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PRINCE RUPERT TO ORIENT COMPANY IS BEING FORMED

Alfred Holt and Co., Blue Funnel Line and the Grand Trunk Pacific Are Arranging for a Regular Service of Mail, Passenger and Freight Liners

Following the exclusive announcement the Optimist of February 18th, of e proposed Prince Rupert-Orient fleet hich is being promoted by Mr. H. entworth Clayton, a well known ritish capitalist on behalf of a syndicate of British financiers and shipping en, the following despatch will be ad with more than usual interest:

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, March 16.—The establishment of a regular steamship service tween Prince Rupert and the Orient in process of promotion according to ports emanating from Liverpool, England. Negotiations are under way tween the well known Oriental steamship line of Alfred Holt & Co., the Blue unnel steamship line, and the Grand unk Pacific to promote and eqiup service to the East.

The intention is to have the steamers y between Prince Rupert and the East, taking the most northerly and direct route to Japan. They will call at Yezzo, the most northerly of the large islands of the Japanese group, and make their Eastern terminus at Laiou Chow in Northern China. From this latter port there will be smaller distributing lines to the various points in China.

The steamers will be large, speedy liners, with all modern equipment. They will be constructed to carry mail, passengers and freight. The company will have the vessel ready to go on service as soon as the main line of the G. T. P. is completed.

With the railway and steamship lines in operation a direct service between Liverpool and the East will be in operation, by the shortest and easiest route. The proposition is being widely discussed among the Liverpool shipping interests.

SHIPPING REPORTS

From the Dominion Government Wireless Stations

(At 8 A. M.)

Tatoosh—Cloudy, sea smooth. In steam schooner Heather at 5.15 a.m., steamer Maverick at 6.30 a.m.

(At Noon)

S.S. Princess May was spoken by Cape Lazo wireless station at noon today. She was then at Nanaimo.

Tatoosh reports in steamer Crown of Galicia at 9.30 a.m. In steam schooner Tamalpaise same hour. In two masted steamer probably steamer Sadu Maru on the other side at 3.05 a.m. Inside bound out, three masted ship in tow of tug Tatoosh.

Pachena wireless station spoke steamer Tees at 8.30 a.m.

OPENING UP THE COUNTRY

HOW DEVELOPMENT FOLLOWS THE RAILWAY LINES

C. N. R. Will This Year Open up 25,000 Districts by the Operation of Their Lines Through Virgin Territory.

(Special to the Optimist)

Toronto, March 16.—How much of the development of the northwest provinces has depended on the construction of the various trans-continental lines is shown by the announcement of the C. N. R. In making public their programme for the present year's work, they say that the year's programme will open for settlement 25,000 different districts through which the new lines will operate.

MEN WIN AT FRESNO

Fight for Free Speech in the Streets is Success

(Special to the Optimist)

Fresno, March 16.—The strike which has been in progress here as a result of the contest over the right of free speech on the public streets has been settled. The men's claims are granted.

DIAMONDS FOUND IN B. C. NEAR THE TULLAMER RIVER

Discovery is Announced by the Dominion Geological Survey---Stones Are No Bigger Than Pin-Heads and May Not Be of Commercial Value

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, March 16.—That there are diamonds in British Columbia is the startling announcement made in the annual report of the geological survey of Canada, just published by the Federal authorities.

The announcement is not expected to make a rush for "the diamond fields of British Columbia" for the survey states that the stones are all of very small size, none being bigger than pin heads. The discovery is said to be more valuable as a scientific fact, than for any possible commercial importance that might accrue.

The location of the deposits is given as Olivine Mountain near the Tullamer River. The discovery was made by Mr. Charles Cassells of the Dominion Survey department.

This is the first recorded discovery of diamonds in Canada. The rock in which they were found is a peridlite of a variety known as danite, consisting of olivine and chromite specimens.

CENSURED THE COUNCIL

Longshoremen Express Sympathy With Men on Strike

At a meeting of the Longshoremen's Union on Tuesday a resolution was passed censuring the city council for a waste of public money in hiring special constables, and for having solicited the aid of naval and military forces.

Such conduct they say is calculated to incite the strikers and discredit union labor. The Longshoremen also expressed their full sympathy with the men on strike.

GREATNESS OF SIR WILFRID

SUBJECT OF ADDRESS BY L. W. PATMORE

Presbyterian Church Club Last Night Heard Instructive Lecture by One Who Has Studied Sir Wilfrid for Years.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the subject an able address by L. W. Patmore the Presbyterian Church hall last ght. Carrying his hearers back to e year 1841 when Canada was still rtially under the appointive system government, Mr. Patmore mentioned ord Durham's report in which Lord urham stated that serious difficulty as caused through the animosities tween the French and English populations of upper and lower Canada.

"That very year," said Mr. Patmore, here was born the man who was to ite these two disturbed elements, e Canadian patriot and statesman r Wilfrid Laurier."

Dealing with Sir Wilfrid's early training Mr. Patmore mentioned the amusing count by the Premier himself of his hooldays, when he used to "fight th the Scotch boys and make love the Scotch lassies," at the little school New Glasgow. Sir Wilfrid always ys that he succeeded better in the ter portion of the performance.

Very well did Mr. Patmore bring out e instinctive love of freedom and eration inherent in the character of r Wilfrid. "His appeal," said the turer, "is to the conscience of all en. For over fifteen years Mr. Patore has watched Sir Wilfrid Lauerier's reer, and kept copies of his speeches. his lecture last night, therefore, Mr. atmore was able to give many splendid ustrations of the leading characteristics of the great statesman as brought t in Sir Wilfrid's own words. Rev. W. Kerr also read part of Sir Wilfrid's eat speech on the death of Queen ictoria with fine effect.

Referring to the marvellous personal

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SELLS PLANT TO THE DOUKOBORS

KOOTENAY JAM CO. MOVES TO COAST

Complain That Kootenay Ranchers Are All Growing Apples and Not Raising Sufficient Small Fruits to Keep Them Busy.

(Special to the Optimist)

Nelson, March 16.—The Kootenay Jam Company has sold its plant to the Doukobors and will move to the coast. This was done because the ranchers are devoting more of their attention to apples than to the small fruits. The company hopes to obtain larger supplies of small fruit at the coast.

A FERNIE MAN HANGS HIMSELF

PAT KELLY COMMITS SUICIDE WHILE IN THE POLICE CELL

Found a Wire Loop in His Cell Which He Used to Kill Himself With—Was Despondent After Being Arrested.

(Special to the Optimist)

Fernie, March 16.—Despondent after the shame of being arrested, Pat Kelly, aged 45, hanged himself in the cell of the jail this morning. He had been hanging for some time, and life was extinct when he was discovered. He had found a wire loop from the wall through which he passed the belf trom his coat, using the latter as a rope with which to hang himself.

A FIEND'S WORK AT PORTLAND

STRANGE MAN MURDERS LITTLE FIVE YEAR OLD GIRL

Enticed the Little Girl to His Room, and There Brutally Assaulted and Murdered Her—Police Are in Pursuit.

(Special to the Optimist)

Portland, March 16.—The dead body, frightfully outraged, of a little five year old girl, has been found in a Russell street boarding house, and the victim has been identified as little Barbara Holtzman, whose disappearance had previously been reported to the police.

The fiendish crime was discovered this morning by the landlady, Mrs. Bertha Nelson, who went to the room to see what had become of a strange lodger who had not been seen since renting a room on the previous day. There on the bed of the apartment, huddled in death, she found the little violated body.

She at once reported the matter to the police, who since the previous evening had been searching for the child. There is no direct clue as to the identity of the murderer, but on the meagre description of the man which Mrs. Nelson was able to give, they are searching high and low to locate him.

VANCOUVER MAN HURT

C. H. Evans Knocked Down by an Automobile

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, March 16.—While walking across the street, Mr. C. H. Evans, a well known business man, was knocked down by an automobile today. His injuries are of a serious nature.

CITY PARAGRAPHS

A case against George Drury and George Broderius, two very good friends who were charged with having caused a disturbance last night was dismissed by Magistrate Carss this morning.

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$15,000 a year for ten years, as taxation.

Proportionate share of local improvement taxes where the railway company's property abuts onto public streets.

The deeding to the city of the various park sites and a lease for city purposes of 200 feet of waterfront, as outlined in the previous agreement.

The above are the main outlines of the agreement which it is understood will be submitted by the council to the people as a proposed basis of settlement of the Grand Trunk assessment dispute. The announcement will in all probability be made at the council meeting tonight.

The council sat all yesterday afternoon, and again today in conference with Mr. D'Arcy Tate discussing the proposed agreement. Neither Mr. Manson nor any of the aldermen would make any statement as to the progress made in their negotiations, and many wild rumors have been current as to the proposals under way.

Mr. D'Arcy Tate, it is understood, wished the period of exemption from ordinary assessment to be fixed at fifteen years, but in this the council stood solidly opposed to any settlement for a period longer than ten years.

The question of the company's liability for local improvement rates on

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

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Pu . Feb 27 C. McDowell, Agent

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

= THE COSY CORNER =

DEVOTED PRINCIPALLY TO THE INTERESTS OF WOMEN

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.

The Fireless Cooker

The question of air pollution and the extent to which our domestic fires contribute thereto is occupying considerable attention just now, and most housewives will welcome the day when cheap gas and electricity will enable them to make cleanly substitutes for coal fires. The fireless cooker is another hygienic and labor-saving device which is being widely adopted.

The principle of fireless cooking is simplicity itself. The food to be cooked is placed on the range or the gas stove in a cooking vessel and brought to the boiling point; the vessel is then immediately placed in an air tight receptacle, surrounded with a close packing of insulating material, and the food is left to cook itself. The process is necessarily slow, but thorough; food cooked in this way, whether meat, fish fruit, or vegetables, is rendered more digestible, more appetizing, and far more nutritious, as all its elements are preserved in their full integrity. On every ground the promotion of the system of fireless cooking is to be encouraged; apart from the superior wholesomeness of food, it effects an enormous economy in kitchen labor and in the consumption of gas or fuel; an article that would take an hour to cook on the gas stove need be boiled for only a quarter of that time before being placed in the fireless cooker. The latter costs nothing in maintenance, and demands no attention from the cook or housewife, who is free to devote herself to other pursuits while the fireless is doing its gradual work.

Against High Heels

Chicago, March 13.—High heel shoes today are blamed for the illness and misery of a large number of working girls by Dr. Caroline Hedger, a specialist who has started a campaign here to fully warn women of their danger.

In an address before 300 working girls she declared that those who wear high heels are laying up for themselves a heritage of misery and destroying their chances of ever becoming mothers.

She asserted that steps should be taken to prevent girls who walk much from wearing other than a "sensible broad, low heel."

Protecting Children's Morals

Special investigators and agents of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children have just completed a "survey" of all the moving picture show houses and similar amusement places in New York City. As a result of their finding the society will ask that the licenses of forty-five of these places be withdrawn and will recommend a sweeping reconstruction of the city ordinances governing all picture shows.

According to a preliminary statement published here today, the society will ask that the present system of presenting moving pictures in a darkened place be changed and a glass screen used in a well lighted hall. This is a question for the board of aldermen to regulate, and action by that body is expected shortly.

"We do not question the claim that the moving picture playhouse may be an educational institution," says Albert H. Hoeckley, one of the society's managers, "but we are more interested in the respectability of the attaches employed in certain of these places. We have before us nearly a hundred instances in which employees of the playhouses resorted to questionable methods in their treatment of young girls. The continued use of the darkened room to present the pictures is obnoxious."

A NEW RECIPE

Mock Angel Food

One cupful of sugar, one and one-half tablespoonfuls of shortening, one-half cupful of milk, one heaping cupful of flour, two tablespoonfuls of baking powder. Stir all together, then put the whites of two eggs into a bowl and beat until stiff. Then gently fold the whites into the batter; do not stir them in. Add a teaspoonful of vanilla. This is an original recipe, and if correctly made it will be hard to distinguish it from the real angel food cake. But be careful not to stir the whites of the eggs into the cake, but fold them in carefully.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

A back rest for an invalid, which will be found comfortable for one confined to bed, is made of a wide board, well padded, and slipped into a cretonne pillow case.

An asbestos mat under the bread pan will help the bread to rise on a cold night, as it will prevent the bottom being chilled. The ordinary stove mat may be used.

Never put the chafing-dish or any o its parts in water, but clean the pans by partly filling them with water and scrubbing, and the outer parts by rubbing with chamois.

A safe paint cleaner is as follows: Two quarts of hot water, two tablesponnfuls of turpentine, and one pint of skimmed milk, with soap enough to make a weak suds.

HOW WARSHIPS WERE CHOSEN

CANADA'S VESSELS WERE SELECTED FOR NAVAL REASONS

They Are Designed for Scouting, Protection of Trade and for Destruction of Commerce Destroyers. Are the Best for the Purpose.

Discussing the vessels which are to be built for the Canadian navy, the British News of Canada says:

The vessels of the Bristol class are protected cruisers of medium size high speed and powerful armament. They are designed for scouting, for the protection of trading vessels, and for the destruction of such vessels as may be let loose by an enemy to prey on British commerce.

The selection of this type for the Canadian fleet was made by the Admiralty after the most careful deliveration, and for reasons that are already becoming more clearly obvious. Naval experts are all agreed that Great Britain needs a very strong fleet, even if there is no danger at all of invasion. The real danger is that an enemy's swift but powerful cruisers may be employed in destroying helpless merchant ships, and thus crippling Britain's finances, to say nothing of endangering her food supply. The specific motive for the British cruisers is to use them for the protection of British trading ships, and this is why the Admiralty prefers Bristols to Dreadnoughts.

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GRIM TRAGEDY ON NOME TRAIL

BODY OF JOHN OLSEN FOUND ON A SLED

Prospector Was Frozen Stiff in a Sitting Attitude—Scarcity of Food and Plentitude of Whisky and Cigars in the Iditarod District.

Seattle, March 15.—Members of the Alaska road commission party which surveyed the proposed road between Nome and Seward arrived in Seattle today and reported finding the body of John Olson, a prospector, on the trail near Distaket, 60 miles from the Iditarod, late in January. The body was in a sitting attitude on a sled, frozen stiff. The proposed Nome-Seward wagon road, for which Congress has appropriated $50,000, is to pass through the Kuskokwin and Iditarod diggings. The surveyors, eight men with a caravan of 42 dogs, left Nome November 15 and reached Seward February 25. All the time they lived in the open, the temperature sometimes reaching sixty degrees below zero. The road will be 512 miles long, and the route is perfectly feasible. Hundreds of men are prospecting along the tributaries of the Kuskokwim, and some have made good strikes. In the Iditarod there is a scarcity of food, which Eskimos mitigated by driving in 150 reindeer to be slaughtered. The supply of whisky, beer and cigars is ample.

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MINING NEWS FROM OMINECA

WILL START WORK ON THE PLACERS AGAIN

Huderle-Otterson Co. of Seattle, Will Work One and Half Miles of Hydraulic Ground on Manson Creek. Other Work Started.

Hazelton, March 18.—After a long period of comparative inactivity, it is now certain that the Omineca placers, which in years gone by produced a large amount of gold annually, and first drew attention to the mineral resources of this district, will soon resume a position among the large producing camps.

A number of companies and syndicates composed of coast capitalisits have been recently formed to acquire and work hydraulic ground in the Omineca, and the representatives of at least three of these concerns are on their way to Hazelton to start work.

The first outfit to begin work will be the Huderle-Otterson Co., of Seattle. A party consisting of the manager, George W. Otterson, M. I. M. E., a cook, and five miners, for Manson creek, where the company has acquired one and a half miles of hydraulic graound which is expected to yield big profits. The party, augmented by Indian miners who will be picked up en route, will at once begin preliminary work, and Mr. Otterson expects to have everything in readiness for the opening of the mining season about June 1, so that the entire season will be productive.

The company has purchased the hydraulic plant formerly used by the St. Anthony Exploration company and E. J. Newberry, to which will be added an hydraulic elevator, which is being taken in by toboggan. Supplies for the taken in by toboggan.

John Huderle is expected to arrive in Hazelton about May 30, to take part in the management of the company, which will expend about $15,000 on the season's work.

Mr. Otterson, who is an experienced hydraulic miner, and prominent as a mining engineer, operated in the Omineca from 1899 to 1901, and is familiar with the district and its possibilities. He states that the ground acquired by the company, as long as it could be worked by individual miners, paid $16 a day to the shovel.

Among other properties which will be worked this season is the Silver Creek dredging proposition, preliminary work on which is well under way, and the Tom Creek property formerly operated by Condit Brothers and James May, which has been acquired by G. F. Knowlton, of Vancouver, who will probably take a dredge in by the Tatla lake route.

The Boulder Creek syndicate has prospected its ground, six miles below Huderle & Otterson, and will take in a plant this year. Pending its installation a ditch two and a half miles long will be run.

These outfits and others will spend considerable money during the coming season.

SELLS KITSUMKALUM LAND

Over Twenty Acres Sold in Prince Rupert

Reports just received from Kitsumkalum, but which up to time of going to press have not been confirmed, are to the effect that C. S. (Dad) Weeks is in Prince Rupert where he placed twenty-six 1-acre lots on the market at $500 per lot, and found a ready sale for them, J. A. Kirkpatrick, a Prince Rupert clothing dealer having bought two.

Weeks has about forty acres of his land cleared and ready for being cultivated and last season demonstrated that half an acre of Kitsumkalum valley land can pay the owner more every season than these purchasres are said to be paying for their acre tracts.

Inland Colonist

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,

1, Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of coal licence No. 3829, marked J.M., N.W. corner; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

JOHN McLEOD.
Dated Feb. 1, 1911 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,

2. Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of coal licence No. 3829, marked J.M., S.W. corner; thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

JOHN McLEOD.
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Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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3. Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of coal licence No. 3829, marked J.M., S.W. corner; thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated Feb. 1, 1911. JOHN McLEOD.
Pub. Feb. 11. Wilson Gowing, 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 permissio to prospect for coal and petroleum on the follow ng 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 chai s, 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 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., 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

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

Ske na Land District—District of Coast Rang 5

Take notice that Benjamin Ruessl 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 , int nds 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

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 40 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.
Pub. Jan. 7, 1911. HENRY MACARTNEY

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.

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 280 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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Mayor Manson's Opportunity

Fortune is prodigal of opportunities to Mayor Manson. The hard feeling aroused by his absence from the city for the past two months while the strike was brewing, will stand a fair chance of being forgotton, if during his regime the citizens make a satisfactory settlement of the Grand Trunk Pacific assessment dispute. An announcement will shortly be made of the actual terms under consideration. Until such time it is not fair to the council for citizens to discuss the question on the basis of street rumors, however well authenticated they may profess to be.

Any proposition which may be submitted to the people, will have the virtual endorsement of at least a majority of the council. Its terms must be clearly defined, and opportunities given to the public for the closest analysis and widest discussion. Otherwise it might prove to be a boomerang. A bad settlement would keep the issue open for years to come.

The assessment question is one which is purely economic, and local. Outside influences must be rigidly barred out of the discussion. Political preferences and personal prejudices should have no part in it. For this occasion all should strive to rival that happy condition of the old days of Rome "When none were for the party, but all were for the state."

To a right understanding of the real nature of any proposed settlement, the best efforts of every thinking man in the city ought to be invited, irrespective of all other differences. Blind appeals or denunciations of the "This will knock the city" or "this will boost the city" type, should not be allowed. The public needs adequate explanations, ample facts, and clear and dispassionate reasoning.

The Optimist suggests that after the proposals are formally announced that Mayor Manson should set the lead in this matter by issuing an explanatory statement to the citizens, setting forth in dispassionate terms a fair statement of the matter at issue, together with an explanatory statement of the company's proposals and the reasonable economic effects they may be expected to produce.

Particularly should the public be given every opportunity to understand the precise effect that the proposals would have on the assessment of the city; how this in turn would affect the borrowing power of the city; to what extent if any they will necessitate the raising of the general assessment of the city in order to raise sufficient funds to carry on the work of the municipality; the varying effect on the real estate market of a bond issue based on a high or a low assessment; a calculation of the estimated borrowings of the city possible if the proposed agreement comes into effect; and a financial budget showing what public works it would be possible to finance, and what it would not be possible to finance, upon the possible borrowings of the city under the readjustment of assessment, which the proposals will cause.

These are all aspects of the settlement which it is necessary that the ratepayers should understand before passing judgment for or against it. They are aspects which we all would do well to discuss in a spirit of mutual helpfulness. The future economic welfare of the city; the possibilities for usefulness both for the present and for many future councils are bound up in the settlement.

'ROLLER RINK TIGERS"

Basket Ball Team to Meet Kaien Island Club Monday

L. Marren, manager of the Prince Rupert Roller Skating Rink, announces that the Rink Basket Ball Team to meet the Kaien Island Club team on Tuesday 21st will be selected from the following young men.

R. Ross, captain, F. Ross, L. Dell, M. E. Rugg, H. Mobley, R. Benson, Dorley Thurborn and J. Carmichael.

The team has decided on the title of "Tigers" as given in the heading.

As published in Saturday's Optimist, the Kaien Island Club will be represented by:

Leo Waugh, captain; Miller and Angle, guards; Arneil, centre; Ramsay and McLeod, forwards, and as substitutes McLeod, Rogers, Sherraton, and McFarlane with some others.

Ray Bower is to act as refree.

METHODISTS HOLD SOCIAL

Pleasant Evening Spent by Members and Friends

In the Methodist Church last night a pleasant little social was held. A number of members of the congregation and their friends assembled and greatly enjoyed games, conversation, impromptu speech making, and the refreshments provided by the ladies of the church.

One of the games was a clever geographical guessing contest, in which clues to numerous islands of the world were pinned here and there upon the walls. The contestants went forth upon a tour of exploration discovering the islands. Afterwards Miss Hester Kergin revealed the real list of islands intended. Wonderful skill in the placing of islands was displayed by the audience.

Rev. Charles Sing was present, and took enthusiastic part in the amusement. Within the Methodist church at their services and socials a very cordial welcome is always extended to visitors to the city, and an atmosphere of pleasant sociability is ever present at the church gatherings.

LAUNCH "ROSIE" ADRIFT

Found Burning at Digby Island Yesterday. Still a Mystery

Police investigation of the matter of the launch found adrift and on fire yesterday over at Digby Island has traced the boat to Hays Cove. The launch is named the "Rosie" and was a Japanese fishing boat. She broke away from her moorings yesterday morning, but how she came to be on fire is not known. The police thing that possibly some one may have been monkeying with the engine, and started the fire, afterwards turning the boat adrift and quitting her to avoid discovery. Inquiry is still on foot about her.

O. M. Helgerson, Limited, have houses to rent.

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FOR SALE—Lots 17 and 18, block 18, section 7 $450 each. Apply Box M., Optimist. 61-64

LOST—A gold mounted man's Umbrella. Left at Post Office. Finder return to Optimist Office. Reward. 61-67

LOST—A bunch of keys, between P.O. and G. T. P. Wharf. Finder please return to Optimist Office. 61-tf

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Tenders Wanted

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, the 27th day of March, 1911, for the purchase of the stock of Husband & Beauchamp, Grocers.

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HOBO SHOOTS AND KILLS MAN

ORDERED FROM TRAIN HE KILLED THE ENGINEER

Spokane & Seattle Railroad Offers $1,000 Reward for the Arrest of the Man Who Killed Engineer Anthony Lowe.

(Special to the Optimist)

Portland, March 16.—The Spokane & Seattle railroad have offered a reward of $1,000 for information that will lead to the arrest of the unknown assassin of Engineer Anthony Lowe, who was shot to death last night at Washtuona. From information to hand, it appears that the man, who is described as of the hobo class, came up on the train and insisted on riding on the cowcatcher. Lowe ordered him off the engine, but the man refused to leave. When Lowe insisted that the man must get off the cowcatcher, the fellow pulled out a gun and shot the engineer dead.

FISHING BOAT TOTAL WRECK

CZARINA GOES ASHORE IN GALE AT KENAL ISLAND

Crew Managed to Get Ashore When Vessel Broke up, and Were Rescued by the Steamer Dora, and Taken to Seward.

(Special to the Optimist)

Seward, Alaska, March 16.—The cod fishing schooner Czarina while en route from San Francisco to Shumagin Island was wrecked off Kenal Island during the terrible gale last Friday night. The vessel was pounded to pieces on the rocks, the ship and cargo being a total loss. The crew who shipped at San Francisco all managed to get ashore and were rescued by the mail steamer Dora whicc arrived from the West today. The Czarina was a schooner of 230 tons gross register.

Vacant house? Tell Helgerson.

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UNCLE JERRY

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.

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RUSSIAN SAILOR HAS TRYING EXPERIENCE

Finds He is the Sole Survivor From the Barque Glenbank—Vessel Capsised off Australian Coast—Twenty three Men Drowned.

Victoria, March 16.—Advices were brought by the steamer Moana of the loss of the Russian barque Glenbank, which turned turtle, with the loss of twenty-three men by drowning off the West Australian coast. But one survivor reached land, a Russia seaman. He had a tale of terrible hardships, the crew having been without food or water on board while the Glenbank was drifting at the mercy of a hurricane and severely pounded by heavy seas. The vessel rolled considerably and all hands were expected to clear away the boats, which could not be swung in the davits for rust. While they worked on the boats a beam sea hit the barque and she went over. Several jumped, the survivor and the mate, who were aloft, being thrown clear. The two men, joined by the cook, swam to wreckage. The survivor was cast up on a coral reef and saw no sign of the others. After two and a half days on the reef without food he attracted a pearling lugger after others had passed without seeing him and was landed at Fremantle. The Glenbank was loaded with ore. No trace was found of the others of the crew.

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3 The Song of the Cavalry Sabre .....A. W. Agnew
4 Violin Solo, Resignation, by Duncla .....Miss A. MacMillan
5 Song.....Lottie Polly Daughtry
6 The Song He Sang, My Mother Sang to Me.....Mr. J. Russell
Introductory Remarks, D.W. Morrissey
7 Address, The Day We Celebrate .....Mr. J. S. Cowper
8 Orchestra.
9 Kathleen Mavourneen..Mrs. Mullen
10 Drum Major.....Mr. H. Hebert
11 Violin Solo, Hearts and Flowers .....Miss C. Barker
12 Father O'Flynn, L. Bullock-Webster
13 Recitation, The Old Irish School Master.....Miss A. MacMillan
14 My Wild Irish Rose.....J. Couture
15 Duet, Come Back to Erin..... Mrs. Cameron and Miss Nyland
16 Off to Philadelphia...Mr. J. Russell
Orchestra.....God Save the King

$15,000 FOR TEN YEARS

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those portions of its waterfront property in sections 1, 6, 7, and 8, where it abuts onto public streets, was also a strongly contested point.

The proposed agreement also provides that within three months of the signing of the agreement, the company will commence work on a permanent station, round house, engine works and machine shop, to carry some to completion; to continue its payroll within the city, and within six months to commence the erection of a large first class hotel.

The ten years are to date from January 1st, 1910, and the agreement is to be carried into effect, after being first submitted to and approved by the company, and then submitted to and approved by a vote of the ratepayers of Prince Rupert.

As a money by-law, the proposals will require a vote of 60 to 40 to pass and become effective.

FOR STRIKING THE STRIKER

S. H. WATSON MUST PAY FIVE DOLLAR FINE

Case Was Outcome of Difficulty on Second Avenue Cut on Monday. Mr. Patmore Thinks Contractors Should be Careful.

After a long hearing, and considerable argument on the part of the solicitors, the case of S. H. Watson charged by P. W. McIntosh with having struck him was ended this morning. Magistrate Carss has fined Mr. Watson $5 and costs.

W. E. Williams, for the accused made a strong appeal arguing that the provocation fully justified the blow, and citing the "Imperial Cloak Case" of Toronto as a parallel case in which a blow struck was held justifiable by the magistrate. L. Patmore, on the other hand, argued that the contractor should have been exceptionally careful considering the circumstances, and commended the strikers for their self-control, while stating that under no circumstances was the blow justifiable.

Magistrate Carss found for the complainer, remarking that accused was not justified in striking McIntosh but that a light fine was all he could under the circumstances impose.

BAHAMAS MUST WAIT

Canada May Not Consider Proposition to Annex

(Special to the Optimist)

Ottawa, March 16.—According to a prominent member of the Government proposition made by the Bahama Islands that htey be annexed to Canada is not likely to be acted upon.

THE WEATHER

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

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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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Pub. Feb. 28. Clarence McDowell, Agent

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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 Ti-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 com mencement; 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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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 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.

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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 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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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 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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Commencing at a p st 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. 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.

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Commencing at a post planted four miles south and two west of the mouth of t e Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 46, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, the ce south 80 chains, t ence east 80 chai t 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* chains 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 outh 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, thenc east 80 chains, thence sout 0 chains, the ce west 80 chains o p int of commencement; ntaining 640 a res, more or less.

Dated F b. 3, 1911 JOHN M'LEOD
ub. Feb. 25. C ran e M Dowell, Agent

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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 thenc 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, the nce 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 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 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 the 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 two west of the mouth of Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 41, 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 eight miles south and two west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. C rner No. 42, 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 four west of the mouth of Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 77, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, t ence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more of less.

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Commencing at a post planted about 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 poi t of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

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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.

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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.

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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.

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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. 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.

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

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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. JOHN McLEOD.

Dated Feb. 1, 1911 Wilson Gowing, Agent.
Pub Feb. 11.

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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. JOHN McLEOD.

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

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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.

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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.

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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. 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.

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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. W. Corner, No. 54, thence north 80 chains thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 c ains, thence west 80 chains to point of commence ent; 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 11 el *River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corne No 68,* thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted about six miles north and one mile east of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, No. 7, 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 six miles north and one mile east of the mouth of the Tl-el *River and marked J. McL.*, S. E. Corner, No. 8, 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 seven miles north and one *mile west of the mouth of the* Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 15, 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 five miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner No. 16, 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 seven miles north and one west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 22, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains thence east 80 *chains to point of commencement;* containing 40 acres, more or less.

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Pub. March 1. 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 five miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 23, 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. 27, 1911 JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March. 1. 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 six miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 55, 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. 27, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 1. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about six miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. W. Corner, No. 56, 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. 27, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 1. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about six miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 58, 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. 27, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 1. 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 six miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. N. E. Corner, No. 59, 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. 27, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 1. 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 eight miles north and three miles west of the mouth of *the Tl-el River and marked* J. McL., N. E. Corner, No. 57, 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 27, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 1. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

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CHIPS FROM THE HUMORISTS

A sailor had just shown a lady over the ship. In thanking him she asid: "I am sorry to see by the rules that tips are forbidden on your ship."

"Lor' bless yer, ma'am," replied the seaman, "so wer' apples in the Garden of Eden."

Wife—You used to say I was pretty. Have I changed?

Husband—No; but I stopped lying after I joined the church.

"Waiter" called a diner, at a local club, "come here at once Here's a hook and eye in this salad"

"Yesseh, yesseh," said the waiter, grinning broadly. "Dat's a paht of de dressing, seh"

Mrs. Cobb—Was the grocer's boy impudent to you again when you telephoned your order this morning?"

Cook—Yes, Mrs. Cobb, he was that; but I fixed him this time. I sez, "Who the—— do you think you're talking to? This is Mrs. Cobb".

"Several of my friends have told me," roared the caller, a portly, paunchy individual with a fiery nose, "that your paper the other day spoke of me as 'the monumental demagogue of the age." "Whoever told you that," vociferated the editor, quivering with indignation, uttered an infamous falsehood We spoke of you as the monumental demagogue of the ages"

WILL BUILD THE HUDSON ROAD

HON. GEO. P. GRAHAM MAKES STATEMENT TO HOUSE

Line to Hudson's Bay Will be Built by the Government Who Later Will Announce a Plan for Its Operation. Figures for Trans-Continental Construction.

Ottawa, March 15.—Hon. George P. Graham, in delivering the annual railway budget in the House of Commons this afternoon, said the government did not propose to give any more aid to railways in the way of land grants. He had no fear, he said, of the future of Canadian railways because Canada would always be able to hold her own in competition for the carrying trade.

Mr. Graham gave the total mileage of Canadian railways at 24,731, an increase of 637 miles over last year, including the Grand Trunk Pacific, 4580 miles under construction.

Mr. Graham announced that the government has decided to build the Hudson Bay Railway itself and later will present to the House a proposal for its operation. Arrangements will also be made for elevators, wharves and steamships.

The minister announced that the surplus on the Intercolonial last year was $623,164. Were freight and passenger rates as high as those on other railways in Canada the surplus would have been much larger.

Dealing with the G. T. P., he said the total expenditure on the mountain section so far has been eighteen and three-quarter millions and on the prairie sections over thirty-four mililouns.

St. Patrick's Night

To celebrate St. Patrick's Day there will be a grand concert held in the Empress Theatre on Friday. A good programme of local talent is arranged and a good time promised for every one. Reserved seat tickets are on sale at one dollar.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners, 'Phone 4.

COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about eight miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, No. 64, 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. 27, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. aMrch 1. Leslie E. Walter, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about eight miles north and one mile east of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, No. 9, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. 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 eight miles north and one mile east of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 10, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about nine miles north and one mile east of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 11, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about nine mile s north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 12, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, the nce south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Feb. 28, 1911. JOH N McLOED
Pub. March 3. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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Commencing at a post planted about nine miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 13, 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. 28. 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. 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 follsGGG to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about seven miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 14, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. 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:

Co mencing at a post planted about nine miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the, Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 19, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skena

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 nine miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. E. Corner, No. 20, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. 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 seven miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 21, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. 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 permiss'on to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about eight miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., N. W. Corner, No. 60, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, mor or less.

Dated Feb. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. Clarence McDowell, 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.

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 land:

Commencing at a post planted about eight miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S.W. Corner, No. 61, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. Clarence McDowell, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

Commencing at a post planted about nine miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. W. Corner, No. 62, 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. 28. 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. 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 anout nine miles north and three miles west of the mouth of the Tl-el River and marked J. McL., S. E. Corner, No. 63, 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. 28, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Pub. March 3. Clarence McDowell, 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-we t 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

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Thos. R. Davey of Queen Charlotte, occupation notary public, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted nine miles north and two miles east of Section 13, Township 7 Graham Island and marked No. 41, T. R. D., S. E corner, thence west 80 chains, thence north 8 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 8 chains to point of commencement, containing 64 acres more or less.

Dated Nov 5, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

PORT ESSINGTON HAD A REAL JAPANESE WEDDING

Occasion Was Made One of General Interest---Stormy Weather Prevented Anglican Clergyman from Performing the Rite in Church, so Native Marriage Custom Prevailed

(Special Correspondence)

Port Essington, March 16.—An interesting social evening and dance attended by most of the residents of Port Essington was held here last night in celebration of the marriage of Miss Annie Kishimoto, the daughter of Mr. Kishimoto, the well known storekeeper and contractor of this place. The wedding is the first Japanese wedding to take place in these parts and widespread interest was taken in it.

The bridegroom who is a young Japanese, according to Japanese custom takes the name of the bride's family, and is now known as Mr. K. T. Kishimoto, Jr.

The wedding which took place on Sunday according to the Japanese fashion was originally intended to be solemnized in the English Church, and all arrangements had been made. Rev. T. C. des Barres was to come over from Prince Rupert to perform the ceremony.

On Sunday, however, although the church was ready, Mr. des Barres was unable to come owing to the high storm which raged, making it quite impossible for the clergyman to reach the port.

Rather than disappoint the guests, many of whom had come a distance to witness the ceremony, it was finally arranged to have the ceremony performed by the Japanese custom, where the bride and groom, and guests drink from a loving cup, and make and witness the formal promises of marriage.

The ground floors of the Queen's Hotel were hired for the occasion and beautifully decorated. A large number of the English residents who had intended to visit the church were disappointed at the turn of events, so with true Japanese politeness, the friends of the bridal pair, arranged the social evening and dance at the Queen's Hotel last night and invited all their English friends.

Rev. Mr. DesBarres, who arrived at Port Essington on Monday after the storm had abated, told the parties that the wedding had been legally performed, being in accordance with their national custom and that there was no occasion to have any further rites to legalise the marriage.

On Friday evening there will be more festivities, when another dance will be held to cleberate the "seventeenth of Ireland."

LAUNCH TRIP TO ALASKA

SEATTLE COUPLE AND CHILD MAKE PERILOUS TRIP

Left Tacoma in a Twenty Foot Gasoline Launch for a Summer Trip. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ford are Fond of an Adventurous Life.

Tacoma, March 15.—With no sign of fear for the perils of the trip, J. C. Ford, of the Narrows, accompanied by his wife and little daughter, left Tacoma this morning for Alaska in a twenty-foot gasoline launch. The party will go at least as far north as Skagway and may continue the voyage to Cook Inlet. A fourth occupant of the little boat is a magnificent deer hound which has accompanied Ford on a number of other cruises.

Both Ford and his wife love the wandering life, he says, and have planned to lead it on the Alaska coast.

The launch, which is named "The Dub," will take the inside passage, tying up at night except at several places en route where it will be necessary to run continuously. If the weather is bad on Queen Charlotte Sound, Ford will wait until it moderates before venturing across the open body of water.

While a number of people in the city today are looking for the "gold-mounted man's umbrella" advertised for in the Optimist Want Adv'ts, yesterday, a whole lot more are busy looking for the gold-mounted man himself. If the style is becoming' quite a few people will come out in gold mounts this summer.

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

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 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

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

GREATNESS OF SIR WILFRID

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

magnetism of the Premier Mr. Patmore mentioned an occasion when he himself had heard Sir Wilfrid answer a heckler with the simple assertion backed by the words "Upon my word of honor as a man." That was all that was necessary to sway the whole audience in Sir Wilfrid's favor. He inspired complete *confidence in his honor.*

The incident of Sir Wilfrid's going out of his way to greet a little girl with her bunch of wild flowers for him brought out Sir Wilfrid's chivalry, and in mentioning the National Transcontinental Railway Mr. Patmore styled this one of the monumental achievements of Sir Wilfrid's career, reminding his hearers that but for that, they would not be in Prince Rupert that night.

"Sir Wilfrid," said Mr. Patmore, "is a Liberal of the English type. His ideal for Canada as he himself has expressed it, is to let the sturdy Scotchman remain the Scotchman, the brainy Englishman, the Englishman, and the warm-hearted Irishman Irish. All nationalities united as good Canadians."

ENGLISH LEAGUE FOOTBALL

Fulham, Aston Villa and Manchester Are Among the Victors

(Special to the Optimist)

London, March 16.—The following postponed first division matches were played out today, with the following results:

Woolwich Arsenal 1, Aston Villa 10.
Derby County 1, Fulham 2.

In the first league matches, the game between Manchester and Tottenham Hotspurs was won by Manchester by 3 goals to 2.

WALES WIN AT RUGBY

Beat the Irishmen by Sixteen Goals to Nothing

Cardiff, Wales, March 13.—Wales had a decisive victory over Ireland today in the international Rugby game to decide the championship. The game was played before thousands of people, but the result was not surprising. The score was Wales 16 points, Ireland 0.

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Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Division Points

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The Grand Trunk Pacific offers in these splendidly located, fast growing Division Points and in the townsite of Tofield an opportunity for the investor to share in the large profits that are sure to accrue as a result of the rapid and substantial growth that characterizes Grand Trunk Pacific Division Points and well located cities and towns in Western Canada.

The Grand Trunk Pacific does not offer townsites or additions so located as to make investments in them of questionable value. The object in selling these lots at the low prices at which they are offered is to encourage the upbuilding of these cities from which the Grand Trunk Pacific will derive vastly more benefit than from the sale of lots.

Now is the time to buy. Choice lots range from $100 upwards on easy payments of 10 per cent. cash and 10 per cent. a month. You make your purchase direct and secure title from the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company. Write for literature and make your selection while the prices are extremely low and the possibilities unlimited. Address

Land Commissioner

Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Co.

Jeremiah H. Kugler, "Uncle Jerry," Agent for Grand Trunk Pacific Lots on Main Line. Prices are fixed by the Land Commissioner and our best services are at your command.—Ask Uncle Jerry, P.O. Box 906, Prince Rupert.

Daily Messages From "UNCLE JERRY"

No. 14

A very good way to remain poor is to be satisfied with your present condition. The world is calling. Get busy. Wake up. There is all kinds of work before us. Don't let the other fellow get ahead of you. If you don't know how, watch the fellow who is making good, who is or have achieved success. Then profit by his experience.

See how many men have grown rich through the judicious purchase and sale of real estate. They are not satisfied with buying a lot or piece of land and holding it for ages. They sell and buy again, they buy and sell all the time. They watch the city's progress, they study the needs. Then they make their selection. Judicious purchase of real estate is the safest investment in the world.

How about you, Mr. Property Owner? Are you willing and satisfied to hold that one piece until you are old, or would you like to see how you can make money now and keep on making it? If you want to know I'll tell you. I know people who want to buy and people who want to sell. I may sell your property to one of them and sell you some good property. In either case I'll show you how to make a profit.

I am in the business for making money for my clients and for myself. That holds good in all cases for I cannot make money if you don't. Clear, isn't it? Let me tell you how it is done.

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

ASK UNCLE JERRY

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Has a Free Information Department for strangers in the City and for non-residents by correspondence.

"ASK UNCLE JERRY"

He Buys Leases He Buys Buildings
He Buys Lots He Buys Contracts
He has Stores to Rent.
He Buys Lands in Skeena and Naas River Valleys.

"ASK UNCLE JERRY"

He wants 50 Houses to Rent
He Sells Leases He Sells Buildings
He Sells Lots He Sells Contracts
He wants Stores to Rent
He Sells Lands up the Skeena River

"ASK UNCLE JERRY"

He will build you a dwelling on easy payment plan.

He will lease or sell you a lot on easy terms for you to build a dwelling or store on.

He will sell you a house and lot and you can pay on monthly payment plan.

He will take a lease on your lots and make your investment pay you eight per cent.

ASK UNCLE JERRY