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WILL OPERATE TO SMITHERS

Railway Commission Engineer Inspects and Approves Line Through Bulkley Valley.

EXTENSION OF SERVICE

Expected That All Passenger and Freight Trains Will Soon Run Through to Divisional Point—Accommodation Trains May Run to Decker Lake

Winnipeg, Sept. 25:—Following the inspection and approval of the Grand Trunk Pacific line through the Bulkley Valley, the Railway Commission has authorized the operation of the road from Moricetown to Smithers, setting twenty-five miles an hour as the maximum speed. The company will be allowed to run trains to Mile 301 at a maximum speed of fifteen miles, with a six-mile limit over uncompleted bridges and river crossings. It is expected that the regular passenger and freight trains will at once run to Smithers and that accommodation trains will be run from the division town to Mile 301.

Big Prairie Crops

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, who has just returned from the west, states that the magnificent wheat yield of the prairie provinces would benefit the whole Dominion, and especially British Columbia. It means an influx of investors and more rapid development throughout Canada, and its beneficial effect, he says, can hardly be over-estimated.

The Labor Parliament

Montreal, Sept. 24.—The Dominion trades and labor congress has been in session here since Monday, and has still many resolutions to consider. Three hundred delegates from all parts of Canada are in attendance.

Morice River Coal

Our report of the finding of the big coal seam in the new bore on the Morice river property of the Prince Rupert Coal syndicate has been confirmed. This shows beyond doubt that the measures are of great extent and consequently of immense value to the country.—Review.

Many Show Respect

There was a large attendance at St. Peter's Church on Sunday morning, when a funeral service for the late E. C. Stephenson was conducted by the Rev. W. S. Larter. Many who had known and esteemed the deceased pioneer during his useful days in Hazelton were present to pay their last respects. After the service the remains were conveyed to the train at South Hazelton, Rev. F. L. Stephenson and Mrs. G. H. Brown accompanying the body to Victoria, where interment took place on Wednesday afternoon. Among the floral tributes was a large and appropriate offering from Hazelton friends.

Shushanna Men Sued

Dawson, Sept. 26:—Dubois & Brady, Dawson hotelkeepers, have filed suit here against William Jones, the discoverer of the Shushanna and Johnson, his partner. The plaintiffs claim they grubstaked the defendants, but were counted out in the division of the profits. They have been granted an interim injunction until Tuesday next. The suit involves fifteen placer claims.

Chinese and Japs May Come to Blows

Berlin, Sept. 22:—A Shanghai despatch says that the Japanese-Chinese situation is becoming acute in Peking. It is believed there that the Japanese are acting with skilful tact to embroil China in warfare, and that in these tactics Japan is having that support from Russia which is rightfully due to the Chinese government. The latter is determined to do everything possible to avoid a conflict, but the danger lies in Japan's possible insistence upon the removal of General Chang Hu Sun, who was in command at Nanking at the time the Japanese were killed. The general is very popular and his removal for cause might start a second revolution against the republic, or an attempt to restore the ancient dynasty.

Thanksgiving Day October 20th

Ottawa, Sept. 22:—A proclamation is published in the Official Gazette that October 20th shall be observed as Thanksgiving Day.

SERIOUS SITUATION IN EMERALD ISLE

Dublin, Sept. 22.—The streets yesterday were again the scene of several battles between the police and the strikers. Many heads were broken. Thirty-seven civilians and seven policemen are detained in the hospitals because of the seriousness of their injuries and many minor cases were treated.

The number now on strike has risen to twenty thousand. They have many supporters and a savage spirit among the strikers is now feared.

Many parades were held yesterday, the jeering workmen and their allies marching through all the principal parts of the city. Liberty Hall was converted into strike headquarters and notwithstanding the many parades it was crowded all day.

During the parades several tram cars were held up and wrecked into splinters. The police reserves charged one of the processions and this led to the rioting. The mob started throwing stones at the trams and then at the shop windows, most of which were smashed. Soon the crowd numbered ten thousand and attacked the police. A furious battle ensued, the police reserve charging twice. The streets were then barricaded and behind these barricades the strikers and their friends kept up the disturbance all night.

London, Sept. 22.—The sympathetic strike with the Dublin transport workers is spreading and the condition of affairs is regarded as desperate, one hundred thousand men, women and children being on the verge of starvation.

Soderberg Case

Although the police are making every effort to solve the mystery surrounding the death of Oscar Soderberg, the rancher whose body was found near his cabin ten days ago, nothing has developed to throw light on the problem.

Many Lots Sold

Edmonton, Sept. 25:—The sale of Prince George lots here yesterday reached a total of \$180,000.

Vancouver Wins Pennant

Vancouver, Sept. 26:—The Vancouver team has won the championship pennant of the Northwestern baseball league.

Local and District News Notes

In all, over three hundred men are working at Smithers.

The Yukon Telegraph line north of Hazelton is reported to be in need of repair.

The county court session which was scheduled for Thursday has been postponed without date.

Mrs. G. O. Graham is expected to return this evening from Vancouver, where she has been visiting.

A small crew left today to build a cabin at 20-Mile creek for the use of the Bear river forest guard.

L. L. DeVoin arrived from Smithers on Thursday, to spend a few days with his mother, who has been ill.

The Harris Mines shipped a 350-pound exhibit of fine silver-lead ore from the American Boy to Prince Rupert exhibition.

Gus Olson left on Thursday to return to the Omineca river district, where his partner, J. T. Bates, is working on placer claims.

J. K. C. Sealy is exhibiting at Prince Rupert fair some fine samples of excellent oats and barley grown on his ranch near Smithers.

E. S. Bonnie, of the forest branch, is on his way from Fifth Cabin to Hazelton, after an inspection trip through the Naas river country.

R. G. Cunningham left on Tuesday's special train for Gitwankang and Port Essington. He expects to return to Hazelton and Smithers in about a month.

In anticipation of the early approval of the railway to Smithers, the railway company is constructing a Y and sidetracks, which will be ready for use in the course of a few days.

Ed Kohse and Bob Marion, who have been prospecting in the new Tahtsa goldfield, returned during the week. They staked bench claims on Cibola creek, and have confidence in the richness of the district.

W. W. Anderson, of the Cunningham staff, returned from Vancouver Island on Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Anderson and children, who have spent the summer there.

Mrs. Shewan, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Harris, left on Sunday for her home in Vancouver, accompanied by her brother Edgar, who goes to the terminal city for his vacation.

L. R. Walker and P. B. Carr, who have been engaged in cruising land in the various parts of the district, for the North Coast Land Co., have completed their field work, and returned to Hazelton early in the week.

Dr. C. G. Maclean is receiving greetings from many friends. He arrived on Wednesday and will spend a month as acting superintendent at the Hospital, to allow Dr. Wrinch to devote his attention to the equipment fund.

Hon. Price Ellison, provincial minister of finance and agriculture, with a party including his son and daughter, passed through on a special train on Tuesday morning, en route to Prince Rupert to open the exhibition. Mr. Ellison has been looking over the country from Tete Jaune Cache to the Bulkley Valley, gaining a first-hand knowledge of the agricultural areas which will be of great advantage to him in the administration of his department.

A. R. Barrow, of Winnipeg, is here for a few days.

Walter Noel left on Sunday for a visit to Port Essington.

R. C. Sinclair, the machinery man, is visiting Prince Rupert.

J. A. McDonald, the road man, came in from Telkwa on Wednesday.

Government Agent Hoskins was among the visitors to Prince Rupert fair.

Geo. A. Petty returned yesterday from a prospecting trip to Driftwood river.

Mrs. S. H. Hoskins and children left on Sunday for Prince Rupert, to visit friends.

J. P. Thorkildson returned yesterday from a trip to his copper claims near Tatla lake.

James Latham, forest ranger, returned on Monday from an official visit to the Tatla lake district.

A watch, which was found in the street, may be had by the owner on application at the police station.

Road Superintendent W. J. Carr returned on Wednesday from a trip through the Bulkley Valley.

W. F. Brewer, proprietor of the Galena Club, returned on Saturday from a business visit to Vancouver.

A party including J. M. Davidson, M. E., Burns Bowerman, and Thos. Harrison left on Thursday for Tom creek and Silver creek.

Miss M. A. Barbeau returned to Prince Rupert on Sunday, after a three-days' visit to her sister, Mrs. R. S. Sargent.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Sargent and their little son left on Sunday for an eastern trip, accompanied by Miss Peel, their niece.

R. D'Evigville, district fisheries guardian, returned on Monday from a trip to the Blackwater district, accompanied by A. Moncur.

C. E. Ellaby returned on Wednesday from the Sixth Cabin. He is effecting many improvements on his ranch in the Kispiox valley.

Forest Guard J. C. Nesbit returned on Monday from Babine lake. There was no damage by forest fires in his district during the summer.

A crew is now at work on the road between the town and South Hazelton station. The large amount of traffic over the road made the reduction of the grades necessary.

R. D. Featherstonhaugh, superintendent of the Omineca Gold Mines, has returned from Quartz creek, having completed the season's work, and left for Vancouver on Sunday.

R. E. Benedict, chief of operations in the forest branch, is expected to arrive on Saturday's train, for a trip of inspection through the district. He will be joined at Hazelton by Forester Allen, who will accompany him to Smithers and the end of steel.

Included in the party of Groundhog men which arrived today were Alfred Hasebrinck, M. E., Amos Godfrey, A. E. Falconer, J. H. Howe, J. Chaloner and Larry Brewer. Another party is expected to arrive this evening.

Bill Harkin Dead

Vancouver, Sept. 22.—W. A. Harkin, a veteran newspaperman well known throughout the west, died here yesterday.

Hazelton Ores Take First Prize

Prince Rupert, Sept. 26:—The first Prince Rupert fair, which ended tonight, was in every respect a huge success. No admission was charged, so that exact attendance figures cannot be given, but there is no doubt the attendance was well up towards the ten thousand mark. The weather was excellent during the three days, and nothing marred the enjoyment of the visitors and citizens. The displays of minerals, agricultural products, and fish were very good. The display of ores from the Hazelton district attracted great attention, and no surprise was occasioned by the award of first prize to the exhibit.

There was a gala parade this morning, over a mile long, including five Indian bands, fifteen autos, and a number of fine floats. Moving pictures of all principal features of the fair were taken by the Gaumont and Pathe companies, for exhibition in theaters throughout the world.

LATEST NEWS OF BABINE LAKE MINES

The season's mining operations in the Babine lake district have demonstrated that claims in that vicinity are well worthy of attention. Returning from the Copper Island group, on which they have been working, H. J. and A. N. Macdonald report that claim-owners have accomplished a great deal of work, with excellent results. On Copper Island the owners have built a camp to accommodate a crew of miners which will engage in developing the large body of low-grade copper ore which has been uncovered.

George E. Neilson is expected to arrive shortly, to arrange for the development of the Silver Island group, on which there is a showing of very high-grade ore. Work on this property may be continued all winter.

On Charles Newman's property, a description of which recently appeared in The Miner, a great deal of miner-like work has been done, a fine showing of ore being the result.

On Anderson creek, C. A. Anderson has a well mineralized group, with several good showings, one vein carrying four feet of steel galena ore. On the same creek Johnson and partner have found a ledge, reported to be fifteen feet wide and to carry good values in silver and gold.

Opposite Silver Island, Mercer, O'Connor, and Dodson have uncovered what Mr. Macdonald describes as the biggest quartz vein he has ever seen. Assays up to \$19 have been obtained. Samples of rock are now being tested.

John McPherson has a nice-looking galena vein on his Copper Island claim. Fine specimens from various properties on this island have been sent to the Prince Rupert exhibition.

Big Mining Dividends

Vancouver, Sept. 26:—The mines of Kootenay and Boundary districts have paid \$1,600,000 in dividends so far this year. This is half a million more than was paid in the whole of 1912.

An Aviator's Feat

London, Sept. 25:—Garros, a French aviator, yesterday crossed the Mediterranean, flying from the French coast to Tunis, a distance of over five hundred miles.

WAR RECURS IN BALKANS

Austria May Take a Hand as Ally of Bulgaria Against Servian Aggressions

THE HIGH-HANDED GREEKS

American Schools Seized in Albania—Complete Anarchy Prevails—Foreign Intrigues Against Servia and Montenegro May Be Responsible

London, Sept. 24.—The situation in the Balkans again threatens the peace of Europe. It is now reported that Austria is about to form an alliance with Bulgaria to prevent Servian aggressions in northern Albania. Italy may move against Greece.

Vienna, Sept. 22.—The Greek authorities at Koritsa, in Albania, today seized the American mission schools there, where instruction is given to nearly 100 Albanian girls. The information reached here in a telegram from Alvena, the principal seaport of Albania on the Adriatic sea.

The Greeks also have arrested and persecuted a large number of Albanians who recently returned to Koritsa from America and other foreign countries, releasing them from detention only when the Albanians promised to join the agitation for the incorporation of the district in Greece. The British Consul in Monastir has entered a vigorous protest with the Greek Government on behalf of the Americans.

Salonika, Sept. 22:—Complete anarchy reigns in Albania. Provisional Minister Mufid Bey has just returned from Europe and summoned his partisans to arms to march against Essad Pasha, who has raised the Austrian flag.

Belgrade Sept. 22:—The situation is grave on the Albanian frontier. The Albanians, armed with modern rifles, have assembled to make an attack on Servia. The agents of Albania had already entered Servia and tried to stir up the peaceful Albanians on Servian soil. It is believed that these preparations by Albania are the result of foreign intrigues against Servia and Montenegro, consequently the former feels bound to reoccupy the positions she captured and was forced to abandon by the decree of the powers.

Methuen for Viceroy

London, Sept. 24.—The By-stander states that Field-Marshal Lord Methuen has been offered and will probably accept the office of governor-general of Canada on the retirement of the Duke of Connaught. No date has been fixed for the retirement of the present viceroy.

Two New Judges

Victoria, Sept. 24:—Hon. A. E. McPhillips, K. C., provincial member for The Islands, has been appointed a judge of the court of appeals. W. A. Macdonald, formerly city solicitor of Vancouver, has been appointed a judge of the supreme court.

W. A.

The Hazelton Branch of the Women's Auxiliary will meet next Thursday, October 2nd at the Mission House, to resume their winter's work. The president sincerely hopes that every lady in this and surrounding towns will make a special effort to be present on Oct. 2nd, at 3:15 p. m.

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To Canadians naturally the new tariff of the United States is interesting in that to a great extent it gives without any quid pro quo exactly what was offered under reciprocity, says an exchange. The natural food products of Canada will find free entry into the United States. A small duty will still remain on wheat, but even in that product there has been a very heavy reduction unless the joker feared at Ottawa upsets the calculations. By broadening the market for the Canadian farmer it may have the result of advancing the cost of living to the Canadian consumer. It might be entitled "Won by Waiting" in that today Canada receives almost more than she asked for two years ago. In British Columbia it should serve to encourage the lumber industry, in Ontario it should stimulate agricultural production. It is far too early to plunge into a learned discourse as to its effects, because for some time to come these will be problematical and also an advantage in one place may be offset by a disadvantage in another. It is supposed to be going to lower the cost of living in the United States and as a much-advertised panacea is credited with many virtues it by no means possesses. It may prove a big factor in the problem of the cost of living, but after the first few months it may be doubted whether it will have cut off very many heads of that modern hydra. Those who think prices will come down all round with a run are probably doomed to disappointment. It would not be at all surprising this time next year to find prices just a little higher than before. The cost of living is governed by many circumstances entirely outside the action of the tariff.

People must eat. Whatever else they may do without, they must have food. Yet it is an amazing fact, says an exchange, that never was the proportion of producers to consumers as low as at the present time. If the centralization of the population of the cities continues long at the present rate, the problem of feeding the people will become exceedingly serious. But, as people must eat, it will be solved in some way. Herein is a splendid opportunity for the right kind of people. Farming ought to become the most sought-after of all occupations. The time is not far away when it will be. Let no one make any mistake about that.

Farming in the future is not going to be what it used to be. Let no one make any mistake on that point either. It is going to be something else besides self-sacrifice and hard labor. The farm has been slow to feel the impulse to progress that has marked every other field of labor, but its turn is coming. Why do not young men stay on the farm? is a question on which yards and miles of newspaper articles have been written. There are many answers to it, and it is not worth while to go over any of them today, for what we have to say is that the time is coming when there will be some inducements for the boys to stay at home, instead of rushing into the cities to slave out their lives for other people.

The opportunity to which we refer is that of getting into a position to take some part in feeding the hungry millions. We are not going to take the case of an individual and undertake to advise him what to do. We are only directing attention to a great and undeniable fact, namely, that the demand for food products is rapidly increasing, and the number of producers is not keeping pace with it.

In closing his notable speech at Halifax, Hon. R. L. Borden said: "Through men not directly responsible to the electorate of Canada, our naval proposals have been defeated for the moment and an increased burden has for the present been proposed and accepted by our kindred beyond the seas. We have every confidence that this defeat is but temporary, and that the duty of

flag streams in undiminished splendor upon the breezes of the twentieth century; and mindful of its desire for peace and its influence for civilization and humanity we do not dare to doubt its greater destiny in the years to come."

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This notice was posted on the ground on the 21st day of Sept., 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Hazelton, B. C. Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C. Rocher De Boule Copper Co., (Applicant) 4-7 By John W. Brown, (Agent).



SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Wharf at Roy's Beach, B. C." will be received at this office until 4.00 p. m., on Thursday, October 9, 1913, for the construction of a Wharf at Roy's Beach, Comox District, B. C.

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Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and place of residence. 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 Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines 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
R. C. DESROCHERS
3-4 Secretary
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Ottawa, September 5, 1913.
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The World's Doings in Brief

News Notes from Many Sources

Vancouver fears a coal famine. The new government of Holland will give votes to women. Turkey is negotiating with France for a loan of \$140,000,000.

The Liverpool Daily Courier says that there will be a general election before the Home Rule Bill for Ireland receives the royal assent, which is necessary to make it law.

The Black Hand organization in Naples is said to have been revived. A dried apricot industry is to be established in the Okanagan district.

A severe drought in Iowa, Kansas and Oklahoma has ruined from 60 to 70 per cent. of the crops, resulting in a large increase in the number of land-seekers from those states to arrive in Canada.

Gold strikes in the Matanuska and Cariboo districts of Alaska are reported.

The Australian Navy
Sydney despatches indicate that the Australian government is experiencing no little difficulty in building its own naval vessels. A message to the Daily Telegraph says:

The polar exploring ship Fram will be the first vessel through the Panama canal.

The early resumption of work in the Vancouver Island coal mines is hoped for.

"The cruiser Brisbane and three destroyers under construction at Cockatoo Island, Sydney, have been considerably delayed by difficulties in connection with the plant installed by the state government. The task of building modern battleships is found to be a more formidable one than was expected. The boilers of a considerable number of machines have been found inefficient and even dangerous and the minister has found it necessary to suspend work to a large extent to remedy the defects and install up-to-date machinery. The cost of the vessels was at first estimated at £700,000, then at £1,100,000. Now it is probable they will cost £1,500,000

A parcels post bill will be introduced at the next session of the Dominion house.

President Gomez, of Venezuela, has suspended the constitution and declared himself dictator.

A general strike of coal miners in the Trinidad district, Colorado, has been declared.

Bulgarians charge that the Greeks left 2500 prisoners of war to starve on a desert island in Aegean Sea. By the end of 1916 the Chinese army expects to have 1,000 aeroplanes, this year's budget calling for the purchase of 250.

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Borden's Speech Endorsed

C. N. Roberts and Harry Bode, Canadian surveyors, are reported killed by a landslide at Cape Muzon, near Ketchikan.

London, Sept. 22:—The Globe, a Unionist daily newspaper, in referring to Premier Borden's speech at Halifax, says, in part, that Mr. Borden feels that Canada cannot be content while she is lacking the fullest measure of citizenship with the necessary corollary of a voice in the control of imperial policy. That demand, says the Globe, is a reasonable one, and one with which England should be proud to agree. The Standard says Borden's argument is unanswerable, and that the dominions must take part in the policy of the Empire if they are to share its responsibilities.

The control of a petroleum field 1,200 square miles in extent in Colombia, has been secured by a Canadian syndicate.

Tuesday of last week was the hottest day ever known in San Francisco. The mercury stood at 105½ in the shade. A London report says it is now certain that the Duke of Connaught will be the first viceroy of Ireland under home rule.

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On a new clock dial for quick reading the figures for the minutes are placed in a circle outside the hour figures and are larger. More than 2,000,000 American farmers are now using telephones in their homes, 100,000 having installed instruments within a year.

Dr. Kellogg told the American Public Health Association that the birthrate is decreasing at a rate which will bring it to the vanishing point in 2012.

The British Columbia rifle team won the international shoot at Vancouver on Saturday, defeating Washington and Oregon teams in a closely-contested match.

A London workman found in the street the \$650,000 pearl necklace recently stolen while in transit from Paris to London. The finder will receive a reward of \$50,000.

President Huerta, of Mexico, has instructed General Felix Diaz to return at once. It is reported Huerta will favor the candidacy of Diaz for the presidency.

A "Made in Ireland" train, under the auspices of the Irish chamber of commerce, is about to tour Canada, carrying exhibits of the manufactures of the Emerald Isle.

Anticipating opposition to the landing of Mrs. Pankhurst, who is expected to arrive in New York next month, American suffragettes have engaged attorneys to guard against deportation proceedings.

LAND NOTICES

Omineca Land District. District of Cassiar
Take notice that Herbert Percy Webb, of Victoria, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1237, Omineca District, District of Cassiar, thence west about 60 chains, thence south about 20 chains, thence east about 60 chains, thence north about 20 chains, being ungazetted Lot 1239, District of Cassiar.
Herbert Percy Webb, Aug. 14, 1913.

Omineca Land District. District of Cassiar
Take notice that Lambert Osborne Paterson, of Victoria, B. C., occupation retired, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 25 chains south of the northeast corner of Lot 2115, Omineca District, District of Cassiar, and at the northwest corner of ungazetted Lot 1585, thence south about 55 chains to southeast corner of Lot 2115, thence east about 62 chains to west boundary of Lot 320, thence northerly about 37 chains to northwest corner of Lot 320, thence westerly about 60 chains to the southwest corner of Lot 1236, thence north about 18 chains to corner marked Northeast A. Lot 1585, thence westerly about 3 chains to point of commencement and covering ungazetted Lot 1585.
Lambert Osborne Paterson, Aug. 14, 1913.

Hazelton Land District. District of Coast, Range V.
Take notice that Benjamin Hallom, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 5426, Range V., Coast Dist., thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Benjamin Hallom, July 3rd, 1913.

Hazelton Land District. District of Coast, Range V.
Take notice that Mary Anne Hembleton, of London, England, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Lot 4264, Range V., Coast Dist., thence west 40 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.
Mary Anne Hembleton, July 3rd, 1913.

Omineca Land District. District of Cassiar
Take notice that James Curtis Watson, of Victoria, B. C., occupation student, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Lot 1237, District of Cassiar, thence west 60 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north 20 chains to point of commencement, being ungazetted Lot 1238, District of Cassiar.
James Curtis Watson, July 15th, 1913.

Omineca Land District. District of Cassiar
Take notice that I. Lambert O. Paterson, of Victoria, B. C., occupation retired, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted twenty chains south from the north-east corner of Lot 2115, District of Cassiar, thence south 60 chains, thence east 62 chains, thence north 37 chains, thence west 62 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 3 chains to point of commencement, being ungazetted Lot 1585.
Lambert Osborne Paterson, July 14th, 1913.

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TAX SALE

Omineca Assessment District

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that on Saturday, the 11th day of October, A. D. 1913, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Courthouse, in the town of Hazelton, I shall offer for sale, at public auction, the lands of the persons hereinafter set out, for the delinquent taxes remaining unpaid on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1912, and for interest, costs and expenses, including the cost of advertising said sale, if the amount due is not sooner paid.
LIST ABOVE MENTIONED.

Name of Person Assessed	Short Description of Property	Taxes	Interest to date of sale	Statutory Costs and Expenses	Total
Florence E. Deppe	Lot 618, R. V. Coast District	\$ 64.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 2.00	\$ 69.00
Wilfred D. Fraser	" 744, R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
Geo. M. Swan	" 771, R. V. "	21.60	1.05	2.00	24.65
	" 776, R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
Island Investment Company	" 781, R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
Lyman Everett	" 793, R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
	" 794, R. V. "	64.00	3.00	2.00	69.00
Island Investment Company	" 877, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
R. L. Gale	1145, ½ Remainder W. of Bulkley river	1.50	.07	2.00	3.57
Island Investment Company	" 1210, R. V. Coast District	64.00	3.00	2.00	69.00
"	" 1212, W ½ R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
"	" 1216, N ½ R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
"	" 1224, R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
"	" 1234, R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
"	" 1236, R. V. "	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
"	" 1238, R. V. "	64.00	3.00	2.00	69.00
Snyder Bros.	1481, part of S. E. ¼, R. V. Coast District	13.20	.60	2.00	15.80
Manly H. Pike	" 2401, R. V. Coast District	124.00	5.80	2.00	131.80
Walter G. Sparrow	" 3010, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Ivan M. Sparrow	" 3011, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
J. E. F. Dundas	" 3012, R. V. "	120.00	5.60	2.00	127.60
F. T. Stanier	" 3015, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Lillian A. Davis	" 3017, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
A. P. G. Cumming	" 3636, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
James G. Blaine, Jr.	" 3641, R. V. "	64.20	3.05	2.00	69.25
Joel H. Pillsbury	" 4079, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Emma Maxwell	" 4080, R. V. "	64.00	3.00	2.00	69.00
J. W. Ambury	" 4081, R. V. "	30.60	1.40	2.00	34.00
Andrew P. Maxwell	" 4082, R. V. "	37.60	1.75	2.00	41.35
Percy R. Brown	" 4083, R. V. "	96.00	4.50	2.00	102.50
Adela Smith	" 4633, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
J. A. O'Brien	" 4634, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
E. W. Bellamy	" 4635, R. V. "	118.80	5.55	2.00	126.35
Ethel V. Smith	" 4636, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Geo. M. Davis	" 4712, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
K. McGillivray	" 4713, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Carl J. Johnston	" 4715, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
J. Beaudoin	S. ¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 4, R. V. Coast District	35.00	1.60	2.00	38.60
Fannie B. Kane	N. ¼ of S. E. ¼, and S. ¼ of N. E. ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 5, R. V. Coast District	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
R. F. Campbell	S. W. ¼, Sec. 30, and N. W. ¼, Sec. 19, Tp. 6, R. V. Coast District	8.00	.38	2.00	10.38
Island Investment Company	S. E. ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 6, R. V. Coast District	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
"	N. E. ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 6, R. V. Coast District	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
J. D. McNeill	Sec. 29, Tp. 7, R. V. Coast District	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
C. W. Sarel	Sec. 15, Tp. 8, R. V. "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
A. E. Kealy	Sec. 22, Tp. 8, R. V. "	118.40	5.50	2.00	125.90
A. P. Diplock	S. ¼, Sec. 7, and S. ¼, Sec. 8, Tp. 9, R. V. Coast District	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Charles W. Brundage	N. E. ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 9, R. V. Coast District	27.20	1.26	2.00	30.46
F. S. W. Jennings	N. W. ¼, Sec. 8, Tp. 9, R. V. Coast District	30.00	1.39	2.00	33.39
T. R. Brewer	N. E. ¼, Sec. 8, Tp. 9, R. V. Coast District	6.00	.28	2.00	8.28
Geo. M. Swan	½ Lot 147, Cassiar District	18.80	.85	2.00	21.65
Beatrice Ainslie	½ Lot 294 and ½ Lot 297, Cassiar District	48.00	2.25	2.00	52.25
Alfred Bunker	Lot 320, Cassiar District	38.40	1.81	2.00	42.21
C. F. Mills	" 396, "	115.40	5.35	2.00	122.75
W. J. Sanders	" 852, "	104.40	4.75	2.00	111.15
Dan McDonald	" 1475, "	8.60	.40	2.00	11.00
Lillie DeVoin	" 1619, "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Edward Condit	" 1620, "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Frank Condit	" 1621, "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Wm. Johnston	S. E. ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 4, R. V. Coast District	3.25	.15	2.00	5.40
Andrew Jacobsen	N. E. ¼, Lot 682, Cassiar District	3.50	.20	2.00	5.70
Frank Watkins	Lots 2609 and 2609a, R. V. Coast District	23.10	1.10	2.00	26.20
Wm. J. Bayne	N. E. ¼, Lot 3357, R. V. Coast District	32.00	1.50	2.00	35.50
Thos. D. Veitch	Lot 1626, R. V. Coast District	192.00	12.84	2.00	206.84
Robt. Tennant	" 781, Cassiar District	96.00	8.12	2.00	106.12
Ivan Miller	" 1611, "	64.00	3.00	2.00	69.00
Chas. Paquette	" 1613, "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
G. A. Rosenthal	" 1617, "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Mrs. L. L. DeVoin	" 1612, "	96.00	4.43	2.00	102.43
Frank Johnson	" 1616, "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
James J. May	" 1622, "	104.20	3.85	2.00	110.05
Ruby DeVoin	" 1618, "	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00
Marius Pederson	" 1576, "	87.60	4.00	2.00	93.60
Henry McIntaggart	" 1577, "	85.60	3.90	2.00	91.50
Geo. M. Swan	" 148, ½ "	28.00	1.30	2.00	31.30
James Ross	" 4713, R. V. Coast District	128.00	6.00	2.00	136.00

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**PROPOSED CHANGES IN
 FEDERAL MINING LAW**
 Ottawa, Sept. 22.—New min-
 ing regulations are provided in a
 bill to be introduced at the next
 session of Parliament by Hon.
 Louis Coderre, secretary of
 state and minister of mines. It
 is expected that an entire new
 mining law will be placed on the
 statute books, and that the sys-
 tem of mining regulations now
 governing the administration of
 mines will be abolished.

The number of accidents in the
 various provinces of Canada is
 greater than in any other country
 in the world. While last year
 the death rate in Great Britain,
 with over one million miners em-
 ployed, was only 1.19 per 1000,
 in British Columbia it was over
 3 per 1000. In Ontario it is com-
 puted that one miner is killed or
 injured every third day.
 The difficulty encountered in
 framing a Dominion mining law
 is found in the provincial rights.
 The mining laws at present in
 force in Nova Scotia, New Brun-
 swick, Ontario and British Colum-
 bia were passed before confeder-
 ation, while Alberta, only last
 year, passed a new provincial
 mining law.

To Encourage Agriculture
 Hon. Martin Burrell during
 his recent visit to England gave
 the press there an interesting
 interview on the agricultural in-
 dustry in Canada. In the course
 of his remarks he pointed out
 that here, as in other countries,
 the percentage of public expendi-
 ture on agriculture was not
 commensurate with the import-
 ance of the industry and the
 total national expenditure. The
 federal expenditure on agricul-
 ture in Canada this year is \$3,-
 000,000, while, in addition, the
 different Provinces are spending
 considerable sums. Mr. Burrell
 is of the opinion that there was
 probably never a more general
 recognition than at the present
 of the absolute importance of a
 healthy condition of agriculture
 if the national prosperity is to
 continue. To maintain this con-
 dition the Federal government
 is taking some important steps.
 The livestock is being strength-
 ened by the purchase and dis-
 tribution in the newer sections
 of pure-bred male animals of all
 kinds. Yet another new move on
 the part of the government is
 the expenditure of \$1,000,000 a

year for ten years to be distrib-
 ed among the various Provinces
 for agricultural education. There
 seems little doubt that this plan
 will have the most beneficial
 effect. As it has only just been
 commenced, it is as yet impos-
 sible to judge what the results
 will be, but it is safe to infer
 that one effect will be the arous-
 ing of a more general public in-
 terest in agricultural affairs.—
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The Transport Strike
 London, Sept. 24.—The polit-
 ical and industrial situation in
 Ireland is growing more serious
 every day. Commenting on the
 strike of transport workers, the
 Times says the stability of the
 British nation is threatened by
 the actions of the English and
 Irish working classes. Sir Ed-
 ward Carson's inflammatory anti-
 home rule campaign in Ulster is
 adding to the anxiety of the
 ministers. The old town hall in
 Belfast is beginning to resemble
 a war office, with wireless appa-
 ratus on the roof and guards out-
 side.

London, Sept. 24.—The Em-
 bryo "Parliament of Ulster,"
 known as the Ulster Unionist
 council, assembled in Belfast to-
 day to consider plans for the
 provisional government for Ulster
 in the event of the home rule
 bill becoming law. Six hundred
 delegates are in attendance. The
 leaders threaten to formulate a
 document similar to the Ameri-
 can declaration of independence.
 A fund was started today to in-
 demnify the relatives of any
 killed or wounded among Ulster
 electors. Five million dollars
 are to be raised for this purpose.

Laredo, Tex., Sept. 23.—Ac-
 cording to official reports which
 arrived here last night, the rebels
 dynamited a passenger train of
 the Mexican National Railway
 sixty miles south of Saltillo yester-
 day. The explosion killed
 sixty people. All the survivors
 were robbed, and also the bodies
 of the dead.

Nanaimo, Sept. 24.—Israel Ru-
 binowitz, a Vancouver lawyer,
 and two miners have been ar-
 rested for alleged picketing.
 Their trial has not been con-
 cluded.

Manager Grant, of the P. Burns
 Co., is on his way to Fraser
 lake.

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 Victoria, Sept. 26.—After hold-
 ing sessions at Tete Jaune Cache
 and Fort George and making
 brief stops at Calgary and Ed-
 monton, the labor commission is
 returning to Victoria, its work
 completed, save for the prepara-
 tion of the report which it will
 submit to the legislature. The
 complaint heard in the Fort
 George district, as on the western
 division of the G. T. P., was
 that the construction workers
 found difficulty in obtaining cash
 for their time checks. The mer-
 chants expressed the opinion
 that the object was to compel
 the men to buy all their supplies
 from the contractors. The latter
 reply that their desire is to dis-
 courage the illicit liquor sellers
 and gamblers.

Card of Thanks
 Rev. F. L. Stephenson and
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 press their sincere thanks for
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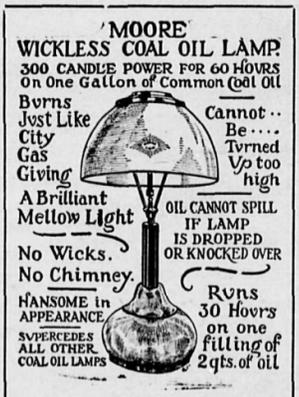
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