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CITY PAY ROLLS FOR AUGUST

WHAT STAFF EMPLOYEES ARE WORTH TO PRINCE RUPERT

City Hall Staff, City Engineer's Staff, Fire, Police, School and Telephone Department Staffs With Their Salaries

By courtesy of E. A. Woods, City Clerk, the following details of the city pay rolls for the month of August are made public. The City Hall pay roll is as follows:

E. A. Woods, City Clerk, per month	$150.00
Jessie C. Urwin, Stenographer per month	75.00
J. A. McMaster, Stenographer, per month	90.00
J. O. Reddie, Health Officer, per month	50.00
J. C. McLennan, Assessor, per month	150.00
Williams & Manson, City Solicitors, per month	250.00
Williams & Manson, Stenographer, per month	100.00
M. J. McNeil, Building Inspector, per month	150.00
L. E. McFarlane, Sanitary Inspector, per month	80.00
A. Carss, Police Magistrate, per month	100.00
W. D. Vance, Accountant, for work during August at $100 per month	88.90

Engineer's Office

The pay roll for the City Engineer's office reads for the month of August, as follows:

W. M. Davis, City Engineer, per month	$416.66
F. S. Clements, Assistant Engineer, per month	200.00
A. S. B. Lucas, Assistant Engineer, per month	150.00
T. Burns, Inspector, per month	100.00
R. E. Walker, Engineer, for 18 days at $90 per month	52.26
J. A. Miller, Transitman, for 26 days at $4 per day	104.00
C. P. H. Newcombe, Draughtsman, for 26 days at $4 per day	104.00
A. E. Oakley, Water Dept, for 17 days at $150 per month	68.55
O. Crosby, Foreman, per mo.	120.00
J. R. McDonald, Rodman, 19 3-4 days at $3 per day	59.25
H. M. Ancell, Chainman, 6 1-2 days at $3 per day	19.50
C. S. Thurburn, Chainman 5 days at $3 per day	15.00
John Fitzsimmons, Chainman, 9 1-2 days at $3 per day	28.50
R. H. Murphy, Chainman, 1 1-2 days at $3 per day	4.50
Two Laborers at $3.50 per day for 25 7-10 days each $93.45	186.90
Blacksmith, 4 1-2 days at $4.25	19.12
Carpenter, 14 1-2 hours at 50c.	7.25
Eighteen laborers at $3 per day for various periods in mo.	361.62
Total.	$1,674.62

Pumping System

For work in connection with the Pipe Line, Pumping System, Hays Creek during August:

Foreman, T. H. Thompson at $5 per day with 62 men including laborers, pipelayers, lumbermen, teamsters, etc.	967.02

School Pay Roll

D. McD. Hunter, Principal, per month	150.00
Miss M. C. Martin, per mo.	100.00
Miss J. Melvins, per mo.	100.00

Fire Department

Chief McInnis, per month	150.00
Two Firemen, each $90 per mo.	180.00
Seven Callmen, each $25 per mo.	175.00

Police Department

Chief McCarvell, per mo.	150.00
One Sargeant, per month	90.00
One Jailer, per month	85.00
Five Constables at $85 each per month	425.00

Telephone Department

F. Love, Manager, per mo.	160.00
Four Operators at $50 per mo.	200.00
Street Repairs for the month.	92.50

Vancouver Failed to Score

Vancouver, Sept. 16.—The result of the league games played yesterday is as follows:

Spokane four, Vancouver nil
Tacoma five, Seattle one.

Provincial School Trustees

Kelowna, Sept. 15.—(Special)—Vancouver has been chosen as the next meeting place for the school trustees of the province, the invitation of Mayor Taylor having been accepted.

BOTHA IS DEFEATED

Standing of Parties in the South African Elections

(Special to the Optimist)

Capetown, Sept. 16.—General Botha is reported to have been defeated in the South African elections in his contest for the Pretoria seat. At midnight the parties stood: Nationalists t irty-three; Unionist twenty-six; Independents six; Labor one.

AERIAL MANOEUVRES

Army of France Marshals Its Battalions In the Skies

(Special to the Optimist)

Villiers, France, Sept. 15.—President Failleres this morning came here to witness the army manoeuvres with military airships. Six dirigibles went through a programme of movements of defence and attack, and a number of aeroplanes were also angaged in the tests of their utility for war purposes.

To Be Hanged Next Month

Montreal, Sept 16.—(Special)—Timothy Candy, who murdered two Montreal policemen, has been sentenced to be hanged on November 18th.

PLENTY OF LABOR

William Mackenzie Has No Idea of Employing Orientals

(Special to the Optimist)

Winnipeg, Sept. 16.—William Mackenzie said here last night that there is no lack of labor on the coast and that he has no idea of employing Orientals in constructing the Pacific section of the Canadian Northern.

Thanksgiving Day is Fixed

Ottawa, Sept. 16.—(Special)—Monday October 31st, has been chosen as Thanksgiving Day and an order-in-council to that effect was issued yesterday.

BIG PRIZE TO AVIATOR

Paris Will Give Twenty Thousand Dollars for F.ight

Paris, Sept. 14.—The municipality of Paris proposes to offer a prize of $20,000 to the French aviator making a flight with a passenger from Paris to Brussels and return on the occasion of the visit of the city council to Brussels on September 26.

CRIPPEN WILL BE COMMITTED

THOUGH CASE FOR CROWN IS ADMITTEDLY WEAK

Two Witnesses For Prosecution Severely Cross-Examined By Counsel For Crippen.—The Two Accused Allowed to Sit Together

(Special to the Optimist)

London, Sept. 16.—The crown did not materially mprove its case for the prosecution of Dr. Crippen this morning. The two witnesses called were severely cross-examined by Barrister Newton, who succeeded in shaking their direct testimony on important points. Dr. W. W. Wilcox, in reply to Mr. Newton's questions, said he believed the body was "probably" female. He had discovered traces of hyoscin, which probably had been administered through the mouth and not hypodermically. The dose, while enough to produce fatal results,showed expert judgment in preparing. He was satisfied death followed within an hour after the poison was taken.

He also testified that he had examined the earth found near the body and discovered traces of the powder mixed with carbolic which had undoubtedly been used by the undertakers. There were traces of hyoscin and arsenic also in the soil where the body had lain.

Dr. Spillsbury said he was unable by an examination of the tissues of the remains to determine the sex of the body. Upon being recalled he said that part of a pajamd pocket ound near the body was of the same texture as one worn by Belle Elmore. The color was different but this might have changed by contact with the earth.

Dr. Crippen and Miss Le Neve were allowed to sit together during the hearing but not allowed to converse with each other.

It is now believed that however weak the case for the crown may appear there is little doubt of the prisoners being committed for trial

NEED THE CAPITAL

Toronto Investors in Dawson Mine Fail to Send the "Dough"

(Special to the Optimist)

Toronto, Sept. 16.—I. J. Hartman postmaster of Dawson, is suing the Dome Development company of Toronto for $15,000 principal and interest on promissory notes.

FIRES DYING DOWN

Loss Along Fraser Valley Said to Have Been Exaggerated.

Vancouver, Sept. 15.—The forest fires along the Fraser river are dying down. Fire Warden Gladwin reports that the loss as stated is much exaggerated. The reported loss of a whole family named Morrison, while the father was fighting the flames, is denied. The Great Northern bridges have been restored and trains are now running through to Seattle.

CRIPPEN IS CONFIDENT

He and His Attorney Believe Case For the Crown Has Failed

(Special to the Optimist)

London, Sept. 15.—In an interview this morning Arthur Newton, counsel for Dr. Crippen, declares that the case for the crown has failed. Crippen himself is confident of acquittal.

CANADIAN RECIPROCITY

President Taft Feels Encouraged by Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Speeches.

(Special to the Optimist)

Boston, Sept. 15.—President Taft has called for a special session of the cabinet to be held in October, looking toward reciprocity with Canada. He is encouraged to ake this course by the recent speeches of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

MORE MONEY FOR WEST

Federal Expenditure Must Keep Pace With Development

(Special to the Optimist)

Ottawa, Sept. 15.—Mr. Lafleur, chief engineer in the department of public works, says the annual expenditure on the Canadian west on the part of the federal government will have to be largely increased to keep up with the development. He says the railways have applied to the board of conciliation to deal with the question of the condition of labor and wages.

THAW STILL FIGHTING

Erratic Slayer of Standford White Busy on New Petition

New York, Sept. 16.—In the Matteawan state hospital for the criminal insane, Harry K. Thaw is making elaborate preparations to fight for his liberty. The slayer of Stanford White is working several hours every day with a staff of legal experts under the direction of Clarence Shearen, and within two months, it is expected, he will be taken from the asylum on a writ of habeas corpus.

Millionaire's Son Suicided

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 14.—William Oliver Radford, son of Wm. H. Radford, a millionaire mining man, of San Francisco, committed suicide here last night by taking poison. The body was found tonight. A message was left for Mrs. N. G. Busch, 3343 South Jefferson avenue, in which she is referred to as "The only girl I ever loved."

EGYPTIANS AROUSED

Cable British Government to Immediately Evacuate Egypt

(Special to the Optimist)

Geneva, Sept. 15.—The Young Egyptian party, at this morning's session of the congress, passed a resolution that a cable be sent to the British government demanding the immediate evacuation of Egypt. The cable was sent.

FEDERATION OF LABOR

American Unionism Said to be Losing Its Hold In Canada

(Special to the Optimist)

Montreal, Sept. 15.—The second annual convention of the Canadian Federation of Labor was opened here this morning. The report of the executive claims that the hold of American unionism on Canada is weakening, and it expresses the hope that the coming year will add thousands to the Canadian ranks.

Good Worm for Early Birds

New York, Sept. 14.—Two hundred thousand dollars is the choice morsel the men-birds will compete for at the Belmont Park international aviation meet the latter part of October, according to a statement made to-day by Allan A. Ryan, son of Thomas F. Ryan, the New York millionaire, chairman of the committee on arrangements.

LAW SUIT IS HIS WELCOME

WHEN HEINZE TOOK BRIDE ON HONEYMOON

Sued for a Trifle of Fifteen Thousand Dollars upon an Old Judgment—Money that Came Wrongfully Into His Possession

Butte, Mont., Sept. 14.—Louis P. Donovan, receiver for the Hypocka Mining Company, brought suit this afternoon against F. A. Heinze, who returned to Butte last night with his bride on their honeymoon. Donovan asks that a judgment granted Johnston T. Hagerty be enforced against Heinze. The complaint alleges that in 1907 Hagerty got a judgment against the Hpyocka Mining Company for the loss of a leg, and that with interest it now amounts to $15,467. Besides this, an attorney fee of $15,000 and $1,000 to pay for the cost of receivership is asked.

The Hypocka Company is insolvent, but it is stated that it formally had a leasehold on the Minnie Healy, which was sold for $35,000, which money, it is alleged, came into Heinze's possession and was wrongfully appropriated to his own use.

COL. TRACY A BOOSTER

Tells Vancouverites Prince Rupert Has a Great Future

That Prince Rupert will be an important distributing point is the opinion expressed by Col. Tracy, who returned from the North recently after looking over a power scheme on Woodworth Lake ays the Vancouver Province.

"The fact that Prince Rupert has a future is a good thing for Vancouver, for if there were twenty Prince Ruperts along the coast Vancouver's business would inc ease in proportion," he said today.

The records for the Woodworth Lake power were held by a Vancouvery synd cate before Prince Rupert was started and the city is now making a survey with a view to getting water from the same point. The new city engineer at Rupert is Col. Davis, an Ontario man, of whom Col. Tracy entertains a very high opinion.

Col. Tracy thinks Prince Rupert a good town and says the people are very optimistic. While he was there a big real estate deal was put hrough Mr. Ford, an English contractor, invested in Prince Rupert property to the extent of $100,000.

'Talk about the Englishman being slow," says Col. Tracy. "Why, Mr. Ford paid $54,000 for just one block and he is getting 14 per cent on his money in rents!"

ROBBED SUB-TREASURY

Thought He Had Escaped Through The Statute of Limitations.

(Special to the Optimist)

Chicago, 15.—Indictments were returned yesterday for George Fitzgerald, charged with stealing $153,000 from the United States sub-treasury three years ago. The accused recently engaged in business here as broker, believing that the statute of limitations protected him against legal proceedings.

Reciprocity Would Be Dangerous

Victoria, Sept. 16.—(Special)—Sir Mackenzie Bowell, in an interview given here this morning, declared that reciprocity with the United States would be dangerous to Canada.

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Ten Don'ts For Investors in Mining Stocks

John Hays Hammond, the famous expert mining engineer, enjoined ten don'ts upon the finance class at the West Side Y. M. C. A. of New York City, in a lecture delivered there:

"Don't put money into a mining property because a friend has been fortunate in mining stocks.

"Don't be deterred from a mining investment because some other friend bacame bankrupt through that means.

"Don't allow any slick, dishonest man—not to employ a shorter and uglier word—to convince you that you, successful in your own line, are therefore competent to judge the value of a mine.

"Don't be influenced by rich 'specimens that a mine has produced. As John Gashweiler said: 'You might as well show me a hair from a horse's tail and ask me how far he can trot.'

"Don't buy stock in a mine because it has produced millions in the past. It is that much poorer.

"Don't buy stock in a mine because the mine is situate in a far-off country.

"Don't buy simply because it adjoins a good mine.

"Don't buy without an unqualifiedly favorably report by a mining expert of integrity ability and experience.

"Don't buy unless you are sure the directors are honest and competent."

Peaches, Plums, Pears for preserving, see the Ideal Provision House. 09-14.

HEATING SYSTEM

For the New School Has Not Yet Been Decided Upon

The public school board is very much disappointed because the new school is not yet ready for occupation. The building itself is all ready but the heating system is not in nor yet has the contract been let, and it is doubtful if the department has even decided upon the system to put in. The department has been urged several times by the board through Wm. Manson M. P. P., but there has been one delay after another. It is understood that the plans for the heating are about ready now, but at that the chool will not be ready for six weeks or two months. In the meantime the old school is being over crowded and there is no room for the new pupils who are starting every day. Last week there were 162 pupils on the roll, a gain of over 40 since the opening, and more are being added constantly. A number of children in the primaries are obliged to sit on the front seats without a desk, as there is no room to put in a desk. If the heating system in the new school could be hustled along as it should be that will overcome all difficulties and provide ample room.

The school board are also preparing to increase the teaching staff between now and Christmas and the new school is absolutely necessary.

MINES AND FRUIT

Skeena River Country is the Wonder Of the World

S. A. Phipps, who recently returned from a trip up river, states that he believes that Hazelton and vicinity will be the greatest mining camp in British Columbia, and that next spring will see an immense rush up the river. He says that the Skeena river runs through a wonderful country. He was thoroughly surprised and convinced at the visible values. While he went up on a general trip his special mission was in connection with some mining interests. He spent much time around the Ninemile Mountain and Fourmile Mountain. Both of these are very richly mineralized and several big mines are being worked now. The Lead King Mine was of special interest to Mr. Phipps. It is on Fourmile Mountain and is immensely rich. In a short time it will be one of the biggest producers in British Columbia and the values are high.

Speaking of the valleys Mr. Phipps states that around Hazelton will be a great cattle and mixed farming country in spite of what some people say to the contrary. The land is covered with a very light growth and will easily be cleared. Once the trees are down grass seed can be sown on top of the ground and a heavy crop of hay will be gathered, while if the land is ploughed it will grow anything very successfully. He says he never saw such vegetables in all his life as are growing in and near Hazelton this year.

The country south in the Lakelse valley will be the fruit belt of British Columbia. It will be more difficult to clear but it will be worth the money when it is cleared. It is a wonderful berry country and fortunes will be made out of small fruits.

In reference to the fruit and farm lands Mr. Phipps said that there were grand opportunities for big colonization projects. The people on the land now are doing practically nothing towards letting it. They are waiting for some one to buy them out. Next year he anticipates a big settlement.

Fresh fruits, vegetables come on every boat for the Ideal Provision House. 09-1

The Prince Albert is coaling for the resumption of her regular trips to the islands. She returned yesterday from Esquimalt, where she has been on the dry dock, undergoing repairs and some minor alterations. Stewart is to be added to the number of her places of call in the future.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Coast Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that Gilbert Burrows of Prince Rupert, occupation assayer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one mile east of J. H. Murphy's corner post, thence 40 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 9, 1910. GILBERT BURROWS
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Davis, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that G. D. Tite 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 J. H. Murphy's corner post, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 9, 1910. G. D. TITE
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Demers, 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

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 Banks Island.
Take notice that James Regan of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, 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 of End Hill Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 13, 1910. James Regan
Pub. Sept. 15th. B. L. Tingley, Agent

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

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that C. H. Cassdey 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, this point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 13, 1910. C. H. CASSEDY
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that P. H. Larkin 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 of End Hill Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 13, 1910. P. H. LARKIN
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that E. C. Baird of Graceville, 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 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. 13, 1910. E. C. BAIRD
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that John Cox of Graceville, Minnesota, 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 north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 13, 1910. JOHN COX
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that Peter Curley of Graceville, Minnesota, 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 west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 13, 1910. PETER CURLEY
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

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

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Bank Islands
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 fourmiles 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 west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 11, 1910. JOHN KENNEDY
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that John Harvey of 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 west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 11, 1910. JOHN HARVEY
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of 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
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

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

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

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

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

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

Coast Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that Frank Kelly of Prince Rupert, occupation transferman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one and one half miles northeast of Catherine Harrison's corner post, thence north 40 chains, thence 40 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 40 chains west to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 9, 1910. FRANK KELLY
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Demers, Agent

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

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

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

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that J. J. Clifford of Barry, Minnesota, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:-
Commencing at a post planted about five miles north and four miles east of the mouth of an inlet which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 13, 1910. J. J. Clifford
Pub. Sept. 15.th. B. L. Tingley, Agent.

Cancellation of Reserve

Notice is hereby given that the Reserve existing on Crown Lands in the vicinity of Babine Lake, and situate in Cassiar District, notice of which bearing date June 30th, 1908, was published in the British Columbia Gazette dated July 2nd, 1908, is cancelled.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C., June 16th, 1910. 45-3m

SKEENA DISTRICT

FERRY, KITSELAS, SKEENA RIVER

In accordance with chapter 78, R. S. B. C., 1897, "Ferries Act," the Government of British Columbia invite application for a charter for a ferry to ply across the Skeena River at Kitselas.

Applications will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works up to and including the 15th of September next.

The limits of the ferry shall extend for a distance of one mile above and one mile below said point.

The charter will cover a period expiring on the 31st March, 1912.

The ferry shall be operated whenever required between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., every day excepting Sundays.

Applications shall give a description of the scow or boat it is proposed to use, and method of operation.

Applications shall state the tolls it is proposed to ask for—

Each adult passenger.
Each child [not in arms] under 13 years.
Each head of cattle, horse, mule, or donkey.
Each calf, sheep, goat, or swine.
Each vehicle with one horse and driver.
Each cart or waggon with one horse and driver, loaded.
Each vehicle with two horses and driver.
Each vehicle with two horses and driver, loaded.
Each parcel of 25 lbs. and under.
Freight, per 100 lbs. and under, non-perishable goods.
Freight, per 100 lbs. and under, perishable goods.

The Government of British Columbia is not necessarily bound to accept any application submitted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.

Department of Public Works.
Victoria. B.C., Aug. 15,1910.
Aug 22 to Sept 15

Cancellation of Reserve

Notice is hereby given that the reserve existing on Crown lands in the vicinity of Babine Lake, situate in range 5, Coast District, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette dated December 17th, 1908, is cancelled in so far as said reserve relates to lots numbered 1519, 1518; 1517, 1516, 1515, 1510, 1507, 1516, 1506a, 1503, 1501, 1502, 1512, 1511, 1505, 1504, 1513, 1514, 1509, 1508, 1530, 1527, 1528, 1529, 1531, 1532, 1533, 1534, 1535, 1537, 1539, 1536, 1538, 1540, 1541, 1544, 1543, 1545, 1546, 1542, 1547, 1548, 1549, 1550, 1520, 1521, 1522, 1523, 1524, 1525, 1526 and 1551.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C., June 16th, 1910. 45-3m

WATER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a license in the Skeena Division of Cassiar District.

[a] The name of Company in full The Roosev Mining Company, limited.

The head office 507 Crown building, Vancouver B. C.

The capital, how divided, showing amount paid up $1,500.000 divided in 1.500.000 shares all fully paid.

[*If for mining purposes*] Free Miner's Certificate No. 46390 B.

[b] The name of the lake, stream or source [*if unnamed, the description is*] North Arm of Bitter Creek.

[c] The point of diversion: Fifty feet from the North line of lot No. 896, 45.01—A, located July 26, 1903 C. G. 5006—243.

[d] The quantity of water applied for[*in cubic eet per second*] 5 cubic feet per second

[e] The character of the proposed works: Minin and Milling purposes.

[f] The premises on which the water is to be used[*describe same*] The Roosevelt No. 1 on th property of the Roosevelt Mining Company Limited.

[g] The purposes for which the water is to be used: Mining Power

[h] If for irrigation described the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage: None.

[i] If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return, at a point near the south side line of the Roosevelt No. 1 Mineral Claim and the difference in the altitude is about 500 feet

[j] Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works, none.

[k] This notice was posted on the Ninth[9th] day of August 1910 and application will be made to the Commissioner on the Ninth[9th] day of September 1910.

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

Attach copy of such parts of the Company's memorandum of association as authorize the proposed application and works.

[*Signature*] Joseph Chew, Agent.

Aug. 16. [*P. O. Adress*] *Vancou er B. C.*

DAWNING RAYS OF CITY'S LIGHT

ILLUMINATIVE REPORT AT LAST FROM LIGHTING COMMITTEE

City Engineer Authorized to Go Ahead and Purchase the Needful Plant to Produce City Owned Electricity.

The city council of Prince Rupert got through its business last night in exactly twenty minutes! Even the mayor himself was surprised at such expedition. The business was important too, no less than the Telephone and Lighting committee's report on the long looked for lighting scheme—the city's very own juice plant.

The report runs to the following effect commencing with telephone concerns: The committee recommended:-

First: That the stock in Prince Rupert Telephone company as held by various stock holders (whose names appear on a list attached) representing in all a total of $9075.00 be redeemed by the city:

Second: That the promissory note in favor of A. A. McIntyre for $4056.98 held by the Canadian Bank of Commerce and falling due on September 16th, be paid.

Third: That a one hundred kilowatt machine non condensing engine and switch board be purchased at the price of $3,500 as shown on the list of electrical apparatus available as per list shown to t om itt e by he it e nee .

Fou th: Tha th ity en in er ake n e a y steps to have th b il rs recently purchased from he relresentati es of the B. C. Tie and Timber Cotested and fitted up.

Fifth: T at the ece sary wire tc o be used i nn ction with the pro p sed electric l ght plant be purchased.

Sixth: That negotiations be opened up with the Grand Trunk Pacific Development Co., Lts., with a view to securing a lease of the site formerly occupied by the B. C. Tie and Timber company's Mill for the site for the city electric lighting plant.

The report was received practically without discussion. Ald. Hilditch asked why it was proposed to buy a 100 kilowat machine when he understood they had power for a bigger one.

The mayor explained that by getting this size machine there would be less delay in getting the light supply going while the machine would be nec ssary in any case. Ald. Pattullo added that the whole city could be lighted by the 100 kilowatt machine, and meanwhile the question of the lighting of business premises could be gone into better. He moved that the first two items in the telephone and lighting committees report, be referred to the Finance committee and that the city engineer be authorized to make the necessary purchases in connection with the lighting plant. This was carried.

STEAMER BULLETIN

Kitselas, Sept. 16, 1910.

8 a.m. Clear, cool calm. Water 31 inches below zero.

Hazelton by Meanskinisht 6:30 p.m. last night en route Hazelton.

Port Simpson in Hazelton awaiting higher water.

Conveyor by Bostroms 6 p.m. last night en route Prince Rupert..

Operator by Copper River 8:30 p.m. last night en route up river

Skeena by Kitsumkalum 8:30 a.m. en route Kitselas

Omineca by Clearwater 5:30 p.m. last night en route up river

Inlander in Prince Rupert.

Killed Self and Child

Seattle, Sept. 15.—(Special)— Mrs. Nina Bennett last night administered strychnine to herself and her three months old baby. The woman is said to have feared she was losing her mind. Both are dead.

The Ideal Provision House handles bread and pastry baked every day. 09-14

BUY SILVER CUP SHARES NOW

AN OPPORTUNITY TO GET IN ON THE BEST MINE UP RIVER

Silver Cup Will Sell at Thirteen and A Half Cents For a Short Time.—Only a Hundred Thousand Shares Offered.—Mine Will Ship a Hundred Tons This Fall.

The directors of Silver Cup M nes Limited have decided to place upon the market 100,000 shares of the treasury stock at twelve and a half cents per share. This has been done in order to give the local people an opportunity to secure an interest in their property if they see fit. In the past a great many have wished to buy Silver Cup stock, but were not encouraged by the directors as the mine was only in the first stages of development. Now, however, the directors are in a position to know something of the value of their property and will let the public in to the above extent. The mine is now at shipping stage and this fall a hundred tons will be brought out. Active mining operations will be continued all winter and an immense amount of ore will be ready for shipment next spring. The money received from the issue of stock will be used to continue the winter's work and next spring the amount of ore and the high values will put the stock up many points.

J. R. Talpey has been chosen as broker for the company and he has visited the mine and is convinced that it will be one of the wonders of Northern British Columbia. Some facts about the Silver Cup Mine will be of interest and will be found in the following:-

The Silver Cup properties consisting of 200 acres of highly mineralized rock are located on the north side of Ninemile mountain about 12 miles north west of the town of Hazelton and near the main line of the G. T. P. The properties have been under continuous and vigorous development for many months and the rich discoveries and persistency of the ore bodies disclosed have been such as to merit the attention and interest of the best mining engineers in the country.

The formation of Ninemile Mountain has been explained by W. W. Leach, Government Geologist, as consisting altered sedimentaries with granitic intrusions. The Silver Cup vein is a fissure, cutting the formation at a low angle, the ore, an antimonise silver lead, carries high values in silver and lead. By open cuts and tunnels the ore body has been developed to a vertical depth of 1800 feet and it averages from 2 1-2 to 4 1-2 feet in width, the ore increasing in quantity with the depth and maintaining the high values. The company is now arranging a shipment of 100 tons of ore that shows an average gross value slightly more than $98 per ton. The Silver Cup Mines Limited is managed and conducted by:

President—Dr. Francis J. Ewing, Prince Rupert

Secterary-Treasurer—V. W. Smith, Prince Rupert.

Vice-President— Donald McLeod, Prince Rupert.

Directors—Lewis W. Patmore, J. M. Christie, James H. Bacon, J. Fred Ritchie, Prince Rupert.

The proximity to both rail and water transportation combined with the high character and continuity of the ore bodies and the economical facility with which the mine can be worked by tunnels on the vein, make this a mining property of exceptional merit and great promise.

ARE THERE FIFTY PEOPLE IN PRINCE RUPERT

Who appreciate strictly fresh ranch eggs. If so we are talking to them. We can safely say, without fear of contradiction, that the **Exchange Grill, is the only house in Prince Rupert, IN ANY LINE,** that receives regular shipments of fresh eggs direct from the ranch. Our weekly consignments amount to three cases, containing 1,080 eggs, which we guarantee to be absolutely fresh. This number is sufficient to provide breakfast for fifty people daily. We will serve them in the shell, and will pay a five dollar gold piece to the patron who discovers one egg which is not strictly right. We have the equipment and staff to give you speedy and courteous service.

Exchange Grill

107-113. **Second avenue.**

There are no chickens in the eggs stamped with the red "C". tf.

British Columbia Mines Report

A word of praise is due the Government of British Columbia and Mr. W. Fleet Robertson, the head of the British Columbia Bureau of Mines, for the high character of the Annual Report. In respect of statistical tabulations, in typography, in illustrations, in descriptive matter, the Annual Report leads all Canada.

The full special reports upon the Extension explosion are of vital interest. The Government is no longer indifferent to the unnecessary loss of life in coal mines. It has been resolved that the situation will be met at once. Other provinces are rousing themselves. The honour of leading will rest with British Columbia.—*Canadian Mining Journal*

It is learned by telegram that the Camosun was five hours late in starting from Vancouver, which will probably make her late in arriving here tonight.

There are eggs and eggs but the eggs stamped with the red "C" are Fresh Eggs. tf.

Silver Cup Mines Limited **12 1-2c per Share**

We earnestly advise the immediate purchase of **Silver Cup Mines Limited** as the stock may now be bought at a low figure thus affording opportunity to secure a large holding at small cost. It has great speculative volume and is subject to rapid advance. It is as a permenant investment that we accord Silver Cup Mines Limited, our strongest recommendation, the valuable property so systematically developed and producing a big tonnage of high grade ore supplemented by a broad policy and able management all assuring success, and we confidentially expect the company to pay large dividends on a high stock valuation. For these very good reasons we believe Silver Cup Mines should be bought now and held. A big advance seems inevitable.

To secure shares at 12 1-2 cents call at our office and make your reservation—subscriptions will be entered and allotments made according to the order in which applications are filed.

J. R. TALPEY Co.

PHONE 43 Pattullo Block

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Bryan Ruddy of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted six miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Date Aug. 11, 1910. BRYAN RUDDY
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Lawernece Kennedy of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted six miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Date Aug. 11, 1910. LAWRENCE KENNEDY
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that William Burns of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, 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 north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

Date Aug. 11, 1910. WILLIAM BURNS
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Patrick Bruin of South Bend, Wash., occupation clerk, 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 west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Date Aug. 12, 1910. PATRICK BRUIN
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Michael Foley of Barry, Minnesota, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted four miles north of the mouth od an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Date Aug. 11, 1910. MICHAEL FOLEY
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Charles Frozina of Graceville, Minnesota, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purcahse 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 west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

Date Aug. 11, 1910. CHARLES FROZINA
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

COAL NOTICE

Skeena Land District—Range 5

Take notice that thirty days after date I, Gaius LaForest Peck of Big Bay, 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, between Steamboat Passage and Crow Lake, and in a westerly direction from Crow Lake at the northwest 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, Gaius 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 painted 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.

Skeena Land District—Range 5

Take notice that thirty days after date I, Gai 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 ar a post planted as follows, on the shore one mile more or less south of Entrance to Kutzeymateen 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, Gaius 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 orless from mouth of Kutzeymateen 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

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Commencing at a post planted as follows; on the shore about one mile and a half lmies, more or less, south of the entrance to Kutzeymateen 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.

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DAILY AND WEEKLY

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DAILY EDITION. FRIDAY, SEPT. 16

THE LIQUOR LICENSES

After several months of speculation and comment on the part of the public the license commissioners have issued the first batch of licenses. Whether one approves of licenses or does not it must be admitted by all that the commissioners granted them at the time appointed by law and only after strictly adhering to all the requirements of the act. So far there can be no fair criticism of those granted. They were given with impartiality and only after close inspection of the premises and of the legality of the applications. The three hotel licenses were given to houses which have for a long time been giving the public good sleeping and dining room accommodation. They were entitled to first consideration. By the time the adjourned session in called next month several other good public houses will be ready for business and doubtless then several more hotel licenses will be granted.

So far the commissioners have done good work.

Our four-page daily contemporary has just discovered that the Mayor is not big enough for the job. It is several months behind the public.

The city pay-roll which is published to-day is quite a formidable document as it appears. It will be noticed that about one third of the total goes for labor and two thirds for salaries. Besides this list there is the field engineer and his gang who are working at Woodworth Lake whose pay is not included.

THE COUNCIL AND PUBLICITY

Prince Rupert is not the only city that has a council who believe in hiding their actions under a bushel. Victoria has also been experiencing some star chamber sessions. Here is what the Colonist says on the methods:

We have been told that there was not really a secret meeting of the City Council on Friday night, when the City Engineer was under discussion, and that we did not give a correct report on what took place. That is as it may be. We only know that the reporters were requested to leave the room and that they gave the best account they could under the circumstances. If the account was not quite satisfacto y, the fault seems t lie with those who prevented t e ep rt s fr m being pr se t e not wish to be u d rstoo as sayin tha th re are no m tters about which the members of the City Council mi h not properly consult priva ely. What we protect against is t e deciding f gr ve public matters in secret conclave. We have on several occasions spoken of the work of the present council in terms of warm approval. The Aldermen are giving a great deal of time and intelligent attention to civic matters. They have shown a determination to give the citizens good service. It is for this reason that we feel free to speak plainly in respect to the only matter concerning which we have any serious reason to complain. We believe there are members of the Aldermanic Board who are quite in ympathy with what has been said above.

CITY MAY PURCHASE LOT

Which Grand Trunk Pacific Reserved and Has For Sale

Besides the report of the Telephone, and Lighting committee the only other business before the city council last night was a question broached by Ald. Lynch regarding a certain lot between Seventh and Eighth streets the property of the G. T. P. which he recommended the city should invest gate with a view to purchase.

The lot had come under his notice while he was looking for a suitable dumping place for earth etc from cuts made in city improvement work. A city sewer already ran through this lot, and he moved that the mayor and finance committee be authorized to buy it.

Ald. Lynch further explained that Mr. Benson who owned the lots on e ch side of this one was willing to allow dumping upon his lots by the city to a reasonable extent. The reason the sewer ran through the lot was because it was practically impossible to carry it through either Seventh or Eight street to be servcable for basements there which were very deep, he understood that the lot had been specially reserved by the G. T. P. for the very purpose of this sewer work at the time. The city clerk recalled the matter of this reservation by the G. T. P. for the sewer.

It was moved by Ald. Lynch and seconded by Ald. Pattullo that the Finance committee investigate the matter and report to the council regarding it.

SEALEY

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

WANTED—Cook. Apply P.O. Box 1523. 112-wi

WANTED—Book-keeper. Apply P.O. box 1523. 112-wi

WANTED—Applications for positiou of assistant secretary of Rrince Rupert Real Estate Exchange will be received up to September 25. Apply to H. M. Leonard, secretary. 112tf

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G. W. ARNOTT, Sec.

PERSONAL

Rev. E. P. and Mrs. Laycock who were recently connected with the Anglican church here, but were transferred to Atlin, are expected back in Prince Rupert shortly. They will make a short stay in the city before Mr. Laycock takes his departure for England. Both will be most cordially welcomed back even for only a brief visit, by their many friends in the city.

PRINCE RUPERT'S LIST

Passengers From Prince Rupert Booked For Seattle and Vancouver

Steamer Prince Rupert left about nine last night with fifty-seven first class passengers, eleven second and thirty-two deck. Among the first class passengers were: W. Reiner, T. Henderson, G. M. Alford, Mrs. A. Tansley, E. D. Harrison, J. W. Lewis, J. McKnight D. Dawson, J. C. Mercer, B. L. Tingley, Mrs. J. D. Westenhaver, J. D. Westenhaver, J. H. Knouse, Mr. Sweet, A. Brooksbank, Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Anderson, C. Sundvall, Walter Noel, J. McDonald, Violet Rood Frizzell, Hazel Cunningham, C. W. Edwards, E. B. Edwards, G. Nelson, C. J. Everson, Helen Dale, Geo. Brown, Master Edwards.

INDUCTION OF NEW PASTOR

CEREMONY PERFORMED BY REV. DR. FRASER

Addresses of Welcome By Leading Members of Presbyterian Church And By Ministers of Other Denominations of Prince Rupert.

Rev. F. W. Kerr was last night formally inducted as pastor of the Presbyterian church and was given a welcome by the members of his congregation. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Dr. Fraser, of the First Presbyterian church of Vancouver, who paid a visit to Prince Rupert for the purpose. A. M. Ross acted as moderator and made the introductions.

Dr. Fraser preached from a text found in the lesson of the day, "I was blind, yet see." Man whose eyes were anointed with dust by Jesus and told to wash in the pool of Siloam, said the doctor, by that act of washing showed his obedience and submission. The testimony of his experience was sufficient for him so far as theology went, and having received his sight the Saviour was revealed to him.

The Doctor has a simple and directly-convincing way with him and a familiar and friendly manner. His argument was that one should think less of creeds and more of work, and this became a text for the evening after the doctor had left, the other ministers who attended and spoke words of welcome to the nw pastor, making reference to the unity of the Presbyterians, Methodists and Congregationalists decreed by the recent Methodist conference and hailing it as an important principle in the coming christianity.

While the visitor was skeaking the Prince Rupert blew her whistle and he had to cut his discourse short. He closed with a strong recommendation of Mr. Kerr. He congratulated him upon the field of his labors, congratulated the congregation upon receiving the services of a young and able worker. He hoped the church would not attempt to put strings upon the young man's energy but take him into their confidence and permit him to help them. Then together they would be able to build a new church very shortly, and a manse in which the pastor could entertain the young men of his flock and thus keep in constant touch with them.

He then read the formal questions by the authority placed in his hands by the church declared Mr. Kerr inducted into the pastorate. Donald McLeod and A. M. Ross then offered the young minister the right hand of fellowship and the first named delivered the address to the minister and the latter the one to the congregatiln.

Rev. Sing spoke a welcome for the Methodists and said that he had always admired the loyalty to be found among the Presbyterians and now that the church unity question had been settled he hoped the unity would bring more of that trait into the Methodist church. Rev. James, of the Church of England, said he had an unbounded admiration for the Presbyterian church and had pleasure in welcoming Mr. Kerr to this new field. Alex. Manson spoke of the new pastor as a college friend and said that after Mr. Kerr had qualified for the ministry he went to the old country and for two years continued his studies, although at college he had been a leader among many scholars, graduating with the highest honors. He asked the congregation to give the young man a fair opportunity and he could assure them the new pastor was equal to fighting his own way.

Rev. Mr. Kerr responded to the encouraging remarks that had been made, speaking in a light, pleasant way, and taking up the points of these remarks. Rev. Sing had expressed a hope that church unity would do away with "sheep-stealing" from congregations and in regard to this Mr. Kerr said that if Mr. Sing had stolen any of the Presbyterian flock while the church had been without a pastor he would "just send them back next Monday night." He was glad that his pastorate had started in a place somewhat remote, where they had the whole country to themselves and where the ministers had the opportunity of assisting in building up a great city. If they neglected their christian duty then not only they but the whole city would suffer, and if each did their part, keeping ever before them the Kingdom of God it would be a city to be proud of.

A reception was then held, at which Mr. McLeod and others introduced the members of the congregation to the new pastor, a more formal reception, it was announced by Moderator Ross, to be held later.

Regular services will be held by the new pastor beginning Sunday morning.

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(Special to the Optimist)

London, Sept. 15.—A central News despatch from Copenhagen says that Dr. Cook is aboard Mr. Bradley's yacht, on his way to Etah to revover records cached there which he claims will establish his claim to the discovery of the pole.

The Danish officials say the Eskimos are sure that he reached the pole.

Vancouver Wins One

Vancouver Sept. 15.—(Special)—The result of the league baseball games yesterday was as follows:

Vancouver one, Spokane six
Tacoma six, Seattle three.

Going Home For Christmas

Some of the aliens are already preparing to go home for the great European festival of Christmas. Ten Austrians laborers this morning purchased passages from J. H. Rogers straight through to Trieste.

Good Worm for Early Birds

New York, Sept. 14.—Two hundred thousand dollars is the choice morsel the men-birds will compete for at the Belmont Park international aviation meet the latter part of October, according to a statement made to-day by Allan A. Ryan, son of Thomas F. Ryan, the New York millionaire, chairman of the committee on arrangements.

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(Special to the Optimist)

Seattle, Sept. 15.—Details of the robbery of an express package between Whitehorse and Skagway have now been made public. It was at first reported that the sum missing amounted to $ 57,000 part of a shipment from Fairbanks of $170,000, but it now transpir s that only twenty gold bars were missing. They have been taken from the strong boxes in which the shipment was made, lead to about the same weight put in their place and the boxes closed and resealed.

The Washington and Alaska Bank of Fairbanks delivered the boxes containing the gold to the Yukon Express company, and at Dawson, after an examination they were turned over to the Alaska-Pacific Express company, carried to Skagway and placed on the Humboldt. The steamship company insists that the gold was not stolen on the Humboldt as the purser's office was never vacant. The hunt for the thieves has therefore narrowed down to the voyage of the gold between Dawson and Whitehorse.

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

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Take notice that Rowena J. Taylor of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about five miles distant and in a northwesterly direction from the mouth of the Exchamsiks River and about 10 chains north of the river, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

August 4, 1910 Rowena J. Taylor.
Pub. August 26. J. Rogers, Agent

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that Dorothy Graham Forester 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 in a northwesterly direction from the mouth of the Exchamsiks River and about 10 chains north of the river, thence south 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence North 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 60 chains to the point of commencement, containing 360 acres more or less.

August 4, 1910. Dorothy Graham Forester.
Pub. August 26. J. E. M. Rogers, Agent.

ueen Charlotte Division—Skeena Land District.
I, Etta Stannard, Stenographer, Victoria, B. C. 30 days after date intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of lands for a license to prospect for Coal, Oil and Petroleum on and under the following described lands.

Commencing at a post planted one mile North of the Northwest corner of section 36 in township 7.

Thence North 80 chains, thence West 80 chains, thence South 80 chains, thence East 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres.

Dated this 8th. day of June, 1910.

ETTA STANNARD
Pub Aug 5 per S. V. Lassetter, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast
Take notice that Lionel Dineen of Port Simpson occupation school teacher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:-

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June 8, 1910. Lionel Dineen
Pub. July 9th. Fred Bohler, agent.

Skeena Land Distrct—District of Coast
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Date Aug. 18, 1910. JOHN D. McINTYRE
Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhaven, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that Theodore Z. Kruzner, of the City of Prince Rupert, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the right hand of the Ex-chum-sik River, coming towards its mouth about four miles from its mouth, thence along the shore of the River south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing by admeasurements 640 acres more or less.

Date 29th June, 1910. Theodore Zedenco Kruzner
Pub. July 19.

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PULL WITH LAURIER

Old Story Bobs Up With a New Face On It

Montreal, Sept. 14.—Apropos of the Eucharistic Congress which is at present being held here, they are telling a new story around town. It is a sort of supplement to one well known in Ontario, when the habitant com ng into civilization after years in the back woods heard of the death of Queen Victoria, and of the succession of King Edward to the throne.

"What a pull that man Edward must have with Laurier," the habitant exclaimed.

This story concerns the same habitant who on an another occasion came from the woods and learned of the demise of Pope Leo XIII.

"What, Leon Treize dead?" he exclaimed. "That's too bad." Then—"Well, I'll bet you no Protestant gets that job from Laurier."

SEALEY TOWNSITE

AGENTS:

ALDOUS & ROBERTSON, Sealey

P. O. Address - HAZELTON

One-Armed Locksmith

has returned and is ready for business.

SHOP ON SECOND AVE.

rear of Currie's Shoe Shop. 09-15

NEW IKEDA COMPANY

Syndicate Handling Japanese Mine Has Been Reorganized

The Ikeda syndicate has been reorganized and will be known as the Ikeda Mines, Limited. It is a Vancouver venture, having been organized by Mr. S. J. Castlemen, of that city, those associated with him being Messrs. R. P. McLennan, W. H. Armstrong, George Harrison, W. C. Ditmars, W. R. Phillips, F. W. Lantz, of Vancouver; John F. Galt, of Winnipeg, and Senator J. H. Ross, ex-governor of the Yukon, Ottawa.

Last autumn the syndicate bonded this group of copper properties at Ikeda Bay, Moresby Island, Queen Charlottes, for $200,000 and the second payment of $30,000 has just been made. A Japanese company opened up the mine its shipments totalling 6,500 tons, yielding average values of from 4 to 5 per cent. copper, three ounces of silver and $3 gold a ton. The original owners have consented to take the balance of the purchase price in stock in the new company, except $12,000 due in March next. The authorized capital of the new company will be $850,000 in shares of the par value of $1 each. The group comprises forty-seven claims and eight fractions, only one having undergone any development.

Mr. A. G. Larson, consulting mining engineer, of Vancouver, soon after the bond was secured recommended using a diamond drill and this proved the existence of two new ore bodies. The ore ran as high as 18 per cent, copper, half an ounce in gold and several ounces of silver to the ton. Further development work is now to be undertaken, and prospects are regarded as very rosy, indeed.

E. R. Finney's Little Frisk

Coming down from Stewart yesterday on board the Prince Rupert E. R. Finney got a little excited owing to the ffect, it is thought, of the luggage he brought aboard with him at Stewart—in a bottle. He got ngry with a chair and used it violently, but was gently persuaded to desist, by the skipper and a number of the crew who mildly expostulated with him. After being treated to a period of r st and quiet behind a securely fastened door, he was landed at Prince Rupert city where he is now continuing the "rest and quiet" treatment under care of Chief McCarvell until the county officials prescribe for his future.

VANNUTELLI TO KING

His Majesty's Reply Pure y a Formal Acknowledgment

The following are the cablegrams add essed to His Majesty King George, in connection with the Eucharistic Congress, and His Majesty's reply:

"Montreal, Sept. 14. To His Majesty King George V., London, G. B.

"The Catholics of the Empire, bishops, priests and laity, present at the International Eucharistic Congress in Montreal pray your Majesty to accept their respectful homage of unswerving loyalty and their expression of profound gratitude for the modification made in the Royal declaration. With them and the other visiting members of the congress hailing from all parts of the world, I wish your Majesty and the Royal family continued happiness and prosperity.

"Cardinal Vincenzo Vannutelli."

"Balmoral, Sept. 10. 1910. His Eminence Cardinal Vannutelli, Montreal.

"I sincerely thank your Eminence and all who are present at the International Eucharistic Congress in Montreal for the expressions of loyalty and good wishes contained in the cablegram which I have received today with much pleasure and satisfaction.

"George, R. I."

Telephone Stockholders Note

Holders of Prince Rupert Telephone Co. Stock who have not yet got their stock are requested to call for it at the office of Messrs. Law & Butler. Cash for this stock will be paid at the City Hall about Tuesday of next week on presentation of stock.

Longest Fence in the World

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 12.—The government is preparing to build what will be the longest fence ever constructed in the world. It will extend from this city to the Pacific Coast and will divide the United States and Mexico, a distance of more than 1000 miles. The fence will be of barbed wire, five strands.

Pork Reaches Highest Price

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Fresh pork loins were quoted by packers yesterday at 18 cents a pound wholesale, which is said to be the highest price ever reached in the history of the pork packing industry at Chicago. Retail prices ranged from 24 to 26 cents a pound, also establishing ne w high records.

Mother Seeks Her Son

Police Chief McCarvell has received a letter from Mrs. Tresidder, 14 Cornwall St., Davenport, enquiring for information regarding her son, Thomas Coles, 23 years of age, who left England for Canada three years ago, was last heard of a year ago from Prince Rupert and has not been heard from since. "I am his mother," writes Mrs. Tresidder. "And I am very anxious about him."

Mining Expert Expected

G. J. Burrows, mining expert, who has been on an extended tour looking into mining property for Messrs. H. F. McRae & Co. in the Hazelton district is expected in this city shortly. He is probably on the way here now. While reserving his detailed reports until his arrival, Mr. Burrows announces that he is very favorably impressed with the country he has so far investigated.

PORTLAND CANAL STOCKS.

Latest Quotations From Vancouver Exchange.

(As reported by S. Harrison & Co.)

	BID	ASKED
Portland Canal	30	.31 1-4
Stewart M. & D. Co.	3.15	3.40
Red Cliff	1 10	1.20
Main Reef	...	.30

THE WEATHER

Twenty-four hours ending 5 a. m., September 16.

MAX. TEMP.	MIN. TEMP.	BAR.	IN. RAIN
58.0	48.5	29.928	...

NEW TOBACCO STORE

ON THIRD AVE., NEAR SIXTH

New and complete line of Cigars, Tobaccos, Pipes.

Fruits and Confectionery Fresh and Good. . .

VANCOUVER PRICES PREVAIL THROUGHOUT

H. P. Campbell's

NEW STORE ON Third Ave., in the Turner and Bennett Block

Aug. 30-1m

Your Credit Is Good

Brin Furniture Co.

PRINCE RUPERT'S LEADING FURNITURE STORE

Your Credit Is Good

Gehard Heintzman Pianos

Columbia and Victor Phonographs

NEW RECORDS