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## CITIZENS FIRST FOR CITY WORK

### ALD. HILDITCH RAISES HIS VEXED QUESTION

And Is Charged With Talking a Lot to Make Political Capital. The "Vitches" Seem to Bother Him a Bit. "Waiting List" for Workers.

Under the head of "unfinished business" at last night's city council meeting Ald. Hilditch spoke on a subject now more or less generally associated with him, namely, the claims of the resident and tax-paying workmen of Prince Rupert to have a preference over transient laborers when there is city work going.

Ald. Hilditch said that within the last few days he had had quite a number of applications from such resident workmen complaining of hard times in the city and of the impossibility of getting work, and asking if it were not fair that they should have the preference over non-permanent residents of the city in regard to city labor. Ald. Hilditch thought these people's claim was a just one, that those helping to pay city taxes should have the first privilege of working on city jobs for city wages. He said the men of this class applying to him for help were good husky fellows yet many of them had been turned down recently in their search for work not only by the city but by the contractors for city works. He proposed bringing the matter before the Streets committee and other committees in the hope that something might be done with it.

Ald. Mobley remarked that a little of this had come under his notice too, but he had been able in all cases to put the applicants onto jobs. He did not think the cases were as numerous as Ald. Hilditch would imply, and suggested that Ald. Hilditch should give the names of the men applying to him. He referred to the case of one man who had come to him grumbling because a certain city contract had not come his way.

Ald. Hilditch said it wasn't so much the contractors as the laborers and artisans he meant. He said that on looking down the pay roll of the city works' departments he had been appalled at the number of names he had seen there ending with "vitch" or some such foreign looking tale. He had asked Mr. Thompson about this and had been informed that the "vitches" had been engaged in a time of pressure when men were wanted in a hurry. Ald. Hilditch went on to emphasize the fact that it was the workmen rather than those wanting contracts that he meant. The contractors, he said, can look after themselves.

Ald. Mobley rose in defence of the "vitches." He said that many of the men of foreign nationality in Canada were as good every bit as the English speaking inhabitants as citizens. Because a man's name ended with "vitch" he was not necessarily a worthless worker or undeserving of employment by the city. If a man were a good law abiding, tax paying citizen, as many of these "vitches" were, he might have a name ending with "vitch" or anything else he jolly well chose.

Ald. Pattullo said that this labor question was getting to be a sore one in the city council discussions. For his own part, he had said, that if any one in the city desired anything in this way he was ready as far as possible to bring the matter before the council and have it attended to. But so far he had not received any complaints of the kind referred to. Why not, he asked, have

those complaints laid before the council as a whole? As for people's names, the Dominion of Canada was going to great expense every year to bring people, of all nationalities into the country, spending annually thousands of dollars. People were wanted to help build the city, and it was poor policy seemingly, for Prince Rupert to reverse the method of the Dominion at large and find no use for people with foreign names.

Ald. Hilditch said he was rather amused at Ald. Pattullo's remarks. In reference to the Dominion's spending large sums to bring in people, he said there was a big difference between the

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## ELECTRIC LIGHT SITE

### Reply Received From Grand Trunk Favorable to Application

Some time ago the city council applied to the Grand Trunk Pacific for a site for the city lighting plant, but meantime purchased a site. Ald. Smith remarked this morning that Superintendent Mehan was in receipt of a letter from Mr. Chamberlin to the effect that the application of the city had been granted by the company.

## Only Ten Days Now

In order that workmen who cannot easily get away to register their names on the voters' list between the hours of 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the City Hall, Ald. Hilditch last night suggested that the city assessor might perhaps attend to the registering between the hours of 7 and 8 p.m. After some little discussion it was decided to look into the matter and see what can be done to give everybody qualified a chance to get entered as a voter in the ten days now available for the purpose.

## Bell's Little Jag

In the police court this morning J. T. Bell was fined five dollars and costs for being drunk yesterday. He was allowed till afternoon to raise the money, failing payment to go to gaol for seven days.

## OFF FOR THE SOUTH

### Prince Rupert Left Last Night With Good Load for Southern Points

The Prince Rupert got away on schedule time last night with sixty-four first class passengers, six second and six third. Among the first class passengers were:

For Vancouver—H. H. Miller, C. H. Jones, Mrs. Foster, Ella Ford, P. J. Palmer, P. Maher, Miss Harrison, F. M. Prail, Mrs. Bugler, H. O. Richer, F. L. Walker, J. B. Pattullo, H. B. Wilson, W. A. Wadhams, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lockhart, R. McLuden, S. Mearns, Mr. Galbraith, P. Laird, A. Maher, C. Detrich, C. C. Worsfield, Mr. and Mrs. Enniqu, B. A. Yandall, D. Davidson, D. H. Dick, Hiss Hendrie, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. D. Allen, Mr. D. W. Morissey, F. C. Folby, W. J. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. Saller, G. Mackie, M. G. Marsh.

For Victoria—Miss Collison, Mrs. McDonald, W. J. Robertson, R. George, H. Nation, K. C. McCallum, M. Harger, D. D. McTavish, A. Small, P. Westfall, W. B. Trigg, H. E. Husey.

For Seattle—B. Ruddy, W. Larkin, P. R. Reed, C. Stuckie, W. J. Elmendorf, F. Hawthorne, Julia Porter, L. Painter.

The Empress theatre show last night was first rate, and the theatre is evidently popular judging from the houses it draws. Tonight's show and Saturday's will be specially attractive as Prof. Hoyle will be present to give his marvellous exhibition.

## Brother-in-Law Missing

Richard Hurley who left Vancouver over a year ago to go to Prince Rupert, sent a post card from here to Toronto announcing his safe arrival, and has not since been heard of, is anxiously enquired for by W. Hitchen of 203 Hamilton street, Toronto, who will be glad to receive any information regarding his relative.

## For the Benefit of the Public

As the McIntyre Hall is the only dance hall in town, Messrs. Brin Furniture Co. wish to announce that it will be available for dances, parties, and all social functions for this coming winter.

## BANKS ISLAND IS EXPLORED

### NEW NORTHWEST PASSAGE IS DISCOVERED

### P. M. Maher and the Minnesota Parties Are All Pleased with Soil and Climate—Meadows Large in Extent Found Few Miles Inland.

The Maher expedition to Banks island, which left here a week ago in the Topaz, returned last evening, and Captain Bragg, of the little steamer, told the same story of bad weather as most of the navigators have the last few days. During the heaviest part of the storm, however, they were riding at anchor in a harbor off Banks island which is uncharted, unmapped and unnamed.

Captain Bruin was in charge of the expedition and the party suggests that his name be changed to Ursa Major because of his exploit in having discovered a northwest passage on Banks island. The party sailed from here on the afternoon of the 13th and anchored off Elliot island for the night. The next morning they reached Banks island, twenty-five miles from there and anchored in an inlet "unchartered, unmapped and unnamed," but which provided a safe anchorage notwithstanding. The next day they proceeded to Deadman's Inlet, four miles southeast of the inlet unnamed.

There the party landed soon after seven in the morning at once proceeded on an exploration of the interior. About eight miles inland they arrived at the tract mapped out and found every thing satisfactory. They found flowery meadows of good grass from one to three miles wide and ten miles in length, which called forth the admiration of Mr. Larkin, who is spying out land for Minnesota parties.

The next day Captain Bruin and Mr. Larkin took two days provisions and set out to cross the island from east to west. A short distance out they struck Principe channel and being unable to cross had to retrace their steps and following what they believed to be the coast line managed to reach Hecate Straits on the west. But here they found they were lost on an island and could find no way of getting back to the mainland of Banks island. This is where the mysterious northwest passage comes in. The two explorers were out four days instead of two, but they had their guns with them and geese and duck were exceedingly plentiful.

Messrs. Larkin and Rudy, the two Minnesota men, are well pleased with the soil and climate of the part of the island located, but Mr. Maher, who left last night on the Prince Rupert for the home office in Vancouver, says his firm is not likely to take any active steps for the colonization of the tract for the next two years, as much has to be done before that. The tract located contains 41,600 acres.

## Permit Granted

The Westholme Lumber company will be permitted by the city to build a dry masonry wall on Second avenue opposite Lots 65 and 66, Block 7, Section 1, subject to the approval of the city engineer. The Streets committee's report to this effect was approved and adopted at last night's city council.

## Prince Albert on Run Again

The Prince Albert left at seven o'clock last night, with twenty-five passengers for Stewart, Masset, Skidegate, Queen Charlotte City and Ikeda Bay. She will be back here on Sunday morning.

## ROVER BOATHOUSE MOVED

### In Good Shape After Grounding and Work in Full Swing

The Rover boathouse and workshops of the Prince Rupert Marine Iron Works and Supply company were towed yesterday from the position in which the high tide and wind had placed them ashore from their former moorings, and taken to a new position at Hays Creek.

H. Dixon Robinson states this morning that the boathouse and workshops are in good shape after their grounding, and are now safely settled in their new position where work will be continued as formerly until further notice.

## A Local Linguist

A rumor was heard the other night at the Prince Rupert Club that the assistant steward there is an expert linguist. It is even whispered that he speaks excellent Chinese.

## TO USE UNION STATION

### Grand Trunk Pacific Will Use the One at Vancouver

Vancouver, Oct. 18.—L. C. Gilman, vice-president of the Great Northern railway stated that the recent refusal of the provincial executive to approve the city's plan for development at the head of False creek merely covered the stated point and did not comprehend the general merits of the case. He said he had been assured by the attorney-general and premier that the government would aid through special legislation any development scheme of which the city approves. The matter was one to be treated in a commercial sense and not in a political spirit.

On the strength of these assurances the Great Northern would go ahead with its plans for terminals at the head of False Creek and these would be presented shortly to the railway commission. The city is asked to aid in the work of securing enlarged grants to the bed of the creek. Mr. Gilman stated that the Great Northern would use a union passenger depot for its Vancouver business, Mr. Mann having approached him on the matter in Chicago two weeks ago. Grand Trunk Pacific officials had also intimated that they would use the station.

## Council Meetings Cut Down

It was proposed by the Mayor last night, that as city council business is now not piling up so much as it used to, three nights a week for council meetings are too many. The Mayor thought one meeting would be enough, but Ald. Mobley was in favor of two meetings owing to the arrangements made for meetings of committees. After some little discussion it was moved by Ald. Pattullo and seconded by Ald. Mobley that in future council meetings should be held on Monday and Thursday nights and the motion was carried.

## ERECTION OF WAREHOUSE

### FOR STEWART MOBLEY AND J. PIERCY MORRIS CO.

### Work Begun on Large New Double Building Today. To Cost Between \$15,000 and \$16,000. E. Kauffman Is Contractor.

The contract for the fine new double warehouse building to be erected on First avenue and the waterfront for Messrs. Stewart and Mobley and Messrs. J. Piercy Morris & Co., has been let to Emil Kauffman, the contractor who erected the new Kelly Douglas building now almost completed.

Work commenced today on the excavation necessary for the foundations, and with a large group of men on the contractor expects to have this part of the work speedily completed. The actual work of erection of the building is under the terms of the contract expected to be completed on or before January fifteenth. As a matter of fact, however, the contractor expects to have the warehouse completed fully a month earlier.

The cost of the actual structure will run to a matter of \$13,000 but that is merely the bare building. Before the warehouse is complete with fittings, and painter work finished the outlay for it will reach somewhere between \$15,000 and \$16,000.

The expense is of course shared mutually by the firms mentioned as the warehouses though separate within are to be erected as one building to all appearance outside. G. L. Proctor is the architect.

## UNGA ISLAND MINE

### Alaska Property to Be Opened Up This Winter

A movement is on foot to open up the Sitka mine on Unga island this winter, and it is reported that the Louis Herman property on Popoff Island, Sand Point, will be opened up. It has long been conceded that these properties have an excellent showing, but the locators have been unable to open them up themselves, and the prices asked for interests have deterred capital from taking up the prospects. Now, it is announced, satisfactory arrangements have been reached, and the mines will soon be developed.

## PEACE RIVER PROGRESS

### Country Now in Touch With Civilization By Wire

Peace River Crossing, Alta., Oct. 18.—The telegraph line reached this point on the 16th instant. A gathering of the residents was held at the place in the evening where the office was cut in and much friendly rivalry existed as to who should have the honor of transmitting the first message. Every one, without exception expressed themselves as being highly delighted with the realization of one of the winter evening dreams of the past as regards closer communication with the outside world.

The line is now being extended 13 miles further to the Shafts ury settlement, from which point they will have telephone communication with this place this winter.

A steady stream of immigration continues to flow through this place of settlers bound for the Grand Prairie and Peace river points.

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### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that John H. Sweder of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation tailor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted forty chains east and fifty chains south from the south-west corner of lot 2275, thence south forty chains, thence east forty chains, thence north forty chains, thence west forty chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres.  
Date Sept. 26, 1910. JOHN H. SWEDER  
Pub. Oct. 19, 1910. Joseph Dumas, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that Louis Sweder of Prince Rupert, occupation tailor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at south-east corner of lot 1739, thence west forty chains, thence south forty chains, thence east forty chains, thence north forty chains to commencement, containing 160 acres.  
Date Sept. 17, 1910. LOUIS SWEDER  
Pub. Oct. 19, 1910. Joseph Dumas, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that Eldon S. Detwiler of Berlin, Ontario, occupation doctor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of lot 1923, thence east thirty chains more or less, thence south forty-five chains more or less, thence west thirty chains more or less, thence south forty-five chains more or less to point of commencement, containing one hundred and forty acres more or less.  
Date Sept. 26, 1910. ELDON S. DETWILER  
Pub. Oct. 19, 1910. Joseph Dumas, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena. Take notice that I. John E. Dyer of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation gentleman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post John E. Dyer's N.W. corner and plant d about 40 chains south, and 40 chains west of the N. W. corner of surveyed Lot 1733, Range V' being the N. W. corner of surveyed Lot number 993, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.  
Date Oct. 3, 1910. JOHN E. DYER  
Pub. Oct. 18.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that George Owen Johnston of Melbourne, Aus., occupation painter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile up Extrema River on east bank, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence West 60 chains, more or less to the bank of Extrema River, thence along bank of Extrema River south to point of commencement, containing 340 acres more or less.  
Dated Sept. 12, 1910. GEORGE OWEN JOHNSTON  
Pub. Oct. 17. A. H. Johnston, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that Ernestine M. Grable, married woman of San Francisco, U. S. A., occupation masseuse, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south side of the G. T. P. right-of-way 73 1-2 miles from Prince Rupert on the north side of the Skeena River, thence south 20 chains more or less to the bank of the Skeena River, thence 80 chains more or less along the bank of the Skeena River in a north-westerly direction to the G. T. P. right-of-way, thence 60 chains more or less in an easterly direction along the G. T. P. right-of-way to the point of commencement and containing 120 acres, more or less.  
Dated Sept. 12, 1910. ERNESTINE M. GRABLE  
Pub. Oct. 17. A. H. Johnston, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that Brent U. Grable of San Francisco, U. S. A., occupation accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south side of the G. T. P. right-of-way mile 73 1-2 from Prince Rupert on the north side of the Skeena River, thence south 20 chains more or less to the bank of the Skeena River, thence 80 chains more or less along the bank of the Skeena River in a north-easterly direction to the G. T. P. right-of-way, thence 60 chains more or less along the G. T. P. right-of-way in a westerly direction to the point of commencement and containing 120 acres, more or less.  
Dated Sept. 12, 1910. BRENT U. GRABLE  
Pub. Oct. 17. A. H. Johnston, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that Arthur Henry Johnston of Prince Rupert, occupation builder, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 20 chains east of 74 mile post on the G. T. P. right-of-way on north side of same and Skeena River, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to G. T. P. right-of-way, thence 80 chains east along G. T. P. right-of-way to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.  
Dated Sept. 12, 1910. ARTHUR HENRY JOHNSTON  
Pub. Oct. 17.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that F. W. Gilbert of Seattle, Wash., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 10 chains in a southerly direction from the N. E. corner of Lot 518, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains more or less to the railway right-of-way, thence following the railway right-of-way to point of commencement, containing about 200 acres more or less.  
Dated Sept. 24, 1910. F. W. GILBERT  
Pub. Oct. 1. Mancel Clark, Agent

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 Burrow's corner post, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 9, 1910. J. W. SCOTT  
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Demers, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Casiar. 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 Kinakooch 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

## ROMANCE OF IKEDA MINES

### JAPANESE WHO MADE FIRST DISCOVERY ON BAY

#### Generalship Shown By Ikeda in Laying out the Work for His Prospectors and His Systematic Mode of Location.

It is a matter of common knowledge that the Ikeda Bay mines were located in 1906 by the Japanese firm of Aways, Ikeda and company, of Vancouver, but not everyone knows the particular circumstances under which the ore body was first discovered that was destined to draw attention to this part of the coast and bring fame and fortune to some obscure Japanese fishermen.

It appears that Ikeda was a popular son of Nippon with some prospectors who were investigating the mineral possibilities of Moresby Island. No doubt he had rendered them various little services by transporting their mail and supplies, and supplying them with fresh fish from time to time.

One day one of the prospectors, who was examining some surface ore which had been brought into camp, showed the specimen to Ikeda, and in a friendly way advised him to do a little prospecting on his own account, at the same time pointing to one of the adjoining bays. He told Ikeda that if he examined the ground very carefully he might discover valuable ore which was similar and could be sold as a mine when times were ripe in Vancouver for interesting the festive real estate broker.

Ikeda respected the advice of the prospector and determined to put it to the test, no doubt figuring that it would be a much easier way of accumulating the lucre than harassing the finny tribe. He therefore called upon all of his compatriots, after a council of war to aid him in the search, and they responded to a man. Ikeda directed the attack and chose the next bay, which, no doubt, looked as good to him as any other indentation on the coast. He landed his company on the shore and then lined them up and addressed them military fashion, explaining exactly by ocular demonstration, what they were to look for.

Ikeda may not have known much about prospecting, but he was eminently a practical man, like the rest of his countrymen, and agreed that given a sufficient number of men to the square mile, there was little opportunity for anything in the shape of a surface boulder larger than the breakfast egg being overlooked. His logic bore excellent fruit, for not long after the company had taken up their positions in skirmishing order and advanced up the hill some distance, a joyful sound proclaimed that something unexpected had happened. Hurrying up, Ikeda examined the find, which proved to be a surface outcrop of the prettiest copper ore he could have pictured in his imagination.

Work was immediately stopped for the day on the prospecting and a vigorous campaign of claim staking indulged in. The claims were duly recorded, and under Ikeda's direction again a plan of development work laid off, the governing principle of which was "keep close to the ore." So closely was this followed out that, although the miners were inexperienced in the modern methods employed in this country, they demonstrated that unity made the strength, by shipping in the years 1907 and 1908 over 8,000 tons of ore averaging about \$15 per ton. The extraction of this ore represented hundreds of feet of cross-cutting and drifting, and the whole record of the Ikeda mines is one that the Japanese have every reason to feel proud of. The mines have since been sold to a Vancouver syndicate, who it is stated, will reorganize the company with a view of resuming operations on a more comprehensive scale.

Try the Savoy Hotel Dinner.

### AFTER THE TRUSTS

#### British Columbia May Have Legislation Coming Session

Victoria, Oct. 17.—The premier, Hon. R. McBride, is considering the advisability of introducing legislation during the course of the coming session which will deal with the regulation and control by the government of all trust companies catering for British Columbia business. The transactions on such companies and necessary guarantees of absolute solvency, etc., will be looked carefully into.

### STANLEY KETCHELL DEAD

#### Mysterious Woman Arrested for Complicity in His Shooting

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 17.—Stanley Ketchel, middleweight champion pugilist of the world, died in Springfield Hospital at 7:05 Saturday evening as a result of being shot by Walter Hurtz at the ranch of R. P. Dickerson, near Conway, Mo., this morning. He was conscious until a short time before his death. A woman giving her name as Fanny Hurtz is under arrest at Conway. The authorities there say she is an accomplice of Hurtz.

Ketchel's condition was such in the early hours Saturday that the three attending physicians hurried to Conway from Springfield on a special train, thinking it would not be advisable to remove him to Springfield. An operation was performed at the Dickerson ranch house, but the physicians could not locate the bullet. Later it was found on the porch of the house where Ketchell was sitting when shot.

### Attell and Kilbane Matched

Kansas City, Oct. 18.—Abe Attell, champion featherweight, and Johnny Kilbane, of Cleveland, O., have been matched to box ten rounds in this city on October 24. They will weigh in at 122 pounds.

### ADVERTISE IN THE OPTIMIST

### COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands District—District of Skeena. Take notice that I. Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:

Commencing at a post planted one-fourth mile west side of Hona River, covering Section 22 Township 4, thence 80 chains, west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres, more or less.  
Dated Oct. 11, 1910. WILSON GOWING  
Pub. Oct. 18.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena. Take notice that I. Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:

Commencing at a post planted one and one-fourth miles from Slate Chuck creek north, adjoining A. Gowing's Coal License No. 00, covering Section 29, Township 4, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 460 acres more or less.  
Dated Oct. 11, 1910. WILSON GOWING  
Pub. Oct. 18.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena. Take notice that I. Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:

Commencing at a post planted one and one-fourth mile from Slate Chuck creek north, adjoining A. Gowing's Coal License No. 00, covering Section 30, Township 4, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.  
Dated Oct. 11, 1910. WILSON GOWING  
Pub. Oct. 18.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena. Take notice that I. Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:

Commencing at a post planted a quarter of a mile from Slate Chuck creek, west, adjoining A. Gowing's Coal License No. 00, covering Section 19, Township 4, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.  
Dated Oct. 11, 1910. WILSON GOWING  
Pub. Oct. 18.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena. Take notice that I. Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:

Commencing at a post planted a quarter of a mile from Slate Chuck creek, west, adjoining A. Gowing's Coal License No. 00, covering Section 18, Township 4, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.  
Dated Oct. 11, 1910. WILSON GOWING  
Oct. 18. Pub. 18.

## Canadian Pacific Railway

### SOUTHBOUND

Princess Royal and Princess Beatrice  
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### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

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  
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

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  
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

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### MARRIED IN VANCOUVER

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Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jewett who are the guests of Miss Roy Priestman at present, were married just before coming to Prince Rupert. The wedding took place at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. D. Malcolm, Harwood street, Vancouver, in the presence of a number of friends with whom the bride, Miss Lottie Irene Malcolm, was particularly popular. The bridesmaid was

Miss Florence Malcolm and the groomsmen Mr. Sid Featherstonhaugh. The wedding march was played by Miss Blossom Millard. The young couple arrived in Prince Rupert by the steamer Prince Rupert and will leave again for the south by the steamer Prince George. Mrs. Roy Priestman is the sister of Mr. Percy Jewett who is associated with the B. C. Electric Railway company of Vancouver.

See the flickerless motion pictures—the silent drama—at the Phenix theatre.

## WILLISON ON ORIENTAL LABOR

TORONTO EDITOR WHO RECENTLY VISITED HERE

Declares East Cannot Afford to Hold Illusions as to Strength of Sentiment on Pacific Coast Against Incoming of Asiatics.

If Mr. J. S. Willison, editor of the Toronto News, had the illusion that the public sentiment on this coast would change on the subject of Asiatic labor, his recent visit has corrected this error. The Toronto News gives this account of the situation:

"The east cannot afford to have any illusions as to the strength of the feeling on the Pacific coast against Asiatic labor, and particularly against the incoming of Japanese. The people of Vancouver and Victoria heard Sir Wilfrid Laurier with respect, but he did not change their views nor dispel their uneasiness. It is folly to imagine that only the labor unions are hostile to Oriental immigration. The feeling is common to the whole population outside of the canners and saw mill owners and perhaps the financial interests by which they are supported

"For the Chinese as domestics there is an improved feeling; the Japanese are the object of increasing fear and disfavor. It is not believed, although the News has no conclusive evidence to offer one way or the other, that the agreement with Japan limiting immigration from that country is observed. It is insisted that Japanese disembark at the upper ports, that the invasion assumes formidable dimensions, that they are a social and industrial danger, and that falling some radical reversal of policy, British Columbia must become substantially a province of Japan.

"Moreover, the Asiatics are extending into the prairie country, and thus the area of disaffection is steadily enlarged. The coast people recognize the gravity of the labor problem. They know that without a great supply of workers the development of the country must be retarded. But nothing will avail against the determination to have a "White Canada." and parliament cannot afford to misunderstand or neglect the situation."

### Harvard the Favorite

New York, Oct. 17.—Harvard has been installed the favorite in the betting on the eastern football championship in the few wagers posted here today. Yale's line is admittedly weak. Harvard's next game is with West Point on October 29. West Point defeated Yale on Saturday.

Try the Savoy Hotel Dinner.

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar. Take notice that August Rohl of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation laborer, 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 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. 14, 1910. AUGUST ROHL Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar. Take notice that William Leskey of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation restaurant employee, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 150 chains west of a point on the Kinzoch River about three 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. 16, 1910. WILLIAM LESKEY John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte

Take notice that Lilian Morris, of Victoria, spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and one mile south of the south-east corner of T. L. 87,045, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. Date July 22, 1910. LILLIAN MORRIS Arthur Robertson, Agent

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FRIDAY, OCT. 21

## THE HIGH SIGN AND SOFT PEDAL

The Edmonton Journal which has ever had a dislike for the G. T. P., whether with or without reason, has some caustic comments on the recent Grand Trunk Pacific news items. They are worth reading whether one agrees with them or not:

"It commences to look very much as though the Grand Trunk Pacific anvil chorus has been given the high sign to put the soft pedal on the shortage of labor dirge.

After filling western newspapers with the story that there were not men enough in the country to keep a fair-sized steam shovel fired up, Mr. Hays reversed the whole literature in Winnipeg by giving out the statement that the only shortage that existed, if there were any, was due to the demand for harvest hands.

Now Jack Stewart, the guiding spirit of the firm of Foley, Welch & Stewart, tells the Coast papers that there is no truth in the story that he refused the contract for the central mountain section, on account of labor shortage or for any other reason.

Reading between the lines one would guess that the Grand Trunk Pacific crowd had heard a whispered message from Ottawa or thereabout that to continue the agitation for the importation of celestials would result in getting themselves and their political friends disliked.

However that may be, the country is the wiser through having had an opportunity to learn just what Mr. Hays and his friends really think about the amttter."

## GRADES OF TWO LINES COMPARED

Of all the transcontinental roads running to the Pacific coast, the new line of the Grand Trunk Pacific will have the easiest grades of any of these great systems, both American and Candian, and will have a comparatively level stretch of country for the rest of the way.

In the comparison of the Grand Trunk Pacific, the Canadian Pacific, Great Northern, Northern Pacific, Union Pacific, on the Omaha to San Francisco route, on the Omaha to Portland route, the Western Pacific and the Santa Fe system, the new line has but 6,990 feet ascent to overcome on the eastbound route, and 6,890 feet westward. There is but one summit on this line, that at the Yellowstone Gap. The highest point above sea level in the pass is but 3,712 feet. The maximum gradient in feet per mile westbound is 26, and eastbound 21.

The Canadian Pacific has two summits to overcome, and a total ascent in feet of 23,106 feet eastbound and 23,051 westbound. The heights of these summits are 5,299 and 4,308 feet respectively. The maximum gradient eastbound, per mile, is 237 feet, and westbound 116 feet.

Ald. Hilditch is bothered by the number of names ending with "vitch" on the payroll for certain city work. There's nearly a whole alphabet of difference of course, between a "vitch" and a "ditch" as a name ending.

## HABEAS CORPUS PROCEEDINGS

### Occupy Attention of Judge Young Today

Proceedings under the Habeas Corpus Act were held yesterday afternoon, before Judge Young, the case in question being that of a white man named Edwin Cochrane charged at Masset with having supplied intoxicating liquor to an Indian woman and fined \$150 or three

months' imprisonment in default

The fine was not paid and Cochrane was accordingly brought under warrant to Prince Rupert where proceedings to secure his release under the terms of the Habeas Corpus Act were instituted. Several very nice points of law came up in yesterday's discussion before the judge, and were closely argued. Judge Young had the case under consideration today.

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WANTED—Route boy to deliver the Optimist. 106-tf

WANTED—Assistant Steward for Prince Rupert Club. Apply by letter with references. 141-144

## Liquor Act, 1910 (Section 42)

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.

ARTHUR IVES, Applicant. Oct. 10-30d

## Liquor Act, 1910 (Section 42)

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 hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Caledonia Hotel situated at Port Essington, B. C., in the Province of British Columbia. Dated October 13th, 1910.

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## City Voter's List

TAKE NOTICE that all persons wishing to have their names entered on the Voter's List of the Municipality of the City of Prince Rupert, as householders or as holders of a trade license, must during the month of October, apply to the City Clerk to have their names so entered on the Voter's List, by delivering to the City Clerk a statutory declaration as required by the Municipal Election's Act. Copies of such declarations may be obtained from the City Clerk.

All persons who are not assessed owners of property must make a new application in order to qualify as a Voter in the coming election. ERNEST A. WOODS, City Clerk 138-6-t



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## PERSONAL

H. P. Jones, of Glentana, is on his way to Vancouver for the winter.

Ensign Johnstone leaves on Monday night for Vancouver to attend the S. A. conferences to be held there during the coming week.

John Allen, brother of the late Alex. Allen, who lost his life in the Shawatlan's lake drowning accident is at present in Prince Rupert attending to his deceased brother's affairs.

Mrs. Morrisey, wife of D. E. Morrisey formerly of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway company and now with the Westholme Lumber company in charge of their commissariat department at Stewart, left for her home in Prince Edward Island by the steamer Prince Rupert last evening. Mrs. Morrisey spent the summer at Stewart and in Prince Rupert with her husband and will probably return next spring to take up her permanent residence here.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

### Hotel Premier

- Walter Borns
- Miss Wallace, Hazelton
- A. H. Elliott
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- J. Allan, Winnipeg
- W. E. Mobley, Toronto
- C. Ebertin, Vancouver
- H. P. Gibson, Bitter Creek
- D. C. Whitford and wife, Portland Ore
- W. H. Gray and wife, Stewa t
- C. A. Carman, Vancouver
- F. Mattieson, Wrangell, Alaska
- J. Bostrom, Camp
- C. W. Bowrin, Vancouver
- D. B. Kenney, Kitselas
- P. W. Mackinot, Pt. Essington
- F. W. Brewer, Hazelton
- A. D. Mcfarlane, Stewart
- A. W. Moseley, Stewart
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- H. E. Lawrence
- Mrs. Joe Conta, Fairbanks
- W. M. Blake, Dawson
- David Jett, Dawson

Try the Savoy Hotel Dinner.

Grand Trunk Pacific Telegraph Fort William. Oct 18.—The Grand Trunk Pacific telegraph system between here and Edmonton, a distance of 1200 miles was completed this afternoon. A. B. Smith, superintendent of telegraphs, said 20 new stations with operators will be opened tomorrow between Winnipeg and Fort William.

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## THE WEATHER

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Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5 Take notice that M. Lofquist 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 Extews 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. Lofquists 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 Extews 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. Lofquist Pub. Sept. 19th. Enoch R. L. Jones, Agent.

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### 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:  
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. 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:  
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. 8, 1910. JOSEPH TAYLOR  
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 west and one mile north 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.  
Dated Sept. 9, 1910. ESTELLE B. MAYER  
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 north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 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 HOLZMAN  
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:  
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. ALEXANDER MITCHELL  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

**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 west 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'PHELAN  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that William Robinson of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about four 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. 13, 1910. WILLIAM ROBINSON  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**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 a post planted half mile west of J.H. Murphy's corner post, thence north 80 chains thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 9, 1910. G. W. ARNOTT  
Per Numa Demers, Agent.  
Pub. Aug. 15.

**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 Kiyox River about six miles from its mouth and marked: "T. N. D.'s NW. Corner," thence running east 40 chains, thence running south 60 chains, thence running west 40 chains, thence northerly along the bank of Kiyox River to point of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.  
Date Aug. 25, 1910. THOMAS NELSON DUNN  
J. E. Bateman, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 7.

**Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5.**  
Take notice that Minerva Furtney 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 Dist. ct, 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  
H. N. Root, Agent.  
Pub. Aug. 15.

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that J. C. Littleton of Graceville, 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  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**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 south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. EDMUND J. BARRY  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**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  
Numa Demers, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**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  
Numa Demers, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**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  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**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 northerly direction from the mouth of the Echeamalks 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 point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.  
August 4, 1910. Rowena J. Taylor  
J. Rogers, Agent  
Pub. August 26.

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands**  
Take notice that Jane Nott, of Vancouver, married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and one mile south of the south-east corner of T. L. 87,045, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. JANE NOTT  
Arthur Robertson, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 1.

## CITIZENS FIRST FOR CITY WORK

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Dominion of Canada, and the city of Prince Rupert. Canada wants transient laborers to build her roads and railways, Prince Rupert needs citizens to make their homes here, people who will settle, own a piece of ground, pay taxes, and have families. It was not fair, he thought, to give the city's work to transients. He added that he was not at all surprised that the laborer out of work did not go to either Ald. Pattullo or Ald. Mobley with his trouble.

Ald. Pattullo returned the compliment by saying pretty forcibly that he fancied Ald. Hilditch had spoken a good deal simply to make a point. In plain language Ald. Hilditch was trying to make capital out of the situation. For Ald. Hilditch to state that grievances of this kind exist, was not to clear the situation.

The Mayor said that probably no member of the city council knew more about the unemployed than he did himself for the simple reason that everyone in search of work as a rule, came to the Mayor. He had never failed, he said, to place any laboring man applying to him for work though he said that in the case of a skilled workman he had met with more difficulty.

Ald. Hilditch said that no fewer than three men had approached him on this subject in two days, and all he could do was to say that he would try to see what Mr. Thomson could do for them.

The Mayor then suggested that bona fide applicants for work of the resident class might apply at the City Hall and leave their names and addresses. Then as far as possible work could be put in the way of those who were deserving as citizens. As far as he knew no man, whether a resident or a transient, who had applied to him for work had been turned down if a genuine searcher for employment.

Ald. Hilditch proposed that the city clerk should keep a list of the applicants' names.

Ald. Pattullo remarked that there was little need for workmen to go to any alderman seeking for favors. He believed the condition existed more in Ald. Hilditch's mind than anywhere else after all.

Ald. Barrow said that it seemed that their idea of securing for the workmen having families an eight hour day so that they might have some time at home, was not turning out exactly as they had intended. He spoke in defence of the men whose names ended with "vitch" or other foreign terminations, saying that many of Prince Rupert's foreign workers were Montenegrins and excellent fellows. There must be stuff in a nation which had preserved its independence for so long. He had talked with S. P. McMordie on the subject of the nationality of laborers in the city work and while this contractor was indifferent as to the nationality of any good workman he learned from him that at least seven English speaking men had left the city grading work preferring such jobs as carpenter's assistants, etc. They did not generally desire city grading labor evidently, "and," said Ald. Barrow, "after all, we can't compel people to work on our streets." At the water works Ald. Barrow had seen for the most part English speaking men—not the class who specialized in big families though! Several men had applied to him for help to find work, and he always recommended for the city work such men as

he would have liked to employ himself. Some he could not recommend because he would not himself have employed them.

Ald. Mobley then rose saying that now he came to think of it Ald. Hilditch rather reminded him of the boy who saw the three hundred cats in the back yard. He quoted the immortal words of Robbie Burns:

"Oh, wad some Power the giftie gie us To see oursel's as ithers see us!"

In reference to Ald. Hilditch, and declared himself ready to devote as much interest to finding work for the resident workman in the city as Ald. Hilditch or any other member of the council without making a big cry out of it to raise political capital.

Ald. Hilditch said he was not making any cry to raise capital. He was only trying to help those in need of work. He had employed all he could himself, and done his best for those he could not employ.

Ald. Pattullo asked what he had done. Ald. Hilditch replied that he had seen the foreman of the streets' works, the only man he had any say with. He thought some other committees should do their share in this too, and moved that a list should be made available at the City Hall for those bona fide resident workers in need of employment to register their names so that preference might be given them for city work.

Ald. Naden emphasized the idea that a waiting list of this kind could not be efficiently maintained with fairness to the applicants unless they called regularly at the City Hall daily so as to ensure their being found when any work was there for them.

The Mayor pointed out that they must also take into consideration the length of time the workman had been in the city. He said there might be at any time an influx of unemployed from Stewart now that the snow was coming there, and it would be necessary to discriminate between said applicants and the regular citizen workmen.

Ald. Hilditch said that that expressed his idea exactly. It was the tax paying citizens who should have the first preference.

Ald. Barrow pointed out that the road tax payers were probably the most entitled to any preference, as they were more likely to need work than those who could afford to buy a lot.

Ald. Pattullo remarked that it was a pity owing to some circumstances that they could not employ larger numbers of workmen on city work. He had hoped this winter to have seen work in hand for at least 300 extra men.

Ald. Barrow suggested with a twinkle that, incidentally, the city clerk might collect a little revenue from the applicants which might help matters a little financially.

At which there was a general smile and the motion was then put and carried.

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mine in the past three weeks. A big tonnage of high grade ore is fast accumulating at the mine and the shipments are only limited by the ability to secure transportation. George Beirnes, who has the contract for the packing, is pressing into service every available pack horse, which are necessarily limited, because of the big demand for goods to outside points. Preparations will be made during the winter months to facilitate the handling of big shipments in the early spring and summer which it is calculated will be only limited to only the capacity of the river boats.

Dr. Ewing, president of the company visited the mine last Saturday and upon his return to town said that the property never looked so well. The new tunnel, No. 3, is well statted and has a fine showing of ore, being in about thirty feet. No. 2 tunnel is in about eighty feet with good ore all the way. The work is going smoothly and preparations are all made for a full winter's operations.

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### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

**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 Kinscooch 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  
John Dybavn, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 7.

**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  
Numa Demers, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**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 north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910. HARRY T. JACOB  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

**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 Kesly'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.  
Per Numa Demers, Agent.  
Pub. Aug. 15.

**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 west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 11, 1910. JOHN KENNEDY  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that John Harvey of Graceville, 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. JOHN HARVEY  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Sept. 15.

**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 north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Dated Sept. 7, 1910. MICHAEL FISHER  
B. L. Tingley, Agent  
Pub. Oct. 11.

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**LAND PURCHASE NOTICE**

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that James Catlin of Graceville, Min-  
nesota, occupation farmer, 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 east 80  
chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80  
chains, thence north 80 chains to point of com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 18, 1910. **JAMES CATLIN**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that Frank Valesh of Graceville,  
Minnesota, occupation merchant, intends to apply  
for permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 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. 18, 1910. **FRANK VALESH**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that P. L. O'Phelan of Graceville,  
Minnesota, occupation merchant, intends to apply  
for permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 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. 18, 1910. **P. L. O'PHELAN**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that Peter Regan of Barry, Min-  
nesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about six miles  
north and two 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 south 80 chains, thence west 80  
chains, thence north 80 chains to point of com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **PETER REGAN**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that John Dunn of Barry, Min-  
nesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about six miles  
north and two 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 south 80 chains, thence east 80  
chains, thence north 80 chains to point of com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **JOHN DUNN**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that Michael Cregan of Barry, Min-  
nesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about four miles  
north and two 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 east 80  
chains, thence south 80 chains to point of com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **MICHAEL CREGAN**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that Edward Atwood of Barry, Min-  
nesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about four miles  
north and two 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 com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **EDWARD ATWOOD**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that Mary Canty of Graceville, Min-  
nesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about four miles  
north and two 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 south 80 chains, thence west 80  
chains, thence north 80 chains to point of com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **MARY CANTY**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that William Witte of Barry, Min-  
nesota, occupation banker, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about four miles  
north and two 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 south 80 chains, thence east 80  
chains, thence north 80 chains to point of com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **WILLIAM WITTE**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that M. S. Stevens, of Graceville,  
Minnesota, occupation lawyer, intends to apply  
for permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted two miles north  
and two 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 east 80 chains,  
thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains,  
thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **M. S. STEVENS**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that Timothy Sullivan of Graceville,  
Minnesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply  
for permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted two miles north  
and two 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 east 80 chains,  
thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains,  
thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **TIMOTHY SULLIVAN**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island**  
Take notice that Patrick M. Maher of Seattle  
Wash., occupation real estate dealer, intends to  
apply for permission to purchase the following  
described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted two miles north  
and two 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 east 80 chains,  
thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains,  
thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 12, 1910. **PATRICK M. MAHER**  
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

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dian banking system are treated in  
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son of the New York University, in a  
volume just issued by the National  
Monetary Commission.

"A chartered bank in Canada is a  
bank of branches, not a bank with  
branches. The parent bank, techni-  
cally known as the 'head office,' nei-  
ther takes deposits nor lends money. All  
the banking business is done by the  
branches, each enjoying considerable  
independence, but all subject to the  
supervision and control of the head  
office. The law places no restrictions  
upon the number or location of branches.  
Canadian banks, therefore, have branches  
in foreign countries as well as in Canada."  
"The general bank act, under the  
terms of which every bank obtains  
and holds its charter, is subject to re-  
vision every ten years. Its present  
form goes back substantially to 1890.  
No bank can be organized with a capital  
smaller than \$500,000, of which all  
must be subscribed and one-half paid  
in before a new bank can open. As  
a result of this requirement we are  
not surprised at finding but twenty-  
nine banks in Canada. These twenty-  
nine have, however, 2200 branches.

"To one accustomed to the provisions  
of our national banking law the Can-  
adian regulations as to note issue  
and reserve are astonishing. The Can-  
adian law does not require the banks  
to deposit with a government official  
or in any way set aside any kind of  
security for the protection of the note  
holder. Banks are not required to  
carry a cash reserve against either  
notes or deposits. The law does not  
make the bank note a legal tender for  
any payment. The government does  
not guarantee the redemption of the  
notes. Nevertheless, the Canadian bank  
note is everywhere accepted at par,  
no person since 1890 ever having lost  
a dollar through the failure of a bank  
to redeem its notes.

"Notes may be issued to the amount  
of the paid-up capital of the bank.  
These the bank must redeem at its  
head office and in seven redemption  
cities, which are the same for all banks.  
Every bank must keep on deposit with  
the minister of finance a sum of lawful  
money equal to 5 per cent of its average  
circulation, the entire fund being avail-  
able for the redemption of the notes of  
failed banks. Bank notes also possess  
first lien upon the assets of a bank.  
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vision making stockholders liable to  
assessment for an amount equal to the  
par value of their stock.

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sand in Two Years**

Tacoma, Oct. 17.—Having squan-  
dered \$150,000 in two years and having  
brought a climax to his celebration by  
signing a check for \$25 when he had  
only \$7 left in the bank, Isaac Cathcart,  
of Cathcart, Wash., is today behind the  
bars of the city jail.

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two years ago by his father, who built  
and was the leading citizen of the town  
of Cathcart. The young man spent  
his money like water, buying precious  
stones for women of his acquaintance.

Yesterday he ran completely out of  
funds. He created excitement Sunday  
night when he found another man in  
company with a woman for whom he  
had bought \$900 worth of diamonds and  
to whom he was engaged. He was  
badly beaten and remained in the hos-  
pital for several days.

**LAND PURCHASE NOTICE**

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that John W. Morris, of Victoria,  
gentleman, intends to apply for permission to  
purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile  
east and one mile south of the south-east corner  
of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80  
chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains east to point of commencement, containing  
640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **JOHN W. MORRIS**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that Jeanne Lothian, of Vancouver,  
spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase  
the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile  
west and one mile south of the south-east corner  
of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80  
chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains east to point of commencement, containing  
640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **JEANNIE LOTHIAN**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that Minnie Menzie, of Vancouver,  
spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase  
the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile  
east and three miles south of the south-east corner  
of T. L. 37,045, thence north 80 chains, thence east  
80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80  
chains to point of commencement, containing 640  
acres, more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **MINNIE MENZIE**  
Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that George McIntyre Gibbs, of  
Vancouver, financial agent, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a  
mile east and three miles south of the south-east  
corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains north,  
thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south,  
thence 80 chains east to point of commencement,  
containing 640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **GEO. MCINTYRE GIBBS**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that William Edward Fisher, of  
Prince Rupert, solicitor, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile  
west and three miles south of the south-east corner  
of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80  
chains east to point of commencement, containing  
640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **WM. EDWARD FISHER**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that Robert Sangster, of Victoria,  
bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to  
purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile  
east and three miles south of the south-east corner  
of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains east to point of commencement, containing  
640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **ROBERT SANGSTER**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charo-  
lotte Islands**  
Take notice that John Thaw, of Victoria, en-  
gineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase  
the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile  
east and three miles south of the south-east corner  
of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80  
chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains east to point of commencement, containing  
640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **JOHN THAW**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that George Dyer Ramsey, of  
Victoria, machinist, intends to apply for permission  
to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile  
west and three miles south of the south-east corner  
of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80  
chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains east to point of commencement, containing  
640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **GEORGE DYER RAMSEY**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Char-  
lotte Islands**  
Take notice that William Charles Moresby, of  
Victoria, lawyer, intends to apply for permission  
to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile  
east and four miles south of the south-east corner  
of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80  
chains east to point of commencement, containing  
640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **WILLIAM CHARLES MORESBY**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that Elizabeth Mary Gibbs, of  
Vancouver, married woman, intends to apply for  
permission to purchase the following described  
lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a  
mile east and four miles south of the south-east  
corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south,  
thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north,  
thence 80 chains east to point of commencement,  
containing 640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **ELIZABETH MARY GIBBS**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that William Burns, of Victoria,  
customs official, intends to apply for permission  
to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about half a  
mile west and four miles south of the south-east  
corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south,  
thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north,  
thence 80 chains east to point of commencement,  
containing 640 acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **WILLIAM BURNS**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte  
Islands**  
Take notice that George H. Robertson, of Vic-  
toria, gentleman, intends to apply for permission  
to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted three miles north  
and one mile west of the north-west corner of  
T. L. 37,045, thence east 80 chains, thence north  
80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80  
chains to point of commencement, containing 640  
acres more or less.  
Date July 22, 1910. **GEORGE H. ROBERTSON**  
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

**LAND PURCHASE NOTICES**

**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  
Prinpepe Channel about 200 yards north 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 Sept. 9, 1910. **WILLIAM RUSSELL**  
Pub. Oct. 11. 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 Kinkoocoh River, about  
seven miles from its confluence with the Nass  
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 Dybbavn, 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, con-  
taining 80 acres more or less.  
Date Sept. 19, 1910. **JEAN VAUGHAN**  
Pub. Oct. 1. Mancel Clark, 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 descri-  
bed lands:  
Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles  
up the Ex Cham Silk 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  
point 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, Min-  
nesota, 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 east 80  
chains, thence south 80 chains to point of com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 18, 1910. **J. J. CLIFFORD**  
Pub. Sept. 15th. B. L. Tingley, Agent

**COAL NOTICE**

**Skeena Land District—Range 5**  
Take notice that thirty days after date I, Gai-  
us LaForest Peck of Big Bay, B. C., occupation  
lumberman intend to apply for a licence to prospect  
for coal and petroleum on the following described  
land, over and under 640 acres:  
Commencing at a post planted as follows, on the  
shore one mile more or less south of Entrance to  
Kutzeymaten Inlet, n.-w. corner post, thence east  
80 chains, south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains,  
thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 25, 1910. **GAIUS LAFOREST PECK**  
Pub. Sept. 7.

**Skeena Land District—Range 5**  
Take notice that thirty days after date I, Gai-  
us LaForest Peck of Big Bay, B. C., occupation  
lumberman, intend to apply for a licence to prospect  
for coal and petroleum on the following described  
land, over and under 640 acres:  
Commencing at a post planted as follows, on the  
shore of Crow Lake, (locally known as Crater  
Bay) one mile more or less from mouth of Kutze-  
ymaten Inlet, north-west corner post, thence east  
80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80  
chains, thence north 80 chains to point of com-  
mencement.  
Date Aug. 25, 1910. **GAIUS LAFOREST PECK**  
Pub. Sept. 7.

**Skeena Land District—Range 5**  
Take notice that thirty days after date I, Gai-  
us LaForest Peck of Big Bay, B. C., occupation  
lumberman, intend to apply for a licence to prospect  
for coal and petroleum on the following described  
land, over and under 640 acres:  
Commencing at a post planted as follows, on the  
shore about one mile and a half miles, more or  
less, south of the entrance to Kutzeymaten Inlet,  
north-west corner post, thence east 80 chains,  
thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains,  
thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 25, 1910. **GAIUS LAFOREST PECK**  
Pub. Sept. 7.

**Skeena Land District—Range 5**  
Take notice that thirty days after date I, Gai-  
us LaForest Peck of Big Bay, B. C., occupation  
lumberman, intend to apply for a licence to prospect  
for coal and petroleum on the following described  
land, over and under 640 acres:  
Commencing at a post planted as follows, on the  
shore of Crow Lake, and in  
twain Steamboat Passage and Crow Lake, at the north-  
west corner post, thence east 80 chains, thence  
west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence  
south 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 25, 1910. **GAIUS LAFOREST PECK**  
Pub. Sept. 7.

**Skeena Land District—Range 5**  
Take notice that thirty days after date I, Gai-  
us LaForest Peck of Big Bay, B. C., occupation  
lumberman, intend to apply for a licence to prospect  
for coal and petroleum on the following described  
land, over and under 640 acres:  
Commencing at a post planted as follows: one  
mile more or less east of Crow Lake and south of  
Kutzeymaten Inlet, one mile more or less from the  
north-west corner post, thence east 80 chains,  
thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains,  
thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.  
Date Aug. 25, 1910. **GAIUS LAFOREST PECK**  
Pub. Sept. 7.

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19	3, 4,	20,500
19	15, 16,	10,500
34	47,	4,200
	42,	4,750
	36, 37, 38,	15,500
35	9, 10,	6,300
12	22,	10,500
20	19, 20,	14,500
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2	7, 8, 9, 10,	5,250
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	9, 10,	2,520

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E. M. Saunders, President of Central Western Associated Boards of Trade Visits Prince Rupert to Talk With Local Board of Trade Members.

Mr. E. M. Saunders, Manager of the Moose Jaw branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and president of the Associated Boards of Trade of Western Canada, visited Prince Rupert this week on business and with a view to interesting the local Board of Trade members in the organization of the Associated Boards of Trade of the western provinces.

The Boards of Trade of the three central western provinces have united their general interests in the form of an association under the above mentioned title for the purpose of gaining a wider influence in the achievement of their kindred aims. The provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan were the first to associate in this manner, later on of their own accord the Boards of Trade of Manitoba came into the association.

The association holds its annual conferences in each province in turn, the various Boards of Trade sending their delegates. This year the annual conference will be held at Lethbridge.

Mr. E. M. Saunders is desirous of interesting the Boards of Trade of the Province of British Columbia in the association, as the mutual interests of the provinces are very numerous.

"For instance," says Mr. Saunders, "the prairie provinces look to British Columbia almost entirely for their supplies of lumber, fish and fruit, and British Columbia in turn looks to the prairies for wheat and all that the wheat trade means. The opening of the Panama Canal will greatly increase this interest of the British Columbian coast cities in the wheat trade as it is certain that large quantities of wheat will be sent to this coast for shipment via the Pacific and the Panama Canal.

"The railway companies of Canada are entitled to send delegates to these annual conferences of the Associated Boards of Trade though these delegates are not entitled to vote with the delegates from Boards of Trade. But it will be readily appreciated by business men and members of Boards of Trade throughout British Columbia that the association of the Boards of Trade is an excellent means of improving and fostering the growth of the business interests of Western Canada. The affairs of the association are dealt with by a general secretary.

"It is not of course definitely agreed that the Boards of Trade of British Columbia will link their broader interests with those of the central western provinces in this way through the Associated Boards of Trade, but should they do so the advantages to all four provinces will be many. The Association of the British Columbia Boards of Trade with those of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta would make various cities of this province eligible as meeting places for the annual conference in turn with the other provinces."

### TAFT AIDS ROOSEVELT

Does Not Believe the Colonel Will Be a Candidate

Beverly, Mass., Oct. 17.—President Taft is going to do all he can to help Colonel Theodore Roosevelt to win victory for the Republican state ticket in New York. This fact was made plain here tonight when it became known that the president would ask two or three members of his cabinet to go to New York and assist in the campaign there.

Mr. Taft, it is said, "takes absolutely no stock" in the story that Colonel Roosevelt will oppose him as a candidate in 1912.

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar  
Take notice that William Currie 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 70 chains west of a point on the Kinakooch River, about three 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. 16, 1910. WILLIAM CURRIE  
John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar  
Take notice that John Thomas of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation wharf laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 70 chains west of a point on the Kinakooch River about three 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. 16, 1910. JOHN THOMAS  
John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that John Henley, of Chilliwack, engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile north from the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Date July 23, 1910. JOHN HENLEY  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that Ruby McAlonen, of Victoria, spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile north of the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Date July 23, 1910. RUBY McALONEN  
Robertson, Arthur Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that Edith E. Wilkerson, of Victoria, spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three miles north and one mile west of the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence west 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Date July 23, 1910. EDITH E. WILKERSON  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that Olive Armstrong, of Vancouver, spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile west of the south-west corner of T. L. 13,762, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Date July 23, 1910. OLIVE ARMSTRONG  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that John W. Morris, of Victoria, merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile west of the south-west corner of T. L. 39,762, 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.

Date July 23, 1910. JOHN W. MORRIS  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that Thomas Arduus Johnston, of Victoria, manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile north and one mile west of the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Date July 23, 1910. THOMAS ARDUS JOHNSTON  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that J. W. Maxwell, of Vancouver, engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile north and one mile west of the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Date July 23, 1910. J. W. MAXWELL  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that John Robert Reid, of Vancouver, estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile west of the south-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Date July 23, 1910. JOHN ROBERT REID  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that Robert Joseph Nott, of Victoria, steam-fitter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile west of the south-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Date July 23, 1910. ROBERT JOSEPH NOTT  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that Elizabeth N. Kerr, of Victoria, married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile north and one mile west of the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, 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.

Date July 23, 1910. ELIZABETH N. KERR  
Arthur Robertson, Agent

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The Dowager Queen Maria Pia of Portugal has experienced troubles not a few. Her brother, King Humbert of Italy, was assassinated; another brother Amadeus, was elected King of Spain in 1870, but abdicated in 1873, returning to Italy as Duke of Aosta (he was father of the Duke of the Abruzzi); her son, King Carlos of Portugal, and grandson, the Crown Prince, were assassinated; and her grandson, Manuel, has been deprived of his throne.

**"Names of Great Men—"**  
"God with us" is the interpretation of Manuel. "Lover of God" is the translation of Theophile, and Theophile Braga is the head of the new Portuguese Republic. Another Manuel is reigning in Italy, and Theodore, "Gift of God," is the next King of the United States. But the most incongruous combination of monarchical names is that possessed by the Kaiser, whose list embraces Frederick (peaceful ruler), William (helmet of resolution), and Victor (conqueror).

**Edward Blake's Birthday**  
Toronto, Ont., Oct. 18.—Receiving congratulations from friends and admirers in all parts of Canada, the Hon. Edward Blake, who in his long public career filled some of the highest official positions in the gift of his country recently observed his 77th birthday at his home in Jarvis street this city. Mr. Blake retired from public life more than twenty years ago. During the past summer he suffered an attack of partial paralysis, which has kept him confined to his home.

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