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LOCAL CONCERN IS ADDING TO CAPITAL

Gilley Bros., Ltd., to be Capitalized at $200,000—Business to Expand.

An increase in the capitalization of the firm of Gilley Bros., Ltd., has been found necessary in order to cope with the increasing business of this progressive concern, which is now capitalized at $50,000, having been incorporated in 1907. The capital is to be increased to $200,000, most of which has been subscribed by local people.

With the infusion of more money into the concern, a considerable expansion of the business will take place, according to a statement made to the News yesterday by W. R. Gilley, managing director and one of the biggest shareholders in the business.

Floating Slip.

One of the first improvements to be made will be the construction of a floating slip of part of waterfront lot 3, adjoining the lots now occupied by the firm's buildings, provided permission to do this is granted by the city council. The building of this floating slip will provide accommodation for five times as many boats as can now be tied up at that place.

Started in Small Way.

The business which is now being capitalized at $200,000 started in a small way in 1886, when the Gilley brothers embarked in the livery and teaming business, having their barn on the site now occupied by the Kwong On Wo store on Columbia street. The business increased by degrees, a side line of coal and building material being added. A few years later the livery business was disposed of, Messrs. Gilley devoting all their attention to coal and building supplies, including cement.

As an instance of the growth of the business in connection with this latter commodity, it is interesting to note that while in September, 1898, the month of the Westminster fire, twenty-five barrels of cement were carried in stock, the present handling of the firm amounts to 2000 barrels a month. Last November no less than 2500 barrels were handled.

Asset in Stone Quarry.

A stone quarry at Pitt River, where two hundred yards of stone are taken out every day, is another of the assets of the firm. The output will be increased this year, although it is not the intention at the present time to add to the machinery.

In scows alone Gilley Bros., Ltd., have at the present time over $20,000 invested, and in addition to their own fleet, a number of others are hired by the company to handle extra business when occasion demands. The number of scows will be added to in the near future.

Emerson Gilley's towing business, which has in the past been a separate concern from Gilley Bros., will be added to the assets of the company as soon as the necessary details have been settled.

Big Employers of Labor.

With the exception of the lumber mills, Gilley Bros. are probably the largest employers of labor in the city, over seventy men being on the regular payroll. Thirty-seven of these are at work at the Pitt river quarries, and the remainder are kept busy at the company's wharf and in the city, many of these being employed in the handling of coal, carried by the firm.

BELGIANS BOTHERED BY KING ALBERT'S MARRIAGE

Catholics Disposed to Make Trouble Unless Ruler Submits to Influence of Church.

Brussels, Jan. 4.—Le Soir asserts that the marriage of King Albert and Queen Elizabeth, who was the princess of Bavaria, was sanctioned neither by the late King Leopold nor by parliament, as is required by the constitution of Belgium. The paper insists that sanction of the marriage by parliament is imperative.

Since the confirmation of Leopold's religious marriage, the Catholic papers seem disposed to raise a threat against future dynastic issues, unless King Albert submits to Catholic influences.

UNINSPECTED MEATS GRAVE PUBLIC DANGER

Washington, Jan. 4.—That half the meat eaten in the United States can be called uninspected and that a real and serious danger to be public exists as a result, is one of the conclusions reached by Dr. A. D. Melvin, chief of the United States bureau of animal industry, in his annual report to the secretary of agriculture, made public today.

Inefficiency of government inspection because of lack of authority to reach business done entirely within a state is given as one of the causes, and Dr. Melvin points out the great need of supplementing government inspection of meats with state and municipal inspection.

WILL ADVERTISE AGAIN FOR PROPOSED INCINERATOR

Cheques of Two Firms Which Submitted Tenders Will Be Returned —Burning Only Solution.

The proposed incinerator was given another setback yesterday when Mayor Lee, J. Carter Smith and City Engineer Blackman, after going into the matter thoroughly, decided to return the cheques of the two companies which have submitted tenders. It was thought that more tenders might be receievd if the scheme were more extensively advertised and more time given to allow interested companies to look into the proposition.

In response to the last advertisement only two tenders were received, one being from Richard Taunton, of Winnipeg, representing the Heenan & Froude patent incinerator, and one from the Public Works Engineering company, of Portland. The first tender was for the burner alone, and for that reason was not considered, while the council considered that it did not have enough information on the second machine to enter into any contract for its installation.

While other schemes have been suggested for the disposal of the garbage of the city, most of the aldermen firmly believe that the incinerator is the only ultimate solution of the refuse problem. The committee will report to the council suggesting that the city again advertise for tenders for the erection of an incinerator and that ample time be given for the receiving of tenders.

WEST SURPASSES EAST IN ALL THAT COUNTS

Prof. Charles Zueblin Impressed With Nothing in New York But Its Cleanliness.

New York, Jan. 4.—Prof. Charles Zueblin, formerly of the University of Chicago, is impressed with nothing in New York city except its cleanliness. In all else, he says, the West excels. He came to New York this week to deliver the first of a series of lectures.

Prof. Zueblin told his audience last night that the East is too bound down by conventions.

"The East is old and the West is young," said the professor. "Youth out there is written in the landscape as well as in the faces of the people. Western universities, newspapers, manners, railroads, brains—all are superior.

"The West has magnificent enthusiasm. A celebration by the Bohemian club of San Francisco would make Broadway New Year's Eve look like a funeral."

Baby Burned to Death.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—In a fire which destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Woods at Dalmeny, Carlton county today, their infant boy, three months old, was burned to death.

High Wages Close Mine.

Pardoe, Pa., Jan. 4.—Declaring that it is cheaper to buy coal to fill present contracts than to operate the mine at the rate of wages demanded by the men, the officials of the Enterprise mine have closed the mine indefinitely.

Potlatch on at Alert Bay.

Victoria, Jan. 4.—The steamer Princess Beatrice, Capt. Locke, which returned to port yesterday morning from Prince Rupert, Queen Charlotte islands, and northern British Columbia ports with forty passengers, would have had as passengers from Alert bay to Cape Mudge 250 Indians, had she arrived a few hours later at the northern port. A big potlatch which lasted over a week, and included the usual ceremonies, was completed at the Alert bay rancherie as the Princess Beatrice reached the cannery wharf, the hum of the oolichan grease scenting the air for miles. The Indians were preparing to return to the home villages, but were not ready in time to take passage south on the Princess Beatrice. The Queen City, which was to leave the following day, had 250 booked for Cape Mudge.

Soon to Open National Museum.

Washington, Jan. 4.—After having been in the course of construction for four years the new National Museum in this city will be opened in the public by the middle of February. One section of the mammoth building has been practically completed. It is in this building that the Roosevelt collection of African mammals will be exhibited. It will take a year, however, to mount enough of these trophies to make a fair exhibition.

California Lake Freezes Over.

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 4.—Lake Merritt, in the eastern portion of this city, was covered with an eighth of an inch of ice yesterday following one of the coldest spells of many years. The mercury registered below 30 degrees on the lake shore, the coldest weather recorded in this city in the last twenty years. The oldest inhabitant does not recall having seen the lake frozen over before.

ELECTION BATTLE IS WAGING HOT

Conservative Speakers Are Below Opponents in Oratorical Strength.

London, Jan. 4.—The disparity of oratorical strength between two parties was never more emphasized than last night, when Premier Asquith at Haddington, Sir E. Grey at Embleton, Mr. Burns and Mr. MacNamara at Battersea, Mr. Birrell at Bristol and Mr. Runciman at Dewsbury urged the value of the budget, condemned protection, and protested against naval scare, while on the Conservative side Austin Chamberlin was the only not unworthy speaker. It is well indeed for the Conservatives that rank and file are fighting their cause with such vim and that their leaflets flood the country and their posters covery every boarding.

Lord Cecil's Admission.

Speakers are making some capital of Lord Cecil's admission: "It is quite true that if the lords habitually or even frequently rejected budgets, it would disorder workings of constitution."

They praise his intellectual honesty and ask the electors if they are going to let it rest with a hereditary chamber whether the government of the country is to be thrown into disorder and how often this is to happen. The Conservatives complain of rowdyism. They are getting heckled, especially in London, and declare it is organized. They also blame Lloyd-George persistently in violent language.

Some Telling Points.

Some of the points made in last night's speeches were when Premier Asquith declared that neither friend nor foe knew what Mr. Balfour was getting at.

Sir E. Grey emphasized the efficiency of the present government.

Mr. Burns said the Conservative posters indicated that every able-bodied man was in a workhouse or rapidly going there, while as a matter of fact there was only three per cent. of such men in workhouses. The budget was intended for old-age pensions and removal of pauper disqualification in connection therewith.

Elections in London.

London, Ont., Jan. 4.—The municipal elections here today resulted as follows: Mayor, J. H. A. Beattie; Aldermen, R. C. Eckert, J. A. Tancock, Hubert Ashplant, John G. Richter, Henry Pocock, James Jeffries, W. J. Underwood, A. J. Morgan, W. Johnson, J. H. Saunders, James Fitzgerald, and E. Rose.

CAPITAL AND LABOR.

John Mitchell Would Like Strong Organization on Both Sides.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Jan. 4.—John Mitchell, the labor leader, who was asked by the Temple club of this city to describe what he regarded as an ideal relation between capital and labor, has replied as follows:

"It is my firm conviction that the ideal of trade unionism will be attained when a strong organization of labor shall find itself face to face with an equally strong association of employers, embracing every employer in the trade. They will then meet upon a basis of absolute equality."

LORD METHUNE NEW GOVERNOR OF NATAL

London, Jan. 4.—The king has been pleased to appoint General Lord Methuen, G. C. B., governor of Natal in succession to Colonel Sir Matthew Nathan. Lord Methuen was very much in the public eye during the South African war, during which he commanded an army corps. He served in the Ashanti and the Gold Coast wars in 1874, and distinguished himself in Egypt both at Kassassin and Tel-el-Kebir in 1882. He has held many high commands, and is at present commander-in-chief in South Africa.

CARIBOU DRIVEN OUT BY NATIVES WITH DOGS

Eskimos Congregate in Peninsula and Wage Destructive War on Animals.

Valdez, Alaska, Jan. 4.—A special from Sand Point to The Prospector says that Eskimos from St. Michael and Seward Peninsula are emigrating in large numbers to the peninsula, congregating around Port Moller. They bring large dog teams with them and Indians and dogs together have nearly driven the cariboo out of the country. The Eskimos hunt the deer with dog teams, and whenever they do so the herds soon disappear.

Two or three years ago there were several thousand cariboo on the peninsula. This fall scarcely one has been seen in this region. Unless the game wardens can stop the Eskimos from hunting cariboo with dogs the herds will soon be driven from the peninsula altogether.

PEACE NOT SOUGHT BY ESTRADA OR MADRIZ

Military Activities at Managua Continue—Early Move on Capital Expected.

Washington, Jan. 4.—So far as the state department knows, no particular efforts are at present being made in Nicaragua either by President Madriz or General Estrada in the interest of peace. A telegram from United States Vice Consul Calders declared that military activity continued in Managua.

Unofficial advices indicate that General Estrada is putting his army in readiness for an early move on the capital and that Madriz is hastening an army eastward to meet this force. A conflict, therefore, may be expected before Estrada's army has reached the vicinity of Managua. The details as to the strength and preparedness of either army are entirely wanting, so far as the state department is concerned.

SISTER DANDURAND DEAD

Superior of Grey Nuns' Hospital of Regina Passes Away.

Regina, Jan. 4.—After a suddenly contracted illness which lasted only a few hours, Sister Dandurand, Superior of the Grey Nuns' Hospital, died at an early hour this morning.

Sister Dandurand's home was in Montreal, but she came to Regina some ten months ago from Saskatoon, where she had been Sister Superior of St. Paul's Hospital. She succeeded Sister Duffin in Regina Hospital. Previous to going to Saskatoon she was Superior Vicar in Alberta, having charge of the missions and Sisters of Mercy in that province for ten years. During her time in Alberta Sister Dandurand made her headquarters in St. Albert. She was about fifty years of age.

TRAIN WRECKED.

Three Killed and Three Others Die As Result of Collision.

Aberdeen, S. D., Jan. 4.—In a wreck between a Milwaukee and St. Paul work train and an extra freight between Gretna and Roscoe early today, three workmen were killed outright and three who were injured died afterward. Two others were hurt.

POLAR POLITICS HAD NO BEARING OR INFLUENCE

Washington, Jan. 4.—Denying that polar politics dissention in the board of management or any similar cause was responsible for his decision, Prof. Willis L. Moore, for five years president of the National Geographical Society, which organization passed favorably upon Commander Peary's north pole records, today wrote to each of the board of managers declaring that he does not wish the board to consider his name in connection with the presidency.

FRASER RIVER PILOTS MUST REMAIN HERE

At the annual meeting of the pilot board yesterday, a suggestion that the pilots of New Westminster, Nanaimo, Victoria and Vancouver be placed under one head was turned down. The proposal was to the effect that a general pilot station be established at Williamhead, near Victoria, where all vessels passing would take on a pilot, the pilots working in order. The reason for the rejection of the scheme by New Westminster is that the pilots of the Fraser need to be in constant touch with the changing course of the river and they would not be able to do this under the proposed plan.

Notification was received that F. P. Maxwell had been appointed deputy harbor master at New Westminster, his duties commencing on January 1. The report of the board shows that though the numbers of vessels which plied on the Fraser was not much greater during 1909, than it has been in previous years, yet the tonnage showed a considerable increase.

DEATH CLAIMS ALDERMAN RETURNED BY ELECTORS

Demise of Popular Windsor Man Was Painfully Sudden—Electorate Endorsed Actions.

Windsor, Jan. 4.—Death came with terrible suddenness to Alderman A. H. Dalzell here last night. He had boarded a car to come down town to hear the election returns, when just before reaching Sanowich street he suddenly fell from his seat and died almost instantly. He had been a sufferer from angina pectoria for some time.

He was a candidate for reelection and had been returned by a handsome majority.

Canned Pears Kill Four.

Sawtelle, Cal., an. 4.—Four persons are dead and six lie dangerously ill of ptomaine poisoning caused by eating canned pears on Sunday at the home of Mrs. D. G. Valdez.

ENGLISH NOBLEMAN SHOT WHILE BURGLING

Policeman Kills British Baron Engaged in Robbing Saloon on New Year's Day.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—It developed today that Lord Featherstonehaugh, the rightful head of the Essex, Eng., house of that name, was shot and killed by a policeman on New Year's morning. Harry B. Featherstone, slain while robbing a saloon, was no other than the last baron of a family that is famous in England.

Mrs. Eliza Featherstonehaugh, the dead man's mother; Miss Featherstonehaugh, his sister; and William W. Featherstonehaugh, his uncle, still retain the titled name that Mrs. Featherstonehaugh's father bore when he was disinherited for marrying against his father's wishes. Her son changed his name when he became what his family thought was a professional broker.

The first intimation of Harry Featherstone's alleged criminal record came to the family yesterday at the inquest over the body. The coroner's jury commended Patrolman Maloney for killing the robber-baron.

Voting on Local Option.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Voting on local option took place yesterday in 161 municipalities of Ontario. Of 125 municipalities heard from it was carried in eighty-seven and was defeated in sixty-two.

VATICAN REMOVES BAN ON ANCIENT HIBERNIANS

Cardinal Rampolla Writes From Rome That Catholics in Ireland Now May Join Order.

Dublin, Jan. 4.—There is much interest here in the announcement of the removal of the ban against the Ancient Order of Hibernians in Scotland. Hitherto Catholics in Scotland were forbidden to join the order.

Now, however, Cardinal Rampolla, a member of the consistory congregation of the Vatican, writes that in view of the rules, the order may be tolerated. The effect of the removal of the ban will be to strengthen the order in Ireland.

Prince Rupert Telephones.

Prince Rupert, Jan. 4.—The work of the telephone committee is progressing favorably. Definite word has been received from the government giving the required permission to erect poles on the streets and use them as far as is necessary. The committee has been steadily acquiring data and feel astisfied that they can get an up-to-date plant established in Prince Rupert in the very near future. C. C. Westenhaver who is also one of the committee, will close for the equipment, which may be expected to arrive as speedily as it is possible to get it here.

MURDERS AND ASSAULTS

Plain Clothes Men Are Needed to Patrol City of Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 4.—As the result of the murder of a little girl on Jones street a few weeks ago, the killing of William Keller on Sunday night for resenting an insult offered to his wife, and numerous attempted assaults on girls and women, Police Commissioner Crout ordered 150 plain clothes policemen to patrol the city nightly until some of the mysterious assaults are solved.

CRISIS IS OVER.

Chilean Cabinet Withdraws Its Resignation and Avoids Trouble.

Santiago, Chile, Jan. 4.—The Cabinet today withdrew its resignation which had been presented on December 20. Accordingly the crisis which it was feared would be reached over differences concerning new litigation appears to have been avoided.

First Charge Under New Act.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Conductor W. J. Kearney, of the Toronto Street Railway Company, pleaded not guilty before Magistrate Denison today to charges of being intoxicated while on duty. The charge is the first brought under the Ontario Railway act governing men in charge of steam and electric cars. Kearney was remanded for a week. William H. Manuel, who was charged with supplying Kearney with liquor, pleaded not guilty and was also remanded for a week. Under the act, Kearney, if convicted, is liable to a fine of not less than $200 or one year in jail, or both

Customs Returns for Regina.

Regina, an. 4.—With a corresponding notable increase in other business activities of the city, the customs office has also made a remarkable stride in collections for the past month and year. The total for the month of December, 1909, is $24.552.-30, which is an increase of $1,255.77 over November, and the extraordinary increase of $8,969.09 over December, 1908.

JOE MARTIN THINKS HE WILL BE ELECTED

Stormy Petrel of B. C. Hopes to be Next Liberal Member for St. Pancras.

London, Jan. 4.—There are sixty-four elections to be held on January 15, including eighteen in London, six in Manchester, and seven in Birmingham. The results of these ought to give an indication as to how the rest of the country will go.

The Unionists are opening shops for the exhibition of foreign-made goods. This scheme has attained considerable success as an electioneering factor.

Fighting Joe Is in It.

Joseph Martin, the former premier of British Columbia, who is running as Liberal candidate in St. Pancras division, thinks he has a chance of being elected.

Donald MacMaster believes himself a winner hands down. Mr. Hamar Greenwood cannot see where he can get left. Two Liberal candidates are to be run by city of London Liberal association in opposition to Mr. Balfour and Sir Frederick Banbury.

Gilbert Parker's Suggestion.

Sir Gilbert Parker, at Gravesend, referred to the Port of London bill which was introduced by the Liberal government. It provided for the upkeep of the port out of taxes imposed upon imports entering that port. If these taxes were imposed for the benefit of London, why should not similar taxes be imposed for the benefit of the whole empire? It is admitted on all hands that unemployment was a terrific evil, yet Mr. Asquith merely offered home rule, Welsh disestablishment and veto of lords.

Fair Trade vs. Free Trade.

Mr. Rason, a former premier of Western Australia, said that much had been said about the indignation which was supposed to exist in Overseas Dominions against the lords, but he could not do otherwise, on behalf of Overseas Dominions, than give that an utter denial. They were not concerned in any quarrel of either one house or the other. What concern them was the question of fair trade as against free trade.

MOURNING BORDERED AD. HELD GROSS MISDEMEANOR

Berlin, Jan. 4.—The general manager of a manufacturing firm, an American, has been fined $37.50 by the court at Bostock for having sent an advertisement through the mails heavily bordered with black, as though the communication were a death notice. The court held that such an advertisement was a gross misdemeanor and stated that the punishment would have been more severe had the court not taken into account the fact that the accused was a foreigner and had brought with him to Germany the advertising customs of his country.

DIRTY FAT MAN MAKES AWFUL BOAST IN SPOKANE

No Bath for Fifteen Years, No Food For Nine Days; Has $5000; Arrested.

Spokane, Jan. 4.—Boasting that he had not taken a bath in fifteen years nor tasted food in nine weeks, J. P. Peterson, a native of Sweden, for years a lodger in the Big Island house in Spokane, with $4,800 in bank certificates and $80 in gold securely strapped under his left arm, was arrested by order of the city health department and bathed in a tank at the county jail. The bath required the services of four "trusties" and occupied two hours. He was afterward sent to a local hospital where he will have a daily plunge and scrub during his stay.

Peterson weighs 250 pounds, is well proportioned and as strong as an ox. This is evidenced by the fact that six husky deputies connected with health department had their hands full in taking him from his room, which, by contrast, was as clean as a Dutch housewife's kitchen. He was overpowered after he became exhausted, knocking the deputies around like a lot of tenpins on a bowling alley. He appeared to enjoy the scrubbing.

A. C. Clausen, deputy prosecutor of Spokane county, and the city officials are in a quandary as to what to do with the man. He was arrested on the charge of vagrancy, but this will not hold, as he has plenty of money. His sanity was questioned, but the officers dismissed that charge, because they say, he is sane enough to keep his money, and also rational in his talk.

Peterson refused to discuss his past saying only that he came to Spokane from the east four years ago, after touring every state, territory and province on the American continent and had planned not to permit water to touch his skin until the close of 1924, adding he is working out a new theory on health.

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A. O. U. W.—FRASER LODGE NO. 3 —Meetings the firsta nd third Tuesday in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. Lodge room, A. O. U. W. hall, Oddfellows' block, Clarkson street.

COURT BRUNETTE, NO. 4099, I.O.F —Meets the fourth Friday in the month at 8 o'clock, in the small hall, Oddfellows' block.

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CANADA AND STATES FACE SAME PROBLEM

Question of Japanese Immigration Will be Discussed by Governments.

Ottawa, Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Reports from Washington that the new Japanese ambassador is to carry on exchanges looking to a new general treaty between his government and the United States are read with much interest here because the Dominion is very much in the same boat as regards immigration.

The British treaty with Japan, to which Canada subscribed in 1897, will expire in 1911. If the American-Japanese treaty is terminated at the same time, both Ottawa and Washington will be similarly confronted with the problem of how to handle the Japanese immigration question.

Japan, it is understood here, will not agree that the new treaty with the United States shall contain as does the present, a stipulation that the treaty obligations shall not interfere with the regulation of immigration by the United States. This reservation has been a power of strength to Washington in its difficulties over the present immigration.

To Raise Battleship Maine.

Washington, Jan. 4.—President Taft is in favor of the plan to raise the battleship Maine from the bottom of Havana harbor. He has informed Representative Lord of Michigan that he desired to see the latter's bill, appropriating money for the purpose, enacted into law.

TREATMENT FOR CANCER.

Use of Vaccine Said to Prevent Further Progress of Fell Disease.

Manila, Jan. 4.—A conditional preliminary report of what is hoped will prove to be a successful treatment of cancer was presented before the Manila Medical Society yesterday. The treatment consists in making the patinent immune from the future progress of disease by the use of vaccine prepared from his own cancer.

Experiments have been made during the last eight months; but in cases where operation was possible and where it was not a number of patients, apparently cured, were exhibited before the society. The medical authorities desire to watch these cases for an extended period.

MANY DIE.

Germans Suffer Terrible Hardships on Railway Work in Brazil.

Berlin, Jan. 4.—A story of maltreatment, terrible sufferings and death among a party of 600 Germans who left Hamburg in July to assist in the construction of the Madeira and Mamore railroad in Brazil, is told in the Socialist newspaper, Voerwaerts.

Forty men returned to Europe in December aboard the Rio Negro and Rhaetia. Most of them are said to be suffering greatly from tropical diseases. The survivors assert that more than 300 of their former comrades are dead, while others are in hospitals at Manaos.

One of the party declares that conditions in Brazil were entirely different from what had been described to them before they signed contracts. All were stricken with fevers. Others state that the contractors broke all terms of the engagement.

The Voerwaerts says that agents are endeavoring to engage 5000 more Germans to go to Brazil.

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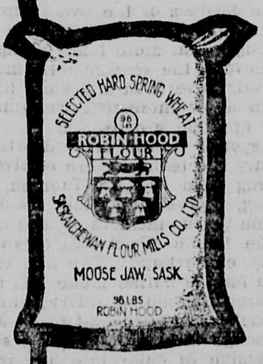

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Take notice that an application has been made to register Charles Bradbury as the owner in fee simple, under a tax sale deed from the reeve and clerk of Burnaby to Charles Bradbury, bearing date the 16th day of July, A. D., 1908, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the District of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as Lots 15 and 16, subdivision of Block 2, of part of Lot 29, Group 1.

You and those claiming through or under you and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by descent, whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act," are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days from the date of the service of this notice upon you, and in default of a caveat or certificate of lis pendens being filed within such period, or in default of redemption before registration, you and each of you will be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register Charles Bradbury as owner thereof in fee. And I hereby order that publication of this notice for thirty days in a daily newspaper published in New Westminster will be good and sufficient service thereof.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, Province of British Columbia, this 30th day of November, A. D., 1909.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar.

To James Hiland, James Highland.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at its present session for an Act further amending the Act incorporating the Company, chapter 99 of the Statutes of 1906, as amended by Statute 86 of the Statutes of 1909 by authorizing the construction of the following additional lines of railway:—

(1) From a point on the Western Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between the east limit of of Range 12 and the West limit of Range 17, west of the third meridian thence in a southwesterly and westerly direction to a point in the vicinity of Calgary, or to a point on the line which the Company is authorized under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99 to construct to Calgary:

(2) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (1) between the east limit of Range 20 and the west limit of Range 28, west of the third meridian, thence in an easterly and southeasterly direction to Regina or to appoint in the vicinity thereof.

(3) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (2) between the east limit of Range 24 and the west limit of Range 27, west of the second meridian to Moose Jaw, of to a point in the vicinity thereof;

(4) From a point on the westerly Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway between Artland and Wainwright, thence in an easterly and southeasterly direction to a point on the line which the company is authorized by paragraph 13 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, to be constructed to Battleford.

(5) From Regina or a point in the vicinity thereof, thence in a southwesertly and westerly direction to Lethbridge or to a point in the vicinity of Lethbridge on the line which the Company is, under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, authorized to construct from Calgary to the southern boundary of the province of Alberta at or near Coutts.

(6) From a point on the main line of the Western Division between Moose Lake and Tete Jaune Cache, thence through the drainage of the Clearwater River, Bonaparte River, Seton and Anderson Lakes and the Lillooet River or the Squamish River or between the last two rivers to Vancouver, British Columbia authorizing an issue of bonds to the extent of $30,,000 a mile of the said lines of railway, numbered (1) to (5) inclusive and comprising the said lines within what are defined by the said Act as the "Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Extensions"; authorizing an issue of bonds to the extent of $50,000 a mile of the said line of railway numbered (6) and comprising the said line within what is defined by the said Act as the "British Columbia Extensions;" and also amending paragraph 11 of clause 11 of the said Act, as regards the southern terminus of the line thereby authorized, to be constructed from Regina to the international boundary at or near North Portal.

Dated at Montreal this 29th day of November, 1909.

W. H. BIGGAR,
Solicitor for Applicants.

NOTICE RE LULU ISLAND BRIDGE.

The condition of the old bridge is not considered safe for vehicular traffic, and the public generally are cautioned against hauling loads of any kind over it.

Persons continuing to do so after this notice must take all the risks on themselves.

By order. W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

City Hall, New Westminster, July 23rd, 1909.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lots 96 and 97, Block 6, being parts of lots 28, 29 and 30, group 2, New Westminster district.

Whereas proof of the loss of certificate of title No. 5717F issued in the name of Margaret Emily Atkinson, has been filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the city of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said certificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B. C., December 1, 1909.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any available Dominion Lands within the railway belt in British Columbia, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land on each year for three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased), of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the commissioner of Dominion lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

Coal.—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

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CLERGY MAKE CONCESSION.

May Officiate in Robes Over Bodies to be Cremated.

Berlin, Jan. 4.—The only parts of the German empire where cremation is legal are Saxony and Hamburg. A step forward, if a very short one, has been made toward legalizing it in Prussia.

At present when a person dies in that kingdom leaving instructions that his body shall be cremated the remains are commonly sent to Hamburg or Gotha and there burned, the ashes being brought back to Prussia to be inurned and deposited in a cemetery where shelves of stone or marble are reserved for them. The process is long and expensive, and for many years an agitation has been going on to alter the law obtaining in Prussia forbidding all forms of disposing of the dead save earth burial.

Hitherto the chief opponent of cremation in Prussia has been the Protestant church, and twice of late years an agitation has been going on to listen to petitions on the subject. This year a concession was made, and though it is only a small one it is hailed as giving hope for the future.

The clergy are to be allowed to officiate in their ecclesiastical robes at the service for the dead usually held over the body before it is despatched to Hamburg or elsewhere for cremation. Up to this the clergy were permitted to hold such service, but not in their ecclesiastical robes. The General Synod is now willing to abolish the restriction on the ground that the sight of a pastor officiating in his ordinary garments may hurt the feelings of the relatives of the deceased.

A HIDDEN ROMANCE.

Railway Foreman May Have Discovered Fortune in a Bone.

Mobridge, S. D., Jan. 4.—"One hundred feet north, and one hundred feet west, of where this stone stood you will find some papers that will do you lots of good."

This strange missive, crudely lettered on a stone tablet and buried with the bones of a man and woman nearly a century ago, made A. W. Vail, general foreman of the Milwaukee road, think he had been reading "Gold Bug" or "Treasure Island" when he found a grave one mile east of Mobridge a few days ago.

He at first thought it was a hoax, but upon digging as indicated found a hollow bone of some animal, and in this bone, which was plugged at both ends, a piece of parchment covered with writing in French. He will not disclose the exact wording of the matter on the parchment until he can go to Alabama and look into the authenticity of it, but he says that it pertains to a grant of land in Alabama made by the government to one Pierre La Moure in 1839. The parchment was dated that year, while the tablet bears the date 1842.

MORSE IN STRIPES WITH SHAVED HEAD

Former "Ice King" and Rich Banker Put to Work in Federal Prison.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 4.—Charles Wyman Morse, former "ice king" and millionaire banker, at noon today began serving a fifteen-year sentence in the Atlanta federal prison for violation of the national banking laws.

He is registered as convict No. 2814 and tonight occupies a steel cell not in the least different from those to which are assigned several hundred other prisoners. His immaculate tailored garments gave way to a regulation suit of stripes. Nor did the distinguished prisoner escape the Bertillon expert, the prison photographer, the regulation bath and the barber.

Morse arrived from New York at 10:45 in charge of two deputy marshals and accompanied by his friend and close business associate, W. P. Reidifbos. He made no protest when the cameras of the newspaper men were trained upon him. He was placed in a cab and driven to the prison.

Because he had not been vaccinated Morse was not permitted to eat in the big dining room with his fellow convicts and his first meal was served in his cell. The prisoner turned over to the prison clerk $18 in currency. He was assigned to "class 1," which entitles him to the privilege of seeing relatives or friends for 30 minutes every two weeks.

Morse probably will be assigned to the tailor shop or put to work on the construction gang.

Mrs. Morse, formerly the wife of an Atlanta business man, is expected from New York tomorrow. After a conference with her husband, she will return to New York and begin trying to obtain a pardon from President Taft.

Cottage Prison for Girls in New York

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Declaring that experience has shown that the confinement of girls in prison buildings arouses a contumacious spirit, and, in the cases of many, results in demoralization, the New York state board of charities, in its forthcoming annual report to the legislature, will urge that all girl prisoners be removed from the old style prison buildings to "cottage prisons," which are now operated successfully in connection with one of the state training schools. The board says that, with this change the girls will be under better discipline and live in a more pleasant atmosphere.

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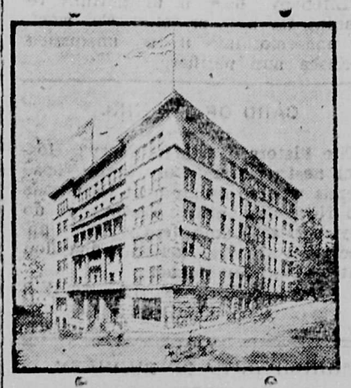

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THE TRIPLE CITIES.

A breezy, well written article was contributed to a recent issue of Collier's Weekly by Harold Sands, descriptive of the three Pacific coast cities. The idiosyncrasies and characteristics of Victoria, New Westminster and Vancouver are admirably sketched. Thus, in comparing the respective positions of the Capital and the Terminal City the writer remarks that:

"Perhaps the chief reason why Victoria has been so quickly outrun by Vancouver is that while the latter was established by Canadians and Americans, the former is essentially an English city. Founded by men sent out from the Old Country by the Hudson's Bay Company, it still retains some of the characteristics of the Victorian era which have been discarded in the home land, and so its people are now spoken of as more English than the English."

In dealing with New Westminster Mr. Sands is fairly appreciative of the merits and claims of the city, though his views are just a little flavored with sarcasm and prejudice in favor of Vancouver. Yet there is much that is fair and truthful in his description. He says:

"In the east, New Westminster is known only as the place from which comes a champion lacrosse team, holder of the Minto cup. But it is far more than this. It is the chief freshwater port of British Columbia and the market town for the Fraser valley, the richest agricultural section of the whole province. For a considerable period the Hudson's Bay gentility and the Johnnie-come-latelies from England held in New Westminster the same non-progressive influence that they exercised at Victoria. But now we miss the "just-come-ovah's" from their accustomed drinking haunts, and the "H.B.C." men have given place to energetic native sons. The old order is changing, much to the advantage of the Royal City. Moreover, the splendid country round about it is fast being settled by vigorous people from Eastern Canada, and the day seems not far distant when the old town will be again as lively as it was in the days when the Cariboo miners used to smash mirrors with twenty-dollar gold pieces.

"This opinion seems to be shared by no less a distinguished Canadian than D. D. Mann, a gentleman of few but sometimes very harsh words, who usually prefers to deal in cold facts rather than roseate talks of the future. Mr. Mann has an idea that "elevators and things" will be erected on the banks of the Fraser in greater numbers than on Burrard inlet and that the wheat ships will sail up the great river, dropping their barnacles in the fresh water as they leisurely negotiate the deep, permanent channel which a little work on the part of a paternal government at Ottawa can insure.

"Did you ever hear a Salmon Belly roar? They call the people of New Westminster "Salmon Bellies," because in the days before greedy cannery barons of British Columbia existed the sockeyes used to form themselves into bridges so that the people of the Royal City could cross the wide streams. Well, if you want to listen to the snort of a Salmon Belly, suggest that New Westminster will probably be included in Greater Vancouver."

Mr. Sands refers to an article printed in the News anent the audacious claim of the Province for the extension of Vancouver's boundaries to the Fraser, some months ago, as an instance of the strong resentment which the Royal City can display when her greedy sister on the Inlet exhibits a keen voracity for the assimilation of her neighbors. He is kind enough to say that for this "allowance can cheerfully be made for the Royal City." No reference is, however, made to the more recent attempt to put this spirit of greed into execution, by laying claim to the North Arm of the Fraser river, an attempt that was promptly frustrated. Mr. Sands has hit the truth though when he says that "New Westminster will never willingly drink a toast to a greater Vancouver which includes the area now embraced by the Royal City."

Such a toast is never likely to be justified. The citizens of New Westminster have not the slightest doubt that the accident of circumstance which gave Vancouver her chance will be revoked. They know that with so splendid a fresh water harbor as nature has endowed this city it is only now a matter of a little time when New Westminster will stand to the fore as the premier port on the Pacific coast. Far-seeing and keen-witted men like D. D. Mann know this too, and are laying their plans accordingly. The people of Vancouver also recognize this inevitable circumstance, hence their recent frenzied effort to annex a line along the margin of the Fraser. The foundation for this great and important future has already been laid, and with a little more patience and a continuity of united effort by our citizens New Westminster will very soon come into her own.

PARIS THEATRES REPORT GOOD OUTLOOK

Re-establishment of Reading Committee for Comedie Francaise is Recommended.

Paris, Jan. 4.—Interesting information is given by M. Buyat, the reporter of the Fine Arts Estimates for 1910, concerning the four subsidized theatres in Paris. During 1908 the receipts at the opera averaged nightly a little over $3,400. M. Alvarez is the best paid of the regular company, receiving $440 for each performance, while Caruso receives a minimum of $2,000 every time he sings. The reporter, however, shows that there has been a steady falling off during the last eight years in the number of subscribers.

M. Buyat recommends for the Comedie Francaise the re-establishment of the Reading Committee, composed of members of the company, who will subsequently be called upon to pass judgment on the plays which they present to the public. He approves of the system according to which the "secretaries" are allowed to take part in the open-air performances at Orange and elsewhere. "They thus become really the comedians of the nation," he writes, and he cites a mot of Jules Clartie, director of the company, by which the Comedie Francaise is "comme une carosse royal qu'il s'agit de conduire en temps d'automobile."

The Opera Comique, according to M. Buyat, is prosperous, its receipts amounting on the average to $1250 a night. The most popular operas are "Manon," "Carmen," "Werther," "Mme. Butterfly," and "La Vie de Boheme." The salaries of Mme. Carre and Mlle. Chenal are $800 a month; those of MM. Clement and Bayle $1500 a month.

The situation at the Odeon is better than it was for 1909, but M. Antoine's management has not been an unqualified success. M. Buyat advises M. Antoine to imitate the Theatre Francaise and to organize a double repertoire, classical and modern, and a company d'ensemble.

CALL OF THE WILD IN GOTHAM SCHOOLS

New York, Jan. 4.—The call of the wild will soon be heard in New York public school. Stenograph records of the grunts, bellowings and growlings of animals in the Bronx Zoological Gardens are being prepared for use in the kindergarten and primary grades.

Accompanying each record will be a short lecture in simple words, describing the animal, its habits and mode of living.

BRADLEY WILL OUTFIT ANOTHER POLAR PARTY

New York, Jan. 4.—John R. Bradley, Dr. Frederick A. Cook's backer, has sent a telegram from Atlanta, Ga., in which he says he intends to outfit another expedition into the Arctic. It is believed he wishes to verify the existence of "Bradley Land," which Dr. Cook reported he had found.

The telegram reads:

"I have written Capt. Svordrop regarding an expedition to explore the Polar sea north of Crocker Land."

B.C.E.R. PROFITS BY FAIR CRITICISM

The readiness of the B.C. Electric Railway to recognize the justice of fair criticism by promptly announcing measures of relief and improvement, is a most gratifying feature of that company's policy. Recently a good deal of criticism has been leveled at the company for inadequate car service and the company's answer is a promise to spend half a million on new cars of improved type, at once, thirty-eight of which are to be put into service in this city. The contrast between the attitude of the B. C. Electric Railway and that, say, of the Toronto Street Railway, is a pleasant and satisfactory one.

In Ontario's capital when the street railway is criticised—and that is about all the time—it sits back in silent sullenness and tells the public in effect to go to.

Almost every one in this city gives the B.C. Electric Railway credit for an honest intention to provide an adequate service, but even with the best intentions there are bound to be weak spots in the management or in the system and it does neither the public nor the company an injury to occasionally point these out in the public press. There was room for a good deal of improvement in the running of some of the lines in the city but since those defects have been pointed out, there has been improvement. There is yet room for further improvement and doubtless in good time it will come. On the part of the company there is an apparent disposition to meet the requirements of the city, and this in itself bespeaks a measure of patience on the part of the public.—Saturday Sunset.

MEXICAN RAILROADS FACE AMERICAN STRIKE

Employees From United States to Walk Out and Tie Up Lines at Border Points.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 4.—The Torreon, Mexico, Enterprise, says:

The coming trouble between the National railways of Mexico and the American employees, which is expected to culminate on January 15, may result in a complete tieup in traffic at the American border. The Mexican railways may sever their relations with American railroads on that date.

Owing to liability to arrest and prosecution by the Mexican courts, the men will not declare a strike, but there is no law which prevents a man who is not under contract from resigning.

The American unions in the United States will declare the Mexican railways to be "unfair" and tie them up by not allowing their engineers, firemen, conductors or brakemen at El Paso, Eagle Pass and Laredo to handle any shipments which will have been delivered by Mexican railroads to the several railroads by which they are employed.

Assistant Postmaster-General.

London, Jan. 4.—Sir Henry Norman, the author and traveler, has been appointed assistant postmaster-general. He is the first person to hold that office, which was created last year.

DISTRICT COUNCIL

Council met in the town hall, Surrey Centre, January 3, the reeve and all members being present. Minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed. Communications were received as follows:

From W. N. Draper, engineer, a certificate of the completion by Ernest Rose of David Saunders' portion of the K. P. ditch and directing same to be paid, Ernest Rose, $110, W. N. Draper, engineer's charges, $22.30. Received.

From A. J. Hill, M.A., enclosing for approval plans of subdivision of the S.E. 1-4 section 16, township 8, and also portions of N.W. 1-4 section 18, and S.W. 1-4 of section 19, township 1. Received.

From O. F. Browne, re the necessity of something being done to prevent the banks of the ditch through his land being washed away. Received and referred to Councillor Murphy.

The Surrey White Rock Highway bylaw, 1910, passed its first reading.

Council then sat as a court of revision on the voters' list and after correction it was confirmed and declared the Revised Voters' list for the year of 1910.

A communication from Henry Kells regarding the redemption of certain lots was laid over for the new council to deal with.

The following accounts were passed and cheques issued: H. Bose, indemnity, $25; W. M. Loucks, $35; J. E. Murphy, $100; Thos. J. Sullivan, $92; B. B. Smith, $96; John Keery, $100; J. Drinkwater, ac. com. $40, work C. M.&C.V. road ward 4 $8.50, total $48.50; Wm. Roebuck, work on culvert Yale road ward 2, $7; O. F. Browne, building bridge Browne road ward 2, $12; J. Hadden, plank K. & M.B. road ward 3, $32.22; George Scott, graveling Huntley road ward 3, $15; A. E. Beach, work Brown road ward 3, 29.20; Samuel Woods, work C. M. road ward 5, $5; H. Harper, work C.M. & H.P. roads ward 5, $10.75; Ernest Rose, Saunders portion K.P. ditch under D. & W.C. act, $110; W. N. Draper, engineers' services re ditch, $22.30; Wade, Wheeler & McQuarrie, legal services, 1909, $260.74

On motion the council adjourned.

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The Annual Public Meeting of Ratepayers of the Municipality of Burnaby will be held at the Municipal hall, Edmonds, B. C., on Saturday January 8th, 1910, at 2 p.m.

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ROVERS HAVE SCOTCHMAN WITH GOOD REPUTATION

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The Rovers have made a find, a man by the name of Gray, who is only a month out from Scotland, where he played senior football. He is working in town and will be tried out some time this week. Nobody here has seen Gray play, but he is reported to be one of the fastest wing men in the business. It is also probable that Crooks will play on the forward line in the next game.

If there is no change in the weather there will be no game next Saturday with Westham Island as the local men will not be able to get there except on skates. The chances are that this event will be postponed for a week or two. By the time the next game comes off Bruce will be in first class shape.

CHICAGO NIMRODS WON'T HUNT IN AFRICA AGAIN

Chicago, an. 4.—Africa has lost its old-time fascination as a hunting ground for W. D. Boyce, of Chicago, who says that it is just as exciting nowadays to go out in the backyard and shoot a couple of chickens, for game is so plentiful upon the "dark continent" that all the hunter has to do is to esconce himself in a favorable position and pop away.

Mr. Boyle returned to the city after a trip of a couple of months through Africa, and has brought back 2000 or more photographs of wild animals in action and repose.

No More Racing at Santa Anita.

Los Angeles, Jan. 4.—Thomas H. Williams, president of the new California Jockey club, set at rest all speculation in regard to wuether a race meet wil be attempted at Santa Anita park during this season, in a telegram to a well known sporting man of this city in which he said: "I do not think there is any chance for racing at Santa Anita this winter or spring."

Dr. Roller Sick Again.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Dr. B. F. Roller, the Seattle wrestler, is in a serious condition at a hospital, threatened with blood poisoning. He underwent an operation today. Dr. Roller had been suffering with boils for a week, but paid little attention to them until today. He kept on wrestling until he found the boils were becoming infected.

BIG TICKET FRAUD.

Mexican Government Is Robbed of Thousands by Clever Swindle.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 4.—The Mexican government has been swindled out of many thousands of dollars by ticket agents who had been carrying on a system of reporting tickets as sold for a shorter distance than they really were purchased for. The agents at Queretaro, Lecheria, San Luis, Potosi and other places have been arrested.

It is said that the scheme was devised by a discharged American conductor who sold the idea to Mexican agents, but the fact was overlooked that the conductors' tickets would not check up with the agents' reports, and in this way the fraud was discovered.

Clemenceau on Lecture Tour.

Paris, Jan. 4.—Former Premier Clemenceau will shortly make a tour of South America and deliver lectures on Socialism at Buenos Aires. It is possible that he will also visit the United States.

Prize Cattle From England.

New York, Jan. 4.—One of the finest herds of Jersey cattle ever imported has arrived in New York on the liner Minneswoska. The 110 animals are bound for the farm of T. E. Council, of Vandalia, Ill. Among them is the champion cow Fortress, which was this year adjudged the best cow in England.

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McBRIDE IS NOW OFFICIALLY TRUSTEE

Premier Receives Belated Notification of His Appointment on Committee.

Premier McBride has at last received official notification that he is a trustee of the Minto cup and entitled to act as such. The following letter was received from the premier yesterday:

"To H. Ryall, Secretary of the New Westminster Lacrosse Club:

"Dear Sir,—I have just received a telegram from A. F. Sladen, private secretary to the governor-general, confirming my appointment as trustee of the Minto cup, and I am therefor in a position to act in that capacity.

"RICHARD McBRIDE."

The local men express great satisfaction that a western trustee has at last been appointed and that they are no longer entirely at the mercy of the Ottawa men.

The officers of the New Westminster lacrosse club meet tonight to discuss a challenge for the cup received from the Montreal lacrosse club. All players are requested to be present. The challenge has been in for a week or so, but owing to the holidays it was found impossible to get the players together sooner.

It is hardly likely that any objection will be raised to accepting the challenge if the games can be pulled off some time in May. It is probable that the Montreal men would prefer a later date, as the climatic conditions here permit the local men to get into good shape while the eastern are still holding ice carnivals and ski races.

HOCKEY PLAYER MUST ABIDE BY CONTRACT

Montreal, Jan. 4.—Judge Bruneau today decided that Didier Pitre, the well known hockey player, must play with the National hockey team and cease playing with Canadians. Pitre's plea was that his signature to the contract with the Nationals was obtained under misrepresentation, but the court declared that the contract was binding.

Wagner May Play First Base.

Pittsburg, Jan. 4.—President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburg Club is seriously contemplating the permanent shifting of Hans Wagner, his champion batsman and star shortstop, to the initial corner of the diamond. He thinks as first baseman, the big player will have less to do and thereby prolong his use as a slugger for the team to the extent of several years. Hans played first base on several occasions and while not a sensation, he filled the bill.

VENABLE WINS MATCH IN STRAIGHT FALLS

Portland, Jan. 4.—Virgil Venable of Seattle defeated Peter Buzokos in two straight falls here last night. The first fall was a crotch and body hold after ten minutes' wrestling and the second on a half-nelson in nineteen minutes. Venable outclassed his opponent in science.

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ISLANDS OF IVORY IN FAR FROZEN NORTH

Tusks of Prehistoric Mammoths are Found Frozen Among Sand in Siberia.

London, Jan. 4.—Islands of ivory hidden among the Arctic ice lying north of Siberia were described in a paper read by Dr. Gath Whitley at the Victoria Institute in London recently.

These islands were discovered by Russian explorers at the end of the eighteenth century and have been exploited by traders in fossil ivory ever since. As recently as 1898 some 80,000 pounds of fossil ivory was offered for sale at the fair at Yakutsk.

To the earlier explorers it seemed that one islet known as Liakoff's island was "actually composed of the bones and tusks of elephants, cemented together by icy sand. The horns of buffaloes, or rather of musk oxen, and rhinoceroses were also wonderfully abundant. The sandy shores and slopes were full of mammoths' tusks."

In 1886 a German, Dr. Bunge, explored Liakoff's island. "The sand and gravel," said the lecturer, "were found to rest in blocks of ice and the alluvial beds were full of the bones of mammoths, rhinoceroses and musk oxen"—this after scores of years of visits from ivory hunters. Trawling showed that the bottom of the sea near the island was strewn with tusks and bones.

These extraordinary discoveries are explained by the following theory: In prehistoric times Siberia enjoyed a comparatively mild climate and a great tract of country now under the ice stood at a considerable height above sea level.

Vast herds of mammoths, rhinoceroses and buffaloes roamed over these plains. A great catastrophe at last overtook them. The land subsided, the sea rose and the animals congregated in great numbers on the mountain tops. Even these were at last submerged and the destruction was complete. After a time the waters subsided slowly and the islands which had formed mountains in the land rose above the sea. Why the climate changed after these upheavals is still a problem to be solved.

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African Hunter Ships Home a Prize Strange to Smithsonian Institute.

Washington, Pa., Jan. 4.—A new animal has been discovered in British East Africa by the Smithsonian African scientific expedition, which under the leadership of Col. Theodore Roosevelt, is in that region getting specimens of fauna and flora for the Smithsonian institution.

This new animal, the first announcement of whose discovery was made at the Smithsonian institution today, is a hitherto unknown species of otocyon, to which officials of the scientific organization have given the specific name of vergatus. It is a small carnivorous mammal closely resembling a fox.

"Otocyon Rooseveltus," as a cognomen for the new animal would make an appropriate designation and one that would have perpetuated the name of the former president as the discoverer of the species, but the Smithsonian officials, perhaps fearing the discoverer would object, decided to make its specific name vergatus, meaning striped.

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ENGLISH HEADMASTERS TO ASSIST EMIGRATION

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London, Jan. 4.—The headmasters of England's public schools held a conference recently at which such topics are discussed as to how much time should be devoted to Greek, or whether English should be taught. This year, however, for the first time, the subject of Imperial interests was taken up, and the conference voted to assist the league formed to aid public school boys who emigrate to the colonies.

The proposer of the resolution spoke of the thousands of Americans who are sweeping annually into the Northwest of Canada, absorbing the land and trade. He asked whether in fifteen or twenty years the flag flying over the government buildings in Ottawa would be the Union Jack or the Stars and Stripes.

The speaker said that young Englishmen enjoyed an unenviable reputation in the colonies, which he said was due to the worst cases always being exported. The Canadians were thus convinced that the English schoolboy was a failure and a sham. The scheme approved was to assist the organization to send out material to disprove this belief.

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TENDERS FOR FREIGHTING SUPPLIES FOR THE YUKON TELEGRAPH LINE.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

The time for receiving tenders for freighting of supplies for the Yukon Telegraph Line in the course of the seasons of 1910, 1911 and 1912, is hereby extended to Tuesday, February 15, 1910. Tenders are to be sealed and endorsed "Tender for Packing Supplies," and addressed to the undersigned.

Forms of tender and specifications may be obtained and form of contract seen on application to Mr. J. T. Phelan, Superintendent of Government Telegraphs, Vancouver, B. C., Mr. Wm. Henderson, District Superintendent Government Telegraphs, Victoria, B. C., and from the Government Telegraph Agents at Ashcroft, B. C., Quesnelle, B. C., Hazelton, B. C., and Telegraph Creek, B. C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their places emfwys and signed with their actual signatures, with their occupations and places of residences. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender for one year's packing, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, December 16, 1909.

NOTE—Provision is being made by the Government to the extent of $3,500.00 for general repairs, renewals of bridges, etc., along the trail between Hazelton and Ninth Cabin, next season.

TENDERS.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned at Ottawa, in sealed envelopes, and marked on the envelopes "Tenders for Quarantine Supplies," will be received up to noon of the fifteenth day of January, 1910, for supplies for Quarantine Station.

The following supplies are required:

Coal;
Firewood;
Fish;
Groceries;
Hardware and ship chandlery;
Meat;
Medical stores and disinfectants;
Uniforms, and other articles of apparel;
Vegetables.

Forms may be obtained by application to the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, or to the Medical Superintendent at Quarantine.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Newspapers copying this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid.

A. L. JARVIS,
Assistant Deputy Minister and Secretary of Agriculture.

Ottawa, Canada, November 11, 1909

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 fourth division of the North half of Lot 3, District of New Westminster.

(a.) The name, address and occupation of the applicant, Elzo J. Whitcher, farmer, Burquitlam, B. C.

(If for mining purposes) Free Miners' certificate No.

(b.) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is) Fallos Creek.

(c.) The point of diversion, swamps and springs on said property.

(d.) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second) One-quarter of cubic foot.

(e.) The character of proposed works, for irrigation with hydraulic ram.

(f.) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same) Fourth division of the North half of Lot 8.

(g.) The purposes for which the water is to be used, for growing domestic produce.

(h.) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage, about one and one-half acres.

(k.) This notice was posted on the 29th day of December, 1909, and application will be made to the commissioner on the 29th day of January, 1909, at 11 a.m.

(l.) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet, none.

(Signature) ELZO J. WHITCHER.
(P.O. address) Burquitlam, B.C.

LAND ACT.

New Westminster Land District, District of New Westminster.

Take notice that William Garland McQuarrie, of New Westminster, B. C., occuaption, barrister at law, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Welcome Pass at the Southwest corner of Lot 1478, group 1 New Westminster district, thence easterly following the south boundar yof said Lot 1478, 40 chains more or less to the westerly boundary of Timber Limit 38,783, thence south along the said westerly boundary of said Timber Limit 38.783, 40 chains more or less to the southwest corner of said Timber Limit, thence easterly following the south boundary of said Timber Limit 30 chains more or less to the shore of Halfmoon Bay, thence southerly, westerly and northerly along the shore of Halfmoon Bay and Welcome Pass to point of commencement containing one hundred and sixty (160 acres more or less.

JOHN FERDINAND BAGGS,
Agent for William Garland McQuarrie.

Dated, November 23rd, 1909.

Now—a tremendous—irresistible—January Clearance!

Merchandise can't well withstand the onslaught of prices like these. They'll make vast piles of winter Merchandise melt away like snow in the sun. **We try not to carry over a single item from one season to another, and we don't intend to begin now.**

We couldn't, even if we wanted to. Spring merchandise will soon be pouring in like a torrent, and we'll need every square foot of space we can get. Our necessity affords you an unparalleled opportunity. Every item gets a going-out price that's little short of astounding. Bargains are of so rare and wonderful a sort that you can't afford to neglect their call. **READ EVERY PRICE AND PROFIT IMMEASURABLY.**

Commencing Tuesday, January 4th

Extraordinary Values in Women's Coats

WOMEN'S COATS of tweeds, cheviots and cravenettes, 3-4, 7-8 and full length, semi-fitting and sack styles, in grey, brown, cardinal and green. Regular values up to $21.00; Sale price $12.95

WOMEN'S PLAIN KERSEY, broadcloth and beaver cloth, braid trimmed and self strappings, tight, semi-fitting and sack styles, in brown, black, green, navy. Values $20.00 to $27.50. Sale price $11.75

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' COATS in fancy tweeds and broadcloths. All this season's. Values up to $4.50, sale price $2.50; values up to $7.50, sale price $3.95

WOMEN'S HEAVY COTTON UNDERVESTS, elastic knit, form fitting, all sizes, drawers to match. Very special, a garment 50c

EXTRA QUALITY LIGHT WEIGHT UNDERVESTS, form fitting, elastic knit, all sizes, a garment 50c

WOMEN'S SKIRTS in tweeds and plain cloths, plain gored styles, others pleated with pipings of silk, trimmed with buttons. Values up to $6.50, sale price $2.95

FULL RANGE OF VENETIAN CLOTH SKIRTS, colors cardinal, black, navy, green and brown, plain gored and pleated styles, trimmed with buttons. Regular value up to $8.50, sale price, each, ... $4.75

BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, trimmed with strappings of black taffeta silk and buttons. Very special at ... $6.50

BLACK SATEEN PETTICOATS, fancy and accordion pleated, flounced, very special for $1.00

Cashmere Hose

CASHMERE HOSE—One hundred dozen women's cashmere hose, plain or ribbed, also boys' hose, heavy woollen and ribbed. Girls' plain and ribbed cashmere hose, all sizes. Reg. values 35c pair; sale price, pair .. 25c

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ENTIRE STOCK OF BLANKETS, LINENS, CURTAINS, COMFORTERS, SHEETINGS, QUILTS, ETC., GREATLY REDUCED.

Special prices on ends of table linens, 2 to 6 yds. with napkins to match—
64 inches wide, bleached, reg. 75c; sale price, yard 65c
66 inches wide, bleached, reg. 85c; sale price, yard 75c
72 inches wide, bleached, reg. $1.00; sale price, yard 85c
72 inches wide, bleached, reg. $1.25; sale price, yard $1.00
72 inches wide, bleached, reg. $1.35; sale price $1.10
72 inches wide, bleached, reg. $1.50; sale price, yard $1.25

68-inch UNBLEACHED LINENS, fleur de lis designs, good weight. Reg. price 50c yard. Sale price, yard 35c

60-inch UNBLEACHED LINENS, good heavy quality. Reg. price 60c; sale price, yard 50c

WHITE SHEETINGS IN PLAIN and twilled, good quality, English and Canadian makes. Reg. 35c yard; sale price, yard 28c

CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTONS, 40 inches wide, reg. 20c; sale price 18c
42 and 44 inches wide, reg. 25c; sale price 22 1-2c
46 inches wide, reg. 30c; sale price, yard 25c

Six dozen Honeycomb quilts, 3-4 and double-bed size, fringed and plain. Reg. $1.50; sale price, each $1.20

White and colored quilts in 3-4-bed size, colors red, light blue, pink, navy, yellow. Reg. $1.25; sale price, each 99c

Handbags Sale Price $1.45

GENUINE SEAL AND IMITATION ALLIGATOR HANDBAGS, metal trimmings, coin purse inside, all new shapes. Reg. values $2.00 to $4.00; sale price $1.45

Dress Goods, Flannelettes, Etc.

New fancy tweeds, fancy mohairs, checks, plaids and meltons. Reg. 35c, 45c, up to 75c per yard; sale price per yard 25c

Also fancy tweeds, fancy mohairs, 44 and 54-inch suitings, homespuns, fancy stripes and heavy coatings. Reg. 75c to $1.25; sale price, per yard 50c

Fifteen pieces of fancy colored flannelettes, suitable for wrappers, blouses, etc. Reg. 12 1-2c to 15c yard; sale price, per yard 9c

Ten pieces of heavy wrapperettes in fancy stripes and designs, kimona cloths. Reg. 20c to 25c yard; sale price, per yard 12c

Fifteen pieces of striped English flannelettes, 32 inches wide, soft finish, for night dresses or underwear. Reg. price 20c per yard; sale price seven yards for $1.00

Women's Gloves, Neckwear, Belts, Laces, Etc.

BLACK AND TAN FRENCH KID GLOVES, sizes 5 3-4 to 7 inch. Reg. price $1.00; sale price 75c

CHILDREN'S WOOLLEN RINGWOOD GLOVES and mitts. Reg. 25c and 30c; sale price, per pair 20c

WOMEN'S WOOLLEN AND CASHMERE GLOVES. Reg. 35c; sale price, per pair 25c

WOMEN'S BELTS in elastic, leather, silk, black and colors. Reg. 35c to $1.00; sale price 25c

WOMEN'S LACE AND FANCY COLLARS. Reg. 35c to 75c; sale price 25c

ONE LOT OF TORCHON, VALENCIENNES and pillow laces. Reg. 8c to 10c; sale price, per yard 5c

Also Torchon, Valenciennes. Reg. 10c to 25c. Sale price, yard 8c

Swiss cambric and nainsook embroidery and insertions. Reg. 15c to 20c; sale price, per yard 11c

Colored flannelette embroidery. Reg. 10c to 12 1-2c yard; sale price, per yard 5c

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COLUMBIA STREET.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Ralph Charnley of Barnston island, in the province of British Columbia, David Alexander McKee of Ladner, in the said province, and Joseph Cameron of the city of New Westminster, in the said province, have been selected by a majority in interest and number of the proprietors of the lands affected as hereinafter described to be commissioners under the provisions of the "Drainage Dyking and Irrigation Act," for the district, consisting of and comprising the lands hereinafter described, that is to say: All and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the district of New Westminster and province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as lots two hundred and fifty-two (252), two hundred and fifty-three (253), two hundred and fifty-nine (259), two hundred and sixty (260), and four hundred and twenty-seven (427), group one (1), and the fractional northeast quarter of section nine (9); the fractional south east quarter of section nine (9); the fractional north west quarter of section nine (9); the fractional south west quarter of section nine (9); the fractional south east quarter of section ten (10); the fractional south west quarter of section ten (10); the fractional northeast quarter of section three (3); the fractional north west quarter of section three (3); the fractional north east quarter of section four (4), (Indian reserve); and the fractional south west quarter of section sixteen (16), all in township nine (9) as shown on the official plan or survey of the said district of New Westminster and otherwise known as "Barnston Island."

The said commissioners being authorized and instructed to take steps to reclaim the said lands by dyking the same and to do everything that be may be necessary to carry out such work and to maintain such dykes as may be constructed.

The district to be known as the "Barnston Island Dyking District."

The names of the proprietors who have selected the said commissioners are: Ralph Charnley, Harvey Hicks, Calvin A. Hicks, Edwin Jay Thomson, John LeLeuvre, William Scott Walker, David Alexander McKee, John Charnley, Magnus Sinclair, Joseph Cameron.

Dated this 22nd day of November, A. D., 1909.

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CITY NEWS

The thanks of the Daily News staff are extended to Tom Freeman, of the Steamboat Exchange, for an acceptable New Year's gift.

Walgamutt's orchestra in attendance at The Royal Cafe. **

The election of officers of the newly formed board of trade at Burnaby will take place today.

Mrs. D. Dunlop, of St. Albans, Burnaby, will in future be at home on the second Thursday in the month.

For first-class cut flowers and any kind of Floral work, telephone Davies' Greenhouse, R208. **

Piano and organ tuning. W. E. Martin, Mus. Bac., 'phone L615, city.

Mrs. H. B. Miller will not receive again until the first Thursday in February.

The two big prize winners of the New Year sweepstake conducted at J. G. Gamon's cigar store, and which was decided on Monday evening, are M. K. Dickenson and J. Grant. Each received a set of pipes in a case.

Call at The Royal Cafe for lunch, dinner or after theatre supper. **

An effort is being made by a number of local Scotchmen to arrange for a big party to go over to Vancouver on the occasion of Harry Lauder's visit early this month. It is probable part of the seating accommodation in the building where the world-renowned Scotch comedian appears will be exclusively reserved for New Westminster visitors.

The big clock on St. Ann's is still going and keeping good time. All kinds of clocks repaired by W. Webster, Mechanical Engineer. Small or fancy alarm, musical, regulator, grandfather, etc. No. 10 Sixth street, Dominion Trust Block. **

Mrs. E. J. Fader has returned from Victoria, where she spent the last few months on account of her health. Mrs. Fader's condition has greatly improved.

The presence of ice in the river continues to block most of the navigation. All the boats have cancelled their regular runs and only a few tugs can be seen on the river. Owing to the Lulu island bridge being closed so long, some of the sawmills have not many logs on hand, and if the ice remains for a week or two there is liable to be a severe shortage. The ice will also affect the market next Friday to some extent, as most of the produce offered for sale at market comes from points up the river.

Your box in a safety deposit vault is a private affair. No one has access to it but yourself. And besides, it is safe and that is a factor worth something to you. Then it costs only a small sum to rent one of these boxes, a surprisingly small sum. Let us tell you about it. Dominion Trust Co., Ltd., T. R. Pearson, manager, New Westminster branch. 228-4

W. J. McCallum of Abbotsford paid a visit to the secretary of the board of trade yesterday. Mr. McAllum speaks very hopefully of the prospect of striking oil near his town. No borings have been made as yet, but he says that a company has been formed with the intention of making a thorough examination of the company, to see if there is anything more than indications of oil at Clayburn. Mr. McCallum is a member of the recently-formed Matsqui-Sumas board of trade.

The new rector of Holy Trinity Cathedral, Rev. Geoffery Cyril D'Easum, will assume his new duties on February 1. He comes here from Chilliwack, where he has been stationed for some time. Prior to his Chilliwack appointment he was canon of the cathedral at Calgary Rev. A. Shildrick who is resigning from the position, has been rector of the Cathedral here for the past seventeen years.

PROF. SHEPPARD

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will be at McKenzie's Drug Store, Friday January 7, from 2 to 5 o'clock, when he will be pleased to answer all questions, and examine the hair and scalp free. Call at the store and see his subjects demonstrate this week.

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For furniture, carpets, linoleums, etc., try the New Furniture Store. Denny & Galloway, 43 Sixth street. **

In the supreme court yesterday Judge Howay heard an applicatoin for probate of the will of the late Helen Paterson, and an application for letters of administration of the estate of the late Joseph Michaud. Both the petitions were granted. In the county court letters of administration of the estate of the late Eunice Ellen Jameson and of John Sipprell were also granted.

McIlree, the man who twice in the same day appeared at the police station as a guest, was given another chance to leave the city yesterday morning, when he appeared before Justice of the Peace W. A. Duncan, who was acting in the absence of Magistrate Corbould.

At the annual meeting of New Westminster Aerie No. 20, Fraternal Order of Eagles, yesterday evening Deputy Worthy President for Canada Fred J. Lynch installed officers for the ensuing term as follows: W.P., Ben Robb; W. V. P., J. Wood; chaplain, Louis Witt; secretary, H. Schofield; treasurer, P. Bole; W. Conductor, H. O. Roberts; inside guard, J. Lawrence; outside guard, P. McKercher; trustees, Fred. J. Lynch, Thomas Freeman and W. Philpot; physician, Dr. J. H. Jones. A social time followed the installation of the officers.

A pleasing commeditta entitled "Is Santa Claus a Fake," was presented by a number of the children of St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal church in the Sunday schoolroom yesterday evening, the character of Santa Claus being taken by young Roland Gilley. A number of songs and action drills were also given by the scholars. A collection, which was taken up in a stocking, brought in about twelve dollars.

The returns of the Provincial Asylum for the Insane for the month of December show the following number of patients to have been under treatment at that institution: In hospital at beginning of month, 375 males, 160 females; admitted during month, 14 males, 7 females; discharged without probation, 1 male; discharged on probation 6 males, 7 females; discharged at expiry of probation, 21 males, 6 females; died, 1 male, 3 females; escaped, 2 males; in hospital at close of month, 379 males, 157 females; on probation at close of month, 5 males, 10 females; total under treatment, 384 males, 167 females.

George Crawford, one of the injured in the B. C. E. R. wreck at Lakeview two months ago, was able to absent himself from the Royal Columbian Hospital for the first time yesterday afternoon. Mr. Crawford was injured internally, but is now well on the way to recovery.

A man charged with the theft of $25 was gathered in by the city police yesterday afternoon. He was pointed out by a man who claimed that he saw him take the money out of another man's pocket, although the supposed victim has so far made no complaint to the police. The suspect will appear in court this morning.

A workman named McDonald, employed by the B.C.E.R. Co. at Coquitlam, was drowned in a tunnel at that place yesterday afternoon. The body has been recovered and an inquest will be held, probably today.

The Crystal theatre has been sold by J. M. Compton to a syndicate of Vancouver men who will take charge at once. The Crystal was opened about a year ago. It is Mr. Compton's intention to move to Colorado.

This afternoon the Anti-tuberculosis society will hold its annual meeting in the board of trade room at the city hall. All the members are requested to be present.

TRIBUNE ON FIRE.

Winnipeg Newspaper Suffers From Small Blaze in Early Morning.

Winnipeg, Jan. 4.—Fire which broke out at 2:30 this morning in the Tribune building, caused a total damage by fire and water of $5000 and put the composing room temporarily out of business. The paper, however is being set through the courtesy of the other two daily papers and will come out as usual.

The fire broke out in the composing room, but the front of the building, including the editorial rooms, business office, and press rooms, escaped uninjured. Tenants, however, suffered considerable loss through water. The loss is fully covered. The smart work of the brigade saved the building.

At Kirk's Hardware

Ice Skates (all sizes)

Hockey Sticks

and Pucks

KIRK'S HARDWARE, New Westminster, B. C.

See W. S. Collister's JANUARY SALE Ad. on Page Seven

MUNICIPAL AND SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS 1910

Municipality of Burnaby, including for School Board Purposes, District Lot 172.

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of Burnaby, (and for School Board purposes, of District Lot 172,) that I require the presence of the said electors at the Municipal Hall on MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose (1) of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Reeve and Councillors for the year 1910, and (2) of electing four persons to serve on the Board of School Trustees of Burnaby.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows: The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as Proposer and Seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notic and 2 o'clock p.m. on the day of the nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be opened on Saturday the 15th day of January, 1910, at 9 a.m. and close at 5 p.m., at the Municipal Hall, Edmonds; Agricultural Hall, Central Park; Lake View School, Burnaby Lake; Barnet School, Barnet; Mrs. Cobban's House, Burquitlam, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The qualification for Reeve shall be his being a male British Subject, and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination, the registered owner in the Land Registry Office of land and real property, situate within the Municipality, of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll, of five hundred dollars or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a voter:

The qualification for Councillor shall be his being a male British Subject, and having been for three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner in the Land Rgistry Office of land or real property, situate within the Municipality of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll of two hundred and fifty dollars or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, or being a homesteader, lessee from the Crown or pre-emptor who has resided within the Municipality for the space of one year, or more, immediately preceding the nomination, and who is assessed for five hundred dollars or more, on the last Municipal Assessment Roll, over and above any registered judgment or charge, or being a homesteader, lessee from the Crown, or pre-emptor who has resided within the Municipality for a portion of one year immediately preceding the nomination, and who, during the remainder of said year has been the owner of said land, of which he formerly was a homesteader, lessee from the Crown or pre-emptor, and who is assessed for five hundred dollars or more on the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified as a voter.

The qualification for the office of School Trustee is as follows: Any person being a householder in the School District, and being a British Subject of the full age of 21 years, and otherwise qualified by the Public Schools Act of 1905 to vote at an election of School Trustees in the said School District shall be eligible to be elected to serve as a School Trustee in such, Municipal District.

Only British Subjects may vote at Municipal Elections (Sec. 1 and 2, Chap. 53—1902.)

Given under my hand at Burnaby this 27th day of December, 1909.

C. T. SAUNDERS,
Returning Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS NOTICE.

Silicon No. 1, Silicon No. 2, Pitt Fractional, Silicon Fractional Grouped Mineral Claims, situated in the New Westminster Mining Division of New Westminster District, where located Pitt Lake:

Take notice that we, Pitt Lake Brick and Cement Company, Limited, Free Miner's Certificate No. B30434, intend 60 days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant 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 this 14th day of December, A. D. 1909.

PITT LAKE BRICK AND CEMENT CO., LTD., E. J. FADER, Agent.
Free Miner's Certificate No. B30435.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, Edith Louise Paterson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, teacher, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Central Park, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

EDITH LOUISE PATERSON,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent.
Located December 7, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, John William Beatty, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation painter, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Mary Summers, northeast corner post on the Boundary road, one mile north of the B.C.E.R. tramway, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN WILLIAM BEATTY,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent.
Located December 7, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date, I Thomas James Beatty of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, miner, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of district lot twenty twenty-five (2025), thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

THOMAS JAMES BEATTY.
Located December 7, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date, I Catherine Florence Beatty of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, lady, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following lands.

Commencing at a post planted twenty chains east of T. J. B. north west corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

CATHERINE FLORENCE BEATTY,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent.
Located December 7, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date, I Lizzie Paterson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, lady, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of lot 103, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, to place of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.

LIZZIE PATERSON,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent
Located November 30, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, A. J. Paterson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation broker, intend to apply a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of district lot 805, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

ADANIRAM JUDSON PATERSON,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent.
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