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TWO MILLION FIRE IN VICTORIA

RAISING GRADE OF THIRD AVENUE

DISCUSSION OF PROPOSAL BY CITY COUNCIL

Streets, Works and Property Committee Have the Question Now in Hand and Will Arrange With Property Holders re Waivers.

The idea for the raising of the grade of Third avenue between Seventh and Ninth streets particularly was mentioned by Ald. Lynch at last night's city council. He said that the raising of the buildings there was the only immediate problem, and he expected that most of the owners would be ready to do this as the raising of the street grade was to do the city so much good. He thought they might go ahead and raise the grade as the city engineer could use this fill very satisfactorily, and further, the raising of the grade would greatly reduce the need for rock cutting on Eighth street. He thought at least \$3000 would be saved the city by the work generally, instead of its being an extra expense, and argued that the permission of the Lieutenant-Governor should be at once applied for to alter the grade.

Ald. Barrow thought it might be advisable to wait a few days and see about getting waivers of claims for damages from the property owners who might be unwilling to raise their buildings here.

Ald. Hilditch and Ald. Mobley both agreed with Ald. Barrow.

Ald. Lynch said that the very most that any owner could claim here would be the cost of raising his building, as the advantages to the district of the raised grade were obvious.

Ald. Mobley agreed that in point of equity the position was clearly all right, but thought the legal position should be made clear too. It would be advisable to have in writing either waivers of claims of damages from the owners here or exact statements in black and white of the amounts of claim made by those refusing to give waivers.

The Mayor said it could certainly be well worth the city's while to pay the price for this work anyway, and after a brief discussion regarding the best manner of setting about the business it was decided on the motion of Ald. Mobley to leave the matter in the hands of the Streets, Works and Property committee with power to act as they see fit.

RESERVED FOR RAIL TRACKS

The Big Hollow of Morse Creek at Second Avenue

A glance at the index map of the townsite in the office of the city engineer shows that the big dump at Morse Creek at the end of S. H. Watson's contract mentioned at last night's council by Ald. Mobley is in the G. T. P. property according to the color scheme of the map.

Enquiry of the city engineer's department results in the substantiation of the explanation of Ald. Lynch that this dump is reserved for G. T. P. tracks, and will be crossed by an overhead bridge.

City Engineer Colonel Woods returned this morning from Shawatians Lake where he has been on a visit of inspection.

Starts In Department Store of David Spencer Company and Burns All Around Times Building, Which Miraculously Escapes.--Hotel Driard Scorched.

(Special to the Optimist)

Victoria, Oct. 28.—The whole of the block bounded by Government, Fort and Broad streets, with the exception of the Times building and a few small shacks, is a smouldering mass of ruins. The total loss is estimated at nearly two millions.

The fire started in the Spencer's department store, the largest store in the city, at about a quarter before eleven last night and was a raging furnace in a very few minutes. By midnight it threatened to wipe out the entire business section. The whole of the fire brigade was on hand promptly and in

addition the military and all the men at the artillery garrison were called out.

By midnight every business man within two blocks was strenuously engaged in moving his office furniture, every conceivable vehicle being pressed into the service, many of them boldly commandeered.

How the Times building escaped, seeing that the burning department store surrounded it, is remarkable. That famous coast hostelry The Driard was scorched badly. Its guests tumbled out into the streets in their night clothes as soon as the fire started. All their personal and other effects were piled

along the street, a detachment of the military being assigned to guard them from pilferers.

Several spectators were shocked by live wires. At midnight all the power was shut off, but the glare of the conflagration lit up the whole city. It is estimated that twenty thousand people watched the efforts of the fire fighters. The wind was so high that glowing embers were carried over five blocks. Amateur bucket brigades were on the alert, however, and quenched the incipient blazes started by these embers.

Fire Chief Reeves was badly hurt and also four firemen received injuries.

IS BELLE ELMORE DEAD?

Basis of the Appeal Made by Dr. Crippen's Attorneys Against Death

(Special to the Optimist)

London, Oct. 28.—The attorneys for Dr. Crippen today applied to the court of criminal appeal for a new trial, alleging that the crown had failed to establish the fact that Belle Elmore was dead.

Mlle. Le Neve has been offered a thousand pounds by a London newspaper for the story of her life.

The Sheffield Daily Telegraph has been fined one hundred pounds for contempt of court in connection with the trial of Crippen.

KILLED AT WHARF

A workman, employed on the G.T.P. new wharf construction was killed about 3.30 this afternoon. He was squeezed by a pile and died on the way to the hospital.

THE VICTORIA FIRE

Driard Hotel Losses Will Be in Neighborhood of Thirty Thousand

(Special to the Optimist)

Victoria, Oct. 28.—2 p.m.—Firemen are now busy dynamiting the ruins of the Government street block and clearing off the debris although the bricks are not yet cool. The damage is still to be held to be well over the million dollar mark.

All the papers were lost in the burning of the fire underwriters' offices, and it will therefore be some time before the claims can be adjusted.

The Times office, although all the surrounding buildings were burned down, was only damaged by water. It is hoped that the plant will again be running in the course of next week.

The Driard hotel losses will be in the neighborhood of thirty thousand dollars.

CITY LAUNCH STORM STAYED

Over at Porcher Island on Lighting Business

Mr. Burns, of the city engineer's department, went over this week to Porcher island with the city launch to see how the work is getting on in connection with the supply of poles for the electric lighting plant.

The stormy weather has probably hindered his return, as the wind is against the launch on the homeward journey. No doubt the launch is sheltering somewhere until the weather improves.

Threatening Times in Egypt

London, Oct. 28.—(Special)—Disquieting news from Egypt is beginning to come in and an order was issued this morning for the cancellation of all leave to British officers on service there. It is rumored that General Wingate will succeed Sir Eldon Gorst as sirdar.

WINNER IN BALLOON RACE

America II Descends In Wilds of Northern Quebec In International Race From St. Louis and Is Awarded James Gordon Bennett Cup.—Other Aviators Who Landed on the Canadian Side.

(Special to the Optimist)

Montreal, Oct. 28.—The balloon America II safely landed last night in North Quebec, and has won the long distance race from St. Louis. It was driven by Messrs. Allan B. Hawley and August Post, both society men of New York.

The remainder of the ten balloons which started in this great race from St. Louis on the 17th had been accounted for by the 22nd. Nothing having been heard of the America since her ascension there were fears that it had been lost and an expedition was sent out by the American Aero club to search for it.

Quite a number of the contestants landed in Canada, and one of them, the Helvetia, driven by Colonel Theodore Schaeck, which landed at Ville Marie, Quebec, on the 20th, was believed to be the winner, this being 1,100 miles northeast of St. Louis. The Germania,

driven by Captain von Abercron and August Blankertz, landed at La Tuque, Quebec.

These balloonists met a hurricane after they left St. Louis, losing sight of all their companion balloons. The gale carried them along at the rate of sixty miles an hour for a day and night. Battered until they could hardly endure it, they were in a pitiful condition when they struck the line of the National Transcontinental in Northern Quebec. They followed the railroad until Wednesday evening. Then seeing they were travelling away from human habitations, they descended. It was a bitter fight through the bush to the railway track. A construction train took them to La Tuque, where they recuperated. Upon arrival at Montreal these gentlemen also felt pretty confident of having won the prize.

The balloon Dusseldorf II, a German entry in the international race for the Gordon Bennett cup, came to earth near Kiskisink, Quebec, which is 120 miles north of Quebec city and 1050 miles from St. Louis. The Germania, by landing at Coccoo Cache, Quebec, 1200 miles from St. Louis, was in the opinion of most aeronauts the certain winner. It will probably prove to be the second in the race.

The French aeronaut Alfred Le Blanc, who finished second in the race for the Bennett cup in 1907, was this year the pilot of the Isle de France. He descended near Pogomasing, Ont., and was the fourth of the contestants to alight. At Pogomasing he was within 148 miles of the American record of 873 miles set by John Wise in 1895 and within 468 miles of the world's record of 1,193 miles set in 1900 by Comte Henri de la Vaux.

PRINTING ON CITY BY-LAWS

REGARDING ERECTION OF NEW BUILDINGS

Need for These By-laws Being Printed Is Considered Urgent Though Cost of Work Is Regarded as an Obstacle—Matter Discussed in Council.

At last night's city council meeting Ald. Pattullo referred to the proposal that the Building By-laws should be printed for the convenience of architects and contractors who have to refer to these. He said that he doubted if the funds at the disposal of the Finance committee warranted the outlay for printing, and suggested that the matter be shelved till next spring.

Ald. Hilditch spoke on the subject stating the difficulty before architects and builders who have not enough opportunity for consulting these by-laws when planning on building new houses, etc.

Ald. Lynch supported Ald. Hilditch, suggesting that printers be approached to see how economically this bit of work could be done. He believed that advertisements might be printed with the by-law matter thus making the printing more profitable. He had seen such a method adopted before. The advertisements were chiefly for building material.

The Mayor felt with Ald. Pattullo that the building business was not likely to be so brisk during the winter, and in view of the fact that the cost of printing the by-laws would be a tax on general fund thought it advisable to wait till spring.

Ald. Pattullo remarked that if the need for this printing were really so urgent it was up to the Finance committee to try and have it done but owing to the present heavy strain on the general fund, he thought it still advisable to wait.

Ald. Lynch said that it was usually taken for granted that architects were versed in the terms of the by-laws regarding building, but this was not always so. He said that there was a big demand for houses in the city already and owing to the large numbers of workmen they would have here this winter many more houses would be wanted. These small houses were just the class of houses liable to be put up with errors against the by-law terms, and therefore the need for the printing of the by-laws was urgent.

Ald. Pattullo remarking that the power of Ald. Lynch's arguments was persuasive, said he felt now that it was advisable that the Finance committee should consider this printing of the by-laws more closely.

Ald. Barrow spoke in favor of this, suggesting that the job might be undertaken as a private enterprise, and Ald. Hilditch supported this view.

Two Steamers Due Tonight

The Camosun, from Vancouver with mail, is due here about nine this evening. The City of Seattle, on the way north, is expected here at about the same hour. The Humboldt is due from the north tomorrow morning.

Difficulties are meant to rouse, not discourage.—W. E. Channing.

THE IROQUOIS POOL

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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
Joseph Dumas, Agent
Pub. Oct. 19, 1910.

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
Joseph Dumas, Agent
Pub. Oct. 19, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that Elden 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 1928, 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
Joseph Dumas, Agent
Pub. Oct. 19, 1910.

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 1738, 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.
Date Sept. 12, 1910. GEORGE OWEN JOHNSTON
A. H. Johnston, Agent
Pub. Oct. 17.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that Ernestine M. Grable, married woman of San Francisco, U. S. A., occupation massene, 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.
Date Sept. 12, 1910. ERNESTINE M. GRABLE
A. H. Johnston, Agent
Pub. Oct. 17.

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 northeasterly 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.
Date Sept. 12, 1910. BRENT U. GRABLE
A. H. Johnston, Agent
Pub. Oct. 17.

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.
Date 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 20 chains, thence west 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.
Date Sept. 24, 1910. F. W. GILBERT
Mancell Clark, Agent
Pub. Oct. 1.

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
Nums Demers, Agent
Pub. Sept. 15.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar. Take notice that Gustav Berger of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains west of a point on the Kinscooch 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
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

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At Thos. McClymont's New Premises on Third Avenue. Brought From Telegraph Creek on Stikine River With Excellent Photos.

In the window of Mr. Thomas McClymont's new real estate premises on Third avenue, there is an exhibit of really excellent vegetables grown in the neighborhood of Telegraph Creek on the Stikine river which point is away up nearly on the 58th parallel north. To those who imagine that Northern British Columbia is a land of rocks and dreary wastes of trees with glaciers and boulder strewn mountain sides, nothing could be more agreeably surprising and convincing than to find that this is on the contrary a fair and fertile land of plain and valley rich in agricultural possibility on every hand.

Besides the fine turnips, celery, radishes, carrots, and cabbages grown in this district beautiful wheat is shown in Mr. McClymont's window from the same place, also oats, and splendid potatoes. Potatoes have, in fact, been grown up there for over five and twenty years now.

This vegetable exhibit was brought down to Prince Rupert by Messrs. Wilford and Philip Macdonald as a set of samples of what can be done in Northern British Columbia with the soil under tillage.

Some splendid photographs are also in Mr. McClymont's hands showing the land under cultivation there, the flat fertile acreages, and sunny slopes with the distant mountain background—scenes like the tempting dairy farming pictures of the valleys of Switzerland only so much more expansive and roomy. One photograph of a broad hay field being harvested is particularly interesting as off this very field the farmer working it cleared magnificent crops of hay by the ton this season.

WINES AND LIQUORS

For Thanksgiving Festivities at the Clarke Brothers

The immense shipment of wines, liquors and beers that Clarke Bros., received this week will afford a splendid opportunity for securing your favorite drink for Thanksgiving festivities. Liquid refreshments at dinner time are an essential. A glass of Budweiser before your meal and a glass of choice liqueur after the turkey makes a man feel contented and thankful. It was with this idea in view that Clarke Bros. had their big stock arrive at this time. They have everything you may desire. —4t

ATELL GETTING RICH

Featherweight Champion Continues to Pick up Easy Money

As far as making money goes, Abe Attell has all other stars of the roped arena beaten. There is no one deemed worthy of a match with Jack Johnson, Ad. Wolgast is out of the game for a while with a broken arm, and Battling Nelson, try as he can, is still hankering for a chance to win back the title. The "Gheto Kid," is the wise boy, for knowing that he has but a few more years as champion, and that he is growing old, is raking in the spondulicks while the sun shines. Indeed it would be hard to find a busier person than this same Abe.

The champion of all champions—for he surely has earned that title since Joe Gans no longer plays the part—admitted a short time ago that he was starting a campaign of extermination of featherweight title seekers. He put the White boys to the bad. First he bested Charlie in Milwaukee, then he licked Frankie and later Jack was his victim in Winnipeg.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

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
Pub. Sept. 1.

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 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. THOMAS ARDUUS JOHNSTON
Arthur Robertson, Agent
Pub. Sept. 1.

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
Pub. Sept. 1.

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
Pub. Sept. 1.

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
Pub. Sept. 1.

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 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. ELIZABETH N. KERR
Arthur Robertson, Agent
Pub. Sept. 1.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands. Take notice that Emma Nott, 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 one mile south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. EMMA NOTT
Arthur Robertson, Agent
Pub. Sept. 1.

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 Tehitn 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, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date Aug. 14, 1910. AUGUST ROHL
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands. Take notice that Lillian 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. 37,045, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. LILLIAN MORRIS
Arthur Robertson, Agent
Pub. Sept. 1.

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 west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Sept. 8, 1910. ROBERT MITCHELL
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 west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Sept. 9, 1910. JAMES O'PHELAN
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.
Date Sept. 8, 1910. F. JOHNNIES
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LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

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.
Date Sept. 9, 1910. TESSIE ROHRING
B. L. Tingley, Agent
Pub. Oct. 11.

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

JUST A FEW

Lots	Block	Section	Price
1 and 2	5	1	\$8000
21	12	1	9500
20 and 21	27	1	7500
17 and 18	30	1	10,000
63 and 64	34	1	12,500
13 and 14	5	5	2150
15 and 16	45	5	1050
1 and 2	3	6	3000
7	49	7	400
27 and 28	28	8	750

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Open Evenings

SIXTH ST.

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.
Pub. Sept. 15.

WILLIAM ROBINSON
B. L. Tingley, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

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 Kinikooch 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.
Pub. Sept. 7.

WILLIAM LESKEY
John Dybhavn, Agent

FOREST FIRE DAMAGES

Lumberman Suing Railway Company for Quarter Million

Nelson, Oct. 24.—A. E. Watts of Wattsburg and Proctor, lumberman, owner of timber limits and fruit lands seems likely to occupy a large proportion of the time of the justice who will preside at the winter sittings of the supreme court in Nelson. Mr. Watts is entering the courts with his usual enthusiasm, and vim and intends to conduct all his cases, of which there are seven, personally. For the past three weeks he has been spending much time in the offices of Registrar T. M. Bowman, conducting examinations for discovery of different witnesses in the seven cases he hopes to have decided in December.

In all he is suing in different actions for damages amounting to a total of over a quarter of a million dollars. The most important of these cases is a suit for \$108,000, which he is bringing against the C. P. R. for timber destroyed in fires near Wattsburg last summer which he alleges were caused by that company's employees or engines.

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TO REBUILD CANNERY

Fifty Per Cent of Kasaan Pack Saved After Fire

Mr. L. J. Gorman, proprietor of the Kasaan cannery property, came up from Seattle a few days ago in company with Mr. Mills, the insurance adjuster, and since that time they have been engaged in adjusting the loss to the property which burned recently.

Fifty per cent of the pack will be saved as it is being brought to Ketchikan and stored in the cannery here, while houses have been built for the Chinamen who will come over today to laquer and re-label the cans. The Vigilant, towing the scow Blanch, has been engaged for the past few days in transferring the salmon to this place. Mr. Gorman informs the Miner that after leaving here he intends to go east for a few weeks and upon his return he will arrange to rebuild the plant at Kasaan and it is his intention to put up a modern two line cannery with the latest improved machinery. The work to be completed for business the coming season.—Ketchikan Miner.

Wines, Liquors, Ales and Beer at Clarke Bros. —4t

Senator Frost Stricken

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—Senator Frank Frost suffered a stroke of paralysis while at the Rideau club tonight. He was removed to the Protestant hospital in a serious condition. Senator Frost is connected with the firm of the Frost & Wood Manufacturing company in the capacity of a director. He was the first mayor of Smiths Falls. For four years 1896-1900, he represented a constituency in the house of commons, later being made a senator. He was born in Smiths Falls in 1843.

RECEPTION TO LAURIER

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier Guests in Montreal

Montreal, Oct. 25.—Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier arrived at noon today from Ottawa to attend the reception to be given this evening for them by Major and Mrs. G. W. Stevens. Lady Laurier is the guest of Mrs. J. C. B. Casgrain, Dorchester street west.

Subsidy Railway Lands

Victoria, Oct. 25.—With regard to the legislation passed last session authorizing the government to buy back subsidy railway lands it is not expected that there will be anything to report next session to the House since no arrangements have so far been completed.

Heroic Treatment

"Why do you invariably take a taxicab when you're drinking?"
"The bill always sobers me instantly."
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Is now in commission, and all parties who purpose going into the new country can do so with all the comfort of an ocean liner; and with Captain Bucey in command, ensuring quick trips and safety of life and property.

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All the leading brands of Scotch, Irish, Rye, Gin, Brandy, Wine, Etc., always on hand.

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The Prince Rupert Optimist

DAILY AND WEEKLY

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ADVERTISING RATES are one price to all—25c per inch each issue for display matter. This rate applies to all advertising without distinction of quantity or time of contract.

READING NOTICES and LEGAL ADVERTISING are 10c per line.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES—DAILY, 50c per month, or \$5.00 per year, in advance. WEEKLY, \$2.00 per year. OUTSIDE CANADA—Daily, \$8.00 per year; Weekly, \$2.50 per year, strictly in advance.

DAILY EDITION.



FRIDAY, OCT. 28

THE EAST ON ASIATICS

The *Toronto Star* which has frequently dealt with the Asiatic labor question and has strenuously supported the exclusion of that undesirable element from Canada, recently contained a letter from a reader which deals with the other side of the question. This letter has attracted the attention of the press of the East. It is quoted here in part:

"I can hardly bear to write calmly of the stupidity, as I see it, of the action of the Government of British Columbia in refusing the application of the transcontinental railways to be allowed to bring to Canada through that colony, the laborers from East India so much needed in hurrying forward the construction of those great arteries of commerce between the East and West. Why should those great public works be compelled to put up with the limited supply of labor which they can obtain from the small-sized Italians at a high price, when our gigantic, brawny, fellow-subjects from Northern India are willing to lend us their aid in turning our rocky and thickly timbered back country into a land of plenty in half the time it will take with the present dearth of labor? This generation of Canadians will have passed away before the second and third transcontinental lines will have been able to construct their projected double-tracks through from ocean to ocean. What wickedness to thus prolong the condition of arid waste in which so great a portion of North America has heretofore existed, and to sacrifice the valuable lives of so many hundreds of pushing Canadian business men, who will be cut off almost by wholesale for want of double tracks, and of wide steel bridges, and through scarcity of nearby villages and of demical men to render 'first aid.'

"How is it possible, with the present limited supply of labor, to build the many branches those transcontinentals will need, and at the same time construct a fourth one through that wonderful Peace River country, and push forward the two great Hudson Bay lines, even with a single track, not to mention the imminent new Welland Canal, and the already ordered deepening of the St. Lawrence river?

"Our children and the children of those emigrants who have settled down in Canada will never handle a pick or a shovel in the construction of these great beneficial works, even if they are never built. They are at school, getting an education to fit them for becoming time-keepers, engineers, editors, draftsmen, school teachers, reporters, telegraph operators, electricians, railroad officers, vessel owners, contractors, clergymen, missionaries, manufacturers, and millionaires. It is perfect nonsense to expect that they are going to engage in manual labor or any sort except in an educational way. We must continue to import the laborers, and how more conveniently than from the British dominions in Asia, across the Pacific Ocean to Victoria, Vancouver, or Prince Rupert."

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The *Toronto Globe* replies to the letter comparing the danger of Asiatic invasion with the race problem of the negro in the United States:

"In this one can almost hear again the arguments that led to the introduction of the African negro into the Virginia plantations. It was hard work growing tobacco with labor so scarce. To open up the back country would be a slow process. The negro was brought in, and it is not unlikely that there was promise to re-export him 'after serving us for five or six years.' Today the greatest race problem that has ever confronted mankind is before the people of the United States as a result of their haste in nation-building. It will perhaps take another century to determine whether or not the Southern States are ultimately to become a black man's country, but already the negro question has cost a great war and the shedding of much blood and many tears.

"It may be said that the yellow man and the brown man on the Pacific slope will never multiply as the negro has done in the South, and that no peril to the principle of a white man's Canada is involved in admitting several thousand Oriental laborers, alien in speech, customs, and ideals. How can we be sure of that? The Jap and the Chinaman and the Punjaabee are not fools. They know the land of promise when they see it just as quickly as the Russian Jew. The Chinese quarters of Victoria and Vancouver are swarming with almon-eyed children. Why should not a fresh invasion, even supposedly a temporary one, give us like permanent Oriental settlements in Calgary and Edmonton and Winnipeg, and the great cities of the East? There is only one way of safety. Keep the door shut.

"Canada is not an old man in a hurry who must make haste because the long night cometh. The nation is but in its opening manhood. There are centuries of progress before it. Far better will it be to build slowly and to build well, even if we of this generation can but lay the foundation, than in a frenzy of unnecessary haste introduce men and women from Asia who may be as great a menace to the Anglo-Saxon on the Pacific as the negro is in the South. The *Globe* finds no wickedness but much to commend in the action of those in authority who labor to maintain barriers against the peopling of the Pacific coast from the Orient."

SECTION ONE GRADING

Tenders to Be Called for Rest of This Work

The report presented by the Streets committee at last night's city council meeting embodied a number of recommendations, the principal one being that tenders be called for the remainder of the work in Section One. This was adopted.

The report further recommended that tenders be called for the proposed improvements on Eighth avenue from McBride street to the intersection of Hays Cove Circle with Eighth avenue;

and that the necessary advertising be done in connection with various proposed plankways.

W. G. Humble's petition for leave to construct a plankway to his lots on Sixth avenue was granted subject to the approval of the city engineer.

In connection with the petition for a sidewalk on Alfred street it was recommended that the plank in the vicinity of Alfred street be sold to the petitioners at \$10 per thousand so that the assessment in payment of construction be for one year only and that the necessary advertising be done.

Budweiser Beer at Clarke Bros. —4t

Condensed Advertisements.

ARE YOU IN NEED OF HELP? Do you want to buy, or sell, or hire, or loan? Try The Optimist Condensed Ad. route.

COLLECTIONS made in any part of the world. Universal Collection Agency. 6th Street, Phone 75. 134-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished three rooms and closet. New Range, Kitchen Cabinet, Dishes and Cooking Utensils, Dining Table, Bed, Etc. House has city water, and is close in. \$27.50 per month. Address, Owdier, c-o Optimist. 147-151

FOR RENT—A commodious and comfortably furnished bedroom in private home, close in. Apply P.O. Box 502. 48-54

FOR SALE—A Rooming House. A Snap. Apply George Leek. 141

FOR SALE—Furniture of six room house. Enquire 7th Ave. and Green St. 146-150

FOUND—A Float, with house. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and for trouble of towing. Apply Optimist Office. 138-tf

FOR RENT—Well furnished apartment, modern, all conveniences. Apply Crown Agency Company, Pattullo Block. 144-w1

MEDAL FOUND—Silver Medal, granted Pte. R. Harford for services in South Africa. Apply at Optimist Office. 147-w1

WANTED—A Waitress. Apply Royal Hotel. 141

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

WANTED—Old woollen rags and underclothes. Highest price paid. Apply J. H. Hoffa Co., No. 13 Fifth Street. Telephone 128 blue. P. O. Box 650. 148-tf

WANTED—Suits to clean and press, \$1.00 each. Room 13 Westenhaver Block, 2nd Ave. and 6th Street. 144-1m

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.

SUSAN KIRBY

Oct. 14-30d

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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STOVE PIPES ELBOWS

Stove Pipes put up, Cleaned and Repaired.

Furnaces put in and Repaired

Don't throw away the old stove until you have seen us. We repair and make as good as new.

Only First Class Tin Shop in City

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PORTLAND CANAL STOCKS.

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(As reported by S. Harrison & Co.)

	BID	ASKED
Portland Canal	28	29 1-2
Stewart M. & D. Co.	2.85	3.00
Red Cliff	85	.90
Main Reef80

THE WEATHER

Twenty-four hours ending 5 a. m., October 28.

MAX. TEMP.	MIN. TEMP.	BAR.	IN. RAIN
56.0	44.0	29.549	.65

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Hotel Premier

- E. F. Roberts, Vancouver
- A. A. Nevison, Vancouver
- H. R. Chauncey, Montreal
- O. Peterson
- A. Harrison
- J. Dean, Stewart
- M. W. Ragan, Stewart
- Cecil Allen, Masset
- R. Ranson, Masset
- C. C. Lambert, Masset
- B. Andrew, Masset
- C. W. Bowren, Vancouver
- Mrs. O. G. Hozzler, Sand Point, Idaho
- Geo. McGregor, Vancouver
- J. E. Drake, Stewart

G. T. P. Inn

- T. Burnside, Vancouver
- E. W. Turner, Toronto
- A. C. Turner, Toronto
- Geo. H. Ferguson, Vancouver
- W. G. Breeze, Vancouver
- Wm. Pearce, Calgary
- T. Hussey, Calgary
- A. T. Broderick, Melite

New Knox Hotel

- Harry Currier, Mile 65
- Geo. Price, Mile 65
- A. B. Clark, Mile 65
- George Bandin, Kitsumkalum
- V. Guimbard, Kitsumkalum
- G. Gibbs, Hazelton
- G. Bronson, Porcher Island
- F. Foster, Kitselas
- W. Webster
- I. Copeland, Victoria
- I. Olson, Victoria
- C. Erickson, Seeleyville
- Gus Hedlund, Seeleyville
- R. H. E. Clark, Stewart
- H. A. Munchison, Hazelton
- C. Hardie, Vancouver
- C. J. Duncan, Vancouver
- Chas. Edwards, Vancouver
- W. Kock, Vancouver
- W. B. Wallace, Stewart
- A. H. Elliott, Stewart
- W. Hanam, Port Essington
- J. Simiver, Vancouver
- D. Mullen, Vancouver
- W. Collins, Vancouver

Kitselas, October 28, 1910.—8:0 a.m. calm, cloudy, cold. Water 2 feet 10 inches below zero, falling.

Operator left Kitselas 2:0 p.m. yesterday en route up river.

Conveyor by Copper river 2:0 p.m. yesterday en route up river.

Port Simpson leaves Kitselas 8:30 a.m. en route Prince Rupert.

Inlander left Copper river 7:0 a.m. en route up river.

Distributor, Skeena, Omineca and Hazelton in Prince Rupert.

Weather Hazelton and north, cloudy, calm, snowing to rain.

Go to Stalker & Wells for Groceries.

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MOVING PICTURE

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—AND—

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Have you ever stopped to think how much you owe on Real Estate—the payments you have yet to make?

You no doubt have it all figured out, as far as you are concerned, but could your wife and family or heirs meet these payments should you meet with an accident or die?

Its our business to protect your interests in this line. It can be done very cheaply and if you will call and look over our plans you will be interested.

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Morrell's Hams and Bacons

Rex Bacon

Sweet Potatoes

Cranberries

Peanut Butter

Nabob Coffee, 40c

Fresh Green Vegetables

Phone 187

Stalker & Wells

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Omineca Land District—District of Cassiar. Take notice that Philip Chenett, of Prince Rupert, occupation Contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Andimaul Government Reservation, Skeena River, Range 5, District of Cassiar, thence 20 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 10 chains south, thence east along the bank of Skeena River to point of commencement, containing 100 acres, more or less. Philip Chenett, Locator. Dated Oct. 14, 1910. Pub. Oct. 28

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SHIRTWAISTS**

Mrs. S. Frizzell

NEW DINING ROOM

**Royal Hotel Makes Many Changes
and Improvements**

Starting on Thursday, October 27, the Royal hotel will conduct a purely hotel dining room and to do this and give the public the best service and the best meals several important changes have been made. The lunch counter has been disposed of and the entire space devoted to the dining room, which is up to date in every respect. The hours for serving meals will be as follows: breakfast from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m., lunch 12 noon to 2:30 p.m., dinner 5:30 p.m. to 8 o'clock. 146-8

TENDERED A DINNER

**W. A. Thompson's Friends Give Him
Good Send-Off**

W. A. Thompson, who for the past season has been connected with the freight department of Messrs. Foley, Welch & Stewart, left last night on the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert for his home in Saginaw, Mich., where he will join Mrs. Thompson and family.

Since Mr. Thompson's arrival on the coast he has made many warm friends, his first appointment being purser on the G. T. P. river boat Distributor, operating on the Skeena. Last spring Mr. Thompson was assigned the position formerly filled by Robert McDonald.

Mr. Thompson was tendered a dinner at the Premier hotel on the eve of his departure after which many of his numerous friends gathered on the pier to wish him a pleasant journey and when the liner swung out into the stream it was with hearty cheers for Mr. Thompson.

IMAGINARY FIRE ALARM

**Causes Sudden Activity at Last
Night's City Council**

Just how smart a bunch of men our city council can be when they are all agreed on a straight issue was shown at last night's city council when the bell suddenly rang loud and long outside, and someone in the inner apartments of the City Hall put his head through the door saying, "Fire bell, gentlemen!"

The Mayor jumped up from the mayoral chair like a flash, and in half a second a motion calling a recess had been put and carried by the council already making for the doors.

Mayor Stork was at the telephone in a stride and asking the Fire Chief where the blaze was. There was nothing doing after all, however, as the alarming bell had been rung on one of the boats at the wharf.

A fire in last night's half gate of wind would have been pretty dangerous, and the prompt alertness of the council was quite justifiable though fortunately unnecessary.

A real Home Time at the Thanksgiving Banquet next Monday evening in the Methodist Church. You are hereby invited. Bring your friend and spend an enjoyable evening. No fixed charge, a Thank Offering in behalf of the church funds.

**LIQUOR HOUSE
CHANGED HANDS**

**MANAGER PHOENIX BREWERY
TO LOCATE HERE**

**Northern B. C. Liquor Co. Taken
Over by F. H. Worlock—Frank
Clapp Temporary Manager—He
Will Erect a Second Warehouse.**

F. H. Worlock has returned to Victoria to resume his duties as manager of the Phoenix Brewery for a short time longer. Mr. Worlock was in Prince Rupert for a week on ten days and during that time he completed a deal whereby he takes over the license of the Northern B. C. Liquor Co., which was granted a short time ago to a local syndicate. Mr. Worlock has leased the frame warehouse occupied by the Crown Bottling Works, and will carry his stock there until such time as Mr. Clapp can erect another stone warehouse. The work on the new building has already started. The foundation is being blasted out and everything will be in readiness for the spring. Mr. Clapp has also been engaged as manager of the new liquor firm until such time as Mr. Worlock can arrange to move here which will not be until after the new year.

A supply of wines and liquors is now on the way to Prince Rupert for this firm and next week they will be ready to do business.

PREPARE FOR PREMIER

**City Council Will Have Battery of
Demands Ready for Him**

The city council will meet at eight p.m. next Tuesday to put their heads together on the various questions they intend to ask Premier McBride when he meets with the council.

All the aldermen are to consider in the meantime the possible points likely to come up, and these will be gone over and put in order on Tuesday so that nothing may be overlooked while the Premier is no the spot.

FORTY SPARE POLES

**Too Short for Lights Transferred to
'Phone Department**

A report by the Telephone and Light committee in reference to the transfer from the lighting plant of some 40 or 50 small poles to that of the telephone department was explained by Ald. Mobley last night. The poles, he said, were too small for the lighting plant, but Mr. E. Love, the telephone department's manager, could make use of them as reserve poles to replace any burnt out or otherwise damaged.

IN POOR SHAPE

**J. McAgee Charged With Vagrancy Is
Sadly Rattled**

J. McAgee a haggard looking man who is being detained on a vagrancy charge pending observation by the doctor appeared before Magistrate Carss this morning. He seemed nervous and excited and wanted things hurried up and done with. But the Magistrate and Chief of Police were agreed that the poor fellow's condition necessitates his being cared for rather than allowed to wander much longer, and he was remanded till Tuesday.

Mayor Will Write

It was agreed at last night's city council meeting that the Mayor should write to the secretary of the B. C. Association of Municipalities explaining that the city is not at present prepared to send delegates to the association meeting at Salmon Arm.

Clarke Bros. have a fine stock of wines for Thanksgiving. —4t

CATHOLIC BAZAAR

**Contest For Magnificent Cane In-
vented by J. Fred Ritchie**

The ladies of the Catholic Church, under the efficient leadership of Mrs. J. F. Ritchie, will hold a bazaar on Friday, November 4th, opening at 3 p.m. and closing at 11 p.m.

Hustle, hustle, rustle to our Bazaar! Attractive display of many fancy and useful articles donated by Catholic ladies and non-Catholic friends; delicious refreshments; good musical program; fishing pond; raffle; popularity contest; all winding up in a dance.

Don't miss to come; there will be barrels of fun for old and young.

Have a look at the charming bridesmaid doll beautifully dressed exhibited at Miss Barbeau's millinery store. A gilt-edge opportunity for the lucky individual to win a doll which will make the delight of any girl.

A novel and lively feature at the Bazaar will be the voting contest, at ten cents a vote, between Mayor Stork and Ald. Vernor Smith. The most popular candidate will be presented with a magnificent \$75 gold-headed cane. Go and see it exhibited at Keeley's drug store. It is a beauty.

The many friends of both candidates who so gracefully accepted, are preparing to make this contest a lively one. Join right in! It will be good.

BIG CROWD GOES SOUTH

**Prince Rupert Left Last Night With
Hundred and Thirty-seven**

The Prince Rupert had a banner list of passengers on her trip to the coast last night. There were eighty-four first class, six second and forty-seven third. Among the first class were:

To Seattle—Mr. and Mrs. De Witt and child, W. Purce, F. Heiney, C. Banghart, A. G. Johnston, H. S. Brown, Mr. O. G. Hester, B. Beck, B. Jansen, J. Hastings, Dora Clifton.

To Victoria—H. F. MacDonald, S. Davids, J. Cowan, W. A. King, C. S. Allen, B. Andrew, H. Howson, W. H. Dempster, C. C. Lamb, R. Rowson, S. Hearn, D. Ross.

To Vancouver—S. Little, W. G. Breeze, F. Flett, L. Purdy, S. C. Gaden, J. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Yates, A. McLeod, B. Bowser, C. W. Bowen, K. Kaffey, R. Harvey, G. Sherwood, J. M. Parker, A. MacPhadden, P. Belyea, J. Cross, P. Hacker, T. J. Drain, J. E. Dean, Mr. Regan, J. Firdrick, E. Erickson, J. Cameron, O. Bonner, J. McLeod, R. Dougall, H. Smail, J. Allen, G. Bardin, H. Robinson, H. R. Chancey, J. E. Drake, G. H. Ferguson, Lena Duthie, M. Daniel, C. C. Clapp, J. C. Powell, P. H. Walls, B. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. P. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Rivack and child, Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald, W. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Ledwing, G. H. Smith, J. Herbert, A. C. Tabb, E. W. Turner, A. C. Turner, Mr. Code.

TO MEET THE PREMIER

**Arrangements Already Made for the
Reception of Premier McBride**

It is expected that Premier McBride will arrive here on the Prince Rupert next Wednesday about noon, and that he will have the afternoon in which to meet personal friends and be shown to over the city. In the evening there will be a public meeting in the Majestic theatre, at which addresses will be delivered and the premier will reply at length. The list of orators for the occasion has not yet been prepared.

On Thursday the premier will meet the members of the city council, probably in the afternoon. In the evening the Prince Rupert Conservative association will give a smoker in McIntyre hall, to which all supporters of the government will be invited.

Other arrangements, for the reception of delegations from Stewart and other places, and so on, will be made and announced as the situation develops.

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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 west 80
chains, thence north 80 chains to point of com-
mencement.
Date Aug. 13, 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 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. 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 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. 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 of 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 of 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. 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 of 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. 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 of 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 of 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. 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 of 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. 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 west 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 west 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,
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thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 12, 1910. PATRICK M. MAHER
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

MINING NOTES FROM AMONG THE SKEENA RIVER CAMPS

Two of the Harris brothers were in town from their claims recently located on Nine Mile mountain, at the head of Two Mile creek, and brought some fine samples of ore from the property, says the *Omineca Herald*. Three veins have been uncovered on the surface and, altogether, about five hundred feet of stripping has been done. Every vein shows good ore. The showings vary in width from eighteen inches to five feet and in some places the ore is solid galena.

There are six claims in the one group, reaching from the lake at the head of Two Mile, up the hill to the ridge between it and Four Mile creek. Several mining men have visited the claims recently and all unite in a favorable opinion as to the worth of the proposition. The veins cut directly across the formation and are nearly straight up and down. Assays from surface ore yielded 140 ounces in silver, 50 per cent lead and a small percentage in copper. Not all of the ore is of this grade and much of it would require concentrating. One vein shows a shoot of solid galena nearly two feet wide.

It is the intention to continue working all winter.

Work on the Lead King

F. A. Brown, superintendent of the Lead King on Nine Mile, reports that everything is in first class shape for a long winter's work. Provisions, tools and powder enough to last five or six men all winter have been laid down at the cabins. The tunnel is going ahead at a good rate, being driven on ore.

Brown stopped at the Harris brothers' claims on his way down the mountain and says he considered the showing a winner. They have done a remarkably large amount of work in the last month and have the veins stripped for several hundred feet, showing ore all the way.

Doing Surface Stripping

Surface stripping and trenching is going ahead under the direction of Wm. Dalton, foreman, on the galena vein on the east side of Four Mile hill. Much good ore has already been uncovered. Surface water flowing into the cut from the deep over-burden has necessitated digging a long drain which will not be completed for a few days.

Supplies for Nine Mile

Supplies are being packed from Hazelton to Nine Mile for the Silver Cup and Lead King mines. About ten tons will be needed for the Cup and all but about two tons has been sent and this is to be hurried as a heavy fall of snow may come at any time on the upper end of the trail.

Frank Brown is hustling to get the supplies for the Lead King away. About eight tons will last the Lead King miners until spring.

Steamer Hazelton Gives Dance

Captain Gardener and officers of the steamer Hazelton last week entertained the townspeople at the Omineca hotel, giving a dance and supper that was in every way worthy to be classed as out of the ordinary in this part of the country. The large dining room was cleared for the dancers and by a lucky chance C. B. Wark, the Prince Rupert jeweler, and a commercial traveler, happened to be in town and furnished music exceptionally good. A large attendance filled the big room and a noticeable feature was the number of new faces, especially among the ladies. An elaborate supper was served about midnight and following that dancing was resumed until three o'clock in the morning.

Hazelton Eagles Gathering

The lodge of Eagles, now in process of being formed at Hazelton, is quite

likely to build their own building, to be used for social gatherings as well as lodge purposes. Dr. Slocum, organizer for the order, has made informal arrangements for a site and has discussed plans with a number of leading spirits. Nothing definite can be determined, according to the doctor, until after the lodge is instituted and there is a full discussion of the matter among the members. The site proposed is on the Cunningham property, back of the store. The building would most likely be two stories high, the ground floor to be rented for business purposes.

Get Budweiser Beer for Thanksgiving Dinner at Clarke Bros. —4t

ARE SEEKING CHARTER

Railway to Tap Mineral Region in Western Yukon

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—Application will be made to parliament next session by the British Columbia & White River Railway company for incorporation and to construct a line of railway from Bear Creek towards the Alaska river, thence to Lake Klauene and to White river.

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Explains Bourassa's Position

If it is true that "happy is the country whose annals are not glorious," Canada must be in the zenith of happiness, for the dearth of domestic news of even common interest is extraordinary. Every one seems to be too busy to make news worth talking about. There is not even a half-way exciting political yarn afloat. The result is that Mr. Bourassa has been much in the limelight. If there were real news going, he would not have received anything like the advertising he has been getting.—*Victoria Times*.

Go to Stalker & Wells for Groceries.

Faith of a Windsor Man

A Windsor man's faith in human nature, particularly that part of it represented by the opposite sex, received a rude jolt last week. He was on his way to Kansas City to be married, accompanied by the bride-to-be, and stopped off at Chicago between trains. He went out to get shaved, and at the bride's expectant suggestion, left his money, \$1700, with her until he returned. When he returned money and bride were both missing. The only consolation left him is the world's record for the most expensive shave.

Punctuality is a convenient virtue. You are going to be at the Annual Banquet at the Methodist Church next Monday night. The room is limited, the hour is six forty-five, it may be difficult to keep a place for you after the hour. Please be on time.

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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 Principe 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 Kinkooch 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. 13, 1910. JOHN D. MCINTYRE
Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhavn, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that F. R. C. Brown of Prince Rupert, occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted adjoining G. D. Tite's corner post, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 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 8982, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.
Date Sept. 19, 1910. JEAN VAUGHAN
Pub. Oct. 1. 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 described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles up the Ex Chum Sik River from its mouth and on the left bank of river going up stream; thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains more or less to river bank, thence westerly along river bank to place of commencement.
Date Aug. 15, 1910. [Sgd] "Joseph E. Marchildon"
Pub. Aug. 22

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

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 or less south of Entrance to Kutzeymatten 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. 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 or less from mouth of Kutzeymatten 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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Commencing at a post planted as follows, on the shore of Crow Lake and south of the Kutzeymatten 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.
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Pub. Sept. 7.

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Commencing at a post planted as follows, between Steamboat Passage and Crow Lake, at the north-west corner of Crow Lake at 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. 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, one mile more or less east of Crow Lake and south of the Kutzeymatten 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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Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5.
Take notice that Minerva Furtney of Vancouver, occupation housekeeper, intends 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 Distr. et, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 11, 1910.
M. Nerva Furtney
H. N. Root, 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
B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that George Nott, of Vancouver, manager, 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 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.
GEORGE NOTT
Arthur Robertson, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Charles R. Gilbert of Vancouver, B. C., occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the S. W. corner of Lot 3980, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 60 chains more or less to shore of Lake Lake, thence following the shore of said lake in a northerly direction to point of commencement, containing 200 acres more or less.
Date Sept. 19, 1910. [CHARLES R. GILBERT
Manceil Clark, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
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 Kylox River about six miles from its mouth and marked; "T. N. D's, NW. Corner," thence running east 40 chains, thence running south 80 chains, thence running west 40 chains, thence northerly along the bank of Kylox River to point of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.
Date Aug. 25, 1910. THOMAS NELSON DUNN
J. E. Bateman, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that G. W. Arnott of Prince Rupert, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at post planted half mile west of J. H. Murphy's corner post, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date Aug. 9, 1910.
G. W. Arnott
Per Numa Demers, Agent

MORE BUFFALO FOR THE PARK

TWENTY-NINE HEAD SHIPPED TO WAINWRIGHT

Round-up in Montana Was Difficult and Dangerous Proceedings—Several Men Having Narrow Escapes From Death.

Missoula, Mont., Oct. 24.—The second shipment of buffalo from Pablo's buffalo ranch on the Flathead reservation has left Ravalli consigned to the Canadian government, and in the charge of two government guards. This shipment consists of twenty-nine head of buffalo and was sent to Wainwright, Alta., which is near where the Canadian national park is located.

The rounding-up of the buffalo was a hard and dangerous task, as several of the outlaw bulls proved very irritable and gave several men narrow escapes from death. James Lacazar narrowly escaped a horrible death, when one of the bulls charged his horse and gored it before Lacazar could turn to avoid the rush. Lacazar was knocked from his horse and the bull rushed at him. Three times he managed to dodge the rush of the bull and finally reached a tree, which he ascended after avoiding a rush that sent the bull some distance past him.

The animals were brought into Ravalli, where they were loaded on Northern Pacific cars and will go first to Kallispel, and then on to the Great Northern tracks to their destination. They were put in frame wagons about fifteen feet long, constructed of heavy timber. The wagons did not allow the buffalo much play and proved a successful method of transporting them. Several buffalo became so hard to control that it was decided to leave them on the reservation, where they will be slaughtered.

The herd consisted mainly of cows and calves.

TO LICK THE EDITOR

Long Lost Brother Had Lots of Fun in Attempt

An editor can usually take a joke as well as anybody, but there are times during the rush of business when he is apt to miss the point of the joke.

Such an instance happened out in Vancouver a number of years ago, which happened seriously for the joker, says the *Saturday Mail*. The joker in question happened to be the editor's own brother, whom he hadn't seen for ten years. He came to surprise his brother and to pay him a visit, and, being more or less given to practical joking, he determined to visit his brother in the guise of the "feller that wants to lick the editor."

He was a big strapping man, well fitted to enact such a part, and when he forced his way into the editor's private office he had his hat pulled down over his eyes and a cigar elevated at an angle of forty-five degrees, giving him an appearance of terrible ferocity.

"Is this the editor?" he asked as he faced his brother.

"It is. What can I do for you?"
"Nothing," replied the fierce-looking man. "It's me what wants to do for you. Are you prepared to take a good licking?"

"Delighted, I'm sure," replied the editor, and with this he picked up a heavy picture block and slammed it into the visitor's face, knocking him under the table. The foreman in the composing room had a roller in his hand at the time and hearing a strange noise in the office came running in just in time to stand on the strange man's chest, give him a kick on the jaw and run the roller over his face.

When the man came to his senses he explained his little joke, disclosing his identity. It took some time to get the ink off his face and, barring a piece of his ear that was missing where the stereo glanced off his head, he was soon all right and in good fettle for the drunk which (no doubt) followed.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast
Take notice that Joseph H. Houston of Vancouver, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted 200 yards north from the mouth of Bear River adjoining the southern boundary of the Indian Reserve, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains.
Dated Oct. 12, 1910. JOSEPH H. HOUSTON
Pub. Oct. 25. David B. Michiner, Agent

Cassiar Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Henry Hunter Mortou of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:
Commencing at a post planted one mile in a northerly direction from the north end of Bulkeley Lake and 10 chains west of Bulkeley Creek, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.
Date Oct. 8, 1910. HENRY HUNTER MORTON
Pub. Oct. 25. Wilfrid C. Macdonald, Agent

Cassiar Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that I. Neill McNeill of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation Real Estate Dealer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one mile in northerly direction from the north end of Bulkeley Lake and ten chains west of Bulkeley Creek, 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.
Dated Oct. 8, 1910. NEIL M. McNEILL
Pub. Oct. 25. Wilfrid C. McDonald, Agent.

Cassiar Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Thomas Y. McClymont of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:
Commencing at a post planted one mile in easterly direction from Hylands Ranch and about 20 chains south Taitaw River 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.
Dated Sept. 29, 1910 THOS. M. McCLYMONT
Pub. Oct. 25. Wilfrid C. McDonald, Agent

Cassiar Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Wilfrid C. McDonald of Prince Rupert, B. C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:
Commencing at a post planted one mile distant in northerly direction from north end of Bulkeley Lake and ten chains west of Bulkeley Creek, 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.
Dated Oct. 8, 1910. WILFRID C. McDONALD
Pub. Oct. 25. Philip C. McDonald, Agent

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Pub. Oct. 25. Wilfrid C. McDonald, Agent

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Dated Oct. 8, 1910. WILFRID C. McDONALD
Pub. Oct. 25. Philip C. McDonald, 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
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

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

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

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

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

Coast Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that Rowena J. Taylor of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about five miles distant and in a northwesterly direction from the mouth of the Ekehamns 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
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Date Aug. 11, 1910. MATTHEW CASEY
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that Rowena J. Taylor of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
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August 4, 1910 Rowena J. Taylor.
Pub. August 26. J. Rogers, Agent

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. 37,045, 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
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

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BOYS NEED MORE CARE

One Who Got Into Trouble Recently Had Little Home Life

The bad effect upon a young boy of the lack of kindly home conditions was brought out yesterday when Judge Young examined the two lads who had got into trouble over breaking into a cabin across the bay the other day.

One of the boys is a big fellow, the other small for his age but bright looking and wiry. Both are only just over sixteen. The bigger boy has been exerting a bad influence generally recently over several groups of boys in Prince Rupert, and has been under detention for taking a gun before.

The little chap was quite frank and intelligent in his answers to the Judge's questions yesterday. He said he had been living by himself in a cabin while his father was away up country staking land. He used to write to his father when he needed money and gave his father's address so that he might be communicated with. Evidently the lack of proper home life had had an ill effect on the lad, and the Chief of Police thinks that taken in hand properly now he will become a straight enough man yet.

The bigger fellow was far less frank and agreeable before the Judge. He did not seem to realize the gravity of his position and sniggered at the idea of being made a manlier fellow.

Judge Young whose treatment of both boys was a justly calculated combination of firmness and consideration administered a stern rebuke to the lad for laughing, but said that until it was proved that he was actually guilty he would refrain from any further reprimand. The lad is in a rather reckless mood evidently without displaying many outward signs of it.

He said his father had forbidden him the house once, and that had made him stay away for good.

This one sign of decency in the boy's curt replies to the questioning was his statement that his mother had been kind to him. Otherwise, he was hard, and silently defiant.

As reported briefly in yesterday's issue Judge Young has adjourned the case while the boys' parents are being communicated with.

THE BIG FILL

On Second Avenue at S. H. Watson's Contract End

Ald. Mobley asked at last night's council meeting why the big dump at the end of S. H. Watson's grading contract could not be filled now. He understood that S. H. Watson would

have about 10,000 yards of material in excess of his dumping space on the contract and wondered why the big dump should be kept open still.

Ald. Lynch said this was a matter for the city engineer to explain, but he believed that the matter depended on the intention of the G. T. P. to have an overhead bridge there and the tracks below.

The Mayor said that if the contractor here had a 10,000 yard surplus of material over fill it might be advisable for the city engineer to communicate with the G. T. P. on the matter of this big dumping space.

Ald. Pattullo said he believed a number of lot holders in that district were counting on trackage adjoining their lots, and these people's interests would be affected by a solid fill here.

Small Accounts Oodered Paid

A report from the Finance committee recommending the payment of one or two small accounts was adopted at last night's city council meeting and the accounts passed for payment, on the motion of Ald. Pattullo.

Nelson to Meet Attell

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 26.—(Special)—Agreements have been signed for Abe Attell to fight Battling Nelson in this city next month.

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WATER AT LOW STAGE

Hazelton Unable to Leave Because of the Heavy Storms

The stage of water on the Skeena, as recorded this morning, is thirty-four inches below zero, in despite of the heavy rains. No matter how heavy it may rain in Prince Rupert it does not appear to affect the river much, but the weather seems to be moderating in the interior, with less frost and a tendency to turn from snowing to raining. This may help a little.

The Port Simpson reached Kitselas all right and at half past eight this morning started to return. After she gets here she will probably be tied up for the winter. The Inlander is still on her way to Hazelton and appears to be making good progress. The Hazelton, which was to leave this port yesterday morning, was held back by the high winds, and was still here this morning.

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County Court Writs

The following have been issued since Monday:

24th—Harry Currier (Williams & Manson) vs. V. P. Gibson, claim \$143.80.

Jabour Bros. (Williams & Manson) vs. Bob Haynor, claim \$13.50.

25th—The Westholme Lumber Co. (Carss & Bennett) vs. H. E. Hawry, claim \$270.65.

26th—Stewart & McDonald Export Co., Ltd. (Carss & Bennett) vs. Fleckman & Browne, claim \$924.91.

27th—J. B. Sloan (Williams & Manson) vs. Foley, Welch & Stewart, claim \$372.00 and damages.

Up to last week the number of writs issued for the year totalled 237.

Will Winter at Westminster

The man Herbert who was convicted of obtaining \$20 by false pretenses on two distinct charges and sentenced to five months' imprisonment for each offence the terms being concurrent, left in custody for New Westminster by the Prince Rupert last night.

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