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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, Mo., December 10---John Sharpe, a street preacher, with a woman and five children preciptated a riot near the police station. When two officers attempted to arrest them Sharpe fired, killing one policeman and wounding the other. A dozen policemen quickly gathered to the scene and began closing in on Sharpe, firing as they went. Sharpe was seriously wounded and taken prisoner.

The woman took the children and ran to a house-boat on the river where they had been living, and with a shotgun in her hands defied the officers. But when she saw that the police did not hesitate she gathered two of the children, jumped into a rowboat and started across the river. The police then fired a volley, one shot tearing away part of a little girl's face. The woman surrendered.

A little over a year ago Sharpe became notorious in Manitoba and Saskatchewan through leading a band of followers through those provinces. He was attempting to found a colony of those who adopted his own peculiar religious beliefs; but, although successful in keeping clear of the police and immigration officials, popular sentiment compelled him and his followers to abandon the attempt and leave Canada.

St, John, Nfld., December 9---In the bye-elections the Liberals carried Northumberland and Carleton Counties. There is a general revolt against the Hazen government throughout the province and it is expected that his term of office will be short.

New Westminster, December 10---Pertella, a condemned murderer awaiting execution December 18, made a desperate attack on Warden Brymner today with a broken bottle. Brymner received two deep gashes in the cheek, a scalp wound and had an ear cut in half before assistance arrived.

Winnipeg, December 11---A clever gang of diamond thieves were captured in this city while attempting to substitute an imitation stone for a $325 gem at Porter Markle's store. The deception was noticed immediately by Mr. Markle who, although unarmed, put a hand to his hip pocket and called on the crooks to hold up their hands, which they did until the police arrived. Two others of the gang were subsequently gathered in by the police and a valuable stock of furs and jewelry recovered at their headquarters.

Portland, Oregon, December 11—Three unmasked men entered the East Side bank this afternoon and, at the point of a gun, forced President Newhall and his son, the cashier, into the private office. One man stood guard over the bank officials, another watched the front entrance while the third helped himself to $17,000 of the bank's funds, which was all there was in sight. The robbers then boldly walked out and mingled with the crowds on the street. So far the police have been unable to find any trace of them.

Several people witnessed the robbery from the street but did not realize that a crime was being committed.

Duluth, Minnesota December 9—The Steamer Clemzon with a crew of twenty-four men has been given up as lost by her owners. No word of the vessel has been received since she passed through the Soo last Monday. A terrific storm is raging on Lake Superior.

Vienna, December 10—During the celebration of Emperor Joseph's Diamond Jubilee a panic, starting from an unknown cause, broke out among the great crowd of spectators. In the crush that resulted three people were killed and sixty injured.

Herald Job Printing is the best.

St. Louis, Mo., December 10—Francis D. Hirschberg, a millionaire of this city, was the victim of a mysterious shooting at the family home last evening, from the effects of which he died shortly afterward. There were no witnesses to the affair and members of the family claim he was killed by an assassin. He had been preparing to leave the house, late in the evening, when the shot was fired. A revolver found at the foot of the stairs was the property of Hirschberg.

Montreal, December 10---The coinage of gold coins was commenced at the mint at Ottawa this week.

LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS.

The incoming mail was reported at Kitselas yesterday evening.

See R. Cunningham & Son's fine display of Christmas Goods.

J. C. K. Sealy left Tuesday for Bulkley Valley and will be away until next week.

Don't forget the fortnightly dance at the new Ingineca Hotel next Tuesday night.

A party of three men started down the river Tuesday morning afoot: D. Menard, bound for Port Essington, Michael Tuohy for Kitselas, and A. R. Macdonald for Vancouver and Victoria.

A sale of work will be held in the Mission School room on December 18, in connection with the Hazelton branch of the Women's Auxiliary. Refreshments and ice cream will be served. Singing interspersed. A small admission fee will be asked.—V. M. Morison, Hon. Secretary.

The outgoing mail left Friday morning, Chas. Sterret in charge. Owing to an unexpected change in the date of the arrival of the mail from Vancouver, the mail carriers had only six days to reach Kitimat from Hazelton. Going by canoe as far as Kitselas they expect to reach Kitimat on time. According to advices received at the postoffice here the incoming mail should have been received by the carriers Monday last, and should reach Hazelton the latter part of next week.

A. R. McDonald of Francis Lake passed through Hazelton the first of the week on his way to the coast where is going as the representative of the Francis Lake Settlers Association, to make certain requests of the provincial government and postoffice officials in regard to better conditions for the people living near Francis Lake. It is the desire of the association to have a mail route established between Fraser Lake and Aldermere, a distance of 140 miles. Fraser Lake is the end of the present mail route from the south and Aldermere is the end of the mail route from the north, by way of the Skeena and Hazelton. These places, 140 miles apart by the trail, are nearly 1500 miles apart as the mail has to go. If the proposed route be established, the Francis Lake people would get their mail at Burns Lake until such a time as a postoffice may be granted to the lake and a mail route established. For roads they are asking for improvements to the trails and sleigh roads already built.

Refreshments at the Mission School Friday next.

The Skeena is now reported to be frozen over in several places where the current is slack.

Splendid assortment of Christmas Goods, Toys, Etc., at R. Cunningham & Son's store.

Thomas King arrived Wednesday from the Ingineca. He and D. Menard were together as far as Tacla Lake, where King was delayed for a few days.

E. C. Stephenson left with the mail carriers on his way to the coast, where he will remain until February 15, when he will start on his return.

Remember the sale to be held in the Mission school next Friday afternoon and evening by the Women's Auxiliary. An enjoyable time is assured.

With this issue the Herald publishes the first installement of a series of letters on early days in British Columbia, written by our esteemed townsman, Mr. C. F. Morison. These letters will appear from time to time and will furnish interesting and instructive reading for our subscribers.

Two weeks ago it was stated in this paper that the Church of England mission at Kiskagas had been abandoned owing to the decrease in population at that place. In this connection we are informed by Rev. J. Field that the abandonment is only temporary, owing to the lack of a man to fill the place, and that as soon as they have a man the mission will be reoccupied.

Financial Advice By Parable.

A friend of long standing, who had heard rumors of coming financial disaster, went to a leading New York financier a short time before the panic came, and asked about the situation.

"What is it you wish to know?" queried the banker.

"Why, I hear stories on every side of the depression that is sure to come, and I have some investments in mind. I want to know what you think about putting out money for investment."

"Do you read the Bible?" enquired the financier.

"Sometimes."

"Well, do you remember about the man who went out and buried his treasure in the ground?"

"I do."

"Let me tell you, then, that he wasn't such a fool as he has been taken to be."—Philadelphia Saturday Post.

LAND NOTICES.

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast.

Take notice that I, Charles Gordon Harvey, of Bulkley Valley, farmer and prospector, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Lot 1153, Bishop Dontemvin's purchase, is about one half mile east of the Haquelget Indian Reserve, and is about four miles in an easterly direction from Hazelton, B. C. The post lies about one half mile east of T.C. Taylor's north-west corner post of Lot recently surveyed as No. 882, thence 40 chains east, 20 chains north, forty chains west, twenty chains south to the place of commencement, containing eighty acres, more or less. The land applied for has recently been surveyed by F.D. Rice as Lot eight hundred and eighty three.

CHARLES GORDON HARVEY.

November 16, 1908. W. J. Larkworthy, Agent.

Take notice that Mary L. Larkworthy, of Stratford, Ont., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land, situated about eighteen miles from Hazelton, on the Bulkley wagon road:—Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner, 13 chains north of Ed. Le Blond pre-emption, southwest corner, thence forty chains, north forty chains west, forty chains south, forty chains east to the place of commencement.

MARY L. LARKWORTAY.

November 18, 1908. C. G. Harvey, agt.

EARLY DAYS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

(By C. F. Morison.)

The writer of this sketch came to British Columbia in 1862 from England, via the West Indies and Panama to San Francisco and Victoria.

The passage across the Isthmus of Panama was most interesting in many ways. The scenery was romantic and tropical; there were grand, strange trees interlaced with the most beautiful creepers; on the branches perched numberless birds of bright plumage, but without song—as I was myself, on having to pay $40 for my trip of 40 miles by rail and five cents per pound for baggage. The train must have come out of the "Ark," as one of Barrett's cayuses could have beaten it easily in speed. Panama in those days was a hot bed of fevers, bad smells, ragged soldiers, high hotel charges, poor food, cut-throats, fine churches and bad drainage. I was detained there 14 days, and there was a revolution each Saturday afternoon. The voyage was made to Frisco in the old steamer "St. Louis," which had been hauled out of the bone yard for the purpose of accommodating the great rush then going on to British Columbia on account of the gold discoveries in Cariboo. The ship, which was about worn out, was not large, and in it were jammed passengers to the number of 1650 men, women and children. The voyage lasted seventeen days and I sincerely hope I shall never make another one like it. The accommodations were wretched, the food bad and the language and conduct of the captain simply disgusting. We arrived at San Francisco in May; the weather was beautiful and I was surprised to find such a beautiful city on the Pacific coast in those early days. After being delayed here another two weeks I took a steamer for Victoria, coming up on the old "Pacific," that vessel of unhappy memory; many of us to this day remember her loss with sorrow. In the latter end of May we arrived at Esquimalt. The weather was most beautiful, the scenery charming; so altogether I formed on first impression a most favorable idea of British Columbia, which in the sere and yellow leaf of age has never changed. I proceeded to Victoria in an ancient express wagon in which a lot of passengers were packed like herrings in a barrel, fare $1 each, road very bad and muddy; then by tram car, fare 10 cents, road very good. When I arrived in Victoria there were only two or three brick buildings there, but there were at least ten thousand men under canvas. Where Victoria West now is I put up at the Royal Hotel on Wharf street, where the Occidental now stands, one of the greenest pieces of goods that ever came from the old country to the new—so awfully English, don't you know.

There was a very mixed population Victoria in those days, all the way from the one-eye-glass English dude to the toughest specimen of humanity from Montana, all under well enforced laws and police regulations, the dude restrained in the use of his monocle and the tough in the use of his six shooter.

I did not remain long in Victoria, as the mainland of British Columbia was the main object in those days. I was luckier in my way than some of the other "green goods;" I had a brother in the country, who had come out in '59, and was residing at Westminster as deputy registrar for British Columbia—deputy to W. T. Bulkley, the prince of good fellows. My brother had procured me a position on the trunk wagon road to Cariboo, that stupendous piece of work undertaken by a colony scarcely out of leading strings. So I proceeded to New Westminster on the Hudson's Bay Co.'s steamer "Enterprise," Capt. Mowatt, some of whose family still reside in this province, notably the jovial and eccentric Tony, for some time clerk to R. Cunningham & Sons, Ltd., Hazelton. Crossing the Gulf of Georgia, after threading our way through the beautiful islands near Victoria, and enjoying the most lovely weather of the most lovely climate in the world we entered the mouth of the Fraser (no lights or buoys in those days); sterning its muddy waters for about twenty miles, passing Ladner's Landing, then a perfect solitude, we sighted the "Queen city," but I am sorry to say that in those days this queenly town consisted chiefly of mud and mosquitoes. We tied up at the celebrated I. T. Scott's wharf, where we were greeted rather irreverently by the assembled populace, the whole town turning out to greet a steamer. Two or three sternwheelers were getting up steam to proceed to Yale, the the head of steamboat navigation. Opposition ran high, which was a good thing for the public. One of my fellow passengers, a Liverpool duck, was pounced upon by the purser of one of the boats, a bell thrust into his hand, and he was instructed to ring the bell and bawl at the top of his voice the departure of the boat; this he did to perfection, being a powerful man with strong lungs. The work lasted half an hour and he was given $2.50 for his pains. He came to me, his countenance beaming, and said: "Look, lad! I only rang the bell of 'arf hour and got ten bob. 'Oorah! This is the country for me!" I only spent a few days in Westminster on this occasion, then proceeded to Yale on the steamer "Colonel Moody." The water was high and we had to stop short of our destination at Union Bar, twelve miles below Yale.

From here your humble servant, in company with William Sutton of Yale, an old pioneer; Joseph Trutch, afterward Sir Joseph Trutch, and two Indians, proceeded by canoe to Yale, arriving late in the day. Yale was then booming. Pack trains and miners packed were leaving town in swarms. I remained here one night, leaving next morning,—kind reader bear with me; I left with my pack on, and I cannot at this moment write more, as the very thought of that infernal pack makes my back ache and I must at once apply liniment. For a time farewell. More anon.

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PORT ESSINGTON, B.C.—A. J. MATHESON, MANAGER.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1908.

THE BULKLEY BRIDGE SITE.

The holding up of construction work on the bridge across the Bulkley river at Telkwa, if continued for any length of time, so that it may not be completed by spring, is bound to work a hardship on all the people of the Bulkley Valley to a certain extent and will bear most heavily on the very men to whom the country is most indebted, the prospectors.

When this bridge was first planned the Provincial Government went to the expense of having a site surveyed and plans drawn, engaging J. H. Gray, P. L. S., for the work. Money was voted for the job, material bought and placed on the ground; but through various causes, of which this paper does not know the ins and outs, the construction was not undertaken last year.

Late last fall the G. T. P. engineer in that district recommended that the bridge be moved up the Bulkley river a few hundred feet that a better grade crossing might be secured. However, the Government ordered work to be commenced at the site chosen by its paid official A foreman was selected and he in turn picked a gang of men and commenced preparations to start work, when a telegram from Victoria stopped everything. As near as can be learned the present delay is the result of a wrangle over the site.

This bridge question is a matter in which every resident of the valley is interested and one which vitally concerns the prospectors who own claims in the mountains at the head of Telkwa river. It is now high time for every man interested in seeing a bridge built to do his part in seeing that a site is selected in which a majority of the people concur, and that the rivalry between townsites and business interests is no longer permitted to interfere with public work.

The Government is ready to construct this bridge, but it does not want it misplaced, to become a subject for future criticism, and if the site is to be changed let the people who are to use it indicate what place it is to be built and why.

Now that we have five Conservative members in the Ottawa House we may expect a "white Canada"—when the snow comes. —From Hawthornthwaite's speech in Vancouve..

The difference between a trader and a professional man is that you pay the trader when you get the goods; you pay the professional man whether you get the goods or not.—Ex.

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OCEAN AN ENORMOUS POOL.

Winds and Currents Keep It Mooving Round and Round.

The discoveries of modern science have revealed monsters of the deep as terrific as any that ancient fancy created and have shown that oceans are not mere wastes of water, but the homes of an astounding variety of living things. More than this, it has been discovered that the seas themselves have each a sort of law of existence which they obey. The hydrographic office at Washington has for years been trying to learn something of the characteristics of the Atlantic ocean as a great moving body by means of bottles containing papers, which have been dropped overboard from vessels in many places to drift at the mercy of the winds and waves.

Many of these bottles have been found and picked up again either in the open sea or on shores where they had stranded.

Knowing from its records where the bottles had been thrown overboard, the bureau has been able to trace in a general way the path they must have followed in order to reach the places where they were found.

Being partially filled with air and then securely corked, the the bottles float on the surface of the water and go wherever the winds and the currents of the sea carry them. Each bottle contains a record of the place and date of its starting. Some of those found have floated for many months on the bosom of tne Atlantic and traveled thousands of miles.

It has been sscertained that bottles dropped overboard between the shores of the United States and England or France generally travel toward the northeast, following the course of that great river in the ocean called the gulf stream. Bottles started off the coasts of Spain or Africa travel westward until they arrive among the West India islands. Along the European side of the ocean the bottles take a southerly course and along the American side a northerly course.

Thus as a result of winds and currents the whole Atlantic is shown to be slowly circulating around and around, like an enormous pool. This accounts for the stories that were current in Europe hundreds of years ago of strange objects of human manufacture having floated from the new to the old world, thus giving a clew to the existence of undiscovered lands across the sea.

What's the Dif?

"Of course," said the optimist, "if a man gets into the habit of hunting trouble he's sure to find it." "Yes," replied the pessimist, "and if he's so lazy that he always tries to avoid it, it will find him. So what's the difference?"—Catholic Standard and Times.

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LIQUOR LICENCE NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply for a renewal of my Retail Liquor Licence on the premises known as the Glacier House, in the Bulkley Valley, B.C., from the 1st day of January, 1909.
E. BRENDON.
November 27th, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply for a renewal of my Retail Liquor Licence on the premises known as the Hotel Hazelton, in Hazelton, B.C., from the 1st day of January, 1909.
THOMAS OLSON.
November 21, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply for a renewal of my Retail Liquor Licence on the premises known as the Omineca Hotel, in Hazelton, B.C., from the 1st day of January, 1909.
JOHN C. K. SEALY.
November 21, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply for a renewal of my Retail Liquor Licence on the premises known as the New Telkwa Hotel, at Telkwa, B.C., from the 1st day of January, 1909.
FRANK L. CHARLESON.
November 21, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply for a Retail Liquor Licence on the premises known as the New Glacier House, at the Bulkley Valley, in Township 2a, R. V., from the 1st day of January, 1909.
HARRY P. JONES.
November 21, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that we intend to apply for a renewal of our Retail Liquor Licence on the premises known as the Telqua Hotel, in Aldermere, B.C., from the 1st day of January, 1909.
BROUGHTON & McNEIL.
November 21, 1908.

Take notice that I intend to apply for a Retail Liquor Licence for the premises known as the Ingineca Hotel in Hazelton, B.C., from the 1st day of January, 1909.
November 21, 1908. DAVID W. PRATT.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the Wholesale Liquor Licence on the premises known as the Hudson's Bay Co.'s Store, at Hazelton, B.C., from the 1st day of January, 1909. JOHN C. BOYD,
Agent for the Hudson's Bay Company.
November 21, 1908.

LAND NOTICES.

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast.

Take notice that I, Edward Fish, lineman, of Meanskinisht, B.C., inntend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: *Commencing at a post planted at the mouth of* Flint creek, on the east side of the Skeena river, about 6 miles above Lorne Creek, thence east 20 chains, south 80 chains, west 20 chains more or less to the river, thence up the river to point of commencement. EDWARD FISH.
November 9, 1908. d12

Take notice that I, Alexander Roderick Macdonald, rancher, of Francis Lake, B.C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked "A.R.M.'s n.w. corner," planted on the south shore of Francis Lake, 25 miles east of the head of said lake, at the n.e. corner of Lot 337, thence *south 20 chains, east 20 chains, north 20 chains,* west 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.
ALEXANDER RODERICK MACDONALD.
November 20, 1908. d12

Take notice that I, Thomas T. Aitken, farmer, of Bulkley Valley, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the n.e. corner of lot 618, range V., Coast District, and being the n.w. corner, thence south 80 chains, east 40 chains, north 40 chains to south boundary of Lot 2087, thence west along said boundary to s.w. corner, thence north along west boundary of said Lot 2087 to n.w. corner, thence west to point of commencement. THOMAS TELFER AITKEN.
November 23, 1908. d12

Take notice that I, John J. Heffernan, salesman, of Walkerton, Ont., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the Kitzeugla trail about 800 feet from Deep Creek crossing, thence south 40 chains, east 20 chains, north 40 chains, west 20 chains to point of commencement, containing eighty acres more or less.
JOHN J. HEFFERNAN.
December 5, 1908. J. A. Blume, agent.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that all pack train rigging, riding saddles, etc., branded with the Circle C is the property of C. Barrett & Co., and anyone having same in his possession or offering it for sale will be prosecuted.
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RANCHING ON A LARGE SCALE

Diamond D Ranch in Bulkley Valley one the Largest in the Province —Over 1000 Acres Cleared.

Among several ranches owned by C. Barrett & Co. in the Northern Interior, the Diamond D is the principal holding, and it is located in Bulkley Valley, near the confluence of the Morice and Bulkley rivers, about eighty miles from Hazelton and twenty from Telkwa. The original ranch consisted of 320 acres, being the second pre-emption to be taken in the Bulkley Valley and was located in the year 1901. Year by year more land has been acquired until there are now 3,120 acres, obtained with South African war scrip and by purchase from the Provincial Government. One thousand acres are cleared and under cultivation. Hay is the main crop, of which 500 tons was cut in the summer of 1908. Fourteen tons of hulless barley and thirty tons of oats are waiting the thresher from last season's harvest. Also about thirty tons of potatoes were grown. In seven years they have had no crop failure and not even what could be called a poor season. In other years fall sown wheat has been grown with great success in a small way but, owing to a lack of market until the railroad is built, nothing has been grown more than experimentally, except what could be used at home. Last summer a threshing machine was brought up the Skeena and is now at Hazelton waiting for sufficient snow for sleighing, to be taken to the ranch.

Between the Diamond D and the Chilcotin ranches 230 head of horses and mules are being wintered. Most of them are animals used in the pack trains in the summer. This does not represent all their work horses, as in a pinch nearly three hundred mules and horses could be mustered for service.

The first imported registered stallion, "Lively Lad," is kept at the Diamond D ranch.

There are now about forty hogs on the ranch and the number is to be largely increased the coming season. The difficulty in bringing hogs into that country can be imagined from the fact that the first three taken to the ranch were carried from Hazelton by Indians at an expense of $25 each.

There is a full equipment of wagons, sleighs, mowers, rakes and other farm machinery, representing over $4,000.

Barrett & Co. are largely interested in the meat trade of the Interior, and to satisfy the demand for beef until the spring drive is brought up from the lower country there are now ninety head of beef cattle on the place. Meat shops are kept by the firm at both Hazelton and Telkwa. It has been found that better beef is obtained by holding cattle in the Bulkley Valley for a year than by killing soon after they are brought from the south. First class buildings are on the ranch and a new ranch house is being built this winter. Twelve to fourteen men are employed during the summer and six or seven during the winter.

Charles Barrett, the senior partner, has been in British Columbia for many years and has been in the Northern Interior for the past eight years. Before that he was with the Douglas Lake ranch for fourteen years, being foreman the last five years he was there.

Taken altogether the Diamond D ranch is quite the largest farming enterprise in the Northern Interior in both the amount of acreage under the plow and the amount of capital invested. The owners are men of experience and ability who know what they are about and the continued enlargement of the place speaks well for their faith in the future of the district. They are putting the ranch in a position to make money now and in the future. At the prices which now prevail in the interior the hay crop alone for last season was worth about $20,000 and the total crop was worth something over $28,000. Owing to the great demand which will be occasioned by railway construction prices are not likely to drop until after steel is laid.

Work It Out.

A man buys a pair of shoes for $3 and hands the shoemaker a ten dollar bill. The shoemaker goes to a grocer next door to have the bill changed and then gives his customer $7 change. After the latter has gone the grocer rushes in and declares the ten dollar bill was a countefeit. The shoemaker gives him five good one dollar bills, a two dollar bill and $3 in change for it. How much has the shoemaker lost?

Easily Arranged.

A corporal of a famous Irish regiment, while on a march in India, went to the quartermaster to borrow a camel to carry a spare tent. The quartermaster refused. "I have only the cart, and this spare camel I am keeping for a case of emergency."

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NOTICE.

OMINECA ASSESSMENT DISTRICT.

A Court of Revision and Appeal under the provisions of the Assessment Act, 1903, in respect of the Assessment Rolls for the year 1909, will be held in the Government Office, Hazelton, on Monday, the 21st day of December, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JAMES E. KIRBY,
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal.
Hazelton, 19th November, 1908.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

"CONTENTION" "STANDARD" and "KEYSTONE" Fraction Group of Mineral Claims, situate in the Omineca Mining Division of Omineca District
Where located—Near Howson Basin.

Take notice that I, Reginald Leake Gale, Free Miner's Certficate No. 14968B, agent for E. H. Schepster, Free Miner's Certificate No. 21634B, Colin Campbell, Free Miner's Certificate No. 15474B and H. McDonald, Free Miner's Certificate No. 15470B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements 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 Improvemnets.

Dated this 21th day of September, 1908.

REGINALD LEAKE GALE. o6 3

COAL NOTICES.

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I, W. Quann, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the s.w. corner of section 7, township 4, range 5, marked "W.Q.'s s.e. corner," thence west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 80 chains, south 80 chains to point of commencement.

W. QUANN.
November 10, 1908. S. Cline, agt.

Take notice that I, Irving Cole, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land: Commencing at a post planted 1 mile west of s.w. corner of section 9, township 4, range 5, marked "I.G.'s n.e. corner," thence west 80 chains, south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains to point of commencement.

IRVING COLE.
November 10, 1908. S. Cline, agt.

Take notice that I, John Irving, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the s.w. corner of section 31, township 4, range 5, maked "J.I.'s s.e. corner," thence west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 80 chains, south 80 chains to point of commencement.

JOHN IRVING.
November 10, 1908. S. Cline, agt.

Take notice that I, A. Deacon, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the s.w. corner of section 7, township 4, range 5, marked "A.D.'s n.w. corner," thence west 80 chains, south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. DEACON.
Nov. 10, 1908. S. Cline, agt.

Take notice that I, T. Parish, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted I mile west of s.w. corner of section 6, township 4, range 5, marked "T.P.'s s.e. corner," thence north 80 chains, west 80 chains, south 80 chains, east 80 chains to point of commencement.

T. PARISH.
Nov. 10, 1908. S. Cline, agt.

Take notice that I, John Quann, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 3-4 of a mile west of s.w. corner of section 31, township 4, range 5, marked "J.Q.'s n.w. corner," thence south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains, west 80 chains to point of commencement. JOHN QUANN.
November 10, 1908. S. Cline, agt.

Take notice that I, George Parker, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands; Commencing at a post planted 3-4 of a mile west of s.w. corner of section 31, township 4, range 5, marked "G.P.'s s.e. corner, thence south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 80 chains to point of commencement. GEORGE PARKER,
November 10, 1908. S. Cline, agt.
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LAND NOTICES.

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast.

Take notice that I, Fred Pemberton, real estate agent of Victoria, B.C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the s.w. corner 20 chains east of n.w. corner of Thomas Harris' pre-emption, thence north 40 chains, east 80 chains, south 40 chains, west 80 chains to point of commencement, containg 320 acres more or less.

FRED PEMBERTON,
October 18, 1908. Reginald Leake Gale, agt.

Take notice that I, William Parnell Respard Pemberton, engineer, of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the s.e. corner, 20 chains east of the n.w. corner of Thomas Harris' pre-emption, thence north 40 chains, west 80 chains, south 60 chains, east 60 chains, north 20 chains, east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 440 acres more or less.

WILLIAM PARNELL RESPARD PEMBERTON.
October 18, 1908. Reginald Leake Gale, agt.

Take notice that I, Robert Rankin Jeffreys, farmer, of Cowichan, Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the s.e. corner, on the north shore of Francis lake, about 16 miles east of lot 214, thence north 80 chains, west 80 chains, south 80 chains, east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. ROBERT RANKIN JEFFREYS.
October 22, 1908. Reginald Leake Gale, agt.

Take notice that I, C. V. Smith, storekeeper, of Hazelton, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of lot 203, thence east forty chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

CHARLES VICTOR SMITH.
November 2, 1908. N. McInnes, agt.
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Take notice that I, Hans Pederson, contractor, of Seattle, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 8 miles in a southerly direction from lot 321, the said post marked "s.e. corner," thence west 40 chains, north 80 chains, east 40 chains, south 80 chains to point of beginning, containing 320 acres more or less.

HANS PEDERSON.
August 23, 1908. Robert Sparrow, agt.

Take notice that I, Edward Brady, lawyer, of Seattle, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles south of lot 321, said post marked "n.w. corner," thence south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains, west 80 chains to place of beginning, containing 640 acres more or less. EDWARD BRADY.
August 21, 1908. Robert Sparrow, agt.

Take notice that I, Lemuel Robinson Byrne, lawyer, of Seattle, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the north end of a small lake about 5 miles s.e. of the west end of Chaslatta lake, post marked "s.e. corner," thence west 80 chains, north 40 chains, east 80 chains, south 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

LEMUEL ROBINSON BYRNE.
August 30, 1908. Robert Sparrow, agt.

Take notice that I, Walter Samuel Camp, druggist, of Seattle, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 5 miles s.e. from the s.e. corner of lot 321, said post marked "n.w. corner," thence south 40 chains, east 40 chains, north 40 chains, west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

WALTER SAMUEL CAMP.
August 22, 1908. Robert Sparrow, agt.

Take notice that I, Harry Merton Frost, tailor, of Seattle, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles from the s.e. corner of lot 321, said post marked "n.w. corner," thence east 80 chains, south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, containing 640 acres, more or less.

HARRY MERTON FROST.
August 27, 1908. Robert Sparrow, agt.
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Take notice that I, Blaisdale M. Rogers, road superintendent, of Hazelton, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted 1 1-4 miles southeast of the s.e. corner of the Morricetown Indian Reserve No. 3, Bulkley Valley, thence south 40 chains, east 40 chains, north 40 chains, west 40 chains to point of commencement.

BLAISDALE M. ROGERS.
October 23, 1908. n14

Take notice that I, Herbert C. Hankin, miner, of Hazelton, B.C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner, about 1 1-2 miles south of Mosquito Flats, marked "H. C. Hankin's south-east corner post," thence 20 chains north, following the bank of the Bulkley river, thence west 20 chains, south 20 chains, east 20 chains to point of beginning.

HERBERT C. HANKIN,
October 30, 1908. nov7

Take notice that I, Joseph Coyle, publisher, of Hazelton, B.C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of William Bryan's purchase, and marked "J. C.'s s.w. corner," thence north 40 chains, east 20 chains, south 40 chains, west 20 chains to point of beginning, containing 80 acres, more or less.

JOSEPH COYLE.
Dated October 13, 1908. J. A. Blume, agt.
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OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Cassiar

Take notice that I, Joseph Malwain, mill man, of Meanskinisht, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the left bank of the Skeena river, about two miles south of the village of Meanskinisht, adjoining E. Fish's pre-emption, marked "J.M.'s s.w. corner," thence east 40 chains, north 40 chains to bank of river, thence by said bank to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less. JOSEPH MALWAIN.
October 31, 1908. Thomas Richard Tomlinson, agt.
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Take notice that Nellie Blomstrown, of Denver, Colorado, U.S.A., milliner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 40 chains west of Keynton's south-west corner post, being lot 44, thence west 20 chains, north 20 chains, east 20 chains, south 20 chains, to point of commencement. NELLIE BLOMSTROWN.
October 5, 1908. per James Lindsay, Agent.

Take notice that I, Joseph A. Miller, of Kaslo, B. C,, carpenter, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the south side of the Skeena river, about 1-2 mile south of Fiddler creek marked "Joseph A. Miller's north-west corner," thence south 40 chains, east 80 chains, north 40 chains, more or less, to the bank of the river, thence west 80 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

JOSEPH A. MILLER.
Dated October 6, 1908. oct24

Take notice that Thomas Irwin, of Nanaimo, B. C., painter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of the Skeena river about 1 1-4 miles south of the mouth of Lorne creek marked "Thomas Irwin's north-east corner," thence west 60 chains, south 60 chains, east 60 chains, more or less, to bank of river, thence north 60 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement, containing 360 acres, more or less. THOMAS IRWIN.
Dated October 5, 1908. Joseph A. Miller, agent.

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast.

Take notice that Walter M. Ross, of Grand Forks, time-keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner, being the south-west corner of Lot 1158, on the north bank of Bulkley river, in Pleasant Valley, thence north 40 chains, west 80 chains, south 40 chains, east 80 chains to place of beginning and containing 320 acres, more or less.
Sept. 14, 1908. WALTER M. ROSS.

Take notice that I, Vesta Holt Deane, of Hazelton, married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Taylor's purchase, thence south 40 chains, east 80 chains, north 40 chains, and west 80 chains to point of commencement:
25th November, 1908. VESTA HOLT DEANE.
n28 Per J. R. C. Deane, agent.

Take notice that I, Archibald N. Paterson, clerk, of Copper City, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the s.w. corner of Charles E. Burgess' purchase near Copper City, thence east along said Charles E. Burgess' southerly boundary 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, west 20 chains, north 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

ARCHIBALD N. PATERSON.
August 6, 1908. se26

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast.

Take notice that Janet Rankine Jeffrey, of cowichan Valley, Vancouver Island, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of B. Wilhelm's script land marked "J.R.J., north-west corner," thence, east 40 chains, south 40 chains, west 40 chains, north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less. Post planted on lake shore, east end, 10 yards from high water mark, and approximately half a mile from Nithi river. JANET RANKINE JEFFREY.
August 1, 1908. Robert Rankine Jeffrey, agent.

Take notice that Chris Goodman, of Sooke, occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 863, about one mile south of the Hag-wil-ghet Indian Reserve, and marked "C.G.-N.W. corner post", thence east 80 chains, south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains to point of commencement, 640 acres, more or less —now known as L. 890. CHRIS GOODMAN.
16th September, 1908. per Hugh A. Harris, agent.
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Take notice that Hector E. Palmerton, of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the south-east corner of Section 3, Township 14, Range 5, Nechaco Valley; thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencment, and containing 640 acres, more or less, and being Section 34 Township 9, Range 4.
August 4, 1908. HECTOR E. PALMERTON.
oct 10 James A. Hickey, agent.

Take notice that Alec Bethune, of Vancouver, B. C., gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south of the south-east corner of Section three, Township 14, Range 5, Nechaco Valley; thence south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less, and being Section 27, Township 9, Range 4, Nechaco Valley.
August 4, 1908. ALEC BETHUNE.
James A. Hickey, agent

Take notice that Alice Bethune, of Vancouver, B. C., spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles in a southerly direction from the south-east corner of Section 3, Township 14, Range 5, thence north 80 chains, west 80 chains, south 80 chains, east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less, and being Section 22, Township 9, Range 4.
August 3, 1908. ALICE BETHUNE.
James A. Hickey, agent.

Take notice that Kate Bethune, of Vancouver, B. C., married woman, intends to apply for permission to puachase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles in a southerly direction from the south-east corner of Section 3, Township 14, Range 5, Nechaco Valley, thence south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less, and being Section 15, Township 9, Range 4.
Dated August 3, 1608, KATE BETHUNE,
10 oct James A. Hickey, Agent.

Take notibe that Kate Bethune, of Vancouver, B. C., school teacher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 3 1-2 miles in a southerly direction from the south-east corner of Section 3, Town ship 14, Range 5, Nechaco Valley; thence north 80 chains, east 80 chains, south 80 chains, west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less, and being the north half of Section 14 and the south half of Section 23, Township 9, Range 4, Nechaco Valley. KATE BETHUNE.
Dated August 3, 1908. James A. Hickey, agent.

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT.
District of Cassiar.

Take notice that I, Eli H. Fish, of Bellingham, Wash., U. S. A., cook, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner and about four miles distant, and north-westerly from Meanskineesht, on the east side of the Skeena River, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to A. S. Gray's pre-emption, thence 20 chains to the Skeena River, thence following the Skeena River to the commencing post.

ELI H. FISH.
oct 17 Per Edward Fish, agent.

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast.

Take notice that I, Milton Green, of Victoria, merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the n.e. corner, joining the G. T. P. coal lands on the south, and on the west bank of Telkwa, thence 80 chains west, 80 chains south, 80 chains east, 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. MILTON GREEN.
Sept. 9, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agt.

Take notice that George Nelson McBain of Vancouver, merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the s.e. corner, 2 miles south from the G. T. P. coal lands and joining Milton Green on the south, thence 80 chains west, 80 chains north, 80 chains east, 80 chains south to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

GEORGE NELSON MCBAIN.
Sept. 9, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agt.

Take notice that I, Perry Ward of Vancouver, clerk, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the n. e, corner, 2 miles southerly from the G. T. P. coal lands and joining Geo. Nelson McBain on the south, thence west 80 chains, south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

PERRY WARD.
Sept. 9, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agent.

Take notice that I, Sthphen Spencer, cannery man, of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the n.e. corner about 3 miles south from the G. T. P. coal lands and joining Perry Ward on the south, thance west 80 chains, south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. STEPHEN SPENCER.
Sept. 9, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agent.

Take notice that I, Ernest Temple, merchant of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the n.e. corner 6 1-2 miles s.w. from the south fork of the Telkwa and on the north bank of the Telkwa, thence south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. ERNEST TEMPLE.
Sept. 3, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agent

Take notice that I, William I. Kirk, merchant, of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: commencing at a post planted at the n.w. corner 6 1-2 miles s.w. from the south fork of the Telkwa on the north bank, thence south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains, west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

WILLIAM J. KIRK.
Sept. 3, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agent.

Take notice that I, William Hill, of Victoria, farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the n.e. corner 4 1-2 miles s.w. from south fork of Telkwa on the north bank and joining W. J. Kirk on the east, thence 80 chains south, 80 chains west, 80 chains north, 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

WILLIAM HILL.
Sept. 3, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agent,

Take notice that I, Harry Abbott, of Victoria, engineer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the s.w. corner 4 1-2 miles s.w. from south fork of Telkwa on the north bank joining William Hill's location on the n.e. corner, thence eighty chains north, eighty chains east, eighty chains south, eighty chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. HARRY ABBOTT.
Sept. 3, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agent.

Take notice that I, John Louis Graham Abbott, solicitor, of Vancouver, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner 2 1-2 miles southwest from the south fork of Telkwa and on the north bank, joining Harry Abbtt's location on the east, thence eighty chains north, eighty chains west, eighty chains south, eighty chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

JOHN LOUIS GRAHAM ABBOTT.
Sept. 3, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agent.

Take notice that I, Harry Hamilton Abbott, manufacturer's agent, of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner 2 1-2 miles southwest from south fork of the Telkwa and on the north bank and joining J. L. G. Abbott's location on the east, thence eighty chains north, eighty chains east, eighty chains south, eighty chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

HARRY HAMILTON ABBOTT.
Sept. 3, 1908. Thos. L. Carr, agent.

Take notice that I, Osborne Plunkett of Vancouver, solicitor, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the souteast corner 1-2 mile southwest from south fork of the Telkwa and on the north bank, and joining H. H. Abbott's location on the east, thence eighty chains north, eighty chains west, eighty chains south, eighty chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Sept. 3, 1908. OSBORNE PLUNKETT.
se26 Thos. L. Carr, agent.

OMINECA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast.

Take notice that John Macmillan of Vancouver, canneryman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 321, Range 4, Francois Lake, thence south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains, west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Sept. 16, 1908. JOHN MACMILLAN.
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MINERAL ACT.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNERS.

Notice is hereby given to Thomas Morine and William Morine, co-owners in the Clara Belle and Princess May mineral claims, situated on Tobey mountain, Omineca mining division, British Columbia, and recorded at the Hazelton recording office, that they have failed to contribute their proportion of the expenditure required by section 24 of the Mineral Act for the year 1907, to wit, the sum of $133.33. If at the expiration of ninety days from August 8th, 1908, the date of first publication of this notice, they or either of them shall fail or refuse to contribute their proportion of the expenditure above specified, together with all costs of advertising, their respective interests in the before-mentioned mineral claims shall become vested in the undersigned, who, as co-owner, has caused the required expenditure for the year 1907 to be made on them. ALEX. CHISHOLM
Postoffice address, Rossland, B.C.
Dated August 6, 1908. se12

DELINQUENT CO-OWNER.

I, Thomas L. Carr, of Aldermere, B. C., hereby give notice that George Rudge, of Port Simpson, or anyone to whom he may have transferred his interests, has failed to contribute his proportion of one-quarter interest of the expenditure required by Section 24 of the Mineral Act, amounting to three years' assessment, $307.20; on the group of four claims known as the Morning Star, Evening Star, Venus and Mars, situated on Star Creek, one and a half miles from Howson Basin.

If, after the expiration of ninety [90] days, the aforesaid George Rudge, or anyone to whom he may have transferred his interests, fails to contribute his proportion, together with all costs of advertising, his interests in the above claims shall become vested in his co-owners, pro rata, as provided for in section 25 b of the Mineral Act.
Dated October 10 1908. THOMAS L. CARR.

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