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## STEAMER SECHELT CAPSIZES ALL ON BOARD DROWNED

### Alarming News Reaches Victoria of the Little Coast Steamship---Dazed Boy Brings News---Thirty-Five Passengers Perished When Boat Turns Turtle Off Beacher Head

(Special to the Optimist)

Victoria, B. C., March 25.—With thirty-five passengers and her crew of four the steamer Sechelt owned by the B. C. Steamship Co. has turned turtle in a gale while on the way from Victoria to Sooke and it is feared that every soul on board has perished.

First news of the disaster reached Esquimalt by a tug-boat from William Head, and was of the most alarming character, the statement being made that not a vestige of the vessel or of those on board of her could be found.

**Tug is Despatched**

Immediately the tug William Joliffe was hurried out from Esquimalt to the scene of the wreck at Beecher Head near Race Rocks, but at the time of wiring no verification of the news was to hand. The telephone line to William Head was out of order, and nothing could be heard until the William Joliffe returned.

**Boy Brought the News**

Early in the morning a boy arrived in a gasoline launch from William Head Quarantine Station to inform the Salvage Company of the disaster. The lad seemed absolutely dazed with horror at the news he brought, and could only repeat again and again in a broken way, the single fact that the Sechelt had capsized. Questioned closely about the matter he said he thought everybody on board was drowned. The return of the Tug William Joliffe is anxiously awaited, and efforts are being made to get in touch with William Head.

**Principally Workingmen**

Those who were travelling by the illfated steamer were it is believed principally wo rkingmen on the way to the C. N. R. construction camp at Sooke, but it is known that some Sooke residents were also on board. The Sechehlt had only been about three weeks on the run, which she took over on March 1st. Before that date she had been running between Howe Sound and Vancouver. She was a small steamer 75 feet in length, and her tonnage was only 73. News of the disaster reached Prince Rupert at 9.20 this morning, and up to 2 p.m. no further details were to hand.

**Disaster Confirmed**

Victoria—(Later)—"From best information obtainable the disaster is confirmed but the tug cannot locate the vessel or any of the thirty passengers supposed to be on her."

## SHIPPING REPORTS

**From the Dominion Government Wireless Stations**

(At 8 A. M.)

Skidegate—Cloudy, north west, light. Sea moderate.

Ikeda—Clear, north. Bar. 30.02, ther. 33. Sea smooth.

Triangle—Overcast, south west, 5 miles. Bar. 29.56, ther. 35. Light swell. Spoke Empress of India 8.15 p.m. lat. 51.00, long. 136.41, westbound.

Pachena—Clear, calm. Bar. 30.06, terh. 45. Sea moderate.

Tatoosh—Cloudy, south east, 20 miles. Bar. 30.43, ther. 43. Sea moderate. Out steamer President at 6.30 p.m. In steamer Buckman 11.45 p.m. Out Alameda 8.10 a.m.

Estevan—Cloudy, north west, light. Rar. 29.30, ther. 33. Sea rough.

Cape Lazo—Clear, calm. Bar. 30.12, ther. 43. Sea smooth.

ther. 43. Sea smooth. Spoke steamer Prince Rupes outhbort nd at 11 p.m.

Point Grey—Cloudy, north west gale. Bar. 30.17, ther. 43. In steamer Princess Batrrice at 7.30 a.m. Out Cetriana at 8 a.m.

(At Noon)

Estevan reports speaking the Tees at noon off Kyuquot.

Point Grey—In City of Puebla at 8.30 a.m. Out Princess Mary at 9.30. Out Vadso at 10 a.m. In steamer Prince Rupert at 10.30 a.m. Out Otter at 10.30. In small steamer probably Coquitlam at 10.35.

Cape Lazo—Steamer Prince Albert passed southbound at 9.30 a.m.

Triangle—Sighted a two masted steamer 28 miles east at 10 a.m., northbound.

### CITY PARAGRAPHS

**Items of Interest Picked up Here and There**

Today Mr. W. H. Vicars assumed his duties as Chief of Police. He was sworn in last night.

The Boscovitch assault case was continued in private this morning. There is always a crowd of laborers presumably accused's countrymen, around the police shack during the hearing of the case, but no spicy details are forthcoming to satisfy the morbidly curious.

Mr. J. A. MacMaster, stenographer to the city clerk, is not on duty today owing to indisposition.

Building permits representing building to the value of $3,200 were issued during the past week by Building Inspector McNeill; and by the way, Mr. McNeill's new baby daughter and Mrs. McNeill are getting on nicely, thank you.

The P. R. I. A. have through their secretary sent a letter of approval to Alderman Kerr for his attitude on the strike position generally which they heartily approve.

The Young Men's Brotherhood at the Baptist Church will hold another of their monthly socials on Monday evening, to which all are invited.

## ALBERTA COAL MINERS TO GO OUT ON STRIKE

### Conference Proves Futile---Strike Will Begin on March 31st---Military Authorities Are Arranging to Patrol the District in Event of Disturbances

(Special to the Optimist)

Calgary, March 25.—The miners of Alberta will go out on strike. The date on which they will walk out is fixed for the night of March 31st when the present agreement expires. This will mean the biggest strike in the history of Alberta.

**Conference Proved Futile**

This decision was arrived at this morning after an abortive conference between the representatives of the coal miners and the mine owners. For several weeks they have been wrestling with the problems of open and closed shop, the check off system, and questions of discrimination. Yesterday things came to a stanstill, and this morning's conference showed the futility of further discussion. Both parties saw they could not come to terms and the men announced that at the termination of the present agreement they would go out on strike.

**Military Make Preparations**

Calgary, March 25.—From information contained in a telegram from a source in close touch with the government, it is announced that Dominion Investigators who have been along Crow's Nest Pass for some months have reported to the government that the men of the Miner's Unions there will strike whether an agreement is reached with the mine-owners or not.

The men are beyond control of their leaders. Military officers of experience have been sent along the Pass to fix the best spots to place troops in case of trouble. It is believed that troops are already preparing to move to the scene.

### FOUR FIRE FIGHTERS KILLED

**Big Blaze at a Milwaukee Hat Factory**

Milwaukee, March 25.—Four firemen were killed, and a fifth today lies dying as the result of a fierce fire which totally destroyed the Middleton Manufacturing Company's Hat Factory here yesterday afternoon. The conflagration spread so rapidly that it got beyond control for a time, and while the brigade were concentrating their efforts in the endeavor to confine the outbreak, the roof suddenly collapsed. The five men were caught by the falling debris, and buried. In the heroic efforts at rescue twenty other firemen were injured, some seriously.

## *Letters to the Editor*

**Favors Arbitration Idea**

Dear Sir,—It occurs to me that you have hit the nail on the head when you insist that arbitration is the only reasonable solution of the present labor difficulty. One can see no possible objection to the wage earner obtaining a fair and reasonable wage. Apparently the contractors have none. Election promises of one wage or another are hardly less than criminal. No candidate has a right to promise an arbitrary wage. He has no right to be prodigal of the peoples' money. As ratepayers we should insist upon wages being determined as any other matter of business—by reason and economic principles. The laboring men of this city were enticed on by prodigal promises—as a result we have the present situation. The only reasonable solution is arbitration. As a ratepayer I believe that the demands of the P. R. I. A. are not reasonable—supply and demand is the governing principle and when one sees 300 men rushing to work at 37 1-2 cents an hour for 10-hour day, and Foley, Welch & Stewart paying 30 cents, V. W. Smith & Co., Angus Stewart, the Cold Storage Co., paying the same rate one wonders if 37 1-2 cents is not above the market rate. For myself I believe it is and I object most strenuously to my money being spent at a higher rate. Let the men arbitrate and find out. One other aspect of the situation I wish to mention. Yesterday one of the contractors sought to start work with 15 or 20 men. His men were interfered with and their tools taken by force. By what right? Surely our City Father. realize that the liberty of every individual who chooses to work should be protected. Can they not take firmer and if necessary stern measures to protect the individuals who choose to labor. They must and they will have the support of every right and fair minded citizen in any steps to maintain order. The ratepayers are unanimous on the point. If some men will not arbitrate and will not work then let them travel and let those work who will. As ratepayers we insist on order—no absurd regulations in constitutions of any body can be permitted to interfere. You, Mr. Editor, have stood for this. Permit me to commend you and to hope that every citizen will support you and everyone in authority or in a public position who takes the same stand.

Yours truly.

"RATEPAYER"

## WAS PADDED WITH MONEY

### FARMER LEAPS FROM G. T. P. TRAIN NEAR WINNIPEG

**Had Rolls of Bills Stitched up in All His Clothing Which Helped to Break His Fall—May be Mentally Unsound in Spots.**

Winnipeg, March 24.—With $1,000 sewed up in the lining of his coat, $500 sewed into the pocket of his vest, and $500 sewed into the band of his trousers, and $150 in cash in his pocket, Andrew McGregor jumped from a Grand Trunk Pacific train yesterday.

Mr. McGregor was formerly resident in Kansas City. He had been engaged in farming in Missouri and decided to move to Alberta. He came west via Winnipeg and bought some implements and stock here. He then left for Edmonton, and at Clover Bar, while the G. T. P. train was running at about regular speed, he stepped from the platform.

It is believed that the traveller was mentally unsound. This may be due to intoxication or to some more serious cause. The men with whom he did business in Winnipeg did not suspect that there was anything the matter with the visitor as he transacted all his business here in a business-like manner.

### OVERSEAS CLUB CONCERT

**A Free Entertainment for Tuesday Night**

On Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the McIntyre Hall a concert will be given under the auspices of the newly formed "Overseas Club." The entertainment will be absolutely free, and all British ladies and gentlemen who care to come are invited. There will be a capital musical programme in which a number of the popular singers and instrumentalists of Prince Rupert are to take part.

### BLAZING STEAMER SIGHTED

**Helpers Hurry at Full Steam to the Rescue**

Eureka, March 25.—From the Govmeernnt Wireless Station at Table Bluff comes to hand the report that a steamer has been sighted on fire about four miles from the point. At once on receipt of the news the steamers Argyll and Rose City steamed at top speed to the rescue. The name of the bruning vessel was not ascertained.

## WRECKED OFF CAPE BRETON

### MAIL STEAMER BRUCE IS A TOTAL WRECK

**In Trying to Save the Woman Two Brave Newfoundlanders on Way to Vancouver Lost Their Lives in Gallant Attempt.**

(Special to the Optimist)

Louisburg, C. B., March 25.—With only her funnels showing above the water the Newfoundland mail steamer Bruce plying between Port Aux Basques, N. F., and Cape Breton ports is a hopeless wreck. She struck a ledge at Port Nova Point 200 miles northeast of Louisburg early today and from the first there was no hope of saving her. Splendid efforts were made successfully to save her crew of thirty men and 120 passengers, but while nobly struggling to save the lives of the women and children two Newfoundland fishermen lost their own lives. The two men were passengers on the way to Vancouver.

## VANCOUVER GALE HOUSES WRECKED

### YOUNG CONTRACTOR KILLED AND WORKMEN INJURED

**Edward Carmichael Crushed in New Building Hurled Down by Fierce Gust. House Near Also Collapsed. Man's Leg Broken.**

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, March 25.—Buried in the ruins of a new building being erected here Edward Carmichael, a well-known young contractor, was almost instantaneously killed yesterday afternoon. The gale of wind blowing since the morning had increased in fury, and Mr. Carmichael was inspecting the job to see that all was secure when the accident happened. He was standing up when the upper portion of the building was hurled down by a tremendous gust, and the falling material flung him to the ground. Injured chiefly about the head he died in a few moments.

Two men who were working with him at the time were also thrown down and hurt, but they were able to walk to their homes. Deceased was a son of Mr. Carmichael of the Inland Revenue Department here, and brother of Mrs. Halchre of New Westminister. The building which collapsed was situated on the corner of Third avenue and Bayswater Road, and in the exceptionally high wind yesterday another house in the vicinity also blew down. A workman engaged upon it had his leg broken.

### EXPERT ELECTRICIAN ENGAGED

(Special to the Optimist)

Hamilton, March 25.—Out of forty applicants for the work of inspecting and reporting on the Municipal Electric Light system here, Mr. E. J. Sifton has been selected by the Board of Control to undertake the inspection. His remuneration for the job will be $1,500. Mr. Sifton is a Vancouver electrical expert, and had charge of the laying out of the London light syestm.

### KILLED BY EXPLOSION

**Montreal Janitor Victim of Strange Accident**

(Special to the Optimist)

Montreal, March 25.—By the explosion of one of the heating furnaces in the Coburg Apartments here last night the whole of the first floor was wrecked, and Ed. Alton caretaker of the building was instantly killed.

## MYSTERY AT EDMONTON

### WILLIAM LENNOX SHOT BY UNKNOWN ASSASSIN

**Was Shot by a Rifle Bullet Fired Through Window of Shack He Was Visiting—Police Searching for a Suspect.**

(Special to the Optimist)

Edmonton, March 25.—William Lennox, aged 35, was shot and seriously injured last night by a rifle bullet in the hands of an unknown assassin. Lennox was visiting at a shack at the time, and the bullet was fired through the window at him. Though badly wounded and his life despaired of, Lennox was able to make an antemortem statement of the affair. As a result the police are now searching for a man named Fortier.

### LUNATIC KILLED HIMSLEF

**Priviliged Patient at Hamilton Jumped from Window**

(Special to the Optimist)

Hamilton, oarch 25.—A priviliged patient named Lockhart killed himself in an attempt to escape from the asylum by jumping from a window on Wednesday night. His dead body was found three hundred yards away on Thursday morning.

### MASS MEETING OF P. R. I. A.

**McIntyre Hall Has Been Taken for Sunday Night**

Tomorrow night the Prince Rupert Industrial Association will hold in the McIntyre Hall, a mass meeting of their members and all wage-earners concerned, to ascertain the feeling of the community in regard to ageneral strike.

Beyond the announcement of this no matters of special importance were taken up at the strikers' meeting last night. Resolutions approving the attitude of Alderman Kerr, and of Mr. John Goodman, and "Big Ben" of the Hub Cigar Store were passed.

A small party of laborers arrived by the Camosun last night, and the new arrivals were met by a body of the strikers. Names of ten of them are filed as intending members at the P. R. I. A. Hall.

While the strikers maintain that yesterday morning's demonstration on First avenue was peaceable, there exists today in the city a very strong adverse attitude towards the strikers on account of the incident.

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# = THE COSY CORNER =

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This is a little section of the paper, which from day to day will be devoted to subjects of special interest to women. Any and all of the ladies of Prince Rupert are invited to contribute to its columns, and to take part in its discussions. Suggestions and criticisms are invited by the editor. The hope is expressed that "The Cosy Corner" will fill a social need.

Mrs. Ernest A. Woods will receive on the third Wednesday of every month.

### The Reason Why of Bungalows

The one-storey bungalow sprang into popular favor in the east and west almost at the same time, but for entirely different reasons. In the extreme western and southwestern parts of the country, homes have always been built rather low, as a protection from the dangers of seismetic disturbances, but in the East the bungalow is largely the outgrowth of the flat building idea.

A young woman used to the conveniences of a flat can not easily accustom herself to the inconveniences of doing the housework on two floors, which explains why so many young people are building bungalows for their first homes.

A one-storey bungalow has all the advantages of a modern flat, except janitor service, and overcomes many of the disadvantages found in a flat building. In a flat building the rooms are usually arranged along one side, obtaining light and air from that side only, which is either directly over the side walk on the one side or looks into an inside court on the other. This means a restriction of light and air, and bars one from the pleasures of a yard in summer time.

A bungalow on the other hand has light and air all around it, with as large a yard as the relative size of the bungalow and the lot will permit, and makes an ideal home in which to raise children. Most little tots have to be dressed from two to four times a day which means a frequent running up and down stairs, in addition to the duties of the regular housework.

The floor plan arrangement of a bungalow can be as formal as in a private home, with an entrance hall, living room, library, and dining room, in addition to the kitchen and chambers, or it can follow the craftsman idea and be made very informal with the large living room serving the purpose of reception hall, living room, library and dining room.

There is one feature which should be included in every bungalow no matter how informal, and that is a small hall connected with all the bedrooms and the bathroom. For obvious reasons, it is not convenient to have the bathroom located remotely from the bedrooms, and in no way directly connected with them.

A large one-storey bungalow is more expensive to build than a two-storey house containing the same number of rooms for the reason that the outside area of the one-storey building must be greater to get the rooms on one floor.

Out of this fact has grown the two-storey bungalow. The man with a home 24 by 24 feet, desiring but one or two bedrooms can place them on the second floor in such a manner that the roof can be given a low bungalow appearance, with large dormers to provide light and air for the chambers. The effect of studied rusticity can be preserved, and by using very wide projecting eaves, a bungalow effect be obtained in a house costing less than a straight two-storey house, and not near as much as the cost of placing all the rooms on one floor.

This arrangement of course lacks the convenience of a home with the rooms on one level, but the man with the cream appetite and a skimmed milk pocketbook, frequently has to make a compromise between what he would like and what he can afford.

### In Defence of the "Ankle Skirt"

British resentment of restrictions on personal liberty promises to result in a vigorous movement in favor of the harem skirt.

The action of the mobs in Vienna and Paris in attempting to block the innovation by violence has produced a feeling of disgust in London. Leading merchants intend to stock up with the harem skirt and push its sale. Many letters are appearing in the press in favor of the new fashion. The artist, Harry Furniss, says in one:

"One or more of the fashionable portrait painters should paint some of their fair sitters in harem dress.

"I am convinced that if the artists and their sitters lead the public will follow. I do not mean follow in the sense that cads and cadessess follow women whether in the harem or any other new costume, in the public thoroughfares with jeers and insult. But more considerate people could see in the quiet of the royal academy how artistic and attractive the new dress is. In the name of common sense let us adopt the ankle dress as permanent and muzzle the changing, uncomfortable, microbe-gathering costumes which the ever designing dressmakers invent.

"The reason many English women object to the skirt, I am told by their French-American rival, is that they have large feet. The fact is that in bygone days English women wore large and shapeless boots. The long, nervous foot of the English girl is preferable to the squat, short-toed French boot, or to the narrow, low instep of the American beauty. Besides the ankle skirt can be made like the end of a Christmas cracker, and thus hide the foot where it is necessary."

"What has done more to scotch if not to kill sensible dress is the name. At the moment of writing I hit upon 'ankle skirt,' but if the modern Gainsborough should paint it there is no reason why the 'Sargent skirt' should not become as famous as the Gainsborough hat."

### OUR DAILY RECIPE

#### Maraconi La Neus

Boil three ounces of maraconi in one quart of milk. Cook slowly until soft and tender, then take four eggs and beat the yolks and whites together. When well beaten, add two heaping tablespoonfuls of sugar, one-half a teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of vanilla and juice of a small lemon. Add this to the macaroni and bake in the oven, in individual baking dishes, slowly. Serve very cold.

#### Bran Gems

One egg beaten, one-half teasonnp salt, one-half cup sour milk into which dissolve one level teaspoon of soda, three tablespoons of melted butter, two cups of bran, about two cups of white flour with one heaping teaspoon of baking powder. This recipe makes two dozen small gems.

### PRACITCAL HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To remove rust from kettles fill them with hay, packed tightly, fill in with boiling water and let boil for several hours.

If six to ten drops of spirits of camphor are taken on a lump of sugar when sneezing starts a bad cold may be averted.

The darkest stain on a mirror or window pane can genrally be routed by rubbing with a flannel wet in spirits of camphor.

### Odd, Isn't It;

A match has a head, but no face,
A watch has a face, but no head.
A river has a mouth, but no tongue,
A wagon has a tongue, but no mouth,
An umbrella has ribs, but no trunk.
A tree has a trunk, but no ribs.
A clock has hands, but no arms,
The sea has arms, but no hands.
A rooster has a comb, but no hair,
A rabbit has hair, but no comb.
Odd, isn't it?

### SALVATION ARMY

The usual song service will be conducted at the Salvation Army Citadel tonight at 8 p.m. Sunday's services will be as follows: 11 a.m., public holiness meeting. 3 p.m., a free and easy meeting and at 8 p.m. a big Salvation meeting. Everybody is cordially invited to these meetings.

Don't forget the big entertainment to be given Friday. There will be solos and recitations, also a dialogue and twenty-five of Prince Rupert's boys and girls will give some drills accompanied by music. Gray's Orchestra will also be there and a good time is expected.

### Methodist Services

The Missionary Anniversary services will be conducted in the Methodist Church next Sunday morning and evening, March 26. Rev. Geo. E. Raley, Chairman of the Simpson District, preaching at both services. Himself a pioneer missionary, he will be heard with pleasure on the all important problems of the Church's Advance in the Field of Missions in the Home and Foreign Field.


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## COAL NOTICE

**Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena**

Take notice that I, John McLeod, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands.

4. Commencing at a post planted two miles west of the northwest corner of coal licence No. 3473, marked J.M., S.E. corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement.

Dated Feb. 1, 1911 — JOHN McLEOD, Wilson Gowing, Agent
Pub. Feb. 11.

**Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena**

Take notice that I, John McLeod, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands,

5. Commencing at a post planted two miles west of the south-west corner of coal licence No. 3474, marked J.M., N. E. corner, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated 1st, 1911 — JOHN McLEOD, Wilson Gowing, Agent
Pub. Feb. 11.

**Skeena Land District—District of Coast**

Take notice that Henry Macartney of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on left bank of Ex-chum-sik River about two and a half miles from its mouth and about one half mile above rapids, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains more less to river bank, thence west 40 chains more or less along river bank to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Date Dec. 10, 1910.
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# "VOICES OF THE IRISH"

## Interesting Sketch of the Life of St. Patrick Given by Mr. Thos. Deasy of Massett

The following eloquent sketch of the life of St. Patrick was delivered by Mr. Thomas Deasy, Indian Agent at Massett on the evening of St. Patrick's day, before a meeting of the Irish residents of Graham Island. It is a succint and eloquent statement of the history and claims of the Irish people, and in honor of their patron, Siant Patrick:

"Just before noon today a request was sent me to address this audience on the greatest of Irish missionaries—on a man whose name and whose work will ever remain, as a lasting monument to mark the rise of a simple herder of cattle, to the highest office that either God or man could place in the hands of a human being.

"The birthplace of St. Patrick has been the subject of conflicting arguments since the fifth century. France, Scotland, England and Ireland, all bring forth claims to prove that St. Patrick "first saw the light" in their respective countries. It matters little to us, where was born; still less do we care what earthly agency brought him out of obscurity and placed in his heart and hands the work to be accomplished. Men will agree to disagree on earthly matters, which have little to do with the accomplishment of great events.

"What we do know is that St. Patrick, at sixteen years of age was carried away to Antrim, in Ireland, as a slave and that he remained there, a slave, during six years. In his confessions, he tells us: 'I was taken captive when I was nearly sixteen years of age. I knew not the true God and was brought to Ireland a captive with many thousand men as we deserved, foe we had forsaken God and had not kept His commandments.'

"We also know that 'he was every day in frequent prayer and he also tells us that the love of God increased in him so much, that he would in a single day say a hundred prayers, and in the night almost as many, so that he frequently arose to prayer in the woods and mountains before daylight, in snow and frost and rain and felt no evil, because the spirit of the Lord was burning within him.'

"At the age of twenty-three years he heard in a dream a voice saying: 'Thy fasting is well; thou shall soon return to thy own country.' Again he had a dream, in which the same voice told him a ship was ready two hundred miles away, whereupon he ran away from his master and escaped to France. He had learned the language, customs and manners of the Irish, and the seed was planted which brought forth fruit a hundredfold.

"We will now take from the writings of St. Patrick the following passage: 'Again, after a few years I was with my relations in Britain, who received me as a son, and earnestly besought me that then. at least, after I had gone through so many tribulations, I would go nowhere from them. And then I saw in the midst of the night a man who appeared to come from Ireland, named Victorious, and he had innumerable letters with him, one of which he gave to me. I read the commencement of the epistle containing "The Voice of the Irish" and as I read aloud the beginning of the letter, I thought I heard in my mind the voice of those who are near the wood of Fochlut, which is near the Western Sea, and they cried out, "We entreat the holy youth to come and walk still amongst us." And my heart was greatly touched, so that I could not read any more. So I awcke.' Thanks to God that after many years the Lord hath granted them their desire.

"You now see the reasons for the return of St. Patrick to the Green Isle. Back to the country he went, not this time a slave; but to lead the thousands of pagan worshippers from the slavery of idolatry to 'Our God of all men; the God of heaven and earth, of the sea and the rivers. The God of the sun, the moon and all stars. The God of the high mountains and of the lowly valleys. The God who is above heaven, and in heaven, and under heaven.'

"From the Halls of Tara to Dublin; from one end of Ireland to the other, St. Patrick carried the story of the cross and converted the inhabitants. The idols fell before him, and the ancient kings bent their knees. His death is shrouded in mystery and his body now lies in Downpatrick, the dust mingling with that of the soil which grows the three-leaved emblem of the Trinity—the proof of St. Patrick's teaching, that there is nothing impossible to the God he worshipped and to whose altars the tribes and their chiefs flocked. Such, in brief, is the Saint we honor today. Down through the centuries no other name has won and held the Irish heart, like that of St. Patrick. He always gave until he had no more to bestow, and rejoiced to see himself poor.

"St. Patrick laid the foundation of Ireland's churches and schools. He travelled over the whole island, penetrating its remotest corners, without fear. From a country then considered the most barbarous and uncivilized, he sent out renowned teachers and guides that have always astonished the civilised world. In this vineyard he cultivated the virtue of chastity, acknolwedged from the time when the mythical Maid of Moor, of the snow white wand with a ring of gold, travelled unprotected through Green Isle, until today when the whole world acknowledges that Ireland is the home of female purity.

"All of his actions breathed humility, both of heart and mind. In the calender of Saints; in the history of nations—the history of this humble man, this former slave, stands pre-eminent. Where the heart of an Irishman beats, the name brings forth emotions of joy and love.

"In that land across the sea—the adopted home of St. Patrick, and our own little green island—may the God of St. Patrick still continue to guard and protect our people. We have every reason to be proud of all others, who have gone forth to preach the gospel of truth and humility. Her daughters, fair as roses that ever garden bore and purer than the fleecy foam that whitens her rocky shores—how pleased they must be to belong to a race that took them from slavery and made them respected and loved by the fearless men who brought love and peace to their homes. Where every river has some solemn title; where every mountain has its treasured name, and every valley its honored register. Until those mountains are worn out; until the rivers forget to flow; until the springs forget to gush and the rills to sing, shall the name of St. Patrick be kept with reverent honors which are inscribed on the book of national remembrance. It was the birthplace of your revered pastor—it was the home of my forefathers.

"We are proud of the land that for ages has been the home of our people. We have had the example of St. Patrick to guide us along the thorny paths of life, and, when life's short journey is over may we all meet on that fairer shore where St. Patrick and all who have brought light to the once darkened world, will welcome us before the one great God, who is always ready to lead us from the slavery of sin to the joys of Christian enlightenment."

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## Notice to Our Readers

With today's issue, the Optimist will make its exit from the scene for two or three days. The growth of the paper, and of the job department of the Prince Rupert Publishing Co. have made it necessary that the Optimist remove to larger, and better equipped premises.

The new Optimist building on Third avenue is now completed, and for the next few days the Optimist must cease publication while the machinery, engines and presses are being erected at the new building. We assure our readers that we will be out again within the week. This explanation is given so that our subscribers will understand why their paper will not make its customary appearance for the next two or three evenings.

The removal is of more than usual interest to the general public. It denotes the rapid growth of Prince Rupert's leading newspaper, and is a prophecy of better things to come. Improvements and enlargements have been planned, which with our removal to commodious and properly equipped offices will now be made possible. In return for the generous support which has been given the Optimist by subscribers and advertisers, the management have determined to give the people of Prince Rupert and Northern British Columbia a newspaper which both as "an orderly presentation of the news of the day," and as an advertising medium where the sellers and buyers of commodities may get in touch with one another, will not be excelled by any newspaper on the Pacific Coast.

This cannot come to pass in a day, but the removal of the Optimist plant to a permanent home of its own, is the first definite step in a line of contemplated improvements.

## Arbitration and Law-Enforcement

The suggestion that men of the Prince Rupert Industrial Association should submit their case to a court of arbitration has not yet been discussed by them; but judging by individual expressions of opinion from some of their spokesmen, it is not likely to be received with favor. It is said that the men would not be likely to agree to allow any outside arbitrator to decide their business for them, and that if a decision was reached unfavorable to the men, that they would give but a perfunctory consent to the award and take the first opportunity to go on strike again.

It is to be hoped that this attitude will be reversed by the men at their mass meeting tomorrow night. Their whole case depends upon the reasonableness of their demand. They profess to be able to make out a clear case for a wage increase. What then have they to fear in submitting their claims to arbitration, and having their witnesses heard?

If the workmen refuse to arbitrate, in many quarters it will be taken as a confession of weakness, and as an indication that they hope to win the strike by other than the just merits of their case.

There is another issue too, to be faced, and that must be done by the city council. While no violence has been used, the strikers yesterday by force took the tools away from a number of men who were anxious to work. This was a trespass on the liberty of those men who wanted to work, and a violation of the expressed intention of the men on strike to conduct their dispute by peaceable and lawful methods. It is the duty of the city council to see that law and order is maintained, and in taking measures to prevent a repetition of such an incident as that on Friday, the council may rest assured they will have the moral support of every law-abiding citizen.

In making an appeal to the intimidation of force the strikers made an appeal to an element which should not be called by either side. Least of all is it wisdom for the men to appeal to methods of force. Whatever case they have rests upon justice. That has been offered them in the form of a court of arbitration. It is that way their hope lies.

In the meantime the council must cease from dilly-dallying with the situation, and take steps to maintain the dignity of the city, and the right of every man to go to work and earn a living without fear or molestation.

## Be Logical, Sir Edmund

Sir Edmund Walker, President of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is one of the eighteen insurgent Toronto Liberals who opposed reciprocity on the ground that it would be disastrous for Canada's prosperity, and dangerous to her loyalty to enter into closer reciprocal trade with our neighbors to the south.

Sir Edmund has already been twitted a good deal over his peculiar lack of vision, in not seeing that his argument is negatived by his own fondness for taking Canadian savings and placing them on the New York money market. Now the Canadian Music Trades Journal says that at the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Cable Company, a Chicago piano-making concern, Sir Edmund Walker of the Canadian Bank of Commerce was elected a director. Turning out pianos that will be used frequently to play "Yankee Doodle" and "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," does not seem to have much relation to the development of Canada on east and west lines. But as a number of people have remarked, it is the farmer's loyalty that is in danger, not Sir Edmund's.


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Take notice that Jack Bedford of Keighley, Yorkshire, England, occupation over-looker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
*Commencing* at a post planted at a point in the easterly boundary of timber limit 38329 and in the southerly limit of lot 3989, Range 5, Coast District, where the said limits intersect, thence along the southerly limit of lot 3989 aforesaid and the projection thereof in an easterly direction 80 chains more or less to the westerly limit of timber limit 32501, thence in a southerly direction along the last mentioned limit 11 chains more or less to the northerly limit of timber limit 36775, thence in a westerly direction along the last mentioned limit 80 chains more or less to the easterly limit of timber limit 38329, thence in a northerly direction 11 chains more or less to the point of commencement.
Dated March 8, 1911. JACK BEDFORD
Pub. March 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that Charles P. Otter of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation surveyor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of surveyed lot 3984, Range 5, Coast District, thence in an easterly direction along the southerly limit of surveyed lot 3991 and the projection thereof 40 chains to a point, thence south parallel to the easterly limit of surveyed lot 3984 aforesaid 60 chains more or less to the northerly limit of a timber limit (No. 42563), thence west 40 chains more or less to a point in the projection southerly of the easterly limit of surveyed lot 3984, thence in a northerly direction along the projection of the said limit and along the said limit 60 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.
Dated March 8, 1911. CHARLES P. OTTER
Pub. March 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that Edith Alice Crowther of Ikley, Yorkshire, England, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of surveyed lot 3991, Range 5, Coast District, thence north along the easterly limit of the said lot 35 chains more or less to the southerly limit of Lot 3985, Range 5, coast district, thence east along the southerly limit of the last mentioned lot 60 chains to a point, thence in a southerly direction 35 chains parallel to the said easterly limit of lot 3991, thence in a westerly direction 60 chains more or less to the point of commencement containing 210 acres more or less.
EDITH ALICE CROWTHER
Dated March 8, 1911.
Pub. March 25.

## COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, J. G. McNab of Prince Rupert, occupation general agent, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Section 8, Township 2 Graham Island, and marked J. G. McN., S. E. Corner, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
Dated March 8, 1911. J. G. McNAB
Pub. March 25. Wilson Gowing, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, B. C., occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
3.—Commencing at a post planted one mile north of the northwest corner of Lot 171, marked J. McL. N.W. Corner, being thenorth-west corner thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Dated Dec. 24, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

## COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 70, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 23. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 29, 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.
Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 23. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following lands:
Commencing at a post planted about two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 50, 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.
Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Feb. 23, Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 71, 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.
Dated Feb. 22, 1911 JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 24. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about four miles south and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 73, 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.
Dated Feb. 22, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 24. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post plant d about eight miles south and four west of the mouth of Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, No. 79, thence W. 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated Feb. 24, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 27. C. McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about three miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 18, 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.
Dated Feb. 26 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent


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Mr. Oliver found, when he got home, that he had neglected to get any large type for a heading. Mr. Taylor was resourceful, so out of a piece of wood he carved the heading, "The Bulletin." The wood had a tendency to warp, and finally it had to be cut into three pieces. One day the pieces got mixed, and the paper came out under the heading, "The Tin Bulle."

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## LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

Take notice that I, J. H. McAughey of Prince Rupert, occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of lot 2249, thence east 40 chains, thence south 6 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 6 chains to point of commencement, containing 20 acres more or less.

Date Feb. 15, 1911 J. H. McAUGHEY
Pub. Feb. 25, 1911. Andrew Kennedy, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that I, Peter Reid, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation teamster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted and marked P. R.'s S.W. corner and immediately adjoining posts marked J.M.'s N.E. corner and A.B.'s S.E. corner; thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less. PETER REID,

Dated 1st Feb. 1911 Charles H. Allen, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that I, William Anderson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted and marked W. A. northwest corner, and about 1 mile from Alexander Buchan northern boundary line; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

WILLIAM ANDERSON,
Dated 1st Feb. 1911 Charles B. Stark, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that I, Alexander Buchan, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation butcher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing a post planted and marked A.B.'s S.E. corner, and adjoining posts marked J.M.'s N.E. corner and P.R.'s S.E. corner; 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.

ALEXANDER BUCHAN,
Dated 1st Feb., 1911 Charles H. Allen, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

Take notice that I, John Miller, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation butcher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 1 chain from tidewater at the head of Luscombe Bay, and marked J.M.'s N.E. corner, 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.

JOHN MILLER,
Dated 1st Feb., 1911 Charles B. Stark, Agent
Pub. Feb 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast
Range 5

Take notice that I, Fred Garton, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of surveyed lot 1937, Range 5, Coast district, thence north 60 chains to a slough; thence west 28 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 28 chains to the point of commencement.

FRED. GARTON
Dated February 25th, 1911
First insertion Mar. 11

## COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles north and one miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 25, 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.

Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Joh McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about four miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, No. 66 thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about four miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner No. 65, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north of th mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 3, 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.

Dated Feb. 25, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 27. T. E. Walter, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el r ver an marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 4, 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.

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Commencing a a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the mout of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 27, thence south 80 chains thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the mouth of Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 26 thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to pount of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J McL. N. W. Corner, No. 51, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Pub. Feb. 27. T. E. Walter Agent

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 52, 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.

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Pub. Feb. 27. T. E. Walter, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted about three miles west and two miles north of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J McL. S. E. Corner, No. 67 thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence sout 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more o less.

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Pub. Feb. 27. T. E. Walter, Agent

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Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to pr spect for coal and petroleum on the following escribed land:

Commencing at a post planted about eight miles south and two wes of the mouth of Tl-el River and ma ked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 40, thence south 80 chains thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 8 chains to point of comme cement; containing 64 a res, more or less.

Dated F b. 24, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub Feb. 27. C. McDowell, Agent

## COAL NOTICE

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 72, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 22, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 24. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 48, 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.

Dated Feb. 22, 1911 JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 24. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 47, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Pub. Feb. 24 Clarence McDowell, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River, Graham Island, and marked J. McL. N. W. Corner, No. 34, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. W. Corner, No. 33, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of the Tl-el River and marked John McL. N. E. Corner, No. 32, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Pub. Feb. 24. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 31, 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.

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Pub. Feb. 24. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

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Take notice that I, Jo n McLe d of Va couver, o cupation broker, intend o apply for permission to prospect for c al and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a p st planted about four mil s south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 45, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to poi t of commencement: ontaining 640 acres, more or less.

Date . Feb. 23, 1911. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub Feb. 25. Clarance McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Sk ena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupatio broker, intend to appl for perm ssion to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following descr b d lands:

Commencing at a post planted four mi es south and two west of the m uth of t e Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 46, thence n rth 8 c ains, thence west 80 chains, the ce south 80 c ains, t ence east 80 chai t point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or le s.

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Comm ncing at a post planted about f ur miles south and two miles we t of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. W. Corner, No. 36, thence south 80 chains, thence e st 80 chains, thence north 8 chains, thence wes 80 hains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 23, 1911. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Feb. 25. Clarance McDowell, Agent

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Take notice that I, John M L od of Van ouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permiss on to pro pect or coal a d petroleum on he following d scribed l nds:

Commencing at a p st plant d abo t fo r miles outh and two mile we t of the m uth f the T el River and marked J. M L . W. Corner, No. 35, thence north 80 chains, thence eas 80 chains, thence sout 0 chains, the ce west 80 chains o p int of commencement ntaining 640 a res, more or les .

Dated F b. 3, 1911. J HN M'LEOD
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### Mr. Frederick Talbot Gives His Impressions of This City and the District Tributary to It in Widely Read Magazine.

In the one hundredth number of the current volume of "The World's Work" the eighth of a splendid series of articles by that magazine's special commissioner in Canada, Mr. Frederick Talbot, the writer, tells of his passing over the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific line through B. C. to its Pacific terminus Prince Rupert.

**Upper Skeena's Rich Resources**

In glowing terms he describes the agricultural and mining country in the Aldermere and Hazelton districts. All the manifold advantages to the farmer of the famous Bulkley and Tlekwa valleys are brought out with a fair and square account of the hardships and inconveniences to be endured by the pioneer who would reap the undoubted reward of labor in these lands. Climatic conditions are described as excellent and the summer frost bogey is well laid. Mr. Talbot's story tells how the settlers are surely and steadily streaming in.

**The Wonder City of the Coast**

Describing his journey down the Skeena he touches on its perils as well as on its wealth in fish, and so step by step along this vast and vastly interesting country he brings his readers to Prince Rupert.

"Prince Rupert," he says, "is the wonder city of the north Pacific coast. A city where many fortunes have been made, and where every one of the 5000 people within its limits is convinced that he is setting the foundations of a big port of the future in no uncertain manner.

"Certainly its rise has been phenomenal. In the words of Mr. David M. Hays who was the first white man there, its growth is probably without parallel even in Canada that land of big surprises and hot hustlers.

**A Model Twentieth Century Port**

"Moreover," the story goes on, "the place is being reared on the most up-to-date lines. The town planner is bringing his skill to bear on the general lay-out of the town so that it may appeal to lovers of the beautiful and at the same time not prove a breeding place for slums. Down on the water side the engineer is busy with drill and dynamite to accomplish his splitting work for miles of sidings have to be built as well as space obtained for an imposing terminus befitting such a railway as the Grand Trunk Pacific. The unsightly herringbone wharves jutting out from the mainland, as is the general procedure in America, probably will never obtain here unless wrought in stone, for the reason that the harbor bed is solid rock and at great depth. But with such a length of water front as is available here such should not prove necessary.

**Overwhelming Natural Advantages**

"Strategically the port is of importance. It is easier to enter than Vancouver, as it faces the open sea, and has no such treacherous waters as the "Narrows" which are dreaded by all navigators owing to the speed of the current. Geographically Prince Rupert has an overwhelming advantage over its rivals as it is 550 miles nearer than Vancouver to Yokahama, and in the encircling of the northern hemisphere from London two days can be clipped off, an advantage which no development in marine propulsion can overcome.

**Rich Ocean Resources**

"But apart from this through traffic there is a great local opportunity for the port to expand directly Prince Rupert is in touch with Halifax on the Atlantic. A few miles away are the great fishing banks of the Pacific Ocean. All this produce has to be taken to Vancouver involving two or three days' steaming. They will be able to gain Prince Rupert, and have the produce half way across the continent, by the time they have hitherto steamed from the fishing grounds to Vancouver. It is also the doorway to Alaska as Skagway and other ports of the Northern Territory are within easy reach. So far as trade of the northern hemisphere is concerned Prince Rupert is going to have it, for traffic like water always follows the line of least resistence, especially when it is accompanied by a saving of a few hundred miles in its journey.

**Well Invested Money**

As for the traffic of the southern hemisphere there will be as stern a competition as ever, but the northern half belongs to Prince Rupert as present indications convincingly show. Enough has been accomplished so far to prove that the confidence of British investors which has been stretched to the extent of some seven million pounds ($35,000,000), is being fully justified. The Grand Trunk Pacific is essentially a British and Imperial enterprise and when the unbroken link extends from ocean to ocean then it will have competitors, in the language of the inhabitants, 'going some'."

# STREET SINGER IS A PRODIGY

## INTERESTING ROMANCE OF "MISS STELLA CAROL"

### Little Girl Was Heard Singing Christmas Carols by Great Teacher Who Adopted Her—Great Future Is Prophesied.

London, March 22.—The first chapter of one of those romantic fairy tales of real life has been related in the British press by Mme. Amy Sherwin, the vocal instructor.

It concerns a little girl 13 years of age, whom Mme. Sherwin heard singing carols outside her house in Hampstead, one cold night before Christmas.

This same little girl is shortly to be introduced to the concert world as a "prodigy," and, if the fairy tale is to have a proper ending, she should even tually become a great star in the world of music, as Mme. Sherwin is confident she will.

"I have christened her Stella Carol," says Mme. Sherwin, "in memory of our first meeting.

"It was really a romantic meeting, quite in the approved fairy-book style. I had just returned from my salon to my home in Hampstead—very weary after a hard day with my pupils.

"Suddenly, outside my window, the voices of two little girls arose in a Christmas carol. I was annoyed at the disturbance, but gradually my annoyance gave way to surprise and wonder.

"Both the little girls had very sweet voices, and when one of them sang top A and produced a note of perfect purity, I went to the door to find out what manner of children they might be.

"I brought them into my drawing room and learned their story. They were two little sisters from Holloway—two of a family of twelve—trying to get some money to buy their mother a surprise present for Christmas.

"They sang again—one of them holding a half-eaten apple—and I was so impressed by the natural beauty of the voices that I determined to take the elder one and train her for the singing profession.

"I sent them home at once with instructions not to sing in the open air any more, and the next day saw their mother.

"Now Miss Stella Carol is living with me. I have practically adopted her, and have taken complete charge of her education. She will have also a governess to teach her languages and to take charge of her during her afternoon walks.

"Already her upper notes are improving. She can sing top D and E flat with perfect purity. She has a winsome and modest little face, and I have every hope that at her debut, within the next three months, she will create a furore."

**Why Fishes Do Not Drown**

Nellie and Freddie had been watching some gold fish swimming around in a globe, the other evening, when Nellie looked up to her father and said: "Papa, why is it that fishes do not drown in the water?"

"All living things," answered her father, "must get air in some way or other in order to live, or, to be more accurate, they must have a supply of oxygen, which is one of the gases of the air. Should this supply of oxygen fail, death must come, no matter whether it is from drowning or form any other cause. When a man is drowned what really happens is that, on account of his being under the water so long, his supply of life-giving oxygen has run short, and as he can only get it when he is in the air, he dies. But this is not because there is no oxygen in water. As a matter of fact, there is quite a lot of the precious gas dissolved in water, but human beings and animals breathing by lungs cannot make use of it. Their organs are only adapted for breathing air. Fishes breathe by gills, not lungs, and the wonderful way in which gills are made enables them to extract the oxygen from the water, and by so doing they are enabled to live under water perfectly well.


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Dated Feb. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEO
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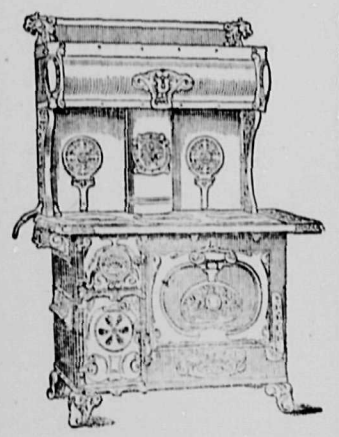

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# FIERCE STORM AT VANCOUVER

## NEW PONTOON SUNK AT NORTH VANCOUVER WHARF

**Small Craft Were Driven About the Harbor—Tugs Had Cut Adrift From Log Rafts—Wind Blew Fifty Miles an Hour.**

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, March 24.—One of the fiercest windstorms recorded for some time, prevailed during the early hours of this morning, doing considerable damage to the telegraph lines to the south and to the small craft in the harbour. The waves swamped the new pontoon float at North Vancouver while fallen trees are greatly interfering with the B. C. tram service to Chilliwack.

A number of small pleasure craft were driven from their moorings, and the tugs in English Bay had to cut adrift from the booms of logs. The wind attained a velocity of over fifty miles an hour.

# MINERS REFUSE BOSSES' OFFERS

## LOOKS LIKE TROUBLE IN THE COAL INDUSTRY

**Conference at Calgary is Making but Little Progress to Effect a Settlement of the New Miners' Wage Scale.**

(Special to the Optimist)

Calgary, March 24.—Today the operators in the joing conference of miners and operators offered the men an open shop or failing that arbitration. Both proposals were turned down, the miners contending they wanted to settle their own business and not have it done by outsiders.

The operators asked the miners to agree to go on a conference taking up the agreement, clause by clause, and casting aside such as could not be decided upon, these clauses to be later on taken up and settled by arbitration composed of two representatives of each party, with the chief justice or a justice of the supreme court as chairman. While the board was sitting the mines would be operated under the present agreement.

The miners turned this proposition down also.

## BANK ROBBED AT KINISTINO

**$6,000 Taken from the Safe at Bank of Ottawa Branch**

(Special to the Optimist)

Saskatoon, March 23.—It has leaked out that sometime between Saturady closing and Monday opening, the safe with a time clock attached was entered at the Bank of Ottawa at Kinistino and $6,000 extracted. The officials were unable to open the bank on Monday after the time lock ran down.

## WANT BARRACKS SITE

**Manitoba Government to Approach Federal Authorities**

(Special to the Optimist)

Winnipeg, Man., March 24.—The government will make another attempt to secure a site for the Osborne military barracks from the Dominion government as the present site is required for the new parliament buildings. A committee will go to Ottawa for that purpose.


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(Special to the Optimist)

Winnipeg, March 24.—In a statement given this afternoon by Vice-President Chamberlain, the G. T. P. company will expend seventeen million dollars constructing new lines and erecting station buildings throughout the west this year.

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Commencing at a post planted about three miles north and one miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 25, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about four miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, No. 66 thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 3, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north of the mouth of the Tl-el r ver an marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 4, 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.

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Commencing a a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the mout of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 27, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 26 thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to pount of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J McL. N. W. Corner, No. 51, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chaiks, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 52, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about three miles west and two miles north of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J McL. S. E. Corner, No. 67 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about eight miles south and two west of the mouth of Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 40, thence south 80 chains thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Ti'el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 48, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River, Graham Island, and marked J. McL. N. W. Corner, No. 34, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL, S. W. Corner, No. 33, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 46, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. W. Corner, No. 45, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 44, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about f ur miles south and two miles we t of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. W. Corner, No. 36, thence south 80 chains, thence e st 80 chains, thence north 8 chains, thence west 80 hains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a p st plant d abo t fo r miles south and two miles west of the mouth f the Tl-el River and marked J. M L. . W. Corner, No. 35, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence sout 0 chains, the ce west 80 chains o p int of commercement: ntaining 640 a res, more or less.

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Commenci g at a post planted about six miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N E. Corner No. 43 thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 c ains, thence north 80 chains, then e east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about six miles south and two miles west of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 44, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about six miles south and two west of the mouth of the Tl-e River and marked J. McL. N. W. Corner, No. 38, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chainsl thence n orth 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about six miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. W. Corner No. 37 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.

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Commencing at a post planted about six miles south and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 76, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted six miles south and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 75, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted eight miles south and two west of the mouth of Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 39, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted eight miles south and four west of the mouth of Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 78, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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## Water Notice

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

(a) The name, address and occupation of the applicant is S. R. McClinton, Estate agent, Vancouver, B.C.
(If for mining purposes) Free Miner's certificate No.....

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed the description is) Kitsumkalum River.

(c) The point of diversion is near the intersection of the east boundary of lot 1405.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second) is 140.

(e) The character of the proposed works is a general plant for the production of heat, light and power, and the manufacturing of wood pulp, lumbers and timbers generally.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same) Mill site about 3-4 of a mile below intake; wood, frame and concrete buildings in addition to the masonry, dams, flumes and penstocks necessary.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used is power development.

(h) If for irrigation, describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage.....

(i) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes, describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return. Power plant about 3-4 of a mile down stream from the intake. Difference in altitude 80 feet.

(j) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works is 100 acres.

(k) This notice was posted on the 6th day of March, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 25th day of April, 1911.

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

S. R. McCLINTON,
James Cross, Agent.

P.O. Box 285, Prince Rupert, B. C.

NOTE—One cubic foot per second is equivalent to 35.71 miner's inches.

Pub. March 16, 1911.

## Water Notice

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

(a) The name, address and occupation of the applicant is George Young, Victoria, B.C.
(If for mining purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No.....

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is) Ain Lake and Ain River.

(c) The point of diversion at or near Ain Lake.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second) 1000.

(e) The character of the proposed works, dam, flume, pipe-line, power engines, plant, etc.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same) at or near mouth Ain River, Masset Inlet.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used is for power development and mill operations.

(h) If for irrigation, describe the land to be irrigated, giving acreage.

(i) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes, describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between the point of diversion and point of return. At or near mouth of Ain River, about 150 feet below lake level.

(j) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works.....

(k) This notice was posted on the first day of March, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the fifth day of April, 1911.

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

GEORGE YOUNG,
H. Edenshaw, Agent

P.O. Box 285, Prince Rupert, B.C.

NOTE—One cubic foot per second is equivalent to 35.71 miner's inches.

Pub. March 16, 1911.

READ THE OPTIMIST

## COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 30, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911 JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 23, Leslie E. Walter, Agent.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 29, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911 JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 23. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 49, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911 JOHN McLOED
Pub. Feb. 23. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No 1, 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.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 23. Clarance McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described alnds:

Commencing at a post planted about five miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner No. 17, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J McL. S. W. Corner, No. 28, 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.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb.23. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about four miles north and one mile east of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 60 thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less

Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of ancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about four miles north and one mile east of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, No 5, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about four miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, No. 74, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 22, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 24. Clarance McDowell, Agent

## FORESHORE LEASE NOTICE

Coast Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Paul Brendler, of Porcher Island, occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to lease the following foreshore: Commencing at a post planted about 12 feet from the location post of lot 1301 on Porcher Island, thence in a southerly direction following high water mark 1200 feet; thence west to low water mark; thence northerly following low water mark 1200 feet; thence east to point of commencement.

PAUL BRENDLER.

Dated March 7, 1911.
First insertion March 11

WE HAVE BUYERS FOR LOTS IN

# Stewart

## Samuel Harrison & Co.

Brokers, Prince Rupert and Stewart, B. C.

Agents for Stewart Land Company, Limited

### COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Island Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver occupation broker, intend to appl for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about eight miles south and four west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S E. Corner, No. 80, 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.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb 27 C. McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land

Commencing at a post planted about two miles north from the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E Corner, No. 2, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 25, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub Feb 27. T. E. Walter, Agent

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that I Joseph Belway of Vancouver B.C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted two and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins, 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 Feb. 3, 1911 JOSEPH BELWAY
Pub. Mar. 10

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that I Arthur James Welsh of Vancouver, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail commences near the trail, thence east eighty chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.

Date Feb. 3, 1911 ARTHUR JAMES WELCH
Pub. Mar. 10 Joseph Belway, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that I Andrew Cummings of Vancouver, B.C., occupation cook, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins near the trail, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres,

Date Feb. 3, 1911. ANDREW CUMMINGS
Pub. Mar. 10. Joseph Belway, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that I Hugh D. Gillis of Prince Rupert, occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins and one mile in a northerly direction from the said Lava Lake trail, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Date Feb. 3, 1911. HUGH D. GILLIS
Pub. Mar. 10. Joseph Belway, Agent

### LAND LEASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that I Severin A. Tallander of Porcher Island, occupation ship master, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described foreshore:

Commencing at a post planted at the N.W. corner of lot 1302, thence west to low water mark, thence south along low water mark 25 chains more or less, thence east to S.W. corner of lot 1302, thence north along high water mark (being the westerly boundary of lot 1302) 25 chains more or less to point of commencement and containing all foreshore in front of lot 1302.

SEVERIN ALEXANDER TALLENDER

Dated March 9, 1911.
Pub. March 18.

...Whites Portland Cement...

G. C. EMMERSON
AGENT

Phone 125 Naden Block 2nd Ave.

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that William Franklin Carpenter of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation restaurant keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land :

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of surveyed Lot 1712, thence 80 chains south, thence about 35 chains west to Lot 2656, thence 20 chains north, thence 45 chains west thence about 25 chains north to Lot 3068, thence about 30 chains east to south east corner of Lot 3068, thence about 35 chains north to Lot 1711, thence about 55 chains east to point of commencement; containing 480 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 15, 1911.
Pub. March 4. WILLIAM FRANKLIN CARPENTER

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Mary Maragret Gillis of Victoria, B. C., occupation housekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Lot 3987, thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains west to T. L. 32597, thence about 80 chains north to Lakelse River, thence meandering said river up stream in a southeasterly direction to Lakelse Lake, thence meandering said lake to point of commencement containing 160 acres, more or less.

Post marked M. M. G., N. E. Corner.
Dated Feb. 14, 1911.
Pub. March 4. MARY MARGARET GILLIS

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Rang 5

Take notice that Benjamin Ruesl Rice of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation waiter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 65 chains south from the south east corner of Lot 3060, thence 70 chains west, thence 65 chains north, thence 70 chains east, thence 65 chains south to point of commencement; containing 455 acres, more or less. Post marked B. R. R., S. E. Cor.

Dated Feb. 13, 1911.
Pub. March 4. BENJAMIN RUSSEL RICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that David McLennan of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 40 chains south from the south west corner of Lot 994, thence 40 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains south to point of commencement; containing 160 acres, more or less. Post marked D. M., S. W. Cor.

Dated Feb. 13, 1911 DAVID McLENNAN
Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Alexander Beaton of Vancouver, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south from the south west corner of Lot 3065. Post marked A. B., N. W. Corner, thence 30 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 30 chains north, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement; containing 200 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 13, 1911. ALEXANDER BEATON
Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that George Levick of Prince Rupert B. C., occupation , intends to apply for permission to purchase the following desribed lands:

Commencing at a post planted on shore of Lakelse Lake about 60 chains north east from outlet of said lake (Lakelse River), thence 20 chains north, thence about 60 chains east to Lakelse Lake, thence meandering said lake shore in a westerly direction to point of commencement; containing 80 acres, more or less. Post matked G. L. S. W. Corner.

Dated Feb. 14, 1911. GEORGE LEVICK
Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Angus Beaton of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Lot 3987, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains south, thence about 60 chains east to Lakelse Lake, thence meandering said lake shore in an northerly direction to point of commencement; containing 170 acres, more or less. Post marked A. B., N. E. Corner.

Dated Feb. 14, 1911. ANGUS BEATON
Pub. March 4.

## CHIPS FROM THE HUMORISTS

The motorist emerged from beneath the car and struggled for breath. His helpful friend, holding the oil can beamed upon him.

"I've just given the cylinder a thorough oiling, Dick, old man," said the helpful friend.

"Cylinder," said the motorist, heatedly, "that wasn't the cylinder; it was my ear"

"Sometimes a virtue can be exaggerated until it becomes a vice," said the earnest adviser.

"I see exactly what you're comin' at," replied Tarantula Tim. "Whereas four aces is a blessin' an' greatly to be admired, five of 'em kin create untold dissension."

Wife—Darling, I want a new gown.

Husband—But you had a new one only a short time ago.

Wife—Yes; but my friend Ellen is to be married and I can't wear the same dress as I wore at her last wedding.

"They're both so accomplished musicians."

"That so?"

"Yes, when they're invited out no one else ever gets a chance at the piano."

Dashaway—You have splendid looking clothes, old man. Who is your tailor?

Cleverton—He's the first man you see as you go out.

### A Compliment for Him

She was eighteen and very shy and she never had been in the city before. There was no one at Broad street station to meet her, and she looked about timidly for a cab. Her mother had told her to take a hansom. She did not see any hansom, nor did she know that the "cabbies" wore a livery all their own. She did not see a policeman either, so she approached a youth who was standing on the corner of Fifteenth street with her bashful question.

"Please," she began, "are you a hansom man?"

The youth raised his hand and twirled his mustache ingratiatingly, smiling with deprecating assumption of modesty.

"I am so considered," he replied.

## DAZZLING RISE OF TORONTO BOY

### RISES FROM MESSENGER BOY TO BE WEALTHY JOCKEY

### Seven Years Ago Jockey Butwell was Carrying Telegraph "Dope"—Now is en Route to Russia to Ride for Count Lazorff in Europe.

Toronto, March 24.—Jockey Butwell who seven years ago was a C. P. R. telegraph messenger here, left last night with his wife for Hamburg, where he will enter on a seven months' engagement to ride for Count Lazorff, the largest racehorse owner in Russia.

Butwell was the most successful rider at the Southern track, leading the other boys by a good margin. He left Jacksonville last Monday for New York, where he stayed until Sunday night, making arrangements for the departure to Russia.

He will be met by a representative of Count Lazroff, who will see that the diminutive jockey reaches St. Petersburg in safety.

His contract calls for his appearance in the Russian capital on April 15, and from that period until the racing season closes, Butwell will be kept busy, as his employer has 94 horses in training. Count Lazroff's trainer speaks broken English so that Butwell is congratulating himself that the situation is no worse.

Butwell's rise in his profession has been rapid. After tiring of his job as a C. P. R. messenger he went to work as an exercise boy with Trainer John Nixon. This was in 1904.

Slowly but surely he worked his way to the top of the ladder, until he was riding in 1909 for James R. Keene at a princely salary. He had a narrow escape from being killed in a race last year, but it had no effect on his work when he returned to the saddle. He is 24 years of age, and rides at 105 pounds.

Rev. W. H. McLeod's subject for tomorrow eneing at the Baptist Church will be "A Contrast in Character." Service commences at 7.30. Regular morning service at 11 a.m. Bible School and Brotherhood Baraca Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. You are cordially invited to worship with us. Church situated at Sixth and Fraser streets.

### COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 70, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 23. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 29, 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.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 23. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 50, 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.

Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Feb. 23, Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 71, 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.

Dated Feb. 22, 1911 JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 24. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about four miles south and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 73, 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.

Dated Feb. 22, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 24. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for pe mission to prospect for coal an petroleum on the following describe land:

Commencing at a post plant d about eight miles south and four west of the mouth of Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, o. 79, thence W. 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, ore or less.

Dated Feb. 24, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 27. C. McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corn r, No. 18, 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.

Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about five miles north and one mile west of the mouth o the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner No. 24, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about four miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. W. Corner, No. 53, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about four miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 54, thence north 80 chains thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 c ains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. Feb. 28 Clarence McDowell. Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles west and two miles north of the mouth I the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corne N. 68, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Feb. 25, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pu . Feb. 27. T. E. Walter, Agent

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

Take notice that I, J. H. McAughey of Prince Rupert, occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of lot 2249, thence east 40 chains, thence south 6 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 6 chains to point of commencement, containing 20 acres more or less.

Date Feb. 15, 1911 J. H. McAUGHEY
Pub. Feb. 25. 1911. Andrew Kennedy, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that I, Peter Reid, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation teamster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted and marked P. R.'s S.W. corner and immediately adjoining posts marked J.M.'s N.E. corner and A.B.'s S.E. corner; thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less. PETER REID,

Dated 1st Feb. 1911 Charles H. Allen, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that I, William Anderson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted and marked W. A. northwest corner, and about 1 mile from Alexander Buchan northern boundary line; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. WILLIAM ANDERSON,

Dated 1st Feb. 1911 Charles B. Stark, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that I, Alexander Buchan, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation butcher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing a post planted and marked A.B.'s S.E. corner, and adjoining posts marked J.M.'s N.E. corner and P.R.'s S.E. corner; 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. ALEXANDER BUCHAN,

Dated 1st Feb., 1911 Charles H. Allen, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

Take notice that I, John Miller, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation butcher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 1 chain from tidewater at the head of Luscombe Bay, and marked J.M.'s N.E. corner, 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. JOHN MILLER,

Dated 1st Feb., 1911 Charles B. Stark, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

Take notice that I, Leslie E. Walter, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted and marked L. E. W.'s S.E. corner and immediately adjoining post marked W.A.'s N.W. corner; thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less. LESLIE E. WALTER,

Dated 1st Feb., 1911 Charles H. Allen, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that I Bolcom McDonald of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins and one mile in a northerly direction from the said Lava Lake trail, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Date Feb. 3, 1911. BOLCOM McDONALD
Pub. Mar. 10. Joseph Belway, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that I Charles Morris of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins and one mile in a northerly direction from the said Lava Lake trail, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Date Feb. 3, 1911. CHARLES MORRIS
Pub. Mar. 10. Joseph Belway, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that I, John McDonald of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation hotelkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins and one mile in a northerly direction from the said Lava Lake trail, thence south eighty chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Date Feb. 3, 1911. JOHN McDONALD
Pub. March 10. Joseph Belway, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Mary Bell Beaton of Vancouver, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Lot 3980, thence about 30 chains north to Lot 1723, thence 80 chains west to Lot 3982, thence about 30 chains south to Lot 3981, thence 40 chains east, thence 20 chains south to Lot 682, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains north, thence 20 chains east to point of commencement; containing 240 acres more or less.

Post marked M. B. B., S.E. Corner.
Dated Feb.14, 1911. MARY BELL BEATON
Pub March 4

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that I, Fred Garton, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of surveyed lot 1937, Range 5, Coast district, thence north 60 chains to a slough; thence west 28 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 28 chains to the point of commencement.

FRED. GARTON

Dated February 25th, 1911
First insertion Mar. 11

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# "CENTRAL" WAS HIS SISTER

### ROMANCE OF THE TELEPHONE IN LOS ANGELES

**Nevada Mining Man after Seventeen Years Finds His Sister Owing to a Chance Remark—Rosie Finds Her Brother.**

Los Angeles, March 24.—Henry McGinn, a mining man of Searchlight, Nev., registered at a Los Angeles hotel last night and a short time later had unexpectedly discovered a long lost sister whom he had not seen or heard from for seventeen years.

McGinn, shortly after registering, repaired to the telephone booth to call up a friend. He gave the desired number to the operator and was turning away when she asked:

"What is your name, please, so I may have you paged when the party is connected?"

"McGinn," he replied.

"Why, that's my name, too," said the operator.

"So Where from?" asked McGinn.

"Wisconsin, originally," she answered.

"Me, too," replied McGinn.

"I had a brother named Henry, who left home at Neenah, Wis., 17 years ago," the telephone girl told him. "I haven't seen him since."

"Why, my name's Henry," eagerly replied McGinn. "Are you Rosie?"

She was, and soon brother and sister were deep in joyous converstaion.

# THAT'S WHAT WE PAY HIM FOR

### INTERESTING INCIDENT ON ST. JOHN N. B. DOCK

**Police Officer Stopped Sir Wm. Van Horne from Smoking as He Tried to Board a C. P. R. Steamer—He Was Quite Right," Said Sir William**

St. John, N. B., March 24.—Among those who sailed on the "Empress of Ireland" was Sir William Van Horne, former president of the C. P. R.

An incident that gives an insight into the character of the man, occurred as he was walking from the train to the steamer, smoking a cigar. A policeman stepped up to him and politley informed him that smoking was not allowed on the docks. Sir William promptly threw away his cigar. When a reporter who was with him remarked that the policeman evidently did not recognize him, he replied curtly: "He was perfectly right. That's what we pay him for."

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## IMPORTANT MARRIAGE MATTER

**Catholics Not Legally Married Except by a Catholic Priest**

(Special to the Optimist)

Montreal March 24.—Marriages between Catholics when not performed by a Catholic priest must now be considered illegal according to the outcome of a case tested in the courts at Montreal. The case is that of Eugene Herbert and Marie Couston who were married in 1908, nut not by a Catholic priest. To day Mr. Justice Laurendeau gave a decision to the effect that their marriage was not legal.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners, 'Phone 4.

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**Latest Quotations From Vancouver Exchange.**

(As reported by S. Harrison & Co.)

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## DAILY MESSAGES FROM "UNCLE JERRY"

No. 23

Number twenty-three is sometimes facetiously called the 'skidoo' number. Some of my friends may ask why I don't take the hint and stop these talks. Well, if they could come to my office and see the increased business my office is doing since the Prince Rupert people are better acquainted with me, they would use my methods themselves.

A friend asked Dr. Parkhurst, the famous preacher of New York, why he wrote for the New York American, 'that rotten sheet,' he called it. Dr. Parkhurst said that the sheet isn't half as rotten when he writes for it as it would be if he did not.

My method of direct advertising tells you clearly about my methods and plans. I am not strong on frills and pictures. Advertising space is too valuable to be wasted. Incidentally I may add I know what good advertising is and that is the reason I am using it.

How about boosting Prince Rupert? Now, altogether, let's say a kind word about our wonderful city to at least one friend who is deprived of the pleasure of being here in person. There is one thing worse than knocking and that is to be silent.

Let's shout so that everybody hears: "Prince Rupert—the San Francisco of Canada."

ASK UNCLE JERRY

JEREMIAH H. KUGLER

## Ask Uncle Jerry

On January 15th and 22nd, Eastern papers on Jan. 15th, Western papers on Jan. 22nd, our Prince Rupert Opportunity advertisement appeared in papers in New York, Boston, Providence, Kansas City, Denver, San Francisco, Los Angeles, St. Paul and 37 Sunday issues of big U.S. daily newspapers in all. On Feb. 25th our Prince Rupert advertisement appeared in 26 Canadian daily newspapers.

### "NOW" YOU PRINCE RUPERT PROPERTY OWNERS

please take notice and list your property with a good live broker, if from the above you think our equipment should produce the best results, you should come in at once.

We advise everyone to get in the market this spring and summer. Sell when you have a profit; buy again. That's the way to make money. You can make many times as much money if you will buy and sell and not hold on so long to property. All of you put your shoulder to the wheel and boost—keep on boosting—that's the way we will make a big city.

WHEN YOU WANT TO BUY, SELL OR RENT REAL ESTATE

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