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## IMPROVEMENT TAX AGAIN

### CLOSING OF SEVENTH STREET TO TRAFFIC

Thomas Dunn Appears Before the Council With a Vigorous Protest—Dumping By-Law to be Made Retroactive.

The City Council last night again got badly tangled up in a discussion upon local improvement and general assessments for the improvement of property, with the result that the motion to call upon the streets committee for a definite report culminated in a tie vote, with Ald. Mobley, the acting Mayor, to cast it.

All the members were present with the exception of Ald. Naden.

Ald. Hilditch opened the subject by stating that the local assessment districts should be at once defined, so that work could immediately proceed. He talked a great deal on the subject in all its phases, Ald. Pattullo pointing out that the Council could not proceed at all until the improvements called for were first discussed. There had been two or three petitions before the Council for improvement work, and the course to be followed was for the engineer to report to the streets committee what the cost of such improvements would be to the property-holders, the tax to be assessed; and the property-holders could then oppose or sanction the work to be done. All the members spoke upon the subject, but the debate was principally between Aldermen Lynch and Hilditch.

Acting Mayor Mobley was of opinion that, in determining the local improvement districts, they should hear the voice of the people upon the work to be done; and it would not do for a few property-holders to be called upon to pay for the improvement of a road that might be of as great a benefit to others.

Ald. Lynch said that was the difficulty. The property-owners would insist upon the work being done on their street, and would pay for work on no other.

In the end the suggestion of Ald. Pattullo was put in the form of a motion—the streets committee to take up the petition for the improvement of Seventh avenue, and at the same time recommend the area of local assessment district to be assessed for such work.

The latter part of the motion was an amendment, and upon the point of the committee at once reporting the assessment district there was a division—three for and three against.

Acting Mayor Mobley said he would like to know more on the subject before voting; but, as the report could be accepted by the Council or not, he would vote for the amendment. The latter therefore carried.

While this discussion was on Thomas Dunn was heard upon the closing to Seventh street. He stated that Contractor Watson had laid rails across the street for a tramway, and teams could not pass. He also pointed out that the contractor was going to dump his muskeg and rock into the fill by the schoolhouse on Second avenue, and the city might be put to the expense of removing this. What he insisted upon was that neither the Council nor anybody else had the right to close a street.

In the discussion that ensued it appeared that Mr. Watson had talked with the engineer, and also with Ald. Lynch, chairman of the Street Committee. He had obtained no permit from either, but was probably acting in good faith. The result was a discussion on blocking streets, on depositing muskeg in

fills instead of into the bay, and on blasting. Next week, it was promised, there would be a by-law dealing strictly with these matters, and no work could be undertaken without first obtaining a permit. The by-law on dumping is to be made retroactive, so that those who have dumped into fills may possibly be called upon to remove the muskeg so deposited.

## INITIAL TRIP TO STEWART

### PRINCE RUPERT MADE THE RUN IN GOOD TIME

#### Number of Local Passengers Went Up and Were Delighted With the Trip—Reception for Gen.-Manager and Hon. Thos. Taylor.

On account of the Publicity Club's dance on Wednesday night Captain Nicholson consented to the Str. Prince Rupert being detained here for a few hours and as a result she did not pull out for Stewart until nearly 12 o'clock. The Prince however made a fine run to the northern mining camp arriving there shortly after eight o'clock in the morning.

On board the new steamer were a large number of Prince Rupert people who took the opportunity to visit Stewart, and to have a ride on the steamer's maiden voyage north. Among the number were: S. Harrison, Gamble, Evitt, McRae, C. H. Sawle, Mrs. Sawle, Wm. Manson, M. P. P., Mrs. Manson and daughter, Fitzmorris, Casey, and a number of others.

Everyone was delighted with the trip and particularly so with the boat and the service provided. A great deal has been heard about the Prince Rupert and her modern equipment, but nothing has been exaggerated. From beginning to end the voyage was one continuous round of pleasure partaken of amid luxuries of every kind. It was in short a trip that all will remember and will write home about.

Capt. Nicholson mixed with the passengers and made himself very agreeable. Capt. Johnson, although his time was greatly in demand, also made himself agreeable and made many new friends. The officers and crew were all courteous and alert, and the meals served in the dining room were all that could be desired.

It was expected that the Prince Rupert would leave Stewart about ten o'clock a.m., but Capt. Nicholson, Hon. Thos. Taylor and Wm. Manson M.P.P. were detained on shore on account of the citizens' meetings, and it was nearly twelve o'clock before the big boat got under steam and pulled away from the wharf. Once started, however, no time was lost and she arrived in Prince Rupert between nine and ten o'clock last night. The maiden trip of the first G. T. P. boat was thus a great success and she will be as welcome every week as she was on Wednesday.

#### The Merry Widow Sold.

The little power boat Merry Widow turned her stern upon Rupert Wednesday for the last time. She has been sold by the owners to Fred Ferguson, who is taking her to the west coast of Vancouver Island to run out of Alberni. The Merry Widow is one of the pioneer craft of the harbor here. She was built in Metlakatla five years ago, and all the old-timers look upon her as an old friend. E. Tamphere, who has been the genial skipper, has gone south with her. He will remain in Victoria for the present.

## MORE HEAVY BUYING

### ENGLISH CAPITAL IS BEING INVESTED HERE

Total Investments of One Man Will Reach \$100,000—Lots 5 and 6 on Second Avenue Sold for \$18,500—Property will be Improved.

English capital to the amount of \$100,000 was brought into Prince Rupert on the steamer Prince Rupert on Wednesday and on Thursday the greater portion of it was invested in real estate. The balance will be invested within the next 24 hours and all the deals will be closed and ready for publication. Among other properties purchased were lots 5 and 6, block 23, sec. 1, on Second Ave. between the Exchange Grill and Martin O'Reilly's clothing store. These lots were owned by O. M. Helgerson and the price paid was \$18,500 cash. The deal was put through by M. M. Stephens & Co., and they are also handling the other deals. The two lots on Second Ave. will be improved and M. M. Stephens & Co. will have charge of the same. The nature of the building has not been decided upon yet but in a very short time plans and specifications will be prepared and the building proceeded with. The price paid for the two lots named is the highest yet paid for Second Ave. inside lots on the south side of the street, and while all the property purchased yesterday has not been closed definitely, it is safe to say that it will constitute a record for one day's dealings. The amount will total nearly \$72,000, and all of the property is in section 1 and is business property.

The above is a direct result of judicious advertising and goes to show the interest that is being taken in Prince Rupert by the financial interests in Great Britain. Further particulars of the deals will be given in tomorrow's issue.

## STEWART TO GET ROADS

### GOVT. WILL CONTRIBUTE \$20,000 IF CITIZENS RAISE THE REST

Hon. Thos. Taylor and Wm. Manson M.P.P., Appeared Before Citizens—Town Development Co. and Citizens to Pay \$5,000 Each.

Stewart, B. C., June 17.—Hon. Thos. Taylor, Minister of Public Works for British Columbia, was called upon to address a meeting of citizens here yesterday afternoon. Hon. Mr. Taylor was accompanied on the trip by Wm. Manson, M. P. P., and they went up and back on the Str. Prince Rupert. Upon arrival at the little wharf they took a hand power punt across to the mud flats and then slid along to the town. The Minister of Public Works hardly needed to be told by the citizens what was needed. Everything is needed and needed badly.

The meeting was presided over by Harry Smith and the requirements of the town were placed before the representatives of the Government. The people asked for \$30,000 to be spent on sewers and sidewalks. The Minister of Public Works could not see his way clear to donate all the money although he admitted that the sale of lots was much more successful than was anticipated. A proposition was put to the citizens that if the citizens and the

Stewart Townsite Development Co. contributed \$5,000 each the Government would put up the other \$20,000.

The Citizens' Committee was not prepared to accept the offer without submitting it to a mass meeting which will be held at an early date. There is little doubt but that the money will be raised as the town must have roads and sewers.

## RUSSIA EXPELLING JEWS

### REFUGEEES LIKELY TO COME TO THE DOMINION

Eighty-Nine More Forced to Leave Homes Without Being Given Time to Settle Their Affairs—Are of a Good Class.

Kiev, June 17—Eighty-nine more Jews were expelled from this city yesterday, but few of whom were given time to settle their affairs. The Russian senate has granted the appeal of the Jewish pharmacists, and they will be allowed to remain on the ground that they are entitled, as university graduates, to unconditional residence in Russia.

Montreal, June 17—"There are now in Canada some Russian Jews from Kiev from which city the poorer classes are now being excluded and sent to the Polish provinces. These Jews have been found of a good class; they are industrious and with the Polish Jew form a good class of citizen."

So spoke Mr. Israel Rubenstein, one of the Governors of the Baron De Hirsch Institute and who in his former capacity as treasurer of that organization had come into personal contact with a number of immigrants from the Russian and Polish provinces. He said that his experience had been that these people made a really desirable class of citizens and that those who had come here had done well.

Asked if he thought that any of the people affected would come here, Mr. Rubenstein replied: "That I cannot tell. The Governors of the Baron De Hirsch fund in London have charge of the arrangements for the colonization of the Jews and will, no doubt, endeavor to make suitable provisions in various countries and it is probable that some of these people will come to Canada. Of course, the Canadian immigration laws are much more strict now than when there was an influx of Russian Jews some years ago, but I am sure that those who may be admitted will make good citizens."

#### Bourassa Out of Politics.

Ottawa, June 17—Mr. Lavergne denies the report that Bourassa is about to return to Dominion politics.

#### Made Final Payment.

Victoria, B. C., June 17.—Mr. MacKenzie made the final payment on the Dunsmuir coal mines and his manager, W. L. Coulson, was placed in charge yesterday. He would say nothing of the route of the Island railway line.

#### Good News for the Province.

Calgary, June 17.—J. J. Blakeslee, manager of Canada House, Berlin, says much German capital is ready to engage in the development of British Columbia timber resources along the lines of conservation methods followed by the German government, which compels the planting of young trees immediately after the standing timber is taken out.

## PROFIT OF OVER \$15,000

### ENGLISH CAPITAL PURCHASED CHOICE PROPERTY

O. M. Helgerson Co. Puts Through Deal Which Represents Largest Profits Made in Prince Rupert—Property on Third Avenue.

Undoubtedly the greatest profit-making investment in Prince Rupert became public yesterday afternoon when O. M. Helgerson Co. put through a deal for Piercy, Morris Co. amounting to \$19,500. The lots transferred were 5 and 6 block 32, sec. 1, situated between 7th and 8th streets on Third Ave. This property was purchased just two years and two days ago by Piercy, Morris & Co. for \$1,000 in cash. Thus their net profit is over \$15,000. The purchaser was S. Grant, of Bella Coola, B. C., who represents English capital. He came to town a day or so ago and after looking around picked on the lots named.

It might also be mentioned that O. M. Helgerson & Co. owned the two lots on Second Ave. which were sold by M. M. Stephens & Co. for \$18,500 yesterday.

The money invested in Prince Rupert real estate is safer than bank stock and it is doubling in value all the time. Mining stock is good as a speculation, but for real value and a sure money maker Prince Rupert real estate leads the world.

#### SHEEPDOG UPSETS BOAT.

Young Man Drowned in Attempt to Rescue a Girl

Seattle, June 7.—A young man named Albert Needles, visiting here from Tonopah, took a young woman of 18, named Alice Monahan, and another, named Blanche Gorman, 14, out rowing on Swan Lake last night. They also took a shepherd dog along, and the animal, becoming restless at never having been in a boat before, upset the boat. Needles made a gallant attempt to rescue the younger girl. He managed to catch her as she came to the surface, and was swimming to the bank with her when his strength became exhausted, and both were drowned within a few yards of the beach. The third member of the party clung to the upturned boat and was rescued. The bodies of the two drowned have not been recovered.

#### Wreck in Yukon

Dawson, Y. T., June 17.—The White Pass steamer Casca struck low water in the thirty-mile section of the Yukon river and foundered in the rapids. The passengers were landed without difficulty and the crew is now unloading the cargo on to the banks to await the next steamer.

#### The Imperial Conference.

London, June 17.—It is suggested that the King open the Imperial Conference next year. The Times further suggests that the King holds court in all the principal cities of the empire. It calls for a revision and expansion of the accepted ideas of royal activity first introduced by the late King Edward.

#### South Pole Expedition

Cardiff, June 17.—The British expedition to the south pole sailed from here yesterday. Several of the officers who accompanied Lieut. Shackelford on his "Furthest South" trip, are with the expedition, and hope to continue the work of exploration from the point at which he had to turn back.

## Buys that will appeal to those who know

Lots 1 and 2, Block 5, Section 1.	Price \$8,000
" 17 " 18, " 8, " 1. "	10,000
" 21 " 12, " 1. "	9,000
" 23 " 24, " 12, " 1. "	25,000
" 20 " 21, " 27, " 1. "	7,500
" 63 " 64, " 34, " 1. "	12,500
" 31 " 7, " 1. "	2,000
" 17 " 4, " 5. "	1,100

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Lloyd's Agent for Prince Rupert---C. W. PECK.

## LOTS FOR SALE

IN THE FOLLOWING BLOCKS

### SECTION 1

BLOCK 20	BLOCK 23
BLOCK 31	BLOCK 30
BLOCK 36	BLOCK 27
BLOCK 7	BLOCK 5
BLOCK 2	BLOCK 3

LOTS SECTION 5, SECTION 6, SECTION 7, SECTION 8

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## Signs.

## LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.  
District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, James Madden Cristy, of Prince Rupert, occupation bank manager, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted three miles N., then one mile west from the N.W. corner of timber limit No. 39762, being the N.W. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

JAMES MADDEN CRISTY.

John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.  
District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, John Henley, of Chilliwack, B. C., occupation engineer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted one mile N. from the N.W. corner of timber limit No. 39762, being the S.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

JOHN HENLEY.

John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.  
District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, Gertrude Johnston, of Skeena, B. C., occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted one mile N. from the N.W. corner of timber limit No. 39762, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

GERTRUDE JOHNSTON.

John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.  
District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, George McIntyre Gibbs, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation financial agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted one mile W. from the S.W. corner of timber limit No. 39762, being the S.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

GEORGE MCINTYRE GIBBS.

John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.  
District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, Edith Armstrong, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation spinster, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted one mile N., then one mile W. from the N.W. corner of timber limit No. 39762, being the S.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

EDITH ARMSTRONG.

John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.  
Take notice that Rose Edith Wing of Stratford, Ontario, occupation Nurse intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the east bank of Bear River about 70 chains south of the junction of American Creek and Bear River, thence east 40 chains thence north 80 chains thence west 40 chains more or less to left bank of Bear River thence south 80 chains more or less along said left bank to point of commencement, containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Date April 11, 1910. Rose Edith Wing.

Pub. May 21. Daniel Oscar Wing Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.  
Take notice that Gwendolin Mabel Asbury of Edmonton, Alberta, occupation Stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the N.W. corner of Minnie M. Clements' application to purchase, thence east 40 chains thence north 80 chains thence west 40 chains more or less to left bank of Bear River thence south 80 chains more or less along said left bank to point of commencement, containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Date April 11, 1910. Gwendolin Mabel Asbury.

Pub. May 21. Daniel Oscar Wing Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.  
Take notice that Lewis Henry Wing, of Owen Sound, Ontario, occupation Book-keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 10 chains west of the N.E. corner of Wm. Pigott timber limit No. 4 thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains more or less to right bank of Bear River, thence south along said right bank 40 chains more or less, thence west 40 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less.

Date April 11, 1910. Lewis Henry Wing.

Pub. May 21. Daniel Oscar Wing Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.  
Take notice that Daniel Oscar Wing of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation Civil Engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south boundary of J. J. Lee's application to purchase, about 80 chains west of south-east corner, thence south 20 chains thence west 20 chains more or less to left bank of Bear River thence north against stream along said left bank 20 chains more or less to S.W. corner of J. J. Lee's application to purchase thence east along south boundary of said J. J. Lee's application to purchase 20 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing forty acres more or less.

Date April 11, 1910. Daniel Oscar Wing.

Pub. May 21.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.  
Take notice that John Young Rochester of Prince Rupert, occupation Contractor, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted on an island opposite Indian Reserve No. 1 Skeena River, at the south west corner thereof, thence north 1000 feet, more or less, to low water line, thence easterly along water line about 1000 feet more or less, thence southerly about 1000 feet more or less to low water line, thence westerly along low water line to point of commencement and containing 23 acres more or less.

JOHN YOUNG ROCHESTER.

Pub. May 3-10.

## LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.  
Take notice that W. H. Tully of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 7 miles south from the south east corner of Lot 227 and one and one-half miles west from shore line, being the S. W. C. of land applied for; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

April 6, 1910. W. H. TULLY.

Pub. May 14, 1910. Arthur Robertson Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that F. W. Dowling of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation operator, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 7 miles south from the south east corner of lot 227 and one and one-half miles west from shore line, being N. W. C. of land applied for; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

April 6, 1910. F. W. DOWLING.

Pub. May 14, 1910. Arthur Robertson, Agt.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Eugene Renz of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation cook, intends to make application for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 7 miles south from the south east corner of lot 227 and one and one-half miles west from shore line, being N. E. C. of land applied for; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

April 6, 1910. EUGENE RENZ.

Pub. May 14, 1910. Arthur Robertson, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that John Young Rochester of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 7 miles south from the south east corner of lot 227 and one and one-half miles west from shore line, being S. E. C. of land applied for; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

April 6, 1910. JOHN YOUNG ROCHESTER.

Pub. May 14, 1910. Arthur Robertson, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Peter Black of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation coal merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 7 miles south from the south east corner of lot 227 and three and one-half miles west from shore line, being S. W. C. of land applied for; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

April 6, 1910. PETER BLACK.

Pub. May 14, 1910. Arthur Robertson, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that George L. MacInnes of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation editor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 7 miles south from the south east corner of lot 227 and three and one-half miles west from shore line, being N. W. C. of land applied for; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

April 6, 1910. G. L. MACINNES.

Pub. May 14, 1910. Arthur Robertson, Agt.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Gilbert Lancaster Sparrow of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 7 miles south from the south east corner of lot 227 and three and one-half miles west from shore line, being S. E. C. of land applied for; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

April 6, 1910. G. L. MACINNES.

Pub. May 14, 1910. Arthur Robertson, Agt.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Charles Archie Vaughan of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 9 miles south from the S. E. C. of lot 227 and three and one-half miles west from shore line, being N. E. C. of land applied for; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

April 6, 1910. CHARLES ARCHIE VAUGHAN.

Pub. May 14, 1910. Arthur Robertson, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

**Liquor License Notice**

TAKE NOTICE that, thirty days after this date I shall apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the renewal of the license of the Caledonia Hotel, situated at Port Essington, Skeena River, British Columbia.

SUSAN KIRBY, Proprietress.

**APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENSE.**

The Board of Liquor License Commissioners.

For The Municipality of Prince Rupert.

Dear Sirs:

Olier Besner, of the city of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, hotelkeeper, hereby makes application for a hotel license to sell intoxicating liquors on the premises owned by us and known as the New Knob Hotel, situated on Lots 13 and 14 in Block 2 in Section 1 in the City of Prince Rupert, from the 1st day of June, A.D. 1910 or as soon thereafter as the same can be granted by you.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 21st day of May, A.D. 1910.

Olier Besner.

**Liquor License**

To the Board of Liquor License Commissioners, the Municipality of Prince Rupert, Prince Rupert, B.C.

I hereby make application for a Hotel License to sell intoxicating liquors by retail on the premises known as the Dominion Hotel, situated on lots 1 and 2, block 10, section 1, in the townsite of Prince Rupert, to commence from the 1st day of July, A.D. 1910. My post office address is Prince Rupert, B.C. and I am the owner of the said Dominion Hotel proposed to be licensed.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. the 27th day of May, A.D. 1910.

HEZEKIAH B. McDONALD.

**Liquor License.**

Take notice that I, Robert Ashland, of Cordova, Alaska, Hotel-keeper, intend to apply to the Board of Liquor Commissioners of the city of Prince Rupert, for a Hotel License to sell intoxicating liquor under the provisions of the statutes in that behalf, in the building to be erected by me on the corner of Third Avenue and Seventh Street, on my lots 23 and 24, block 23, section 1, in the city of Prince Rupert, B.C., to commence on the 1st day of October, 1910.

Dated at Prince Rupert, this 28th day of May, 1910.

Robert Ashland.

**LIQUOR LICENCE NOTICE.**

TAKE notice that I, Thomas Trotier, of Prince Rupert, intend to apply to the Board of Liquor Commissioners for the Municipality of Prince Rupert at their next meeting to be held thirty days from the first publication of this notice, for a bottle licence to sell liquor by retail under the provisions of subsection 3 of section 175 of the Municipal Clauses Act of British Columbia, in the premises known and described as Lot 17 in Block 25 in section 1 of the Townsite of Prince Rupert, being my own store premises on Third avenue.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 2nd day of June, A.D. 1910.

THOMAS TROTIER.

**LIQUOR LICENSE**

Take notice that Marius Basso-Bert, of the City of Prince Rupert, B.C., intends to apply to the Board of Liquor Commissioners for a restaurant license to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of the statutes in that behalf and of the by-laws of the City of Prince Rupert, in the premises known as The Carlton Hotel, situated on lots 13 and 14 in block 32 in section 1 of the townsite of Prince Rupert, B.C., to commence as soon as the said license may be granted.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 6th day of June, 1910.

V. D. CASLEY.

**LIQUOR LICENSE**

Take notice that Harry H. Clarke, of the city of Prince Rupert, intends to apply to the Board of Liquor Commissioners for a wholesale license to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of the statutes in that behalf and of the by-laws of the City of Prince Rupert, in the premises situated on lots 6, in block 31, in Section 1, in the said city, to commence as soon as the said license may be granted.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 6th day of June, 1910.

HARRY H. CLARKE.

Take notice that George Sutherland, of the City of Prince Rupert, intends to apply to the Board of Liquor Commissioners for a bottle license to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of the statutes in that behalf and of the by-laws of the City of Prince Rupert in the premises, situated on lot 15 in block 22 section 1 in the said city, to commence as soon as such license may be granted.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 3rd day of June, 1910.

GEORGE SUTHERLAND.

Take notice that Alexander J. Prudhomme, of the City of Prince Rupert, intends to apply to the Board of Liquor Commissioners for a hotel license to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of the statutes in that behalf and of the by-laws of the City of Prince Rupert, in the premises situated on lots 13 and 14 in block 33 section 1 in the said city to commence as soon as such license may be granted.

Dated at Prince Rupert, June 3rd, 1910.

ALEXANDER J. PRUDHOMME.

Take notice that Mitchell Albert, of the City of Prince Rupert, intends to apply to the Board of Liquor Commissioners for an hotel license to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of the statutes in that behalf and of the by-laws of the City of Prince Rupert, in the premises situated on lot 4, block 33, section 5 in the said city, to commence as soon as such license may be granted.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 3rd day of June, 1910.

MITCHELL ALBERT.

Take notice that the Prince Rupert Wholesale Liquor &amp; Supply Company Ltd., intends to apply to the Board of Liquor Commissioners of the Municipality of Prince Rupert for a wholesale license to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of the statutes in that behalf in their premises at Prince Rupert, situated on lots 17 and 18 block 11, section 1. To commence as soon as such license may be granted.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 2nd day of June, 1910.

The Prince Rupert Wholesale Liquor &amp; Supply Company Ltd.

Pub. June 4.

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**LAND PURCHASE NOTICE**

Coast Land District—District of Skeena. Take notice that I, Frederick Alexander Montgomery, of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of surveyed lot 1937 (not gazetted), thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less and comprising lots Nos. 1937 and 1931. FREDERICK ALEXANDER MONTGOMERY. Dated May 17, 1910. J. D. Nichols, Agent. pub jun 2

Skeena Land District—District of Coast. Take notice that Frederick W. Dyke of Vancouver, B.C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following lands: Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Stephens Island, about 20 chains south of A.E. Hanson's N.E. corner and marked F.W. Dyke's N.E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east to beach, thence following beach to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Date May 27, 1910. Frederick W. Dyke. Pub. May 30. W. W. Clarke, Agent.

Ominica Land District—District of Coast. Take notice that F.C. Pillsbury, occupation engineer of Boston, Massachusetts, U.S.A., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of lot 812, thence east twenty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence south twenty chains to point of commencement and containing forty acres more or less.

Dated May 14, 1910. F.C. PILLSBURY, Locator. Thomas L. Elliott, Agent. pub june 1

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar. Take notice that Grace Alice Flexman of London England, occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the junction of Bitter Creek and Bear River on the left bank of Bear River, thence east 20 chains thence north 20 chains thence west 20 chains more or less to left bank of Bear River thence south along said left bank 20 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing forty acres more or less.

Date April 11, 1910. Grace Alice Flexman. Pub. May 21. Daniel Oscar Wing, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast. Take notice that Ellen Dobson of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the junction of Bitter Creek and Bear River on the left bank of Bear River, thence east 20 chains thence north 20 chains thence west 20 chains more or less to left bank of Bear River thence south along said left bank 20 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing forty acres more or less.

Date May 25, 1910. Ellen Dobson. W. W. Clarke, Agent. pub jun 2

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Date May 25, 1910. Ellen Dobson. W. W. Clarke, Agent. pub Jun 2

Skeena Land District—District of Coast. Take notice that Mrs. Harriot Clarke of 47 St. Mary's Grove, Chiswick, London England, occupation widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Prescott Island on the shore about 20 chains south of F.T. Clarke's N.E. corner and marked Mrs. Harriot Clarke's N.E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east to beach, thence following beach to point of commencement containing 160 acres more or less.

Date May 25, 1910. Mrs. Harriot Clarke. W. W. Clarke, Agent. pub. May 30.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast. Take notice that Frank Thomas Clarke of 59 Harviest Road, West Kilburn, London England, occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Prescott Island on the shore about 20 chains south of G.W. Mackinnon's N.E. corner, and marked F.T. Clarke's N.E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east to beach, thence following beach to point of commencement containing 160 acres more or less.

Date May 25, 1910. Frank Thomas Clarke. W. W. Clarke, Agent. pub. May 30.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast. Take notice that George W. Mackinnon of Vancouver, B.C., occupation schoolmaster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Prescott Island on the shore about 20 chains south of J.H. Vicker's N.E. corner, and marked G.W. Mackinnon's N.E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east to beach, thence following beach to point of commencement containing 160 acres more or less.

Date May 25, 1910. George W. Mackinnon. W. W. Clarke, Agent. pub. May 30.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast. Take notice that Mrs. Maria Washington of Toronto, Ontario, occupation housewife, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Stephens Island, adjoining T.E. Washington's lot 7282, and marked Mrs. Maria Washington's N.W. corner, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north to beach, thence following beach to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Date May 26, 1910. Mrs. Maria Washington. W. W. Clarke, Agent. pub. May 30.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

Take notice that Ernest Singleton Wise of Victoria, B.C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Stephens Island, about 20 chains south of E.E. Beck's N.E. corner, and marked E.E. Beck's N.E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east to beach, thence following beach to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Date May 27, 1910. Ernest Singleton Wise. W. W. Clarke, Agent. pub. May 30.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

Take notice that Edward Everett Beck of Vancouver, B.C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Stephens Island, about 20 chains south of F.W. Dyke's N.E. corner, and marked F.W. Dyke's N.E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east to beach, thence following beach to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

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**PARTY OF MINING MEN**

Inspect the Rock from New Strike at Stewart

A party of expert quartz mining operators came up on the Prince Rupert, and while being shown around town by a committee of the Publicity Club called at the office of McCaffery & Gibbons to see the ore from the new strike on the north fork of Bitter Creek, Portland Canal. In the party were J. E. Corlett, general manager of the Tasso Copper Company, operating properties on Queen Charlotte Islands; Arthur Gowing, interested in a big coal position on the islands; Dan McPhee, manager of the Red Cliff Extension, Portland Canal; Duncan Munro, from the mines at Phoenix, B.C.; Major Leckie, of Victoria, and Mr. Williams, the major's right hand man.

All the visitors declared the specimens to be good looking ore and appeared much interested. They requested reports of the assays to be sent to them.

**Representative in Germany**

Berlin, June, 17—W.G. Fisher has been appointed agent for Canada in Germany, to discharge all such duties as fall to the consul-general of an independent government so far as they are not in conflict with the jurisdiction of the consul-general of Great Britain.

For "everything in canvas," go to the Prince Rupert Tent & Awning Co. ii 9-tf

**Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival**

Twenty-five Cents a Plate.

**HOME PRODUCE TABLE HOME-MADE CANDIES**

St. Andrew's Church Hall, Second Avenue Saturday, June 18

4 to 6 p.m. AND 14-16-17 8 to 10 p.m.

**The King Edward Hotel**

STEWART. B.C.

**Headquarters for Mining Men and Commercial Travelers.**

American Plan. Sixty-five Rooms. Steam Heat. Baths. Electric Lights.

ROGERS &amp; LUND, Proprietors.

**FOR SALE**

Lot 19, block 28, section 5 ..... \$600

Lot 21, block 28, section 5 ..... \$600

Lot 22, block 28, section 5 ..... 700

Lots 21, 22, block 16, section 6 ..... 1500

Lots 9, 10, block 17, section 7 ..... 525

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THE OPTIMIST is the leading newspaper of Northern British Columbia. It has grown up with the city.

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DAILY EDITION.



FRIDAY, JUNE 17

## STREET BLOCKING

After frequent complaints the city council last night discussed the littering and blocking of the public streets by private individuals and companies. This has long been a source of annoyance and even danger. Vehicles, building material, machinery etc. have been left on the plank roads without guard lights on dark nights. Persons have frequently collided with these objects. The dumping of muskeg and rock on the public streets by contractors who are doing excavating for buildings has also come to the point where it needs controlling by civic officials. In fact in some instances muskeg has been piled on the streets ten feet deep and to a height above the permanent grade of the street. This will doubtless have to be removed again when permanent streets are made.

Last evening the city council decided upon a by-law which will be retroactive and any expense which later will occur in the removal of the debris dumped on the streets will be charged back against the property from whence it came. There are many other points which it is hoped the proposed by-law will cover.

Hon. Wm. Templeman is just now in the bad books of some of his party friends in this constituency. It seems that James Trodden, of New Westminster, has been appointed as scout or temporary engineer to locate places for the government docks on Porcher Island, at Skidgate and for the quarantine station on Digby Island. The critics are probably right in the statement that there are plenty of north country men capable of the job and more deserving of it.

## CITY NEEDS THE MONEY

## HOW IT IS PROPOSED TO RAISE PART OF THE REVENUE.

List of Special Taxes Includes Practically Everybody—Lawyers, Auctioneers, Retail and Wholesale Merchants and Many Others.

A by-law for raising revenue with which to run the city has passed its second reading in the council, but is still under consideration. The proposed taxes under this head are as follows:

Every male person between the age of 21 and 50 shall pay \$2 per year road tax, unless such person be a property holder in the town. Those connected with the militia are debarred from this privilege.

Male dogs will cost.....\$2.00  
Female dogs ".....5.00  
Owners of any vehicle.....2.00

## Licenses.

Licenses will be issued for the following:

Bowling Alley or Rifle Gallery.....\$10.00  
Billiard Parlors (for each table) 10.00

Opium Sellers.....500.00  
Wholesale Merchant or Trader.....50.00

Retail Merchant or Trader.....20.00  
Agents (retail).....100.00

Hawker or Peddler (fish, game, farm produce).....20.00

Hawker or Peddler (other).....100.00  
Theatres—

Seating 975 or more.....150.00  
Seating less than 975.....100.00

Express Companies not mentioned.  
Investment and Loan Societies not mentioned.

Laundries.....\$10.00  
Pawnbrokers.....250.00

Cabs, Buses, etc., (each vehicle) 6.00  
Livery Stable.....20.00

Barrister or Solicitor.....10.00  
Auctioneer.....10.00

Transient Traders occupying Premises, every six months or fraction thereof.....50.00

Circus (per day).....200.00  
Every person in the city not included or exempted by the above (per year).....10.00

## THE BIG FURNITURE STORE

COMPLETE

## HOUSE FURNISHERS

F. W. HART, SECOND AVENUE and SIXTH STREET

## TENDERS FOR LUMBER

## City to Supply Material and Contractors to put in it

Alderman Mobley took his seat at the council last night as acting mayor, Mayor Stork leaving on the Prince Rupert for Victoria on municipal business. Before the business of the session began there was a conversation upon the title Your Worship, Ald. Mobley observing that he had no great admiration for the title. Ald. Barrow pointed out that by usage it applied only to the chief officer of the municipality when sitting as a magistrate, and not to his position as mayor of the city.

The first business was brought forward by Ald. Lynch, who in a report from the streets committee on planking suggesting that the city should advertise for tenders for the material as buying in large quantities the city could buy cheaper than a contractor. His proposition was that the city purchase the material and contracts be let for putting it in.

There was a difference in the price, he pointed out, between fir and spruce lumber, and also as to service. Fir would last longer in a ratio of 100 to 60, but came higher than spruce. He therefore suggested that tenders be advertised calling for the supply of 250,000 of spruce and the same measurement of fir, and upon the prices quoted the council could decide which to use.

On motion of Ald. Pattullo seconded by Ald. McIntyre it was decided to advertise for tenders for double the quantities mentioned.

The finance committee was authorized to pay current bills amounting to \$403.30.

When in need of glasses, see Dr. Ellison. That is his specialty. Office, No. 7 Annex.

## PRINCE RUPERT STOCK &amp; MINING EXCHANGE.

Daily Call 11:00 a. m.

## Quotations:

	ASKED	BID
Main Reef.....	39	37
Bitter Creek.....	88	84
Glacier Creek.....	36	35
Portland Wonder.....	35	32
Red Cliff Mining.....	1.85	1.80
Van. Portland Canal.....	..	75
Stewart Min. and Dev. 6.20	6.20	6.15
Portland Canal.....	38	37
Nugget Gold Mines.....	1.00	85
Lasqueti Gold Mines.....	16	12
Silver Cup.....	25	24
Roosevelt.....	42	40
Blue Point Mines.....	26	23
Portland Star Mining.....	12	12
South Africa Scrip.....	760	700
Red Cliff Extension.....	16	14
O.K. ....	38	32

## Sales:

Main Reef—500, 39 1-2; 500, 39. Portland Canal—500, 38 1-2; 200, 38; 100, 38; 100, 38.

## PRINCE RUPERT MINING ASSN.

## Quotations:

	ASKED	BID
American Creek.....	30	25
Blue Point.....	36	..
Glacier Creek.....	..	35
Main Creek.....	50	39
Little Joe O. K. ....	40	..
Portland Canal.....	40	38
Portland Star.....	12	12
Portland Pacific.....	20	18
Portland Wonder.....	35	..
Red Cliff.....	2.00	..
Red Cliff Extension.....	25	15
Roosevelt.....	50	..
Rush Portland.....	25	25
Stewart M. & D. ....	7.00	..
Silver Cup.....	25	..
Salmon River Glacier.....	25	..
Stewart P. C. L. W. & P. I. 00	..	..

## PORTLAND CANAL STOCKS.

## Latest Quotations From Vancouver Exchange.

(As reported by S. Harrison &amp; Co.)

	BID	ASKED
Portland Canal .....	.381-2	39
Stewart M. & D. Co. ....	6.25	6.35
Red Cliff.....	1.85	1.95
Main Reef.....	..	..
Portland Wonder.....	.30	.35
Glacier Creek.....	..	.40
Salmon River Glacier.....	..	.25
Roosevelt.....	..	.50
American Creek.....	..	..

## 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.

BOARD and room wanted by gentleman; must be first-class. Box F-30, Optimist. 37-40

FOR RENT—Furnished house-keeping rooms and cabins. Corner 2nd Ave. and 8th street. R. A. White. 9tf

FOR SALE—Lots in Sections 7 and 8. Owner needs money and will sell cheap. Apply Box S-P., Optimist. 3t

THERE have been more articles returned to owners through the Optimist Want Ads. than any other medium in town. 37-40

WANTED—Experienced Stenographer. Apply to P.O. Box 1531, city. 31-tf

WANTED—Young man wants lessons on piano any evening. State terms to Box L-M., Optimist. 37

## NOTICE.

## Fire Chief Wanted.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to July 1st, for the position of Chief of the Fire Department salary \$150 per month.

FRED STORK, Mayor.

Dated Prince Rupert, May 30, 1910.

M.W.

PRINCE RUPERT  
MINING ASSOCIATION  
LIMITED

## OFFICERS AND MEMBERS

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Vice President—H. O. BUTLER.

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## Furnished Rooms May Be Rented Profitably.

Just to have "furnished rooms to rent" is no great feat—or novelty. The number of people whose homes are in furnished rooms—"homes within homes"—is very large.

And among the people who live in "one room homes," are an increasing number who like to have things a little better THAN USUAL. They like to have a pleasant room, and they like to have it fitted up DISTINCTIVELY, with taste.

They will cheerfully, eagerly, pay for SOMETHING BETTER in the way of a furnished room. Fix yours up to please the particular tenants, and ADVERTISE ACCORDINGLY, and you'll get back your investment with profit in a very brief time.

Try OPTIMIST want ads.

## Bowling and Billiards

FOUR ALLEYS SIX TABLES

LADIES ADMITTED AT ALL TIMES

DUNEDIN BLOCK, SECOND AVE. AND EIGHTH

## FOR SALE

## PRINCE RUPERT LOTS

LOTS	BLK.	SEC.	PRICE	CAS.





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## PERSONAL

C. L. Harbaugh, traveling passenger agent for Pennsylvania lines, was a passenger on the Prince Rupert.

Among the officials of the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship Company who came up with the Prince Rupert was J. V. Druce, commercial agent of the Grand Trunk system.

Accountant Little, of the Union bank, left on the Port Simpson this afternoon for Hazelton, where he is to take charge of a branch of the Union bank there. A number were on the wharf to see him off.

J. H. Bell and Mrs. Bell, of Montreal, were passengers on the Prince Rupert's maiden trip and while in town looked up some old friends. They returned south on the same steamer greatly pleased with their outing.

Martin O'Reilly returned on the Prince Rupert last night from Stewart, where he had been spending the past week among the mines and around the hills. He did not stake anything new, but he is satisfied that the new find is all right.

M. M. Stephens, who went up to Stewart last Sunday, arrived home on the Prince Rupert last night. He went up Bitter Creek intending to visit his claims which adjoin the new gold strike, but could not cross the river and contented himself with other business. Mr. Fitzmorris, late of the advertising department of the Empire, left on Wednesday night for Stewart, where he will conduct a cigar store and news stand for S. Harrison & Co. Fitz's many friends here will wish him all success in his new field of labor.

## MARINE

## Arrivals and Departures.

The Cottage City left for the north at midnight with the following passengers, R. Oberlander, C. A. Pring, L. D. Ryan, J. J. Daly, Mrs. A. Madden, Mary McKay, G. McDonald, D. Martin, Bernard Elliott, Mrs. Fred G. Noyes, O. Braut.

Port Simpson left at 2 o'clock this afternoon with the following for upriver points: H. C. Campbell, D. D. Munro, C. A. Little, M. Smith, C. Hetherington, W. G. Saunders, H. Creech, H. Wulf, H. Wright, M. Davis, M. Lunn, Geo. Bell, W. D. Vance, L. Alexander, E. Bowery, G. McDonald.

## BLASTING DISCUSSED.

By-laws to Be Passed for Protection of the Public.

In a discussion on the closing of Seventh street, which came before the Council last night, the dangers arising from blasting out excavations for buildings came up and was discussed at some length. No serious accidents were cited in point, but now that building operations are become so general all over town, it was seen to be necessary that the firing of blasts must be strictly regulated. A motion was passed instructing the streets committee to at once prepare a by-law dealing with the whole subject.

## Declined the Banquet

London, June 17.—Earl Grey, secretary for the Colonies, arrived in Bristol last night, but declined the banquet that had been arranged in his honor, on the ground of the mourning for the late king.

## King William Better

Potsdam, Germany, June 17.—The abscess on the kaiser's wrist is healing favorably, but he is suffering from a new abrasion inside the knee, caused by much riding. The physicians say this is not serious.

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## THE NEW WHARFINGER.

## Captain Davies Takes Hold of His New Position.

Captain A. M. Davies, who brought the Prince Rupert out from England, is now the wharfinger at this port, succeeding Mr. Morrissey, so long in that position. The captain is a deep-sea veteran, and had for twenty years been with the British and Chilian Navigation Company, first on their sailing vessels, and more recently on their steamers. He was selected for the duty of bringing the Prince Rupert across the Atlantic into the Pacific because of his knowledge of the navigation of the Straits of Magellan, gained with the Brazilian company.

Captain Davies has a wife and four children—two boys of 20 and 18, a girl of 9 and a boy of 4. He said this morning: "I accepted this position more on account of the boys than anything else. I see a big opening here for the boys to grow up with the country."

## PRESSMEN HERE.

## Rupert Passengers Included Several Newspaper Men.

Robt. C. Hill, marine editor of The Railway and Marine News, of Seattle, was a passenger on the Prince Rupert on Wednesday. While here he secured a number of views of the harbor and the railway construction work which will be reproduced in his paper along with a descriptive write-up.

Messrs. Harkin of The Province, Cobourn of The World, Nelson of The Victoria Times, M. C. Scott of The Seattle Times, and Farley, of Collins Bros., Glasgow, were among the passengers on board in the interests of their papers. Collins Bros. are magazine publishers and sent Mr. Farley out to write a series of articles on British Columbia and to secure descriptive views.

## GONE TO VICTORIA

## After a Permanent Water Supply and Other Things

Mayor Stork, Ald. Barrow, Engineer Agnew and Solicitor Manson left on the Prince Rupert last night for Victoria to represent the city at the hearing of the city's application for a water record of 300 inches on Woodworth Lake. The hearing is on June 21st. While in Victoria the deputation will also interview the Premier in reference to getting sites for a city hall, a cemetery, an electric light plant and a city wharf, as well as a number of other matters of a similar nature.

## Licensing Board Meets.

The licensing board met Wednesday afternoon and adjourned without action. It is thought likely that the matter of the delayed notice of appointment will be referred to the Attorney General in order that the board may be sure of its legal status beyond peradventure.

## NOTICE

I have this day sold out my interest in the Owl Cigar Store, located on 2nd Ave., Prince Rupert, B. C., to W. J. Campbell, and will not be responsible for any debts contracted against said store after this date. 38-45 May 17th, 1910. JAMES TREMBLEY

## Delay in Landing Freight.

Some complaint was made by shippers that part of the Prince Rupert's freight was carried to Stewart and back. "It was the first trip of the boat" was the natural excuse, and Capt. Nicholson assured the freighters that on the next and succeeding trips the freight would be landed most expeditiously by the use of the electric conveyor now being put in.

## Dissolution of Partnership.

Messrs. Williams & Soule, real estate brokers, have dissolved partnership, Mr. Soule having taken over the business and will conduct same in future under the name of Norman Soule & Co. 38-39

## AN AGENT WAS APPOINTED

## Capt. Nicholson Selected R. R. Cunningham at Stewart.

Stewart, June 17.—Capt. H. C. Nicholson, general manager of the G. T. P. steamers, was met by a committee of citizens in the hall yesterday morning shortly after the arrival of the Prince Rupert. A formal welcome was tendered him and the best wishes of the town were expressed. The chief request of the citizens was in reference to their mail service. They are very anxious that it should be improved and to this Capt. Nicholson promised that so far as the G. T. P. boats were concerned mails would have first consideration.

While here Capt. Nicholson also appointed R. R. Cunningham, manager of the Stewart Trust, as the passenger agent of the G. T. P. He will assume his new duties at once and this town is now one of the regular ports of call for the big ships.

## ANOTHER NEW STEAMER

## Grand Trunk's New Freight Boat the Prince Albert.

The people of Prince Rupert had the pleasure of inspecting another new steamer of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company yesterday. This was the Bruno, or Prince Albert, which arrived in the morning and after unloading freight for this port departed on what will be her real schedule for the Islands and way ports.

The Prince Albert is an ideal boat for the coastwise trade. She has a capacity of nine hundred tons of general freight, and also has comfortable accommodations for thirty-seven first-class passengers. The interior fittings and conveniences are of a modern character, and she will undoubtedly be the favorite steamer for passenger travel to wayports between here and Vancouver.

## New Electric Conveyor

The Prince Rupert brought with her an electric conveyor for unloading freight from the vessels right into the company's warehouse. The runway is from the centre of the warehouse to the top of the hatch on the port side of the steamer, where the freight is placed on a continuous rubber belt and carried by an electric motor of 22 amperes. The power current is supplied by the ships themselves. The conveyor will be completed by the time the Prince Rupert returns.

## CHAS M. HAYS COMING.

## Will Spend Next Week in Vancouver but Cannot Come Here

David H. Hays received a wire today from Chas. M. Hays, General Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway System, stating that he will be in Vancouver on Monday next and possibly the balance of the week. He regretted, however, that it would be impossible for him to come to Prince Rupert on this occasion. D. H. Hays will leave on the Princess Royal tomorrow morning to meet his brother.

For "everything in canvas," go to the Prince Rupert Tent & Awning Co. ii 9-ft Ball Mason-Fruit Jars at Hart's Big Furniture Store. —38th.

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## Cancellation of Reserve

NOTICE is hereby given, that the reserve established over those portions of Lot 170, Queen Charlotte District, by reason of the surrender of said portions out of Special Timber Licenses Nos. 31949 and 31948, surveyed respectively as Lots 633 and 317, Queen Charlotte District, is canceled for the purpose of effecting a sale of said Lot 170, Queen Charlotte District, comprising 36 acres more or less, to the Pacific Coast Fisheries, Limited.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,  
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.  
Lands Department, Victoria, B.C.  
April 10, 1910. 17-3m

## WATER RECORD NOTICE

Re application of City of Prince Rupert for a record of three hundred inches of water for municipal purposes, a hearing will be granted by the Executive Council on Tuesday, June 21st, at Victoria.

H. E. YOUNG,  
Provincial Secretary.  
Victoria, June 7, 1910. jun 11-20

NOTICE  
TO POWER COMPANIES

Propositions will be received up to July 1st, 1910,

from any company wishing to furnish electric power to the city of Prince Rupert, B. C. All propositions to be mailed to the City Clerk, Prince Rupert, B. C. ERNEST A. WOODS, City Clerk, June 11, 1910.

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## LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, Rowland F. Taylor, of Victoria, occupation bank manager, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile W., then three miles S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the S.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains E. to point of commencement, containing 640 acres of land more or less.

ROWLAND F. TAYLOR.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, William Edward Fisher, of Prince Rupert, occupation solicitor, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile W., then one mile S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the S.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains E. to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

WILLIAM EDWARD FISHER.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, James M. Christie, of Prince Rupert, occupation bank manager, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile E., then four miles N. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E. to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JAMES M. CHRISTIE.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, Louise H. Johnston, of Prince Rupert, occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile W., then one mile south from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E. to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

LOUISE H. JOHNSTON.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, William Burns, of Victoria, occupation customs official, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about a half a mile E., then one mile south from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.W. corner of the land applied for; thence S. 80 chains; thence E. 80 chains; thence W. 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

WILLIAM BURNS.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, William Nicholson Kennedy, of Victoria, occupation telegraph operator, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile E., then one mile S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains W. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

ROBERT SANGSTER.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, Robert Sangster, of Victoria, occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile W., then four miles S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E. to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

WILLIAM NICHOLSON KENNEDY.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, George Mathew Maddon, of Vancouver, occupation lumber merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile E., then one mile S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.W. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains W. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

GEOGE MATHEW MADDEN.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, Gains Lafount Peck, of Prince Rupert, occupation mill manager, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted three miles N., then one mile W. from the N.W. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the S.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains N. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

GAINS LAFOUNT PECK.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

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WILLIAM CHARLES MORESBY.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, Effie S. Johnston, of Victoria, occupation spinster, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the W. end of Lucy Island in Perry Passage between North Island and Graham Island; thence Easterly, Northerly, Westerly, Southerly, to post of commencement, to contain the whole of the Island, 25 acres more or less.

EFFIE S. JOHNSTON.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, Jeanne Lothian, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation spinster, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile W., then three miles S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the S.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains E. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres of land more or less.

JEANNE LOTHIAN.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, Elizabeth Mary Gibbs, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile W., then one mile S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the S.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains E. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

ELIZABETH MARY GIBBS.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Cassiar Land District—District of Coast.—Take notice that I, Albert Lund, of Stewart, B.C., occupation hotel keeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Barnache's purchase claim, thence 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

LUCILLE MARY GIBBS.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Cassiar Land District—District of Coast.—Take notice that I, Walter Pendlebury, of Vancouver, occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile E., then three miles S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains W. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

WALTER PENDLEBURY.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 24, 1910.

Cassiar Land District—District of Coast.—Take notice that I, Ruby McAlonen, of Vancouver, occupation spinster, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted a half mile E., then one mile S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains W. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

RUBY MCALONEN.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, John Robert Reid, of Vancouver, occupation estate agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile W., then one mile south from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains W.; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN ROBERT REID.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

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ROBERT SANGSTER.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated March 17, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Notice is hereby given that I, George H. Griffin, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation printer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one half mile E., then one mile S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains W. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

GEORGE H. GRIFFIN.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated April 14, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, Arthur Vivian Kenah, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation chartered accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile E., then one mile S. from the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 37045, being the N.E. corner of the land applied for; thence 80 chains N.; thence 80 chains E.; thence 80 chains S.; thence 80 chains W. to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

ARTHUR VIVIAN KENAH.  
John G. Johnston, Agent.

Dated April 14, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, Eldon S. Detwiler, of Stewart, B.C., occupation doctor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of H. Guest's application to purchase, thence north forty (40) chains, thence south forty (40) chains, thence south forty (40) chains, thence east forty (40) chains, thence west forty (40) chains, thence south twenty (20) chains, thence south forty (40) chains, thence west twenty (20) chains to point of commencement, containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less.

ELDON S. DETWILER.  
Daniel Oscar Wing, Agent.

Dated April 14, 1910.

Queen Charlotte Island Land District.—District of Skeena.—Take notice that I, Charles Matheson Smail, of Stewart, B.C., occupation doctor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of Bear river at mouth of a small creek about two and three-quarter miles north of Bear river bridge, thence north forty (40) chains, thence south twenty (20) chains, thence south forty (40) chains, thence west twenty (20) chains to point of commencement, containing eighty acres more or less.

CHARLES MATHESON SMAIL.  
Daniel Oscar Wing, Agent.

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Westholme Lumber Co. Will Make  
Grade for McKenzie & Mann Ry.

McKenzie & Mann, the railroad builders, have awarded the contract for grading the Stewart railway to the Westholme Lumber Co., Prince Rupert's biggest contractors. The contract is for 17 miles of clearing and grading and amounts to about half a million dollars. The most of the work will be in gravel, but there will be about 50,000 yards of rock work, too. The contractors are already at work shipping lumber for the camps and construction work. Their local docks present a busy scene. Between 400 and 500 men will be employed, as the work is to be rushed.

The contractors will erect their wharf alongside the Government dock.

### Goods for New Store

The stock for H. S. Wallace & Co. is arriving on every boat now and being delivered to their store at the corner of Fulton Street and Third Ave. A large shipment came in yesterday although the building is not yet completed. P.W. Scott is the owner of the block and the contractor has made splendid time on it but he was hardly through by the 15th as was expected. Wallace & Co. will, however, be ready to do business as soon as the builders get away.

### Telegraph Rates Reduced

Commencing June 1st rates on the government telegraph line between Hazelton and Ashcroft were reduced by twenty-five cents for a ten word message, making the charge a dollar instead of the dollar and a quarter under the old rate.

Ball Mason-Fruit Jars at Hart's Big Furniture Store. —33th.

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**WILL COMBAT SOCIALISM****Strong Committee is Appointed in New York**

New York, June 17.—The conference called for the consideration of the threatening advance of socialism was attended by a large number of representative men, and the proceedings were marked by unusual harmony and enthusiasm. Many talented speakers forcefully pointed out the alleged evils carried by socialism in its train, and the result was the decision to form a national organization to be known as The Individual and Social Justice League of America, the principal object of which is declared to be to combat socialism.

To formulate the plan and scope of the new body, and to conduct the work of preliminary organization, a strong committee was appointed, which embraced among others the following leading prelates and heads of trades union organizations:

Rev. Wesley Hill, Archbishop Ireland, Bishop Cranston, Bishop Warren, Bishop Darlington, Rev. S. W. Parks, Samuel Vansant, Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R.; W. G. Lee, President of the Brotherhood of Trainmen; Peter Collins, Secretary of the Electrical Workers International; John Stahl, Secretary of the Farmers National Congress; Roswell Tompkins, Secretary of the Building Trades Council; Timothy Healy, President of the Stationary Firemen International.

**Disastrous Fire at Irvine**

Irvine, Alta., June 17.—Fire which started in a stable last night was carried by the high wind to the hotel adjacent, and at one time the destruction of the whole town was threatened. Forty-one horses perished in the stables.

**Rich Bow Valley Opened**

Calgary, June 17.—The Blackfeet Indians will surrender one hundred and fifteen thousand acres of rich land in the Bow Valley to the Dominion Government. This will be sold shortly and the proceeds will go to the benefit of the Indians.

**Car Strike Threatened**

Port Arthur, Ont., June 17.—The street railway men are demanding an increase of pay and as the company shows no willingness to meet this demand a general strike on all the surface lines is feared.

**Clean Sheet for Pretoria.**

Pretoria, June 17.—General Botha has issued a manifesto calling for a clean sheet and breaking up all the old political organisations.

**RAID UNITED WIRELESS.****Officers Arrested Charged With Gross Manipulation.**

New York, June 17.—Postoffice inspectors this morning raided the offices of the United Wireless Telegraph Company, seized the books and cash on hand, and arrested the president and all the officers of the company found on the premises. The charge is that the price of shares have been advanced by gross manipulation; that the price has been forced up by misrepresentation of the company's affairs, although it has been running at a loss. The officers had been selling their own stock to the public at an enormous profit, running into millions.

Winnipeg, June 17.—The arrest of principal officials of the United Wireless at New York, on charges of running a swindling stock scheme, has caused consternation throughout the northwest. Farmers have invested millions in the scheme, and they now regard the money as lost. Agents say the attack on the United was fomented by the De-forest shareholders, whose stock was to be exchanged for United.

The Dominion Government denies that the United has any concessions to build stations in Canada.

**OLD TIME KEY-WIGGLER****James Wilson Retires From C.P.R. Telegraph Service**

Vancouver, June 17.—James Wilson, who has been in the service of the Canadian Pacific ever since the telegraph system was instituted, has resigned, and another old-timer has been selected to succeed him. This is John Fletcher, who has been chief operator at Vancouver for the last twenty years,

**New Boat Beats Record.**

Quebec, June 17.—Steamer Royal Edward arrived from Bristol yesterday. She is the first steamer of the new line and broke the record for Atlantic travel, beating the Empress' record by fifty minutes.

**Free Ride in the Sky.**

Chillicothe, O., June 17.—A dirigible balloon broke its moorings yesterday afternoon and carried a small boy half a mile high. Balloon and boy landed safely five miles away.

**Chicago Foundry Burned**

Chicago, June 17.—The Hapsell electric foundry was yesterday destroyed by fire, at a loss of \$300,000. The flames threatened the whole neighborhood for a couple of hours.

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