,
Hon. Secretary Board of Trade,
New Alberni, B. C.

Dear Sir,—Replying to your letter of May 18, enquiring whether the plans for the Esquimalt and Nanaimo extension to Alberni have been filed or not, I beg to say that both the route plans and location plans of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway extension from Wellington to Alberni have been filed and approved by the Railway Commission, the approval being date November 11, 1908.

Yours Truly,
W. Templeman.

—! — - - ! — - - - ! Poor Bill!

The secretary was requested to try again and it was suggested that he should mildly intimate to the Hon. William that the board was not suffering from a lack of knowledge of ancient history.

In the absence of the president, A. D. MacIntyre, Vice-President C. A. McNaughton, occupied the chair. The members present were: G. A. Love, A. Carmichael, C. A. Moorhead, R. Ellis, R. H. Wood, A. D. Cooper, A. E. Waterhouse, R. J. Burde, Dr. Hilton, S. G. Roseborough, and R. F. Blandy, secretary. H. L. Murtz and J. B. Wood were elected to membership, and took part in the proceedings.

Mr. Moorhead, for the municipal committee, reported that the Government agent had been notified by letter, of the open ditches complained of at the previous meeting. No action had so far been taken to fill these ditches.

The Municipal committee reported the following figures re local taxation: Old town assessment, $64,950; taxes, $389. Rest of Lot One assessment, $196,500; taxes, $3585. Whole of Alberni valley assessment, $582,471; taxes. $17,971. Of the last amount $7994 was for timber taxes.

Taking two thirds of the unsurveyed area of Lot one as tributary to New Alberni, and one-third as tributary to Old Alberni, as is done in apportioning the school taxes, and to conform with the location of the two places in Lot one, the Old Town taxation was $1289. and the New Town taxation was $2685. The committee had been unable to ascertain the amount spent this year by the government in the two places, but it was understood to be about $800 in New Alberni, and considerably more in Old Alberni which paid less than half as much in taxes. The committee recommended that the figures be noted for future reference, but that no action be taken at present in respect thereto.

The report and recommendation were accepted.

A request from the Clayoquot branch of the Vancouver Island Development League for endorsation of a resolution urging the construction of a wagon road from Alberni to Clayoquot and Ucluelet, was granted.

Letters from T. Cunningham and Maxwell Smith were read re orchard inspection. The latter pointed out that the Department of Indian Affairs was the proper body to deal with Indian orchards. The secretary was instructed to write the Indian agent requesting him to take the matter up with his department.

The Provincial Secretary advised the board that no change would be made in the meantime in the health officers of the district.

The Publicity committee reported that progress was being made on the project of getting out an advertising folder. Dr. Hilton stated that a committee from the Alberni board of trade had waited upon him, and had offered to co-operate in getting out the folder. It was suggested that it would be best to distribute advertising matter at the various fairs in the prairie provinces. The delay in issuing the folder had been caused by a desire to secure some definite information about the railway.

The following resolution was moved by A. Carmichael, seconded by R. H. Wood:

"Whereas it is contemplated by the Dominion Government to establish an experimental farm on Vancouver Island, and

"Whereas the Alberni valley is situated in the heart of the Island with easy access to both the east and west coasts, and

"Whereas the climate of the Alberni valley represents the average climate of the cultivable sections of the Island, and

"Whereas the results of experimental work would be of greater value to the large agricultural areas of the west coast and of equal advantage to the east coast, if the farm were located in the Alberni valley, and

"Whereas far more is known of the possibilities on the east coast than on the west coast because of the comatively recent settlement of the latter;

"Therefore be it resolved that this board respectfully urges the Dominion government to have the proposed farm located in the Alberni valley;

"And be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. William Templeman, and to the Hon. R. G. Tatlow."

The resolution was enthusiastically supported by the members. Mr. Cooper thought that every effort should be made to urge this matter forward, and suggested that copies of the resolution be sent to the Hon. Sydney Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, H. C. Brewster, M. P. P., the Alberni Board of Trade, the Alberni Agricultural society, the Alberni Farmers Institute, the New Alberni Liberal association, the Alberni Liberal association, and the Alberni Conservative association, and that their co-operation in the movement be invited.

The suggestion was adopted and the resolution was carried unanimously.

Steamer Every Wednesday.

Commencing next week the steamer Tees will run on a new schedule from Victoria to Alberni and points on the West Coast. The Tees has been leaving Victoria on the 1st, 7th, 14th and 20th of each month. Hereafter it will leave Victoria every Tuesday night at 11 o'clock and arrive in Alberni the following afternoon. Reecently the Tees has been making much faster time, and on the last trip up it beat all previous records, making the run from Victoria to Alberni in fourteen hours, including all stops.

Moving Cannery Goods.

C. Ternan, manager of the Alberni Packing company's works at Uchucklesat, arrived from Vancouver on Monday. He spent Tuesday at the cannery superintending the loading of equipment and supplies for transfer to the Fraser river, the steamer Otter having been chartered for the trip. A number of Indians who, in previous years, had worked for Mr. Ternan at Uchucklesat were engaged for this season on the Fraser and took passage on the Otter.

Wanted to Rent.

A cottage furnished, partly furnished, or unfurnished. Apply, stating terms, to Dr. D. E. Kerr, 542 Montreal street, Victoria.

LOST—Watch chain and charm, the charm being a flat, gold key with "R. Clarke, Alberni," on one side, and "M. M. S." on the other. Finder please leave same at Pioneer News and receive reward.

NEWS GENERAL AND PERSONAL

P. Miles went out to Nanaimo yesterday on business.

Dr. A. D. Morgan left yesterday on a visit to Nanaimo.

J. F. Hanna, New Alberni, left yesterday to visit his brother in Victoria.

Robert Erickson left on Wednesday for Vancouver where he will spend the summer.

Leonard Frank left yesterday for Seattle where he will spend a couple of weeks at the A.-Y.-P. fair.

Dr. Stirling and family arrived on Tuesday from Victoria and have moved into their new summer residence at Sproat Lake.

George Forrest, contractor and dealer in doors, sashes and glass, is building a shop and warehouse on the far side of the Kitsuesis creek bridge.

Miss Florence Miles, returned on Monday from Seattle where she had been attending High School, and will spend her summer holidays in Alberni.

Bernard Frank left on Wednesday for Britannia Beach, Howe Sound, where he has accepted a position on the office staff of the Britannia Mining company.

Charles F. Lay, of Victoria, who is interested in timber limits in Alberni district was in town this week. He spent a couple of days at Great Central lake, and also made a trip down the canal.

R. A. Bainbridge, division engineer of the E. & N. Railway, with headquarters in Victoria, was in town on Wednesday haing come over the line on a trip of inspection. He had nothing to announce in regard to the commencement of construction at this end of the route.

B. R. Lewis and family of Spokane, Wash., and E. W. Anderson, of Davenport, Wash, arrived by the Tees on Monday night and left on Tuesday morning for Great Central lake where they spent the week. Messrs. Lewis and Anderson are interested with E. J. Hutton in the ownership of several timber limits on Great Central lake.

M. Tebo returned on Monday from Victoria and Seattle. While in Victoria Mr. Tebo attended the horse races, and in Seattle he spent a couple of days at the A -Y.-P. fair. He says the Canadian building is the main attraction on the grounds, and that the exhibits therein have opened wide the eyes of many residents of the United States.

FINDS PARADISE ON WEST COAST

Island League Secretary Writes About George Fraser's Garden.

Following is an extract from an article on the West Coast written for the Victoria Colonist by E. McGaffey, general secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League:

"I have never seen in my travels a more beautiful home than George Fraser's. He had 250,000 rhododendrons growing on his acerage, and many varieties of pine, birch, cedar and other trees. His apple trees were snowy with blossoms, and his strawberry beds loaded with green fruit. His entire place was heavy with perfume and flowers. Bees drowsed over the roses, and pansies, honey-suckles, and a wilderness of color and fragrance was everywhere. He showed me the variegated broom, yellow, with blood-red markings, and three varieties of Scotch heather.

"Surely, if ever a man was to be blessed, Mr. Fraser is one. His place is a veritable garden of Eden, with neither snake nor lady to disturb its perfect serenity. I left it with reluctance, and shall always remember its luxuriance and beauty. Land clearing by hand is going on in this district, and people are coming in, attracted by the richness of the soil. I saw another farm, owned by Mr. J. H. Kvano, where the growth of grass was really remarkable, and where gooseberries, so big that I do not dare to give their dimensions, were to be found. This place, too, was litterly framed in flowers, and was surrounded with growing and bearing orchards. I also visited Mr. Lyche's farm, James Fraser's, and G. W. Grant's places, all of which are thriving.

"Ucluelet district is another part of the country which will forge ahead rapidly when transportation is provided, and a district bound to be benefited by the railroad to the Alberni District. My visit to Clayoquot and Ucluelet Districts was marked by the utmost kindness and hospitality on the part of those I met, and by the fact of a sincere and evident interest in League matters and plans. It was a most pleasant and interesting trip, and while at times a trifle strenuous, I only hope I may some time take it again. Maybe I can stop at Sand Creek or Lost Shoe Creek and interview those two-pounders with a rod and reel and at least I shall see Long Beach again and hear the report of the green Pacific rollers, as they break againt the bare rocks and shoot cloudward like liquid rockets."

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Alberni, B. C., June 26, 1909.

EASY ON BILL TEMPLEMAN

"Mr. Templeman could have told you more if he had wanted to; he could have told you that railway construction would be commenced in three weeks." It is now close onto five months since Billy Sloan shook the rafters of Brand's hall with that announcement, and the best Mr. Templeman has done, or is able to do for us today, is tell us about something that happened away back in 1908, before he became member of the Dominion House for this constituency.

If the Hon. William Templeman was only half stupid he might fare worse in the estimation of the people of this part of Comox-Atlin, but being the limit of stupidity he can only be regarded as a huge joke. Of course it is admitted that the Alberni people are possessed of an extra strong sense of humor.

In reply to the next letter from the New Alberni board of trade Bill Temps may be expected to send a couple of extracts from the Book of Job.

The fact that the electors of Comox-Atlin are unable to see the advantages of being represented by a cabinet minister is no proof of defective eye-sight.

The Vancouver Province issued, on Saturday last, an eighty-page edition. It is different from most of such bulky productions in that it is interesting all the way through.

We are not quite certain on the name of the author of a once popular song entitled "Please Go Away and Let Me Sleep," but we think it must have been Bill Templeman.

A request from the city prosecutor in Victoria that a heavy fine be imposed upon a Chinaman convicted of conducting a lottery was refused by Judge Lampman who heard the case. The judge said the city did not seem to be very decided in its moral stand. It was trying to stamp out gambling in Chinatown in which white people participated, but at the same time allowed gambling to go on in other parts of the city, and betting on property owned by itself outside. He did not see how he could accede to a request for a deterrent fine under these circumstances when he could not think the city was seriously trying to put a stop to gambling.

Take Templeman Seriously.

According to report there is another place in Comox-Atlin, besides Prince Rupert, where the failings of the Hon. William Templeman are taken seriously. A news item in the Victoria Colonist reads as follows:

Despite the promises made by William Sloan, ex-M.P. for Comox Atlin and the reiterated promises of Hon. William Templeman, the present member, nothing has been done in the matter of constructing a trail from Ucluelet to Long Beach, which the inhabitants have been anxiously awaiting for a number of years past. This trail, they state, is of the utmost importance, not only for life saving purposes, but also as a connecting way between Ucluelet and Long Beach. The distance is comparatively short, being only some 15 miles at most, and the saving of time effected by its construction will mean a lot to the settlers.

When the Hon. William Templeman was carrying on his campaign, prior to his election by acclamation in Comox Atlin, the settlers at Ucluelet approached him upon the matter of this trail, and told him that W. Sloan had promised that it should be constructed as soon as possible, Mr. Templeman replied that any promises made by Mr. Sloan would be carried out by him if elected, and the inhabitants went away satisfied that he would do everything in his power. Nothing has been done; and now the settlers are getting uneasy fearing that Mr. Templeman's statement is similar to the promise he made of legislation being introduced last session to effect a settlement of the Songhees Indian Reserve question.

It is understood that in the near future strong representations will be made by the inhabitants of Ucluelet to the Minister of Inland Revenue calling upon him to carry out his pre-election promises.

NOTICE.

Bush Fire Act.

No person shall between the 1st day of May and the 1st day of October in each year, make or start within any fire district any fire in any woods or forest, or upon any land adjacent thereto, for cooking, obtaining warmth, or for any industrial purpose, without clearing a sufficient space surrounding the place in which he is about to light or start such fire, and such fire shall be completely extinguished before leaving the place.

No person shall, between the 1st day of May and the first day of October in each year, make or start within any fire district any fire in any woods or forest, or upon any land adjacent thereto, for the purpose of clearing land without having previously obtained a permit under the hand of a fire warden, assistant fire warden, Government agent, gold commissioner, timber inspector, forest ranger, mining recorder Provincial police officer or constable or other officer appointed under this act; and any fire so started shall be constantly watched over and kept under control.

And whosoever unlawfully neglects or refuses to comply with the above or any other requirements of the "Bush Fire Act" in any manner whatsoever shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Two Hundred Dollars, and not less than Fifty Dollars, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace in a summary manner, and in default of payment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

One half the fine imposed will be paid to the informant.

In addition to such penalty the offender shall be liable to a civil action for damages.

Any person or persons who shall unlawfully destroy, deface or remove any notice posted under this act shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Fifty Dollars, and not less than Ten Dollars, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace in a summary manner, and in default of payment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month.

F. S. HUSSEY,
Superintendent of Provincial Police,
Provincial Police Department,
Victoria, B. C., 30th April, 1909.

NOTICE.

MINERAL ACT.

TAKE NOTICE that we, James Beck, Free Miners Certificato No. B18544, and Thomas Thorton Gardhouse, Free Miners Certificate No. B18545, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above named claim.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1909.

James Beck,
Thomas Thorton Gardhouse.

Ormond No. 2 Mineral Claim, Fraction.

Where located—On Matilda Creek, Floris Island, Ahousat, and adjoins Ormond No. 2.

TAKE NOTICE that we, James Beck, Free Miners Certificate No. B18544, and Thomas Thorton Gardhouse, Free Miners Certificate No. B18545, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above named claim.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1909.

James Beck,
Thomas Thorton Gardhouse.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Nootka.

Take notice that Allan Alexander McLeod, of the city of Vancouver, province of British Columbia, occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commenciug at a post planted about one thousand (1000) feet north of the north west corner of the Indian Reservation at the head of Muchalat arm, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement and containing 160 acres more or less

Allan Alexander McLeod,
by Neil McLennan, agent.

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ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Nootka.

Take notice that I, Walter Thomas Dawley, of Clayoquot, B. C., occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Indian Reserve No. 1, Nootka, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 31.44 chains to shore of Nootka Sound, thence following the shore line to point of commencement and containing 118 acres more or less.

Walter Thomas Dawley.

Date, May 24, 1909. may29

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.

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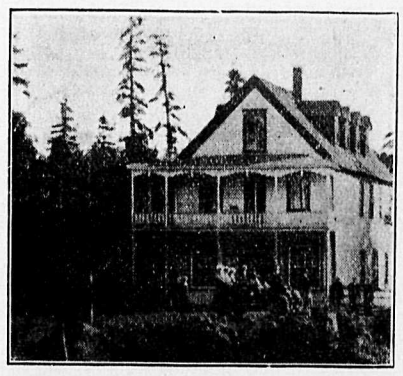

H. E. FITZGERALD, - PROP.

NOTICE.
MINERAL ACT.

Ormond Mineral Claim.

Where Located—On Floris Island, about one and a half miles northwest of Ringland & Watson claim, Ahousat.

TAKE NOTICE that we, James Beck, Free Miners Certificato No. B18544, and Thomas Thorton Gardhouse, Free Miners Certificate No. B18545, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above named claim.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1909.

James Beck,
Thomas Thorton Gardhouse.

Ormond No. 3 Mineral Claim.

Where located—Northwest of the Ormond Mineral Claim and adjoining same.

TAKE NOTICE that we, James Beck, Free Miners Certificate No. B18544, and Thomas Thorton Gardhouse, Free Miners Certificate No. B18545, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above named claim.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1909.

James Beck,
Thomas Thorton Gardhouse.

Keiser Mineral Claim.

Situate in the Clayoquot Mining division of Alberni district.

Where located—About one mile west of the mouth of Elk river at the head of Kennedy lake.

Take notice that I, William John Sutton, acting as agent for James Dunsmuir, free miner's certificate No. B 22846, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 30th day of April, 1909.

may8 William John Sutton, agent.

LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that we, Charles Taylor, jr., and G. A. Spencer, occupation farmers, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner post of Lot 780, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains north to lake shore line, thence east to point of commencement.

G. A. Spencer, agent.

Date May 11, 1909. may15

LAND ACT
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Nootka.

Take notice that Arthur W. McCurdy, of Victoria, B. C., occupation company manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a stake planted at the south east corner of the Indian Reserve on the north side of Williamson Passage, thence running north 20 chains, more or less, to a stake, thence running east 20 chains, more or less, until it meets the south west corner of Lot 19, thence east 10 chains, more or less to a stake thence south 30 chains more or less, to a stake thence west 20 chains, more or less, to a stake planted on the shore of Williamson Passage, thence by shore 25 chains more or less to place of commencement

Arthur W. McCurdy.

Date, April 8, 1909. may22

LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Clayoquot.

Take Notice that I, Theodore Stokes of Alberni B. C., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Taylor arm of Sproat Lake and at the N. W. corner of W. & H. T. L. No. 85, thence 20 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 20 chains, more or less, north to lake shore, thence following lake shore easterly to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

Date, May 20, 1909.

Theodore Stokes
per R. W. Lindsay, agent.

Takk notice that I, Mrs. E. M. Keate of Vancouver B. C., occupation, married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands.

Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of the Taylor arm of Sproat lake and about 20 chains in an easterly direction from the N. E. corner post of T. L. Survey No. 783, thence 20 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 20 chains, more or less, north to lake shore thence following lake shore to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

Date, May 20, 1909.

Mrs. E. M. Keate
per R. W. Lindsay, agent.

Take notice that I, William Nicholas of Alberni B. C., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south shore and at the head of the Two Rivers arm of Sproat lake and adjoining a N. E. corner post of T. L. survey No. 500, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains north to lake shore, thence following lake shore westerly to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

Date, May 21, 1909.

William Nicholas
per R. W. Lindsay, agent.

Take notice that I, W. L. Keate of Vancouver B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south shore and about 20 chains from the head of Two Rivers arm of Sproat lake, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains north along shore of point of land, thence following lake shore westerly and southerly to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

Date, May 21, 1909.

W. L. Keate
per R. W. Lindsay, agent.

LAND ACT
Alberni Land District.
District of Nootka.

Take notice that I, Robert J. Flaherty, of Victoria B. C., occupation mining, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted inland sixty chains from mouth of creek which empties into the Thasis canal on its east side and about two and one half miles from its head said post being planted five chains due south of the south side of said creek, thence north 10 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 30 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Robert Joseph Flaherty.

Date, June 2, 1909.

LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Stanley Fladgate, of Vancouver 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 of White & Hammils timber limit No. 80 on Sproat lake, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south to the lake shore 20 chains, thence along shore in an easterly direction to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

STANLEY FLADGATE.

Date, April 28, 1909.

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that K. E. Rayson of Alberni B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Sproat lake on a point east of White & Hammil's eastern boundary line of timber limit No. 86, thence following the shore line westerly to said boundary line, thence south along said boundary line to shore of lake, thence easterly along shore to point of commencement containing five acres more or less.

K. E. RAYSON.

Date, April 28, 1909

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that A. L. Smith, of Alberni, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Sproat Lake, at the north west corner of Lot 622, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains more or less to the eastern boundary of timber limit No. 75, thence south 20 chains to shore, thence following shore line to point of commencement.

Andrew Lindsay Smith.

Date, April 24, 1909.

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Mary Caroline Smith, of Alberni, 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 White & Hammils timber limit No. 80 on Sproat Lake, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains to shore of Sproat Lake, thence following shore line southerly to point of commencement, and containing 40 acres more or less.

Mary Caroline Smith.

Date, April 28, 1909.

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that W. R. H. Prescott, of Alberni, B. C., occupation bank manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the westerly shore of an island in Two Rivers arm, in Sproat Lake, lying easterly from White & Hammils timber limit No, 86, the land applied for being the whole island, and containing two acres more or less.

W. R. H. Prescott.

Date, April 28, 1909.

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Ethel Grange Prescott, of Alberni, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the easterly shore of an island in Two Rivers arm, Sproat lake, lying easterly from White & Hammils timber limit No 86, the land applied for being the whole island, and containing two acres more or less.

Ethel Grange Prescott.

Date, April 28, 1909.

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that A. C. Lindsay, of Alberni, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the westerly shore of an island in Sproat lake, lying south 25 degrees west from Carmichael Island, land applied for being the whole island, and containing one acre more or less.

A. C. Lindsay.

Date, April 28, 1909.

District of Barclay.

Take notice that Margaret L. Stewart, of Vancouver, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles in a north-westerly direction from Pachena Light House, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Margaret L. Stewart.
per Chas. McHardy, agent

Date, March 24, 1909.

District of Barclay.

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

Commencing at a post planted about two miles in a north-westerly direction from the Pachena Light House, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

Charles M. Stewart,
per Chas. McHardy, agent

Date, March 24, 1909.

District of Barclay

Take notice that Sisselle A. Davis, of Vancouver, occupation merchant tailor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles in a north-westerly direction from Pachena Light House, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

Sisselle A. Davis,
per Chas. McHardy, agent

Date, March 24, 1909.

District of Barclay

Take notice that John T. Croot, of Vancouver, occupation merchant tailor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles in a north-westerly direction from Pachena Light House, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

John T. Croot
per Chas. McHardy, agent

Date, March 24, 1909. may1

LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

Take Notice that I, George Arbuthnott Smith, of Alberni, B. C., occupation suryeyor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted on the easterly shore of an island in Sproat Lake, the land applied for being the whole island, containing two acres more or less. Said island lies south 40" west of Carmichael Island.

GEORGE A. SMITH.

Date, April 24, 1909. ap24

District of Clayoquot.

Take Notice that George A. Smith, agent for M. F. Smith, of Alberni, occupation surveyor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the westerly shore of an island, in Sproat Lake, lying south 31" degrees west from Carmichael Island, land applied for being the whole island and containing two acres more or less.

G. A. SMITH, agent for M. F. Smith.

Date, April 24, 1909. ap24

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that Elvie Winnifred Raymond, of Vernon, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Sproat lake, at the south west corner post of White & Hammils timber limit No. 75, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains more or less to the eastern boundary line of White & Hammils timber limit No. 84, thence south 20 chains to lake shore, thence following the lake shore to point of commencement, and containing 80 acres more or less.

Elvie W. Raymond.

Date, May 6, 1909. may8

District of Clayoquot.

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

Commencing at a post planted on the north easterly shore of an island in Two Rivers arm of Sproat lake, lying south east from White & Hammils timber limit No.86, the land applied for being the whole island containing 2 acres more or less.

Rowland Prescott.

Date. May 6, 1909. may8

LAND ACT.
CLAYOQUOT LAND DISTRICT.
District of Alberni.

Take notice that Thomas Rowley, of New Alberni, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north end, high water mark, of a small island known as Limestone Island, post about six chains from J. Jaques south east corner post of lot 5, situated near the entrance to Uchucklesat harbor, thence following the shore line round said island to point of commencement, containing two and one half acres more or less,

Thomas Rowley.

Date, May 6. 1909.

Take notice that R. W. Lindsay, of Alberni, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Sproat Lake, at the south west corner post of timber license No. 779, thence north 40 chains more or less to the north west corner post of timber license No. 779, on lake shore, thence following the lake shore southwesterly to White & Hammils timber limit No. 86, thence following the northeasterly boundary line of said limit to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less,

R. W. Lindsay.

Date, April 28, 1909.

LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Barkley.

Take notice that Jane Raymond, of Vernon, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of the north west quarter of section 20, tp 4, Barkley district, thence south 36 chains more or less to Indian Reserve line, thence west following Indian Reserve line 20 chains, thence following Indian Reserve line north 36 chains more or less, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 75 acres more or less.

Date, May 14, 1909. Jane Raymond.

District of Clayoquot.

Take notice that David Hardie Riddell, of Alberni, B. C., occupation storekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the easterly shore of an island in Barkley Sound, named on the Admiralty chart Friend Island, one of the chain group of islands, the land applied for being the whole island, containing five acres more or less.

Date, May 17. 1909. David Hardie Riddell.

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

Commencing at a post planted on the north west shore of Reek's Island, Sechart channel, Barkley Sound, lying about 30 chains in a southeasterly direction from the south east corner of section 12, the land applied for being the whole island, containing 40 acres more or less.

Date, May 16, 1909. John Redford.

Take notice that A. E. Waterhouse, of New Alberni, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of section 12, on Nettle Island, Barkley Sound, thence following the coast line in an easterly, southerly and westerly direction to the south westerly corner of section 12, thence east ast. 16.50 chains, thence north 22 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

Arthur Edward Waterhouse.

Date, May 16, 1909. may 29

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT
District of Clayoquot.

Take Notice that Laura Prescott of Westmoreland, New Brunswick, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following decribed lands viz; Gilbert Island, Barkley Sound.

Commencing at a post planted near a sandy beach on the said island, near the passage between Gilbert island and Village island, thence following the shore line to the point of commencement, comprising the whole island and containing 50 acres more or less.

Date, May 25, 1909.

Laura Prescott
per John Webb Benson, agent.

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ALBERNI, B. C.
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	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
Throwing Hammer	Gold Medal	Silver Medal	
Horse Race, half mile	$7.50	$5.00	
One Mile Race	Silver Cup	Silver Medal	
Fifty-yard Race, boys seven years and under	.75	.50	.25
Fifty-yard Race, girls seven years and under	.75	.50	.25
Seventy-five yards, boys 10 years and under	.75	.50	.25
Seventy-five yards, girls 10 years and under	.75	.50	.25
One hundred yards, boys 15 years and under	1.00	.50	.25
One hundred yards, girls 15 years and under	1.00	.50	.25
Three-leg race, boys, 100 yards	1.50	1.00	.50
Running long jump, boys 10 and under	.75	.50	
Running long jump, boys 15 and under	1.00	.50	
Standing long jump, boys 15 and under	1.00	.50	
Sack race, boys	1.00	.50	.25
Swimming race, boys	1.00	.50	
One hundred yard dash	Gold Medal	Silver Medal	
Young Ladies race, 75 yards	Silver Medal	Pair Gloves	
Two hundred and twenty yard dash	Gold Medal	Silver Medal	
Married Ladies race, 50 yards	Umbrella	Gloves	
Tossing the caber	Silver Medal	Silver Medal	
Putting the shot	Silver Medal	Silver Medal	
Four hundred and forty yard race	Silver Cup	Silver Medal	
Ladies Bicycle race, one mile	Silver Medal	Hand Bag	
Four Mile race	Gold Medal	Bicycle lamp	
Running long jump	Gold Medal	Silver Medal	
Pole vault	Silver Medal	Silver Medal	
Standing high jump	Silver Medal	Silver Medal	
Running high jump	Silver Medal	Silver Medal	
Hop-step-and-jump	Silver Medal	Silver Medal	
Standing broad jump	Silver Medal	Silver Medal	
Sack race	Silver Medal	Razor	
Three-leg race	Two hats	Two knives	
Hurdle race	Silver Cup	Silver Medal	
Upset canoe race for Indians	$5.00	$3.00	
Fat men's race, 200 pounds or over, 50 yards	2.50	1.00	
Klootchmans' canoe race	5.00	2 boxes tea	
Old men's race, 55 years and over	Pipe	$1.00	
Tug-of-War, 10 men to a team, three-minute limit, pull to be on cleats	Challenge Cup		
Swimming race for men	Silver Medal	Silver Medal	

A Sloop race will be sailed on Saturday, July 3, commencing at 3 p. m. Two Silver cups, as first and second prizes are offered.

ENTRIES can be made with any member of the Committee up to 9 p. m., on June 30.

AN ENTRANCE FEE of 10 cents will be charged for all open events with the exception of Children's races, Ladies races, Indian races and Fat men's race.

COMMITTEE—E. M. Whyte, G. Drinkwater, J. Redford.

JUDGES—G. A. Spencer, C. C. Luke, C. Wise.

S. H. TOY, Secretary.

Thomas Rowley Falls Onto Rock and Into Water.

Thomas Rowley, of New Alberni, had a close call on his life last Tuesday. Mr. Rowley left on Monday on a prospecting trip up the West Coast. He was going ashore at Tofino when he slipped on the gang plank and fell into the water. In falling he struck on a rock and was rendered unconscious. A deck hand, named Cassidy, plunged into the water, and with some difficulty succeeded in getting the drowning and unconscious man ashore. Dr. Raynor, of Clayoquot, and Capt. Gillam worked for half an hour on Mr. Rowley before they succeeded in bringing him back to consciousness. He is now at Clayoquot and, according to latest advices, is progressing satisfactorily towards recovery.

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Veterans Defeat New Town Colts

The veteran basball players of Alberni, of whom there are many of distinction, selected a team from among their numbers on Thursday, and took a burl at the star colt nine of New Alberni. The result was decidedly in favor of old age and experience, the veterans winning by a score of 14 runs to 5. The teams were composed as follows:

New Alberni—S. A. Glassell, pitcher; L. Valley, catcher; R. Hanna, first base; W. Piggot, second base; H. Porritt, third base; K. Roseborough, short stop; A. B. Wood, right field; C. A. McNaughton, center; W. Green, left.

Alberni—J. Merifield, pitcher; S. H. Toy, catcher; M. A. Ward, first base; J. J. Burke second base; W. Ash, third base; E. Whyte, short stop: R. J. Burde, right field; J. Taylor, center; W. Erickson, left.

Umpire—A. Rochester.

Scorer—R. Ellis.

J. St. Clere, of the firm of St. Clere, Norris & Co., real estate and general financial agent, Vancouver, was in town this week sizing up the real estate situation. Mr. St. Clere believes that Alberni is to become an important city, and his firm intends to make it part of their business to keep in touch with all developments, and all signs of development, in this district. They have been in receipt of a number of enquiries about Alberni property. Accompanying Mr. St. Clere was P. Burnell, of Vancouver, who also has an eye to the future of this locality. They were registered at the Somass, and spent a couple of days enjoying the scenery and fishing at Sproat lake.

LAND ACT.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.

District of Alberni.

Take notice that Amon Shafer and Christian William Frank of Victoria, occupation miners, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described land.

Commmencing at a post planted on the west side of Effingham inlet, about half a mile from the mouth, post marked N E, thence west 10 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east 10 chains, more or less, to beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing 60 acres more or less.

Amon Shafer, Christian William Frank.

Date, June 17, 1909.

NEWS GENERAL AND PERSONAL

The cherries are now ripe and the fishing is still good.

E. M. Whyte returned on Monday from a visit to Victoria.

Mrs. H. C. Rayson left today on a visit to friends in Victoria.

Rev. Mr. Wimberley and his son Cecil left on Monday for Victoria.

A. D. MacIntyre, New Alberni, returned on Thursday from the A.-Y.-P. fair at Seattle.

Capt. Roberts and party of surveyors, who are camped at Uchucklesat, spent Sunday in Alberni.

J. Hillier, of Ucluelet, came up the canal in his gasoline launch yesterday. He is registered at the Arlington.

C. A. McNaughton and W. Muller, of New Alberni left on Thursday night on a prospecting trip down the canal.

Carmichael & Moorhead, of New Alberni, have moved into their new offices opposite the new Royal Bank building.

Mrs. W. C. Nichol and family, who had been spending a holiday in Alberni, left on Sunday for their home in Vancouver.

The Dominion Day celebration committee has decided to cancel the fire works feature that was proposed for the programme.

Richard Clarke left on Sunday for Vancouver. He contemplates leaving on the 1st of next month on a trip around the world.

The annual raspberry festival and sale of work of the Ladies Aid of St. Andrews church will be held in the latter part of July.

A social dance will be given in Brand's hall on the night of July 1 (Dominion Day). The charge for admittance will be $1.

Harold Jeffery and E. A. Leach, of the E. & N. survey camp at the Summit, have entered for the long distance bicycle race on Dominion Day.

The Ladies Aid society of St. Andrews presbyterian church have arranged to serve tea and other refreshments during the Dominion Day sports.

R. H. Wood, New Alberni, returned on Monday from Victoria where he had been with his son, Alex, who underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Jubilee hospital. The patient is making splendid progress towards normal health again.

Dr. Procter and family, of Vancouver, who had been spending a holiday in the Alberni valley, left on Wednesday for home. The doctor took with him two fine bear hides the result of a hunting expedition with the veteran woodsman Dan Clarke.

The Permanent Exhibit committee of the New Alberni board of trade request that any fruit grower who has any fine samples in the line of strawberries or cherries, that he would like to donate for exhibition purposes, deliver them to A. Carmichael or Dr. Hilton.

T. Wilson, Dominion fruit inspector, was in town this week as a result of representations made by the New Alberni board of trade in regard to the condition of Indian orchards. Mr. Wilson said that while the trees were in poor condition for growing fruit they were not afflicted with any dangerous pests. It is likely that the Indian department will institute a general cleaning up in the fall.

Dentist Coming.

D. E. Kerr, dentist, will visit Alberni during the month of July. The exact date will appear later.

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