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ALBERNI PIONEER NEWS.

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PREPARE FOR DOMINION DAY

At a general meeting of the Alberni Athletic club, held in M. Tebo's office on Monday night, it was formally decided to celebrate Dominion Day, July 1, with a programme of sports.

In the absence of the president, Dr. Morgan, E. M. Whyte occupied the chair.

When the meeting was declared open for business it was mentioned that there was a movement on in New Alberni to celebrate the National holiday there, and the advisability of coming to an amicable arrangement for a joint celebration was discussed.

The secretary said the club had not been notified of the intentions of the people of the new town in this connection. It was then decided to proceed with arrangements.

Committees were elected as follows:

Finance—E. M. Whyte, S. H. Toy and George Drinkwater.

Programme—The finance committee with the name of J. Redford added.

Grounds—Alfred Drinkwater, Joseph Drinkwater, R. Erickson, Harold Bishop and George Ward.

On motion of M. Tebo, seconded by by B. Woram, it was resolved that the secretary interview the people in charge of the celebration arrangements in the new town, and that he be authorized to communicate to them the willingness of the old town club to join them in a celebration of Labor Day in New Alberni if they would consent to forego the holding of a celebration on Dominion Day.

At the conclusion of the meeting the finance committee made a canvass of those present and raised a sum over $50.

All In Harmony.

At a largely attended meeting, held in the Somass Hotel, New Alberni, last night, it was unanimously decided to forego the holding of a Dominion Day Programme in the new town on the assurance of being supported by the old town in a Labor Day celebration.

The Programme.

The Programme committee has drafted the following for Dominion Day in Alberni:

Commencing at 9 a. m.

Pigeon shoot, Gun club.
Throwing the hammer.
Horse race, running.
50-yard race for boys, 7 and under.
50-yard race for girls, 7 and under.
75-yard race for boys, 10 and under.
75-yard race for girls, 10 and under.
100-yard race for boys.
100-yard three-legged race for boys.
100-yard race for girls.
Running long jump for boys.
Running high jump for boys.
Standing long jump for boys.
Sack race for boys.

Commencing at 1 p. m.

100-yard dash, open.
Young Ladies race, 75 yards.
220-yard race, open.
Married ladies race, 50 yards.
Tossing the caber.
Putting the shot.
440-yard race, open.
Bicycle race for ladies, one mile.
Bicycle race for men, two miles.
Running Long jump.
Pole vaulting.
Standing high jump.
Running high jump.
Hop, step and jump.
Standing broad jump, no weights.
Sack race for men.
Three-legged race for men.
Hurdle race, open.
One mile race, open.
Upset canoe race for Indians.
Fat men's race.
Klootchmans' canoe race.
Old man's race.
Sloop race.
Tug-of-war.
Fire works.

All the water events will take place during high tide.

Some of the best prizes ever offered for sporting events in Alberni will be put up. These will include cups and gold and silver medals.

An official programme for the day, with the prizes, will be printed and circulated.

Tea On Dominion Day.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church will serve tea during the Dominion Day celebration.

Fruit Crop Prospects.

W. Maxwell Smith, Dominion fruit inspector, who has compelted a tour of the mainland of the province, sums up the crop prospects as follows: The apple crop will be good all through the province; pears will be light; plums and prunes promise well; peaches will be very light owing to the severe winter; strawberries will not be half a crop; cherries are in doubt; raspberries and blackberries promise a full crop. The Fraser River valley has come through the winter as well as any other district, but the strawberries there will be no better than elsewhere.

New Light.

W. W. Duncan, representing the Victoria Air, Power and Light company, is in town and will give a demonstration, in the Alberni Trading store tonight, of a new system of gas lighting.

Arthur Berwick, the piano tuner, will arrive in Alberni on Monday next, and will be prepared to execute all orders given him. Leave orders at the postoffice.

Will Drill For Coal.

The Carmanah Coal company has just ordered a diamond drill at a cost of $20,000. This is a large machine capable of boring to a depth of 2,500 feet and will be able to thoroughly test the sedimentary coal-bearing rock of the Carmanah district. This lies opposite Cape Flattery and is believed to be a continuation of the Nanaimo veins which were faulted by volcanic action when the backbone of the island was thrown up. The same outcroppings appear on the Cape Flattery side in Washington.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Alberni Board of Trade will be held on Monday next, at 8 p. m., in the Court House.

FOR RENT—House, with large garden, close to the Somass river, Milltown. Apply to Arthur Thompson, Beaver Creek.

ERNEST DODDS AS A BURGLAR

Ex-Resident of Alberni Causes Some Excitement In Vancouver.

Ernest Dodds who, when a boy, lived in Alberni, and was the cause of some worry to people who had befriended him, is in jail on a charge of burglary. An account of the crime, and the capture, is given by a Vancouver newspaper as follows:

An excited woman, four small boys and one large burglar late Saturday afternoon made things stir around the vicinity of W. H. Duckworth's home at 1982 First avenue, where Ernest Dodds was detected in the act of burglarizing the house. The police were notified and Constable Cole arrived in the nick of time, as the superior strength of the burglar was telling on the small boys who were holding him down upon his back.

About 6 o'clock Saturday evening Mrs. Duckworth heard someone upstairs in the house. Mr. Duckworth was not at home, and she could not account for the footfalls she heard upstairs. So she set out to reconnoitre, and as she reached the head of the stairs she looked into the eyes of a crouching figure, which instantly ran towards an open window. Mrs. Duckworth screamed as the intruder threw himself out of the window. Running to the window the lady shouted at the top of her voice. Four small boys who were playing ball on the next lot witnessed the sensational leap of the burglar, and were standing in openmouthed surprise and envy at the feat, when they heard Mrs. Duckworth shout the word "burglar." By that time the burglar was well on his way towards safety.

The youngsters started in pursuit and within a block the burglar, who had almost lost his breath in his leap, was caught up with. Seeing it was impossible to shake off his determined young pursuers, he turned on them. They closed with him instantly, and with them hanging to his legs, arms, and one crawling on his back, he went down with them on top. There ensued a desparate struggle, and fortunately for the captors the burglar was unarmed. He fought as best he could with his fists, but the tenacious little fellows held on till the burglar's efforts almost entirely ceased.

The man wore a belt, and when his efforts to fight ceased the captors took the belt and were busy tying up his feet when he, regaining his wind, set up struggling once more, and when Constable Cole arrived it was the little men who were the tired ones. The constable placed Dodds under arrest, and hailing a passing automobile, took him to jail.

A search of his pockets revealed a pin set with a small diamond and a purse, both of which were identified as stolen out of the Duckworth home.

The Quatsino Trouble.

Ed. Evenson and Thomas Ilstead, the two Quatsino men who were sent down to Victoria for trial in connection with the school house and court trouble on the 18th of last month, were released by Chief Justice Hunter on Tuesday morning. Counsel for the defendants undertook habeas corpus proceedings, and convinced the judge that his clients had been improperly committed for trial.

Annual Lawn Social.

The annual Lawn Social of the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church will be held during the last week in July.

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Will Talk About Development League

E. McGaffey, general secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League, with headquarters at Victoria, was in New Alberni for a couple of hours on Wednesday on his way to Clayoquot and Ucluelet to talk organization and address meetings of the branches in those towns.

During his brief stay Mr. McGaffey met a number of men connected with the League movement in the new town, and discussed the grievances in connection with the official stationery. The secretary was bent on conciliating the Alberni people and took notes of every objection offered. He is expected to return today, and will spend a couple of days here, meeting the branches of both new and old towns.

W. F. Best, of Victoria, who is also interested in the success of the Island league, is in town, and has been enjoying himself for a couple of days toying with the gamey trout in the rivers and lakes. He has arranged to deliver a lecture, in Brand's hall, next Wednesday night. The lecture will deal with Vancouver Island and will be illustrated with a number of lantern views.

Condor Wreck Found.

The wreck of the ill-fated Condor, the British sloop-of-war, lost in December, 1901, has, it is believed, been located off Long beach, fourteen miles south of Clayoquot, west coast of Vancouver island.

A heavy spar, evidently attached to other wreakage over which heavy surf was breaking, was observed floating for several days, and on its breaking away and floating ashore it was recognized as a navy spar, stamped with the admiralty mark, and patched with copper in navy style. Nearby a jib-boom, stamped with the name Condor, and several rocket cases marked similarly, came ashore. The obstruction, which looks like the hull of a submerged vessel, is visible from the shore at low tide, about a mile and a half from land.

The Condor left Esquimalt for Honolulu on December 3, 1901, with 140 men. She was to engage in gunlaying off the strait for several days, but from the time of her departure nothing has ever been heard of her. though some little wreckage has floated ashore. It is believed that the vessel, with her high bluwarks, was pooped by a heavy sea in the gale which raged for several days, and before the water had time to run off, an other sea struck her, and she foundered.

Surveyors Move Camp.

The survey party, in charge of George W. Spittal, which has been stationed at Cameron Lake for some months, moved, yesterday, to a point this side of the summit from where the work of laying out plans for the contractors will be continued on the mountain section.

NOTICE.

MINERAL ACT.

Ormond No. 2 Mineral Claim.

Where located—On Floris Island, the point at the mouth of Matilda Creek, Ahouset.

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.

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James Beck,
Thomas Thorton Gardhouse.

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ALBERNI, B. C., JUNE 5, 1909.

THE COLONIST OSTRICH "COMFORTS" US

It is easy for a superficial and conceited person to settle an argument or decide a case in his own favor, and so it is with the editorial space filler of the Victoria Colonist who, for a third time, has satisfied himself that he has disposed of the Alberni grievance against Victoria in the matter of the Vancouver Island Development League. Here is his latest:

The Alberni Pioneer News refuses to be comforted. It believes the people of Victoria are inspired by a feeling of hostility to the town in which it is printed, and apparently nothing will convince it to the contrary.

We should not have thought it worth while to refer to what our contemporary says in this connection, for its indignation is too fierce to be genuine; but in order that no one need be under any misapprehension as to the attitude of the people of Victoria on the question of Island development, we can assure the people of Alberni that there is not the slightest intention on the part of any one here to ignore their town or to put the smallest obstacle in the way of anything that will contribute to its progress.

The Pioneer News has evolved a grievance out of the proposed railway from Victoria to Barkley Sound. Many people would think this a proposition which the people of Alberni would favor rather than oppose; but even if there were no reason why they should favor it, that surely would be no ground for supposing a line from this city westward through the great timbered area lying along the Strait of Juan de Fuca was designed to injure Alberni.

The people of Victoria have done very much more to urge the speedy completion of the line from Nanaimo to Alberni than they have to promote the construction of the line to Barkley Sound. Indeed, while they have as yet declined in any official way to support the former proposition, they have through the Board of Trade urged the Canadian Pacific authorities to hasten the completion of the latter.

It occurs to the Colonist that the people of Alberni will, if they are well advised, assist the people of Victoria if they should at any time in the future seek to promote railway construction along the western side of the Island. We do not mean, of course, a West Coast railway, for such a thing would be out of the question, but a railway from Victoria to Barkley Sound, thence to Alberni, and thence up the centre of the Island to some point near the north. This would be an enterprise which would do much for the whole Alberni valley.

Let us examine the nature of the comfort that has been given us. In his first self-satisfactory disposal of the case the Victoria editor entirely misunderstood the complaint and dealt with something that was not in it. He comforted us by saying that the Colonist had enquired into the matter, etc., and could assure the people of Alberni that there was no disposition on the part of anyone connected with the League to in any way slight this "interesting and prosperous district." The "comforter" was laboring under the impression that we had "expressed a great deal of indignation because the name of Alberni did not appear on the little sketch map of Vancouver Island, which the envelopes, issued by the Vancouver Island Development League, bear." If he had taken the trouble to look at the map in question he would have been able to see that the name of Alberni does appear on it.

The next dose of comfort handed to us was that the resolution of the Nanaimo meeting was drawn up hurriedly, and the omission of the name of Alberni might have been a printer's error or a mistake of the copyist.

It might have been more comforting had we been told that the name of Alberni was not included in the resolution, as first drawn, because Alberni was in no position to be benefitted by it. In that there would have been, at least, a little sound sense and honest consolation. To weight us down with assurances that we have been repeatedly the victim or unintentional error causes us to be nervous in onr contemplation of all future proceedings.

Then to have the Nanaimo Free Press come along, as it did, with the advice that other branches of the league had been permitted to see proof sheets of the League stationery, before it was issued, would probably be considered by the "comforter" to be the last thing needed for a complete cure of our complaint.

That happy idea that occurred to the Colonist editor about the people of Alberni, if they should be well advised, assisting Victoria to promote a railway along the west side of the Island, is another comfort potion that we must hesitate to accept. Why not ask us to hand our power of attorney, in the matter of encouraging railway construction, to the Victoria people, go to sleep, and forget all our transportation worries.

Looked at from the Victoria point of view it would be a beautiful scheme to have a railway run around the west side of the island, come up to Alberni, and then proceed up the center of the island to some point near the north. Tell us, pray, what the people of Alberni could want with a such system of railway connection with Victoria, unless there is nothing else to be had? Compare this prospect with the E. & N. Railway extension plans that will give Alberni rail and ferry connection with Vancouver which will bring us nearer to that up-to-date business city than the same line can bring us to Victoria. Even the E. & N. to Victoria, with Vancouver counted out of the deal, would serve us better than that around-the-west-side-of-the-Island proposition. But there's the rub. The latter route would offer no chance of mainland connection except by way of Victoria, a point that has no natural position of any consequence on the map of commerce.

In case you might think this too fierce to be genuine, Mr. Colonist Space Filler, let us assure you that it is handed out gently—as a comforter you are as great a success as our own celebrated "Cultus" Bob is as a pot-latcher. You do not deceive; you amuse us. And those self-sufficient assurances of yours! We hate to mention this, but they remind us of the conceited way in which you twice tried to dismiss the Borden telegram forgery when it was first put up to you. You then, most liberally, gave your assurances that it was published in the best of faith. But that didn't go down, did it.

Stop acting the ostrich. Take your head out of the sand. Even at this distance we can all see you just as plainly as we can see the snow caps on the peaks of Mount Arrowsmith when the day is clear and the sun is not in our eyes.

We believe there are some people in Victoria who feel that our grievance over the Vancouver Island Development League stationery should have been given more consideration, and that it would have been wise, as well as just, to have called in the letter paper and envelopes and destroyed them immediately the injurious misrepresentations were discovered and objection taken.

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.

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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 south-easterly 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

NOTICE.

Liquor License Act.

Take notice that I, H. E. Fitzgerald, intend to make application to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of my liquor license for the premises known as the Alberni hotel, situate on Lots 1, 11, and 12, Alberni, B. C., for six months from the 1st of July, 1909.

H. E. Fitzgerald.

May 11, 1909. Alberni, B. C.

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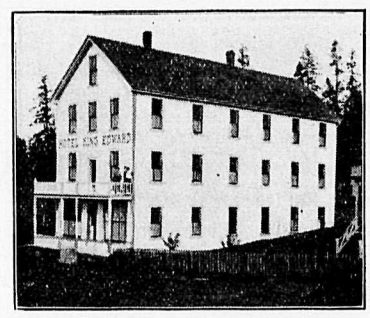

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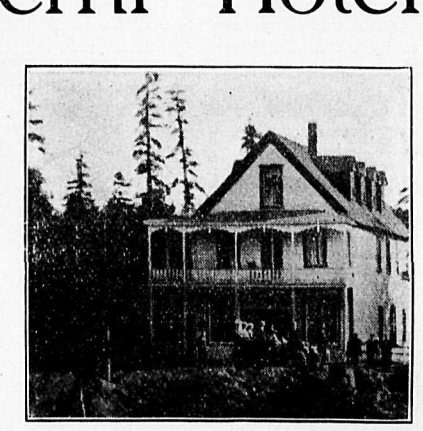

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Liquor License Act.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, Christen Jacobsen, Quatsino, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a license to sell liquor by retail on premises to be known as the Quatsino Hotel, situate at Quatsino, B. C.

Christen Jacobsen,
May 8, 1909. Quatsino, B. C.

Take Notice that I, Walter T. Dawley, intend to make application to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of my liquor license for the premises known as the Clayoquot hotel, situate at Clayoquot, B. C., for six months from the 1st of July, 1909.

Walter T. Dawley,
May 8, 1909. Clayoquot, B. C.

Take notice that I, J. S. Rollin, intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of my liquor license for the premises known as the Hotel King Edward, situate at New Alberni, B. C., for six months from the 1st of July, 1909.

J. S. Rollin,
May 8, 1909. New Alberni, B. C.

Take notice that I, M. A. Ward, intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of my liquor license for the premises known as the Arlington hotel, situate at Alberni, B. C., for six months from the 1st of July, 1909.

M. A. Ward.
May 8, 1909. Alberni, B. C.

Take notice that I, Gustave Moerman, of Quatsino, B. C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of my liquor license for the premises known as the Central Hotel, situate at Limestone Island, for six months from the 1st of July, 1909.

Gustave Moerman,
May 8, 1909. Quatsino, B. C.

Take notice that I. H. E. Fitzgerald intend to make application to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of my liquor license for the premises known as the Alberni hotel, situate on Lots 1, 11, and 12, Alberni, B. C., for six months from the 1st of July, 1909.

H. E. Fitzgerald.
May 11, 1909. Alberni, B. C.

NOTICE.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

"Andrew" and "Albion" Mineral Claims, situate in the Quatsino Mining Division of Rupert District.

Where Located:—On Atkins Cove, southeast arm of Quatsino Sound.

Take Notice that I, Frank G. Patterson, Free Miners Certificate No. B13865, 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 10th day of December, 1908.

Frank G. Patterson.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Stormont, Glengarry, and Texas Mineral claims, situate in the Clayoquot Mining Division of Alberni.

Where located: About one mile northwest of Head Bay, Nootka Sound, Vancouver Island.

Take Notice that I, William John Sutton, as agent for Clarence Dawley, free miners certificate No. B18521, and James Dunsmuir, free miners certificate No. B22846, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for certificates of improvements for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

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

Dated the 25th day of March, A. D., 1909.

William John Sutton, Agent.

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 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, 80, 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 surveyor, 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. apl24

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. apl24

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 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:

Commencing 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, April 5, 1909 apl10

LAND ACT.
ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.
District of Clayoquot.

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

Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Bedwell Sound 1½ miles north from Race Narrows, post marked Northwest, thence east ten chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 10 chains more or less to beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

Amon Shafer,
Christian William Frank.
Date, March 15, 1909.

LAND ACT
Alberni Land District.
District of Nootka.

Take Notice that Nootka Marble Quarries, Limited, of Victoria, B. C., occupation quarrying company, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described land:—

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Indian Reserve No. 7 situate on Marble Inlet, Nootka Sound, District of Nootka; thence west to the southwest corner of said Indian reserve No. 7, thence south to a point on a line drawn at right angles westerly from the northwest corner of Lot 51, thence easterly to the northwest corner of Lot 51, thence northerly along the shore to the point of commencement, containing about sixty acres more or less.

NOOTKA MARBLE QUARRIES, LTD.
W. B. Butler, agent.
Date, March 17, 1909. apl10

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:

Commencing 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,
may29 by Neil McLennan, agent.

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. 406, 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

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NEWS GENERAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. G. A. Love is visiting friends in Vancouver.

Fred Brand returned on Wednesday from Victoria.

Miss Perkins, of Ahousat, is visiting Mrs. F. Brand.

Miss E. Davie returned on Wednesday from Victoria.

The Alaska-Yukon exposition was opened in Seattle on Tuesday.

J. B. Wood commenced his duties as district fire warden on June 1.

R. J. Burde and Mrs. Burde left yesterday on a visit to Vancouver.

The High School entrance examinations will be commenced on June 14.

The wrecked schooner Soquel has been sold to Leeming Brothers, of Victoria, for $15.

J. H. McGregor and Capt. Roberts arrived on the Tees on Wednesday afternoon from Victoria. They will be engaged in this district all summer on timber limit survey. They now have a camp at Uchucklesat.

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

J. Hovelaque was a passenger for Clayoquot on the Tees on Wednesday.

S. H. Toy left on Wednesday on a business trip to Mt. Sicker and Victoria.

C. O. Trusler and Mrs. Trusler left yesterday for the A-Y-P. exposition at Seattle.

W. Leeson and E. Williams returned on Wednesday from the Harrison Hot Springs.

James Beck, of Clayoquot, left on Wednesday for Victoria, en route to England.

Miss Sweet, of Victoria, who had been visiting Mrs. H.C. Rayson, left on Wednesday for home.

A. D. MacIntyre left yesterday for Seattle where he will spend a few days sizing up the big fair.

Walter B. Selvord, of New York City, was in town this week looking for real estate investments.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Luke and Leonard Frank returned on Monday from a pleasure trip down the canal.

The total proceeds of the auction sale of Prince Rupert lots, held in Vancouver last week, amounted to $1,142,060.

Misses Josephine and Mary Clarke have gone to Seattle where they will spend some time at the big exposition.

Robert Erickson has taken a contract for clearing the Westwood lots on Gertrude street and the Johnston road.

Rev. George Smith and wife, and Miss Lindsay left on Wednesday on a visit to friends in Victoria and Vancouver.

Arthur Marcon, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce staff at Nelson, spent the week in Alberni with his parents.

The publication of a German newspaper is to be commenced in Vancouver next month. It will be named the Westliche Canada Post, and will be issued weekly. Prof. F. R. Blochberger will be the editor.

I. B. Atkinson, a mining man, was in town this week enquiring into the title and value of the Cascade mine.

Miss True, of Vancouver, a sister of Mrs. Godson, of Bamfield, arrived on Wednesday, and is a guest at the Hotel King Edward.

Arthur Battle, who for the past year had been employed as a clerk in A. E. Waterhouse's general store, left yesterday for Vancouver.

A million and a quarter acres of free homesteads, tributary to the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, will be thrown open for settlement this year.

Arthur Berwick, the piano tuner, will arrive in Alberni on Monday next. and will be prepared to execute all orders given him. Leave orders at the postoffice.

The ice cream social, given by the Ladies Aid of the New Alberni Methodist church, on Friday night of last week, was well attended, and was a successful affair.

W. B. Garrard and wife, and Mrs. J. Harvie, of Victoria, arrived on Tuesday, took an excursion down the canal on the steamer Tasmanian on Thursday and left again yesterday for home.

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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.

LAND ACT

Alberni Land District.

District of Nootka.

Take Notice that Nootka Marble Quarries, Limited, of Victoria, B. C., occupation quarrying company, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described land:—

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NOOTKA MARBLE QUARRIES, LTD.
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Date, March 17, 1909. apl10

LAND ACT.

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT.

District of Clayoquot.

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Amon Shafer,
Christian William Frank.

Date, March 15, 1909.

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