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## MUCH STREET FIGHTING IN PARIS

### Underneath Industrial Strike is Movement for Overthrow of Government.---Street Fighting and General Disorder Throughout City.---Armed Strikers Clash With Soldiers.

(Special to the Optimist)

London, Oct. 13.—The railroad strike in France has developed into a revolutionary struggle for the purpose of overthrowing the government. The struggle is really worse than the French revolution and much bloodshed may be expected. The rioting now is something terrible and the authorities are calling out all the army reserves to cope with it. It is feared, also, that the army is disaffected.

#### Soldiers and Strikers Clash

Paris, Oct. 13.—There was a clash between the soldiers and the strikers in front of the offices of La Humanite, a Socialist newspaper, this morning and a bitter fight ensued. The offices of the newspaper were raided on an order from the government. The soldiers found all the entrances barricaded and threatened to fire through the windows if the refugees within the office were not given up. M. Jaures, one of the editors and a member of the assembly ap-

peared at one of the windows and shouted a defiance to the police. As he was stepping back a bullet splintered the window frame just above his head.

This was the signal for a general fusillade from both sides in which eight were seriously wounded and thirty others badly bruised. Eventually the soldiers captured the building and the police entered. They arrested six Socialists leaders and a number of men. Those among the latter who were not strikers were released.

Thousands of strikers are patrolling the streets and the situation becomes more threatening all the time.

The Apaches are busy under the cloak of the strike disorders. The police being called out on strike duty leaves these robbers and murderers a free hand. All personal property is therefore unsafe and the Department de la Seine is very much hampered by the thousands of tourists and foreigners calling for protection. The Chamber of Deputies intends to rush through a whipping post order this evening.

#### Uneasiness in England

London, Oct. 13.—The success of the French strikers is causing great unrest in all transportation circles in England. The compromise effected a short time ago is far from satisfactory and the unions are watching the struggle in France very closely.

#### PROVISION STEALING CHARGE

##### Two Indians Sent for a Year to Westminster

Peter Brown and Austin Matthews, the two Indians charged with theft of provisions, etc., from P. Burn's store at Hazelton came before Judge Young in the County Court this morning. They pleaded guilty but as the goods had been returned Judge Young treated the case leniently. The prisoners were sentenced to one year each at Westminster. They will go down by the Prince Rupert tonight.

The County Court case of Kennedy vs. Morang and Chiene has been struck out of the list with costs by Judge Young at the request of L. Patmore.

## MEAT MARKET PROJECTED

### LOCAL INTERESTS IN SCHEME PLANNED

Swift & Co., of Chicago also Said to be Interested in the Formation of New Meat Company Here. Fine Retail Mart May be Established.

It is rumored that a meat company is likely to be organized and capitalized by local people to carry on business in Prince Rupert, Stewart and other towns.

It is understood that the Swift Company, of Chicago, are anxious to get a share of the meat business in Northern British Columbia having a large plant and abattoirs now in Vancouver.

The Optimist is informed that if the contemplated plans mature, one of the finest retail meat markets in British Columbia will be established in Prince Rupert.

"LESS NOISE," SAYS JUDGE

### In County Court When A. Manson and L. Patmore Get to Grip

Alex Manson and L. Patmore got so emphatic over their legal contentions in the County Court this morning that Judge Young remarked: "Really I think that this case can be conducted with less noise." The case was that of Cunningham & Son, Ltd., vs. R. Connors the man who was supposed to be at Westminster while he was quietly pottering around doing chores serving his six months' sentence here in Prince Rupert. The matters in dispute are whether certain goods were returned by Connors, the price paid for logs he cut, and the return of the logging outfit. The argument between Mr. Manson and Mr. Patmore was over a legal technicality. Mr. Manson thought there was an inadmissible element of surprise in certain questions of Mr. Patmore's to the witness Harris. It ended in Mr. Patmore's saying that he would fling all the cards on the table for Mr. Manson to see for himself. "We've got nothing to hide," he said.

The case is adjourned meantime.

#### Obstructed Thoroughfare

Wm. Brown appeared before the Magistrate yesterday afternoon charged with having obstructed the thoroughfare on Center street by leaving a load of lumber there. He was fined \$10 and costs.

## PORT ESSINGTON HEROINE



Jeanette D. Rudge, who Receives Humane Society Medal To-night

Mrs. Rudge is the wife of Mr. Fred. Rudge of Port Essington. Last spring Mrs. Rudge jumped into the surging waters of the Skeena and rescued her young nephew, Jack Berriman, from drowning. Tonight she will be presented with the bronze medal of the Royal Humane Society of London, England, as a recognition of her brave deed. The presentation will be made by William Manson, M. P., in the observation room of the Prince Rupert at 7.30 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Rudge go south tonight.

## ALFONSO READY TO FLEE

### British Fleet Held in Readiness to Succor Royal Family of Spain. ---Revolutionary Party Active Throughout Country. ---Strike In France Reflected In Spain.

(Special to the Optimist)

Madrid, Oct. 13.—The industrial strike in France is reflected in Spain and threatens to precipitate the fall of Alfonso. Preparations are now under way for the removal of the royal family to San Sebastian, near the French frontier. It is stated here that the British fleet is at Gibraltar, with steam up and all ready to protect the royal family. Alarming reports of revolutionist activity are coming in from the various provinces.

#### The Ferrar Anniversary

Madrid, Oct. 13.—The Ferrar anniversary is passing without any news of concerted action throughout the kingdom though there is rioting and disorder in all the large cities, this, the capital, being no exception. At Barcelona the revolutionists seemed to be the most turbulent. There was a plot there to dynamite the great prison in which Ferrar was confined and executed. This came to the ears of the authorities and the prison was surrounded with military

and machine guns. An attack by the revolutionists is momentarily expected.

Though not officially proclaimed martial law is universal today throughout the country. There have already been several battles but owing to the strict censorship and the fact that many wires have been cut no definite information as to the situation can be obtained.

It is understood that the army remains loyal to King Alfonso, but this remains to be seen. All leaves of absences have been suspended.

## RICHER PLACED ON HIS TRIAL

### JURY RETURNS VERDICT OF MAN SLAUGHTER

Accused Told His Story in Straightforward Manner and Impressed Jury—Four Witnesses from Prince Rupert Gave Evidence.

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, Oct. 13.—After less than a two hours' hearing yesterday afternoon the Richer case was given to the jury, who returned a verdict of manslaughter.

A. H. McNeill appeared for the prosecution and the case for the crown rested solely on the statements made by the accused. Four witnesses were called by C. N. Haney, counsel for the defence. These witnesses were Dr. Tremayne, Police Sergeant Regan and two whose testimony had no direct bearing on the case.

Richer told his story in a straightforward manner which impressed the jury. He said he had been drinking for three days. He went to bed with Beaudoin and woke up with the rifle in his hand and hearing Beaudoin say, "You have shot me."

Justice Murphy summed up rather against the prisoner, seeming to intimate that the weapon used was an evidence of premeditation.

## CRIPPEN TRIAL NEXT TUESDAY

### APPLICATION FOR FURTHER DELAY REFUSED

Indictment is Lengthy and Will Take Court Clerk Probably Twenty Minutes to Read—Make Short Work Selecting Jury.

(Special to the Optimist)

London, Oct. 13.—The Crippen trial has been fixed for next Tuesday, the trial judge refusing to grant more than one day in answer to the request of the defence. When the prisoner is placed in the dock on Tuesday morning the clerk of the court will read the indictment. Couched in legal and medical phraseology it will probably take a roll of paper several feet long to enumerate the charges against the accused man. For possible twenty minutes the clerk will continue the reading. At the end he will ask the prisoner whether he pleads "guilty, or not guilty." After the plea is entered the work of selecting the jury begins. Under British procedure this is a far less troublesome thing than in America. The jurors are sworn and the examinations are of the briefest possible sort. Though each side has the right of challenge, it is not restored to often and then only in cases where it is known that a juryman is markedly antagonistic to either side.

## TEXAS AND STANDARD OIL

### Great Financial Battle to Bring Down the Price

(Special to the Optimist)

New York, Oct. 13.—Financiers predict the greatest financial battle that ever was when the Texas Oil interests, with John W. Gates at the head, begins operations against the Standard Oil company. With the view of under selling the octopus Gates has established forty stations in eastern cities and plans

a big station in Brooklyn to cut the price of oil in New York.

The Gates syndicate has influential backing and all the capital it can possibly need.

#### Fourteen Bodies Recovered

Starkville, Oct. 13.—(Special)—Fourteen bodies have been taken from the Colorado Fuel company's mine. Eight more have been located and thirty-three are still missing. The workers have penetrated into the mine six hundred feet.

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Take notice that Mabel Corbett of Seattle, Wash., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about three miles east and one mile south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
MABEL CORBETT  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that John Anderson of Seattle, Wash., occupation grocer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about three miles east and one mile south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
JOHN ANDERSON  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that D. E. Walker of Graceville, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about five miles east from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
D. E. WALKER  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Martin H. Larkin of Hopkins, Minn., occupation fireman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about five miles east from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
MARTIN H. LARKIN  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Maurice L. Gibson, of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about six miles east and one mile north from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
MAURICE L. GIBSON  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that E. R. Loomis of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
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Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
E. R. LOOMIS  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Guy Jacob of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about six miles east and one mile north from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
GUY JACOB  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that John J. Keeler of Barry, Minn., occupation miller, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
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Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
JOHN J. KEELER  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that John Geheke of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about six miles east and two miles north from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
JOHN GEHEKE  
L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Henry T. Jacob of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about six miles east and two miles north from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
HARRY T. JACOB  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Michael Fisher of Seattle, Wash., occupation restaurant keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles east and one mile south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
MICHAEL FISHER  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that J. Drew of Seattle, Wash., occupation theatre owner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles east and one mile south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910.  
J. DREW  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that James Marshall of Seattle, Wash., occupation real estate dealer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
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Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
JAMES MARSHALL  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Joseph Taylor of Seattle, Wash., occupation editor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
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Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
JOSEPH TAYLOR  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Archibald Henderson of Seattle, Wash., occupation machinist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles east and three miles south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
ARCHIBALD HENDERSON  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Carl Hoffman of Seattle, Wash., occupation physician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles east and three miles south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
CARL HOFFMAN  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that John Graffin of Seattle, Wash., occupation druggist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles east and three miles south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
JOHN GRAFFIN  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Charles Holzman of Seattle, Wash., occupation physician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles east and three miles south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
CHARLES HOLSMAN  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that F. Johnnies of Graceville, Minn., occupation restaurant keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about five miles east and two miles south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
F. JOHNNIES  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Robert Mitchell of Vancouver, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about five miles east and two miles south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
ROBERT MITCHELL  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Alexander Mitchell of Vancouver, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
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Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
ALEXANDER MITCHELL  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
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Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Edward Warner of Vancouver, B. C., occupation contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about five miles east and two miles south from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 8, 1910.  
EDWARD WARNER  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that James O'Phelan of Seattle, Wash., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about three miles east and one mile north from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 9, 1910.  
JAMES O'PELAN  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Estelle B. Mayer of Seattle, Wash., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about three miles east and one mile north from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 9, 1910.  
ESTELLE B. MAYER  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

RAILWAY MAGNATE HERE

First-Vice President of Grand Trunk on Pleasure Trip

E. H. Fitzhugh, first vice-president of the Grand Trunk and director of the Grand Trunk Pacific, was a passenger on the Prince Rupert last night. He said his business keeps him very much in the east and he had seen but little of the west. He had pleasure in taking advantage of the opportunity of seeing Prince Rupert in its early days, as it would be a pleasure to recall when it became a great city and seaport. He accepted an invitation from General Superintendent Mehan to take a ride on the railway this morning, and was accompanied by Captain and Mrs. Nicholson.

Mr. Fitzhugh is among the famous railway men of the age. He was with Charles M. Hays on the Missouri Pacific and left him to join the Grand Trunk. He says this is a pleasure trip rather than one of business and that he has thoroughly enjoyed the magnificent weather and scenery on the way to this port. He agrees with Mr. Hays that when the railway is completed this will become one of the most popular tourist routes of the world.

J. E. Dalrymple, assistant freight manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, accompanies Mr. Fitzhugh.

Annex Will Be Altered

A letter from E. J. Chamberlin, vice-president of the G. T. P. Ry. Co., was read by the city clerk at last night's city council meeting. The letter dealt with the alteration of the G. T. P. Inn Annex so as to remove the portion of it obstructing the line of work on Second avenue. Mr. Chamberlin has instructed General Superintendent Mehan to have the necessary alterations made.

Tsimpean Co.'s Gas Mains

A letter from L. W. Patmore on behalf of the Tsimpean Light and Power company asking about the proposed gas mains, and whether the city approved the plans submitted showing their positions was read at last night's city council meeting by the city clerk. The letter asked that if the positions suggested were not approved, the council might indicate what positions they desired for these mains. It was referred to the Streets, Works and Property committee.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that William Russell of Seattle, Wash., occupation manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Prince Rupert Channel about 200 yards north of End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 9, 1910.  
WILLIAM RUSSELL  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
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Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Tessie Rohring of Seattle, Wash., occupation stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about two miles south from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 9, 1910.  
TESSIE ROHRING  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Lillie Lollis of Vancouver, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about two miles south from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 9, 1910.  
LILLIE LOLLIS  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Dominica Alberigi of Seattle, Wash., occupation grocer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about two miles south from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 9, 1910.  
DOMINICA ALBERIGI  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Sarah Berry of Seattle, Wash., occupation widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about three miles east from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated September 7, 1910.  
SARAH BERRY  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
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Take notice that F. W. Gilbert of Seattle, Wash., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
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Dated Sept. 24, 1910.  
F. W. GILBERT  
Mancell Clark, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

Coast Land District—District of Skeena  
Take notice that J. W. Scott of Prince Rupert, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted one half mile east of Gilbert Burrows' corner post, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement.  
Dated Aug. 9, 1910.  
J. W. SCOTT  
Numa Demers, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

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17 " 18	8	1	10,000
21 " 24	12	1	9,000
23 " 24	12	1	25,000
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### CITY OF SEATTLE GOLD ROBBERY EXPLAINED

Messboy Confesses His Part in Robbery, but Police Believe Others Are Implicated—Mail Currency Is Still Missing.

Seattle, Oct. 7.—That the men who rifled the registered mails on the steamer City of Seattle Sunday night got away with a large amount of plunder besides the gold bullion, is the belief of the post-office inspectors at work on the case as the result of further examination of the mutilated letters yesterday. Several letters noted inclosures of money, but no money was found.

Thomas Buckley, who has confessed his part in the robbery, told Deputy United States Marshall George B. Davenport that he had a roll of bills wrapped in pieces of newspaper, and at least three inches thick on a rafter on the 'tween decks, naming the place. When the search was made Monday night the money was not found, nor was another roll, wrapped in newspapers, which Buckley said he had concealed in his bedding. Buckley expressed much surprise that the two bundles were not recovered.

The officers believe, since Buckley's confession before United States Commissioner, W. D. Totten, that the prisoner is telling the truth. Buckley was carefully searched immediately after the discovery of the robbery and again at the county jail but a diamond ring, a necklace and several other pieces of valuable jewelry, which are still missing, were not found on him.

The postoffice inspectors were engaged yesterday in sorting out the American mail and making a list of letters in which money inclosures were mentioned. All amounts under \$50 will be made good by the department on satisfactory showing by the senders at the point where the letters were mailed.

One of the letters found in the mail yesterday noted the inclosure of two water receipts and \$28 in cash. The receipts dropped out of the mutilated missive but there was no money. Another was an inclosure from Dawson to the States to pay for the board of a young girl in boarding school. The writer said \$7 in cash was inclosed. The inspectors failed to find it.

It was established yesterday that the roll of bills found in Buckley's sock at the time he was searched had not been disturbed, but was in the form in which it was stolen. It consisted of mutilated bills en route to New York for redemption, but was in such state of preservation that every dollar represented its face value. It was placed in the mails and forwarded to destination.

### SUE CITY OF MONTREAL

Contractors Bring Action Claiming \$50,000 for Contract Loss

Montreal, Oct. 9.—Rodolphe Brunet and Denis Belanger have taken action against the city for \$50,000 as the result of the loss of a contract during the royal commission proceedings. The contract, which was for \$250,000, was awarded by the city council to the Modern Paving company, of which Brunet and Belanger are chief owners, but was held up by an injunction granted on application of the citizens' committee.

### Drydock for Vancouver

Ottawa, Oct. 9.—The government has approved the Thompson Company's plans for a drydock at Vancouver, and the company is assured a subsidy of 3 1-2 per cent for twenty-five years on the cost of construction. The plans provide for a commercial dock of second class under the Subsidy Act. It will be over 600 feet long and will cost over \$1,000,000.

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DAILY AND WEEKLY

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THURSDAY, OCT. 13

## OUR ONE GREAT CHARITY

There are few calls for alms-giving in Prince Rupert. The lack of poverty is one of the features which make these last west cities unique in comparison with the older cities of the world. So few are the demands for cash donations to charity that we are apt to forget that all the world is not flush with money, and that we have a duty as our brother's keeper. While the old world is in a turmoil of civil wars and revolutions, struggles between capital and labor, cries from starving hordes, walls of crop failures and the horror of atrocious crimes, this new world is basking in the sunshine of peace and plenty. Here where there is work for those who want it, high wages and a free flow of money, the troubles of the rest of the world seem far away and unreal. We have no poverty and its attendant crimes to give us daily illustrations of the duty we owe to our fellowmen.

Yet our city is not altogether without opportunity of extending charity in a practical and monetary manner. We have a city hospital which is about to be opened and thrown upon the city as an institution requiring the voluntary support of the citizens. Healing the wounded, curing disease, and administering to the sick is the first principle of all religious creeds and of all philosophy of life. It should be, and is, the greatest object of charity, and practically it is the only charity demanding alms which offers itself to Prince Rupert. There should be no difficulty in its making a successful appeal.

Already very liberal subscriptions have been made to the building fund but more will be demanded and every year will see yet another call. The ladies of the city are now taking up the work of equipping the building and by their ingenious methods, subtle devices and sincerity in their noble purpose they are assured of success.

This same work of supporting a local hospital has been delegated to the ladies all over America and it has become the recognized function of the fair sex. That Prince Rupert ladies will make good is without doubt but when the appeal comes to you in the form of a smile and a ticket or a subscription list, do not pass it up.

With a versatile people such as Prince Rupert has, Philadelphia would not worry over the prospective weather conditions for the world's championship baseball games.

The price cutting war between Texas oil and Standard oil makes interesting reading but we are more interested in the question of whether Frank Kelly will cut the price in Prince Rupert.

With an estimated revenue of about \$75,000 for the city, exclusive of the G. T. P. taxes, and an estimated expenditure of \$130,000 for eight months, there is likely to be some high financing about next municipal election time.

### New Fire Hydrant's Positions

According to the city engineer's report the Fire and Water committee have recommended the installation of 6-inch fire hydrants as follows: one on Comox avenue, one at the corner of Fraser and Fifth streets, one on the Grand Trunk Co.'s main at the corner of Sixth street and Second avenue. Also a 2-inch hydrant at the Knox

hotel, and one at the Sash and Door factory on Seventh avenue.

The laying of a 6-inch main between Second and Third avenues is deferred pending report from the Finance committee.

The two new hose sheds at Third avenue and Sixth street and Second avenue and Seventh street cost together the sum of \$80.

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FOR RENT—Three room house; furnished, on Borden St., best view in city. Apply Thos. McClymont, cor. Fulton and Third Ave. 115-tf

LOST—Gold Medal. "C. A. C., won by C. A. Vaughan, 10 walk," engraved on back and attached to buckle. Leave at Sloan & Co.'s store, Reward. 131-133

LOST—Carburetor valve, between 6th and 8th Streets on 2nd Ave. Reward on returning to Optimist.

OFFICE Rooms to rent in Wark Block. Apply Secretary Wanderer's Club. 131-tf

WOMAN—To do cleaning two days a week. 25c per hour. Apply Knox Hotel. 135-tf

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## Liquor Act, 1910

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the St. Ives Hotel, situate at Masset, Q. C. I., in the Province of British Columbia. Dated this 10th day of October, 1910.

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Oct. 10-30d

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## Lloyd Painter, Lost

Lloyd Painter arrived in Prince Rupert on Oct. 5th, looking for his mother, Mrs. L. R. Painter. He has not since been heard of. He is 13 years old, short, heavy set, dark brown hair, dark grey eyes. Member of Methodist Church. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts will kindly notify Mrs. L. R. Painter, P. O. Box 662, Prince Rupert, B. C. 134-140

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## PERSONAL

Frank Armstrong, jeweler, of Vancouver, is a round tripper on the Prince Rupert.

Pete Nanace, the operator of the pack train from Stewart to the mines, came up on the Prince Rupert.

Billy Wadhams, the well-known cannery man of Port Essington, was a passenger up on the Prince Rupert.

Sol Cameron came up on the Prince Rupert and took the Prince Albert last night for Stewart to inspect the construction of the Portland Canal, short line.

Albert Davidson, city freight agent of the Grand Trunk Pacific at Vancouver, came up on the Prince Rupert on a business trip. He is going on to visit the Queen Charlotte islands, Stewart and other points before his return.

J. T. Phelan, inspector of government telegraphs, arrived on the Prince Rupert and is staying at the Inn for a few days. He goes to Stewart later, to inspect the work on the new telegraph line from Kitsumkalum to that point, and afterwards up the Skeena. He states that twelve miles of the line is already completed.

## NE EXPRESS COMPANY

First Service of the Canadian Express and Stewart.

T. W. Ross, representative of the Canadian Express company, was a passenger on the Prince Rupert, which also carried the first shipment of his company to this port. Mr. Ross is to open offices both here and at Stewart, and will issue drafts and money orders, carry packages and do a general express business. Mr. Ross went to Stewart last night.

## EXCURSION BY RAIL

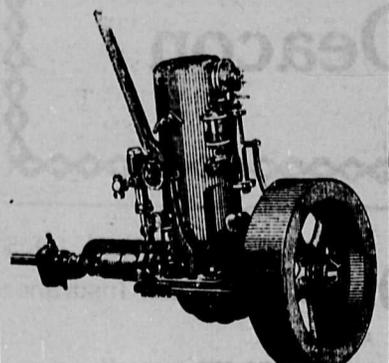
Gen. Supt. Mehan Takes a Number of Visitors Along the Line

A special train left for the end of steel early this morning carrying a number of visitors who came up by the Prince Rupert. Among the guests of General Superintendent Mehan in his private coach were E. H. Fitzhugh, first vice-president of the Grand Trunk and director of the Grand Trunk Pacific, with his wife and daughter; his secretary, Mr. Riddle; J. E. Dalrymple, assistant freight traffic manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, with his wife and son; Dr. Riordan, surgeon of the company with headquarters at Toronto; A. E. Holt, president of the Crown Incestment company of Montreal; and Mrs. Captain Nicholson. Superintendent McNicoll accompanied the party.

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**Northern End of Banks Island Taken Up for Farming Purposes**

P. M. Maher, of the Vancouver firm of Lawless & Maher, arrived on the Prince Rupert last night, accompanied by Messrs. Larkin and Rudy of Minneapolis. Mr. Maher has located sixty-five sections of six hundred and forty acres each, making a total of forty-one thousand six hundred acres, at the north end of Banks island. Mr. Larkin and Mr. Rudy are the representatives of forty Minnesota families who are coming out next spring to make the island their homes.

Mr. Maher says this undertaking means a good deal to the business of Prince Rupert, as not only does it mean the development of agricultural industry on the island but also of the fisheries and other natural resources.

The party under command of Capt. Bruin, left for Banks Island this afternoon in the launch Topaz, which had been chartered for this purpose.

**Three More Suspects**

San Francisco, Oct. 13.—(Special)—It is known here that the detectives have discovered in a lodging house here three men suspected of complicity in the Los Angeles Times outrage.

**TENDERS FOR THIRD AVENUE**

WILL BE CALLED FOR AT ONCE

**Question of Stopping Grading of Second Avenue Beyond Junction Again Discussed.** Ald. Hilditch the "High Priest" and Ald. Lynch the "Apostle."

Ald. Lynch moved at last night's city council that tenders be called for the work on Third avenue as planned by the city engineer. Ald. McIntyre seconded.

Ald. Hilditch asked why nothing had been done regarding the transfer of the contract in progress on the section of Second avenue beyond the junction. Though they had the money promised from the Bank of Montreal it would be some time before they could get the actual funds. It would be sometime before they could collect the assessment against the loan. He had been studying up the city assessment and found that taking one thing with another there was very little equity in the city's method of assessment on the small property owner. He had calculated that an owner of a single lot in Biggar place would have an assessment equal to six per cent on his investment. The city had a legal but not a moral right to put on this assessment unless the people had a say in the matter. It was an injustice to the people of the outlying districts. Better to tax property in the business section of the city than in the districts where only dwelling houses would be erected for a considerable time. He believed that if the property owners of these districts were present now they would object to the tax on them, and again suggested that the only fair way to do this grading was to grade the central sections of First, Second and Third avenues with their cross streets and let the business property owners bear the biggest share of the tax for this. It was not fair to ask from residential property taxes on the same scale as for business property.

Ald. Hilditch continuing said that he would oppose Ald. Lynch's motion not because he did not want Third avenue graded, but because he wanted to see First avenue graded from the junction to McBride street. A plank roadway would serve the people beyond the junction for years to come he thought. A large number of the owners there were absentees and those residents there did not want to pay heavy taxes. Ald.

Hilditch would like to see the work stopped in the part of Second avenue below the junction and the money devoted to work on First avenue.

Ald. Lynch argued that the work now being done on Second avenue beyond the junction could never be done cheaper than at present, and said that the residents and owners there were aware of this and anxious to have the grading done. He mentioned that he had bought a lot there for \$500 and sold it for \$2000 as proof that the property was by no means as unimportant compared with the congested section as might seem. Lots were leaping to speculative values in that district, and could bear assessment for grading all right. If the grading were postponed for even another year it would cost \$100,000 more to do. Ald. Lynch said that personally he had no fears regarding the supply of money for the grading of all of Section One. He was confident that the city's bonds would be all sold long before the time came for the last payment to be made on grading work there, and the Bank of Montreal would be paid off. He strongly advocated the policy of going right ahead with the grading in progress and getting busy with the new contracts proposed at once.

Ald. Pattullo rose to support Ald. Lynch's motion. He said that he felt that the city ought on no account to go back on any work but should ever press forward. Besides it was ridiculous for the council to chop and change about after settling matters by full deliberation and decision.

Ald. Hilditch said that no matter whether Ald. Lynch had paid \$500 for a lot there and sold it for \$2000, still there were lots in that district assessed at only \$300. The situation was unfair for some of the citizens. He admitted the legal but not the moral right regarding this assessment. Some of the lots here were taxed to the extent of only \$3 and yet here was the city's credit being pledged to the extent of \$250 a lot for this grading. It was straining the city's borrowing power heavily, and mortgaging outlying property's borrowing power for its own improvement. It was not giving the outside man a chance to have his own property improved later on.

Ald. Pattullo pointed out that the legal and moral issue in this matter was identical for both the general fund system and local improvement plan. It was impossible to build all of the city at once, and the wisest course was to go ahead with the business section first as its completion would benefit all sections. "I have a good deal of outside property myself," said Ald. Pattullo, "for which I would not give a button unless there were a good business section."

Ald. Hilditch again rose apologetically but saying that he had to reply to Ald. Pattullo as when aldermen threw talk like his it had got to be answered. The question was to give the people the privilege of saying which portions of the city should get improved. The moral obligations of the city to the citizens would be discharged if the matter were fairly put to the people. As matters were going at present they had no say in the matter at all.

Ald. McIntyre said there was a good deal of truth in Ald. Hilditch's remarks, and indeed some of his arguments were unanswerable. At the same time they had started on this work, and it certainly could be done cheaper now than later on. He believed the assessments would increase rapidly as the improvements went on, and the city's borrowing power would accordingly increase. He was therefore ready to support the motion.

Ald. Lynch said he had very strong reason to believe that many people might have wanted grading work stopped at Eighth street. He knew of one citizen at any rate whose opinion on that effect he had read in a local paper. However, the choice remained simply whether they should have Watson's contract stopped in order that work might be taken up on another section instead by him at his own terms or keep on with this contract to a finish

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

**GETTINGS AND SPENDINGS OF CITY DEPARTMENTS**

**City Clerk and Treasurer State Them at Ald. Pattullo's Request. Ald. Hilditch Says Statement Is "Beautifully Ambiguous."**

The following is the financial statement prepared by the city clerk and treasurer, at the request of Ald. Pattullo, and presented at last night's city council meeting. It shows the total expenditure by the various departments from May 31st to October 8th 1910 inclusive, to have been \$69,187.98. The city's bank balance is \$33,629.75. Outstanding cheques and unpaid accounts represent \$31,869.31. There is a cash balance on hand of \$1760.44, and the total estimated expenditure for these various departments till December 31, 1910, is put at \$58,926.00. The details are given in the statement below:

Statement of Expenditure	
May 19 to Oct. 8, inclusive	
Finance and Assessment Committee ..	\$ 7582 05
Unpaid accounts...	256 15
	\$ 7838 20
Streets, Works and Property Com....	\$23317 08
Unpaid accounts..	1143 35
	\$24460 43
Fire and Water Committee.....	\$14336 99
Unpaid accounts..	2492 84
	\$16829 83
Light Committee....	\$ 411 45
Unpaid accounts...	14138 27
	\$14549 72
Health, Relief, License and Police...	\$ 4245 75
	293 90
	\$ 4539 65
Schools .....	\$ 970 15
	\$69187 98
Bal. per pass book, Sept. 30, 1910 .....	\$10709 77
Deposit during Oct..	22919 98
	\$33629 75
Cheques outstanding	\$13544 80
Accounts unpaid .....	18324 51
	\$31869 31
Balance on hand..	\$ 1760 44
Estimated Expenditure	
For 3 months ending Dec. 31	
Finance committee..	\$11825 00
Police department...	3255 00
Health department..	1740 00
Fire department....	11285 00
Building Inspector's salary.....	450 00
Salary Engineers and St. maintenance ..	2480 00
Sewers maintenance	100 00
	3030 00
WATER DEPT.	
Hays Creek.....	1310 00

and also go ahead with others.

Ald. Barrow could not see any sense in switching Watson off Second avenue either to Third avenue to please Ald. McIntyre or to First to please Ald. Hilditch. He was not altogether in agreement with Ald. Hilditch's financial calculations, but he had a great respect for both his colleagues of the Streets committee. The trouble, however, to him seemed to consist mainly in the fact that Ald. Lynch was the apostle of the Frontage Tax system, while Ald. Hilditch was the high priest of the General Fund plan, and like the head of Charles the First in Dickens' story these subjects would keep coming into all possible discussions.

Ald. Pattullo then asked that the question be put regarding the motion.

Ald. Hilditch asked if the idea then was that Watson should go on with his end of Second avenue.

Ald. Pattullo suggested leaving that matter open for Ald. Hilditch's benefit at ensuing council meetings.

Ald. Hilditch replied that he was ready to go on thrashing it out until the council was tired of it if need be.

The motion was then put and carried. Ald. Hilditch merely refrained from voting.

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Schools .....		7040 00
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Ald. Hilditch said City Clerk Woods' report of the city's financial position was beautiful for its ambiguity, and not at all what he wanted in the way of a statement. He was prepared now to dig out the details for himself.

Ald. Barrow said that it was a matter for the chairmen of committees to discover the details of their own committee's expenditure from the books of their departments, as Ald. Hilditch had said he was to do.

Ald. Pattullo said that the city clerk's report satisfied him and was all he wanted. It was impossible in the time available for the more detailed report wanted by Ald. Hilditch to be prepared.

Ald. Hilditch said that he was going to find out for himself what he wanted to know.

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**LOSING GRASP ON ALASKA**

**ROSENE SAYS IT IS FATAL TO SEATTLE**

Promoter of Alaska Railroads Says Population in North Means Increase of Manufacturing in Puget Sound City.

Seattle, Oct. 7.—Unless Seattle business men take an active interest in the development of Alaska this city will never become a great port and the progress of the Northern district will be slow is the statement of John Rosene, who has long been identified with large enterprises in the North.

"It is a fact that Seattle business men do not even go to the trouble to ascertain what is going on in Alaska," said Mr. Rosene yesterday. "Although Alaska is directly responsible for the rapid growth of the city since the discovery of the Klondike, there appears to be little interest displayed in the development of the North. It will be learned some day that Seattle's importance as a commercial center will depend upon the growth of Alaska.

"The fuel for the Pacific coast during the next fifteen years will come largely from Alaska. The coal from the rich northern fields must be carried 1,500 miles in ships and the home port of this fleet will become the commercial and shipping center of the Pacific coast.

"Seattle is the home port of a small fleet of steamships which are controlled from New York. So far as I am informed, not one Seattle man is on the board of directors and little Seattle capital, if any, is interested in the transportation lines. If the people of Seattle owned the transportation lines to and within Alaska, they would in time own as much of the resources of the district as they want, as one follows the other.

"I believe that one of the most important lines of endeavor that the Chamber of Commerce could undertake would be to arouse general interest in Alaska. The condition of things at present shows that there are fewer inhabitants of the district today than for many years. I have recently experimented in a campaign of publicity to test the interest in Alaska. I found that the public was keen to know all about the great district, but that it had little accurate knowledge.

"Today Alaska is the land of promise, the place where there is room for everybody and a place of wonderful opportunities. Instead of having the tide of travel set outward from Alaska it should be going north. Business men of Seattle realize that trade with Alaska is getting duller every year, but they have not troubled themselves to ascertain the cause. With 500,000 people in Alaska, Seattle would become important as a manufacturing center; it cannot become important in that respect without the development of Alaska."

During the years that Mr. Rosene has lived in Seattle he has secured more money for Alaska enterprises than the combined capital of all the banks in this city. He has been energetic in trying to center Alaska's business in Seattle, and his interest has been of broader scope than mere personal ambition.

Mr. Rosene will leave shortly for Europe in the interest of a big Alaska project. One of the enterprises that he is interested in is the building of a railroad from Controller bay to the Behring coal fields. The preliminary surveys have been made for a line from fifteen to twenty miles long, with its southern terminal in a protected harbor on Controller bay.

**Pioneer Gold Seeker Dead**

Victoria, Oct. 7.—George Cowan, a famous pioneer gold seeker and legislator, is dead at Barkersville, aged 79 years.

**Kipling's Latest**

"If you can keep your head when all about you  
Are losing theirs and blaming it on you;  
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,  
But make allowance for their doubting,  
too;  
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting.  
Or, being lied about, don't deal in lies;  
Or, being hated, don't give way to hating;  
And yet don't look too good, nor talk too wise;

"If you can dream—and not make dreams your master;  
If you can think—and not make thoughts your aim;  
If you can meet with triumph and disaster  
And treat those two imposters just the same;  
If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken  
Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,  
Or watch the things you gave your life to broken,  
And stoop and build 'em up with worn-out tools;

"If you can make one heap of all your winnings  
And risk it on one turn of pitch-and-toss,  
And lose, and start again at your beginning  
And never breathe a word about your loss;  
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew  
To serve your turn long after they are gone,  
And so hold on when there is nothing in you  
Except the will which says to them 'Hold on!'

"If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue,  
Or walk with kings—nor lose the common touch;  
If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you,  
If all men count with you, but not too much;  
If you can fill the unforgiving minute  
With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,  
Yours is the earth and everything that's in it,  
And—which is more—you'll be a man, my son!" —American Magazine

**ON IMPERIAL RELATIONS**

**Suggests Department in London With Colonial Connections**

London, Oct. 9.—Evelyn Cecil, M. P., who was the last Englishman to confer with Presidents Kruger and Steyn before the outbreak of the Boer war, spoke at Aston before his constituents. He said that he was very anxious to see the idea of the Imperial conference develop along these lines: First, let the equality of the Mother Country and overseas Dominions be recognized with close Imperial connections. Secondly; let the nucleus of a federal government by the Mother Country and the self-governing Dominions over truly Imperial affairs be formed by creating an efficient department in London with colonial connections as the connecting link between periodical Imperial conferences.

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Take notice that I, Thomas Dunn of Prince Rupert, occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of Kyiox River, thence running west 20 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement, and containing 160 acres more or less; post marked "T. D.'s SE. Corner."  
Date Aug. 25, 1910. THOMAS DUNN, Locator  
Pub. Sept. 7. J. E. Bateman, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar  
Take notice that Frank Mordaunt of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted on the left bank of the Tehtin River, about three miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the north-west corner thereof, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.  
Date Aug. 14, 1910. FRANK MORDAUNT  
Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that John I. O'Phelan of South Bend, Wash., U. S. A., occupation lawyer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and four miles east of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 13, 1910. JOHN I. O'PHELAN  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast  
Take notice that Joseph E. Marchildon of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles up the Ex Chum Sik River from its mouth and on the left bank of river going up stream; thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains more or less to river bank, thence westerly along river bank to place of commencement.  
Date Aug. 15, 1910. [Sgd] "Joseph E. Marchildon"  
Pub. Aug. 22

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that J. J. Clifford of Barry, Minnesota, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about five miles north and four miles east of the mouth of an inlet which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 15, 1910. J. J. CLIFFORD  
Pub. Sept. 15th. B. L. Tingley, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar  
Take notice that John D. McIntyre of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation financier, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 50 chains west of a point on the Kinkooch River, about seven miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-east corner thereof, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.  
Date Aug. 18, 1910. JOHN D. McINTYRE  
Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhavn, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena  
Take notice that F. R. C. Brown of Prince Rupert, occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted adjoining G. D. Tite's corner post, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 9, 1910. F. R. C. BROWN  
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Demers, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5  
Take notice that Jean Vaughan of Hammond, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted on the shore of the north end of Lakelse Lake and at the S. W. corner of Lot 3982, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.  
Date Sept. 19, 1910. JEAN VAUGHAN  
Pub. Oct. 1. Mancell Clark, Agent

**LAND PURCHASE NOTICE**

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that James Sammon of Graceville, Minnesota, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted two miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. JAMES SAMMON  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar  
Take notice that Gustave Bradley of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation teamster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 50 chains west of a point on the Kinkooch River, about seven miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-west corner thereof, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.  
Date Aug. 18, 1910. GUSTAVE BRADLEY  
Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Bryan Ruddy of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted six miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. BRYAN RUDDY  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena  
Take notice that Numa Demers of Prince Rupert, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted adjoining Gilbert Burrow's corner post, thence 40 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 9, 1910. NUMA DEMERS  
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Demers, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that M. D. Larkin of Barry, Minnesota, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted two miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. M. D. LARKIN  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar  
Take notice that Gustav Berger of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains west of a point on the Kinkooch River, about six miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-east corner thereof, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.  
Date Aug. 18, 1910. GUSTAVE BERGER  
Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast  
Take notice that George R. Putman of Prince Rupert, occupation timekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of lot 1712; thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.  
Date September 5, 1910. Geo. R. Putman  
Pub. Sept. 20.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5  
Take notice that William McPhee of Lakelse, B. C., occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of John Furlong's pre-emption, thence east 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 20 chains along Lake shore to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.  
Date Aug. 20, 1910. WILLIAM McPHEE  
Pub. Sept. 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast  
Take notice that I, Thomas Nelson Dunn of Prince Rupert, occupation salesman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted on the east bank of Kyiox River about six miles from its mouth and marked: "T. N. D.'s N.W. Corner," thence running east 40 chains, thence running south 80 chains, thence running west 40 chains, thence northerly along the bank of Kyiox River to point of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.  
Date Aug. 25, 1910. THOMAS NELSON DUNN  
Pub. Sept. 7. J. E. Bateman, Agent

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## ADETOWN HAS GREAT FUTURE

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Humorist Says If It Keeps on Doubling Its Population It Will Have Double That of New York in Twenty Years.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Geotge Ade, humorist and playwright, makes the boast that the town of Ade, Ind., which is named after him, is growing faster than any community in the world.

"When the town was established by the Indian Harbor railroad about eight miles north of Kentland, where I was born," said Ade, "the country sent a station agent there. That made the population one. The next year the agent married. That was an increase of 100 per cent in a year. The season following a baby was born to the agent, and the company sent a baggage man. That made the population four, and it had again doubled within twelve months.

"The following year the Presbyterian preacher and his wife and an elevator man and his wife moved into town. That made the population eight. Now, I calculate that if the town of Ade keeps on doubling its population every year, as it has been doing, it will have 12,391,920 people, or about twice as many as New York, in 1930."

### AGAINST THE CHANGE

Vancouver News Advertiser Prefers Name of Hudson Bay

The frivolous desire of some people to change the names of places has inspired an agitation to have Hudson Bay called the Canadian Sea. There is nothing the matter with the name of Hudson Bay. Those who think that a sea is larger and more important than a bay might at least be content with a change of that word. But there is no need to change anything. The distinction between a bay and a sea is delightfully vague. Seas are sometimes mere inland lakes, like the Sea of Galilee or Aral Sea. Sometimes they are arms of the ocean, as the Caribbean Sea or the North Sea. Bays are sometimes projections of the ocean, as the Bay of Biscay. They may be nearly enclosed, as Hudson Bay, or more open, as the Bay of Bengal. They may be large, like the last named water, or smaller, like the Bay of Gibraltar.

There is no distinction of size or shape which makes it more proper to call Hudson Bay a sea. Still less is there reason to give up the name of the navigator who first cruised its shores, and whose bones lie beneath its waters. When a name has been long associated with a geographical position it should remain, unless strong reasons are found for a change. But in this case all the strong reasons are against any change. It will be time enough to call Hudson Bay the Canadian Sea when the United States changes the Mississippi to the American River. One would be as much a fool trick as the other.

### HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

Plans for Reorganization of Its Many Trading Stores.

Winnipeg, Oct. 9.—Persistent rumors are current here that Mr. Chipman, of the Hudson's Bay company, who arrived here from England yesterday, has had his powers curtailed and that only the lands and furs department are to be in his charge in future. The stores from Fort William to Vancouver, 170 in number, will be under Mr. Herbert Burbidge, son of the manager of Harrods, London, as general manager. Mr. Chipman announces that he will make a statement on Monday. Mr. Burbidge has sailed from Liverpool for Winnipeg.

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that John Kennedy of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted four miles north and one mile west of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. JOHN KENNEDY  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that John Harvey of Grassville, Minnesota, occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted four miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. JOHN HARVEY  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5  
Take notice that M. Loquist of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains east of Extewer river, on the south side of G. T. P. right-of-way, mile 70 1-2 from Prince Rupert, Skeena Land District, District of Coast Range 5, and marked M. Loquist's N. E. corner; thence south 40 chains more or less to bank of Skeena river, thence 40 chains more or less in a north-westerly direction along bank of slough and Extewer river to G. T. P. right-of-way; thence 40 chains in an easterly direction along G. T. P. right-of-way to post of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.  
Date Sept. 9, 1910. M. Loquist  
Pub. Sept. 19th. Enoch R. L. Jones, Agent.

Coast Land District—District of Skeena  
Take notice that G. W. Arnott of Prince Rupert, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at post planted half mile west of J. H. Murphy's corner post, thence north 80 chains thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 9, 1910. G. W. Arnott  
Pub. Aug. 15. Per Numa Demers, Agent.

Coast Land District—District of Skeena  
Take notice that B. R. McDonald of Prince Rupert, occupation Customs House officer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted one half mile north of Frank Keely's corner post, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 9, 1910. B. R. McDonald  
Pub. Aug. 15. Per Numa Demers, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5  
Take notice that Minerva Fu tney of Vancouver occupation housekeeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains east of the south west corner of lot 19 range 5 Coast District, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. Minerva Furtney  
Pub Aug 15. H. N. Root, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that J. C. Littleton of Grassville, Minnesota, occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted four miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. J. C. LITTLETON  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Edmund J. Barry of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted two miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. EDMUND J. BARRY  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena  
Take notice that H. Johnson of Prince Rupert, occupation boat builder, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted adjoining J. W. Scott's corner post, thence 50 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 50 chains west, thence 40 chains north to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 9, 1910. H. JOHNSON  
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Demers, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena  
Take notice that Catherine Harrison of Calgary, Alta., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted adjoining H. Johnson's corner post, thence 80 chains north, thence 40 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains west to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 9, 1910. CATHERINE HARRISON  
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Demers, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island  
Take notice that Matthew Casey of Mohall, North Dakota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted on the north side of the mouth of an inlet, which is about 10 miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. MATTHEW CASEY  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Skeena  
Take notice that Rowena J. Taylor of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about five miles distant and in a northwesterly direction from the mouth of the Eschamela River and about 10 chains north of the river, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.  
August 4, 1910. Rowena J. Taylor.  
Pub. August 26. J. Rogers, Agent

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## City of Prince Rupert

Taxes and Licenses as follows, became due on August 12th, under By-law No. 12.

A Road Tax from every male person between the ages of 21 and 60 years who is not assessed for real property.  
A dog tax from every person owning or harboring a dog over six months of age.

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Section 30 of the above mentioned by-law is as follows:—"Any person guilty of a breach of this By-law, or who carries on any profession, trade, occupation or calling for which a tax or license is provided for in this By-law without having first taken out such license and having paid the license fee or tax herein provided, shall be liable on summary conviction to a penalty of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) together with the amount of the license fee or tax which should have been paid, and in default of payment to imprisonment for (60) days.

Notice is hereby given that from November 1st, proceedings will be instituted under section 80, Prince Rupert, Oct. 12, 1910.

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**LIGHT WANTED FOR PREMISES**

**ALD. HILDITCH WANTS ANOTHER MACHINE**

**Light Committee Has Been Already Thinking of Having One Ordered. Ald. Mobley on Ald. Hilditch's Good Judgment.**

Ald. Hilditch said at last night's city council meeting that he thought a second electric light machine should be installed right away in the new lighting station so that light could be supplied to business premises and dwellings. The city light plant should be self supporting like the phone system.

Ald. Lynch solicited the advice of his fellow aldermen in the various matters of the lighting business at present. The committee was one of only two members at the moment, he said, and would be glad of assistance.

Ald. Mobley complimented Ald. Hilditch on his good judgment. It was either that, he said, or Ald. Hilditch must have peeped into the committee's plans for his idea was exactly that of the committee for the immediate future. He mentioned that he also would be glad of his fellow councillors' opinions.

Ald. Hilditch was delighted that Ald. Mobley was so conciliatory. He said he had only used his own unaided judgment in this idea of his regarding the light proposal. He referred to the quantities of wire "scattered all over the city" which he thought might be

used to advantage in connecting the main wiring system with the consumers' houses.

Ald. Mobley said he hadn't got entangled in any of that wire yet, but no doubt there was a good deal of copper wire hanging around the city and as copper it was valuable in any case whether it could be used as Ald. Hilditch suggested or not.

Ald. Lynch said that they might not be allowed to use a good deal of this old wire as it was not well insulated. The matter he thought could be safely left to the electricians.

Ald. Barrow said that if the light plant were to be self supporting the rate for supply would need to be pretty high at first.

The Mayor said much depended on the price of coal used in making the light.

Ald. Mobley agreed that it would be advisable to fix the rate reasonably high. The main thing was to have light. Regarding the wire referred to by Ald. Hilditch, it could be gathered up as the workmen proceeded with the installation of the new plant.

**Annual Thanksgiving Banquet**

The Ladies of the Methodist Church are preparing to give their Annual Thanksgiving Banquet on the evening of Thanksgiving Day. The banquet tables will be ready at 5:45 p.m. and music and an entertaining toast list will follow at 8 o'clock. It will be held in the church and as its popularity in former years has placed it in the rank of one of the best social events in the city, a thoroughly enjoyable time may be anticipated.

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