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COUNTRY NOT EXAGGERATED

PREMIER McBRIDE GIVES OUT STATEMENT REGARDING RECENT VISIT TO THIS SECTION.

Premier McBride, interviewed in Vancouver on his return from this section, stated that: "The reports concerning the fertility and tremendous possibilities of the Fraver river country are not exaggerated one iota." The Premier praised the vastly improved transportation methods on the Cariboo road, and on the Fraser river. Travelling conditions were he said "equally as good and comfortable as in either Vancouver or Victoria."

Remarking on the healthy rivalry between this town and the Fort George townsite Hon. Mr. McBride said there was bound to be a large town here as it is more than likely that the railroad will establish a divisional point which will inevitably create a busy centre.

When asked as to the location of the Government offices, the Premier stated that the site had not yet been chosen but that a decision might be expected at an early date.

Hon. Mr. McBride seems to be thoroughly satisfied with the results of his trip to this section, and has repeatedly intimated that the Government will shortly undertake measures of a progressive nature to assist in every possible manner within their power the greater development of the Northern Interior.

FIRST SCHOOL OPENS

FIRST SCHOOL IN FORT GEORGE SECTION OPENS ITS DOORS AT SOUTH FORT GEORGE.

On Monday last the first Government school opened its doors to the children of this section, and the fact that sixteen names were entered on the roll during the first day of its existance shows how great was the necessity of such an institution here.

The advent of this school provides one more primal necessities of a young city. Without educational advantages for children surely no town can be considered to be worthy of the name, and the fact that South Fort George now boasts of a school which is well attended and admirably presided over both by the principal and the board of trustees give this place a vastly added importance in the estimation of those families which are settling here, and of the many more to come.

The school is temporarily in charge of Mr. Cosgrave, a graduate of Princeton University, who volunteered to fill the vacancy until a permanent teacher could be engaged rather than see the opening date delayed.

The board of trustees recently appointed is composed of Mr. A. G. Hamilton, Secretary; Mr. James Cowie, and Joseph Boyer, all pioneers of this section. The building at present in use for the school is on Fourth street, and is owned by Mr. Wiggins, of the Northern Development Company here. A proper school house will be built for permanent use.

W. J. Mackay, of Vancouver, who ran the Tribune here after John Houston had contracted his fatal illness until that paper was purchased by the Natural Resources Security Company, leaves Vancouver for this point on Tuesday, having accepted a position on the Herald.

In the reception of the initial number of the Herald by our contemporaries we have noted many and divers opinions. The Vancouver Province flatters us by refering to this paper as "a bright vigorous paper." The "Sunset" of the same city hands us a lemon on page one by suggesting paregoric as an antidote for wind on the stomach. The Journal in Ashcroft compliments the "youthful" editor on his "latest," and so on with boquets and lemons galore. We proffer thanks for the floral donations—the lemon givers will receive limes shortly, The only real objection to these criticisms we have to offer is the constant reference by publishers who happen to be have personally acqainted with the editor of this paper, to his age. Because a man does not carry a superfluity of flesh or grow long wooly whiskers some of our antiquated brother journalists regard his opinions too lightly.

A discovery of gold bearing quartz and alluvial gold has been made on a creek north of here by a man named McKenzie. At present only the most meagre details are forthcoming as the locator will not give out any information until receiving the results of his assays.

SUNSET AND NIGHT

"SATURDAY SUNSET" AND "SATURDAY NIGHT" CONTINUE TO VENTILATE THEIR VIEWS OF FORT GEORGE.

Toronto Saturday Night prints a pithy criticism on the Vancouver Saturday Sunset's attempt to bolster up the Natural Resources Security Company's townsite proposition on the Nechaco river, which quite disconcerts the complacent and positive printed opinions of "Bruce," editor of the Sunset.

We have already expressed our opinions regarding "Bruce's" articles on Fort George, but for the benefit of our new readers we reiterate some of our remarks which are printed to counteract the extraordinary advertising compaign conducted by the Natural Resources Security Company.

This company have a proposition which appears to be technically legitimate—they can give good title to every twenty-five foot lot on their thousand odd acres of townsite lands—but is the advertising department of this concern which attracts to their proposition the criticisms which are always based solely on the misrepresentations they print. This advertising department, judging from the literature they issue, is composed of an "all star cast." Its publicity experts lightly work wonderful changes in the topography of the Indian reserve to suit the location of the particular property they are exploiting along its western boundary, changing the location of the G. T. P. across it in a most casual manner, placing it sometimes on a long trestle at the extreme northern end of the reserve and in other instances crossing it near its southern end for the benefit of "Central Fort George," whilst the railroad station, which has likewise undergone a long period of uncertainty of location, has now been settled by some thoughtful ad writer at the north-east corner of the Fort George townsite.

We have shown by statistics that the only townsite at this point today where any considerable number of independent business men have settled and are building is at South Fort George on the Fraser river.

Bruce was perfectly aware of this fact when he printed an article calculated to strengthen the hand of the townsite people when trying to retain the site for the Government offices which were awarded to their townsite by an assistant in the Government agent's office, but which were later transferred to South Fort George by the Government agent personally after he had consulted the people regarding their wishes in the matter.

Toronto Saturday Night has entered the arena against the Natural Resuorces Security Company's townsites almost from their inception. That paper in the issue we refer to quotes excerpts from a report of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, which proves many of the statements in the townsite company's advertisements to be extravagent misrepresentations without any basis of truth whatsoever.

And so we have a spectacle of two largely circulated and influential weekly journals fighting, one for, the other against a townsite proposition at Fort George. We have detected in the attacking journal errors of detail which are due to lack of close touch with the local situation and of the journal defending the issue we have written at length to show that the editor, "Bruce," is fighting for a rich corporation against the interests of the public here.

The Herald does not care a red cent what becomes of the Natural Resources' townsites. Our only advice to intending purchasers is to investigate personally. We merely wish to keep the name of South Fort George townsite, where the business interests of the Fort George of today are, clear of the mire which contamination with a site that is being attacked in the public press as a "wild cat"—whether it is or not—will drag it if the local situation is not fully explained.

South Fort George is a small townsite, containing only 147 acres in all, but what it lacks in quantity it makes up in natural advantages which the public are not slow to recognize. A strange contrast to its enormous, but lethargic neighbor—a townsite bisected by fifty miles of "streets" with the original name of the old settlement of Fort George corralled by legal proceedure and tacked onto it as an "advertising bulge," and yet, which is unable to compare with this place for population, business houses on the ground, or in natural advantages.

RIVER IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED

ATTENTION OF FEDERAL AUTHORITIES IS BEING CALLED TO MUCH NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS.

Premier McBride has intimated his intention of drawing the attention of the Ottawa authorities to the much needed improvements required to aid navigation in the Fort George canyon.

The Victoria Colonist last week devoted a whole column to editorial comment on this subject. Mr. Lugrin, the Colonist's editor, during his recent visit to this section with Premier McBride's party, was able to realize the situation from personal observation. The Colonist draws attention to the constant danger of damage or destruction to boats when passing through this canyon, and shows that the aggregated value of the steamboats now plying on this river is in the neighborhood of $250,000, also pointing out that two of the boats from this valuable fleet are now "hors de combat" from their battle with this menance to life and property.

The writer has passed through the Fort George canyon in the winter, and has seen the obstructing reef in the eastern channel standing high and clear of the ice. Rock men with steel and powder could remove this reef in sixty days.

The Fort George Canyon marks the very entarance into the Fort George district itself. It is rather a rude surprise to our many visitors from the world's centres of population to be crowded to the after end of a steamboat in order that the stern wheel may take a greater dip, and from there to watch the boat fighting its way against the mightiest forces of nature through narrow tortuous channels lined by precipitous rock shores; after travellers have read of the wonderful Fraser river waterway system navagable for one thousand miles.

The blowing out of the reef in the eastern channel would give a straight deep-water channel for steamboats at any stage of the water. No other work would, we believe, be necessary. The writer has passed through this channel at the extremes of both high and low water and has observed that were this obstruction removed much water now deviated through the others would flow through the eastern channel which is now too narrow to give pssage to more than about fifty per cent of the water passing through the canyon.

The Minister of Works at Ottawa will doubtless turn his attention to this pressing matter, now that the powers that be are commenting so freely upon the negligencies of his department in regard to this district.

Martin Burrell, member for this district, has, we honestly believe, done his utmost to have this work done, but Mr. Burrell, although one of the most fluent speakers in the Dominion House, is "on the wrong side," consequently there is "not much doin'."

It is time that the Hon. Mr. Pugsley initiated a movement to clear the Fraser river of obstructions to navigation, not only in the Fort George canyon, but from Soda Creek to Tete Jaune Cache. In two years more the Grand canyon, one hundred miles north of this point, will be navigated as frequently as the Fort George canyon is today, but with a greater amount of risk, This work should be carried out during the coming winter and the appropriations should be large enough to do the work thoroughly and well.

Neil Gething, a well known land and timber owner, who has operated in Cariboo and the Peace river country for the past seven years arrived from the Stewart river country last week and left Vancover on Monday. Mr. Gething is applying for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on a large tract of land on Peace river.

Excellent progress is being made on the Northern Hotel here. Al. Johnson expects it to open for business on the first of the month. The building does great credit to this town, and when completed it will rank amongst the finest hotels in the interior of British Columbia.

Four young men from New York state, recent graduates of Princeton university who have been looking over the townsite situation here with a view to investment and residence, have decided that South Fort George is the centre of gravitation in this section and have settled here. They intend to enter into business ventures.

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J. B. DANIELL, PRESIDENT

Devoted to the interests of Fort George and the entire Northern Interior.

J. B. DANIELL, Editor.

September 10, 1910.

One of the editors of the Natural Resources Security Company's house organ which is published weekly on their Nechaco river townsite, printed some most uncomplimentary paragraphs in the editorial columns of that paper in their issue of September 3d, regarding this journal. The ad writer who happened to occupy the editorial chair when the article referred to was written calls the editor of this paper amongst other things a "callow youth" and refers to the Herald as "the Howler."

A most reliable dictionary gives us the definition of "callow" as "naked; unfledged." Now if the editor of the article referred to means to insinuate that the editor of this paper does not observe the proprieties of dress we believe his statement is actionable, for the law has a name for such neglegincies. Again, "unfledged" surely means, not having obtained full growth. This gives us reason to believe that the gentleman announced as "manager" of our contemporary is guilty of the article for he is of far more generous proportions than any active newspaper manager should be.

Following the ethics of good journalism as we interpert them we have always avoided indulging in comment on a personal nature against individuals directing interests against which we are opposed, preferring rather to reserve our space for the main issues, in the public interests. In the present instance however, we would ask the indulgence of our readers in the deviation from our established policy in this respect in order that we may answer the Graveyard Wails' poor attempt to depreciate the endeavour of of the Herald to give the public plain unadulterated truths regarding the townsite situation here.

The nominal publisher of the Tribune is an advertising agent from Minneapolis who we are informed handles the greater part of the wonderfully exaggerated advertising of the Natural Resources Security Company. Surely a most capable editor for the "Graveyard Wail." Some of the extraordinary deviations from a newspaper's usual advertising methods are doubtless due to this promotor of publicity. Sometime ago the Tribune issued a wonderful supplement printed in red ink on bond paper advertising the "magnificent" hotel on the Fort George townsite, quite contrary to Section 45, governing the transport of second-class matter through the Canadian mails.

The individual who is generally credited with the epoch-making editorials in the "Graveyard Wail" is an importation of the "callow youth" he refers to. We brought him in as a printer on the Observer, in Quesnel. As ought not to stray far from the type stand. Editing a paper requires a greater exertion of the cerebral faculties than some people seem to be capable of. He takes credit unblushingly for the conviction of two gamblers here when absolutely no credit is due the "Wail." We feel called upon to reveal the true facts, which are as follows: A drunken Indian using foul language on the streets here was thrashed by a man who wished to show his red brother that there where white women live they must be respected. The incident was noted by a Justice of the Peace who wired for a Provincial Constable. Indians were arrested whose prosecution involved the gambling house, resulting in the conviction of the gamblers. It is a significant and humorous fact that war or reform waged by our contemporary against gambling houses, etc., commenced shortly after our editorial friend was reported to have lost sixteen samoleons in the very "dive" referred to.

Our misguided editorial friend appears to be grossly ignorant of the terms of expression in common use in modern contemporary literature. The Tribune asserts that we "call" the undesirable element, which always abounds in the construction camp period of a city which builds in the path of a projected railroad, "necessary evils." We referred to this class in those terms qualifying our reference in quotation marks.

The term is used by hundreds of papers daily when referring to evils which will exist in spite of all authority.

The Tribune again claims that we are endeavoring to "belittle the town of Fort George." Perhaps we are, for we are telling the public the truth about it.

A gasoline famine is rampant here. The "Traffic Regulation Act" will not permit steamboats to carry this very necessary commodity, and owing to the fact that there is at present no other made of freight transport to this point, the people of South Fort George who wish to use gasoline for both light and power purposes are suffering in consequence. We would point out to the navigation companies that it would be a simple matter for them to equip their boats with magazine compartments in which gasoline or powder could be carried without violating the act, or by refusing to accept passengers for one trip one of the smaller boats could bring up a large consignment from Soda Creek, as the act is in force for the protection of the travelling public only.

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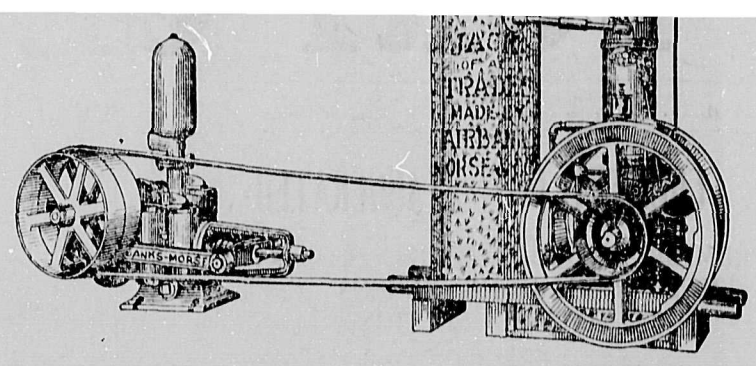

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WATER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a licence in the Fort George Division of the Cariboo District.

(a.) Name, address and occupation of the applicant, Charles H. Harvey, South Fort George, B.C., farmer.

(b.) The water is proposed to be delivered from McMillan Creek about one and a half miles west of the Fraser River, on the north side of the Nechaco River.

(c.) The point of diversion is about 3 miles up stream from the mouth of said creek.

(d.) The quantity of water applied for is one (1) cubic foot per second.

(e.) The character of proposed works is a ditch.

(f.) The water is to be used on what is known as the Harvey Pre-emption.

(g.) The water is proposed to be used for purposes of irrigation.

(h.) The land intended to be irrigated consists of about one hundred acres, being the central portion of the Harvey pre-emption.

(j.) There will be no Crown lands occupied by the proposed works.

k. This notice was posted on the 16th day of August 1910, and application will be made to the commissioner on the 16th day of October, 1910.

(l.) Riparian proprietors above, whose lands are likely to be affected are Charles Houser and Tillman Halm, and those below are John Bronger and Fishback, all of South Fort George, B.C.

CHARLES HOMER HARVEY.
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Chas. E. Houser, Manager.

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Thomas Charles, of Bear Lake, B.C., trapper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles south and 4 miles east of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

THOMAS CHARLES.

August 8, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that John Eagle of Fort George, B.C., packer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles south and 2 miles east of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN EAGLE.

August 8, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Joseph Sinclair, of Sandy Bay, Man., farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles south and 2 miles east of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JOSEPH SINCLAIR.

August 8, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Gordon Wright of Ottawa, Ont., Government official, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles south and one mile east of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

GORDON WRIGHT.

August 8, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that C. A. Leeder, of Battleford, Sask., storekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands' Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles south and 1 mile east from the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

C. A. LEEDER.

August 8, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Mrs. Albert Erskine of Ottawa, Ont., widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles south of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

MRS. A. ERSKINE.

August 6, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Ersden Erskine, of Ottawa, Ont., accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles south of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

ERSDEN ERSKINE.

August 6, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Mrs. Sidney Percy Cooke, of Cranbrook, B.C., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles south of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

MRS. SIDNEY PERCY COOKE.

August 6, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Alice Waters of North Nation Mills, Que., spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles south of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

ALICE WATERS.

August 6, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Abel Waters of North Nation Mills, Que., farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles south of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 480 acres more or less.

ABEL WATERS.

August 6, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Mrs. Willie Waters, of North Nation Mills, Que., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles south of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

MRS. WILLIE WATERS.

August 6, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Willie Waters, of North Nation Mills, Que., Farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted two miles south of the south west corner of Lot 1764, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

WILLIE WATERS.

August 7, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

First insertion above ads Aug. 27.

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Minnie Broussean, of Savonas, B.C., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted adjoining the south west corner of Lot 926, thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

MINNIE BROUSSEAN.

August 10, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Gus Sampare of Hazelton, B.C., clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted adjoining the south west corner of Lot 926, thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

GUS SAMPARE.

August 10, 1910. R. T. Alefiander, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Robert Sampare, of Hazelton, B.C., clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted adjoining the south west corner of Lot 926, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

ROBERT SAMPARE.

August 10, 1910. R. T. Alexander, agent

First insertion above ads Aug. 27.

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that I, Frank Fuller, of Manchester, England, estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted one mile east and half a mile south from the north east corner of Lot 1040, thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

FRANK FULLER.

August 8th, 1910. E. E. Knight, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that I, George Fuller, of Manchester, England, estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 40 chains south of the north east corner of Lot 1040, Mud River Valley, Cariboo District, thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

GEORGE FULLER.

August 8th, 1910. E. E. Knight, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Edward A. Gillespie, of Hailsham, Sussex, England, clergyman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 5 miles north and about 1 mile west from north east corner of Lot 1025, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

EDWARD A. GILLESPIE.

August 3, 1910. J. C. Gillespie, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Anne Finlay, of Dublin Ireland, widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles north and about ½-mile west from north east corner of Lot 1025, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

ANNE FINLAY.

August 3, 1910. J. C. Gillespie, agent

CARIBOO LAND DISTRICT
District of Fort George.

TAKE notice that William F. Kaecke and Harry Sommer, of Vancouver, B.C., prospectors, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted near the east end of Cranberry Lake, thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 20 chains more or less to north shore of Cranberry Lake, thence following said shore east about 50 chains; thence east 10 chains to point of commencement, comprising 520 acres more or less.

WILLIAM F. KAECKE,
and HARRY SOMMER.

Date, August 6, 1910.

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Marianne Gillespie, of Dublin, Ireland, married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles north and about ½-mile west from north east corner of Lot 1025, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

MARIANNE GILLESPIE.

August 3, 1910. J. C. Gillespie, agent

CARIBOO LAND DISTRICT.
District of Fort George

TAKE notice that Alexander W. Elliott, of Victoria, B.C., real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles west of Swift Creek, thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, comprising 640 acres more or less.

ALEXANDER W. ELLIOTT.

Date, August 6, 1910.

William F. Kaecke and Harry Sommer, agts

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that Thomas M. Gillespie, of Dublin, Ireland, gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles north and about ½-mile west from north east corner of Lot 1025, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

THOM'S M. GILLESPIE.

August 5, 1910. J. C. Gillespie, agent

FORT GEORGE LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cariboo.

TAKE notice that George F. Gillespie of Dublin, Ireland, gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about one mile in a northeasterly direction from the mouth of Souchay creek, in the vicinity of Mud River, thence south 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 800 acres more or less.

GEORGE F. GILLESPIE.

Date, August 4th, 1910.

First insertion of above notices Aug. 20, and last insertion Oct. 20, 1910.

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Advance charges will be paid on all freight shipped to the company's care at Soda Creek, B. C., and at the same time will be cared for and carried forward on first outgoing steamers.

Our branch office at Ashcroft will give intending settlers and travellers the fullest and most reliable information regarding all points in the interior of British Columbia. The company is prepared to furnish all kinds of Rough and Dressed Lumber at their mill at Fort George, or will deliver orders to any points on above-mentioned rivers and lakes.

For full information as to Freight, Transportation and Lumber Rates, apply at the Company's offices, Carter-Cotton Bldg., Vancouver, B. C., or at the Company's offices at Fort George, B. C.

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PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

TAKE notice that I, Neil Gething, of Vancouver, B.C., miner, thirty days after date, intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted four miles south and six miles east of the west end of Rocky Mountain Portage, on south side of Peace River, post marked N.G.'s N W corner of land applied for, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres. Located July 26, 1910.

NEIL GETHING.

PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

TAKE notice that I, Neil Gething, of Vancouver, B.C., miner, thirty days after date, intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the west end of Rocky Mountain Portage on south side of Peace River, post marked N.G.'s S W corner of land applied for, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located July 29, 1910.

NEIL GETHING.

PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

TAKE notice that I, Neil Gething, of Vancouver, B.C., miner, thirty days after date, intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted four miles south and eight miles east of the west end of the Rocky Mountain Portage on north side of Peace River post marked N.G.'s S E corner of land applied for, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement. Located July 25, 1910.

NEIL GETHING.

PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

TAKE notice that I, Neil Gething, of Vancouver, B.C., miner, thirty days after date, intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the west end of Rocky Mountain Portage on the south bank of Peace River, post marked N.G.'s S E corner of land applied for, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located July 29, 1910.

NEIL GETHING.

PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

TAKE notice that I, Neil Gething, of Vancouver, B.C., miner, thirty days after date, intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted two miles west and one south of the west end of Rocky Mountain Portage, on the south side of Peace River, post marked N.G.'s S W corner of land applied for, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located July 29, 1910.

NEIL GETHING.

First insertion above notices Sept. 10th.

Mrs, Robert M. Burns left for the coast on yesterday's boat, for a visit to her parents. Mrs. Burns expects to return before close of navigation.

William Kennedy, manager of William Blair & Co., here is now moving from his old store into the large new store building recently completed which faces Second street.

J. McRae, a timber cruiser for the Yellowhead Pass Lumber Company, arrived here this week and leaves shortly for the holdings of that company on the Willow and Goat rivers and Tarmigan creek, with Hiram Carney.

Jack Maloney who has been cruising for William C. Listikow, a Winnipeg timber operator, returned from the Grand Canyon on Monday last accompanied by Henry Couture. Mr. Maloney leaves for the coast on Monday,

Mr. Harvey Murphy, of Frank, Alberta, who is interested in land in this section was amongst the arrivals on last Monday's "B. X.." Mr. Murphy who is one of the pioneer business men of Crow's Nest Pass, stated to a representative of the Herald that it is his intention to return to South Fort George next year and enter into business here.

An item appeared in our columns last week which we clipped from a contemporary, the information contained in which we have since ascertained to be incorrect. We refer to the freight left on the bank of the Stewart river by the steamer Chilco, which was reported to have been burned. There was a small fire at the freight cache but none of the goods were damaged.

A meeting is to be held in Birch & Luke's hall on Hamilton avenue, on Wednesday evening next, at 8:30 for the purpose of forming an athletic association in South Fort George. The movement is one which should receive assurances have been given to the organizers that in the event of such an association being formed a government block in this townsite may be set aside for recreation and park purposes for a period of five years. Everyone interested will kindly attend the meeting.

Lt. Colonel W. Murray Threipland and wife who were amongst the arrivals from the south this week, left on their return journey yesterday, after investing heavily in city property at South Fort George. Lt. Colonel Threipland declares himself to be delighted with this section of the country, and after looking over the whole situation here purchased several lots on the South Fort George townsite. The Colonel holds a commission in the Guards, England's premier regiment. South Fort George, he stated was in his opinion the best field for investment he had seen in British Columbia, outside of Vancouver.

The planer in the Fort George Lumber and Navigation Company's mill is turning out dressed lumber night and day. The mill is now well supplied with logs, and the output has lately largely increased.

CANADIAN EXPRESS CO.

WILL OPERATE ON G. T. P.

The Canadian Express Company is making arrangements to open up on this coast, and will within five or six weeks be in a position to handle money orders or express parcels between different points.

N. R. Ross, superintendent of the western division of the company having charge west of Port Arthur, was in Victoria and Vancouver looking over the ground recently. He stated that his company intends opening offices at Vancouver, Victoria, Prince Rupert and Stewart, and would also be prepared to handle business to and from the Queen Charlotte Islands He is returning to Winnipeg after having visited all the points in which his company is interested, and will be back again in three or four weeks after having fully matured his plans.

For a beginning the Canadian Express Company's business will be passenger offices will also be the express offices.

Stewart.—Under the name of "Port land Canal" the 160 acres adjoining the original townsite of Stewart on the East, being part of the acreage owned by Alvo von Alvensleben and E. P. Davis, K.C., and sub divided into lots 25 by 100 feet, has been placed on the market by the townsite department of the Canadian Northern Railway.

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PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

TAKE notice that I, Neil Gething, of Vancouver, B.C., miner, thirty days after date, intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted five miles south and two miles east of the west end of Rocky Mountain Portage on the south side of Peace River, post marked N.G.'s S E corner of land applied for, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located July 28, 1910.

NEIL GETHING.

PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

TAKE notice that I, Neil Gething, of Vancouver, B.C., miner, thirty days after date, intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted five miles south and two miles east of the west end of Rocky Mountain Portage on the south side of Peace River, post marked N.G.'s N E corner of land applied for, thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located July 28, 1910.

NEIL GETHING.

First insertion above notices Sept. 10th.

FORT GEORGE LAND DIVISION

District of Cariboo.

Take notice that I, Russell Peden, of Fort George, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on an Island north-east of, and almost adjoining lot 1511. marked Russell Peden's north-west corner; thence 30 chains east; thence 40 chains south; thence 30 chains west; thence 40 chains north to point of commencement; being three islands contiguous and northeast of lot 1511 in the Nechaco river.

August 1, 1910. RUSSELL PEDEN.

First insrtion above notice Sept. 3, 1910.

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