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MINERS AT HIDDEN CREEK MARCH OUT ON A STRIKE

Were Offered $3 and $3.50 a Day by the Granby Smelter Co. Instead of Local Rate of $4---Management is Expected to Concede Men's Demands

There is said to have been a strike t the Hidden creek mines on Observa- ory Inlet, recently purchased and aken over by the Granby Smelter ompany. Two loads of machinery and number of miners were sent up a couple f weeks ago on the Princess Beatrice nd the Vadso, and the men were started o work. But when pay time came hey were offered the old Granby rates f $3 per day for muckers and $3.50 r machine men. They protested gainst this and demanded the local chedule of pay, which is a flat rate of 4 per day. The manager said he had o authority to pay them more than the Granby rate so most of the men walked out.

Only Four Stay In

Passengers on the Camosun yesterday brought the news that only four men were left at the mine. Fourteen of them came to this city, some of whom remain here and the others have returned to Phoenix, B. C.

May Soon Be Over

It is believed the trouble at the mine will be of short duration and that the local manager at the mines will be ordered by the company to concede the loacl rate to the workmen.

BANK NOTES AS TOYS

Child Playing in the Street With Six Thousand Dollars Worth

(Special to the Optimist)

Toronto, Nov. 28.—A Toronto man was amazed this morning to find a child playing in the street with Traders Bank notes to the amount of six thousand dollars. Upon investigation it was found that the notes were part of a bundle stolen while in transit from Ottawa to this city. The discovery gave no clue to the actual thief.

Railway Men Get Reward

Vancouver, Nov. 28.—(Special)—Judge W. W. B. McInnis this morning handed down his decision as arbitrator in the case of the Canadian Pacific deckhands and their grievances. The award favors the side taken by the men in the most important of the points argued, and is calculated to give them better quarters and better treatment generally.

STORMS ON EAST COAST

Declared to Be the Longest and Worst Gale in Many Years

(Special to the Optimist)

Digby, N. S. Nov. 28.—The longest and worst gale for many years is raging off the coast, and shipping is suffering great damage. Many small boats have been wrecked and the schooner Mercedes, although she had three anchors out, dragged them and went ashore.

Scarlet Fever in Brandon

Brandon, Nov. 28.—(Special)—All the schools here were temporarily closed this morning, owing to an outbreak of scarlet fever which it is feared may become epidemic.

Alex Miller, of Vancouver, left on the Humboldt today for Prince of Wales island, for the purpose of making an inspection of certain mining properties there in which he is interested.

DEATH ROLL NOW IS TWENTY-FOUR

MORE DETAILS OF THE TERRIBLE FACTORY FIRE AT NEWARK

Forty More Girls Are in the Hospitals Suffering With Burns, Broken Limbs and Shock! Grand Jury to Probe the Affair.

(Special to the Optimist)

Newark, Nov. 28.—A final search among the ruins of the paper box factory which caught fire here on Saturday, discloses that twenty-four girls perished in the flames. Forty more are in the hospitals suffering from burns, shock and injuries received by jumping from the windows of the burning building.

The Grand Jury has been instructed to carry on an investigation, and probe into the cause of the fire. The criminal prosecution of the manager of the company is likely. Public feeling is much aroused over the catastrophe.

INQUEST ON TOM NEKICH

Adjourned for a Week—Jury Saw Satisfied His Neck Was Broken

At 2 p.m. today Coroner McMullin opened the inquest on the body of Tom Nekich, killed on the railway in the handcar accident. The jury consisted of George Leek, Ed. Clarke, William Denholme, Neil McDonald, A. E. Evans and F. Froude. As the principal witnesses are lying injured at the hispital, an adjourment was made until next Monday at 7:30 p.m. when the evidence of these witnesses may possibly be taken at the hospital or a further adjournment made. The jury viewed the body at Hart's morgue, and satified themselves beyond a doubt that the man's neck had been broken.

No More Booze for John L.

John L. Simpson, bearded and unkept, has been interdicted from obtaining liqour at hotel bars in this city, and hanging about then as formerly. He wished it to be so. The charge against him of being a vagrant has been withdrawn.

AP EXPEDITION TO SOUTH POLE

GNIFCANT WARNING GIVEN TO COMMANDER

No to Return Claiming Discovery of the Pole Without Scientific Data to Prove It—Expedition Is Financed by Popular Subscription.

(Special to the Optimist)

Tokio, Nov. 28.—The Japanese ex- dition for the discovery of the South ole got away today. The movement arted soon after Lieutenant Shakel- rd's return and it was hoped that the pedition would be sent out before at of Captain Scott which left England August. But time and again there ve been obstacles in the way, prin- pally of a financial nature. At length e expedition has been financed by popular subscription and a farewell nquet was given last night to Lieu- nant Shirase and his twenty-eight plorers.

Count Okuma was one of the principal eakers at the banquet and he solemnly monished Commander Shirase not claim they had discovered the South ole unless they had absolute scientific oof to bring back with them to sub- ntiate the claim. The assurance was ven amid hearty laughter and ap- ause.

Three Trainmen Killed

Chicago, Nov. 28.—(Special)—The hicago and New York express train the Baltimore & Ohio railway was ecked this morning by coming into llision with a yard engine. Three ainmen were killed and twelve of the ssengers on the express severely jured.

Explosion at Powder Mill

Tokio, Nov. 28.—(Special)—An ex- osion occurred this morning in the ji Powder Mill, near here, five tous- nd percussion caps exploding. One l was killed and sixteen others more less severely injured.

ADIES' HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

eets Tomorrow Afternoon to Discuss Hospital Affairs

Tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 the adies Auxiliary of the General Hospital ssocaition will meet in the store on hird avenue between Cameron's cigar ore and Martin's shoe store, to discuss siness relating to the hospital.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT DISSOLVED TODAY

King George Expresses Regrets That Conferences Between Lords and Commons Proved Unavailing---Lloyd-George the Storm Center of General Election---"Tay Pay" Gleefully Predicts Home Rule.

(Special to the Optimist)

London, Nov. 28.—The king formally dissolved both houses of parliament today and elections are now on in earnest. In the address from the throne the king said that he regretted the many conferences on the veto privileges of the house of lords had been unavailing. He referred in touching terms to the death of the late king and said he hoped to follow in the former monarch's wise footsteps.

It is believed there has been a serious split between the king and Winston Churchill.

Most of the members of the cabinet were absent at the time the dissloution of parliament was declared.

Lloyd George is at present the storm center of the new campaign. He addressed several meetings at Edinburgh on Saturday and declared himself vehemently against the lords' referendum as being opposed to modern ideas of political liberty; at the same time he denied that the policy of the Liberal party was revolutionary. What the party sought was a change that must come in the natural order of things. The people of the country had not now discovered it for the first time but had for many years felt that the veto power of an unelected and therefore unresponsible body such as the house of peers was a curtailment of the usefulness of the members of the commons elected by the people and directly responsible to them. Popular sympathy was necessary for the passage of the necessary legislation to make the change, and he believed his party had this. He believed all British people saw the importance of such a change, but they could not expect the peers to see it; they could not expect them to see eye to eye with the populace because their lordships lived in an exclusive atmosphere of sunshine and splendor.

A strong article published this morning by T. P. O'Connor states that the worst the Tories can do in this election is to reduce the Liberal majority by ten votes. This will in his opinion still leave an adequate majority to destroy the veto power of the house of lords and ensure home rule for Ireland.

CONTRACTOR HAS TROUBLE

MR. S. H. WATSON ATTACKED BY ITALIAN WORKMEN

Mutinous Over the Discharge of a Countryman They Made Attack on Him, Cutting His Head. Case in Police Court.

The smooth running of S. H. Watson's Second avenue grading contract has been marred by a farcas with a gang of Italian laborers which took place there Saturday, and in which the contractor was injured. He appeared as complainer today in the police court in support of the charge of assault laid against the laborers. The hearing takes place at five p.m. L. W. Patmore handles the case for the prosecution.

The trouble arose through the dismissal of an Italian for neglecting his work. He returned and aowed dissension amongst his countrymen employed by Mr. Watson. The men got mutinous demanding that their countryman should be re-instated.

S. H. Watson refused. An Italian made a threatening move at him swinging up a dinner pail. The contractor defended himself, and at once the whole gang got about him using their fists and anything that came handy. Mr. Watson's head was cut, and he was otherwise roughly handled, but he got control of the situation and as a result the men must appear this evening in the police court.

WAS FINED TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS

For Giving Liquor to an Indian Woman at Port Simpson

William McDonald, the Indian charged with having supplied liquor to an Indian woman at Port Simpson pleaded guilty before Magistrate McMullin this morning and was fined $25 and costs. He paid the fine.

Citizens' League Quarters

The rooms formerly occupied by the Prince Rupert Club, over P. Burn's meat store have been secured by the Citizens' League of Prince Rupert, and will prove very convenient for the purposes of the league.

BIG STRIKE OF ORE IS MADE AT THE RED CLIFF MINE

Was Made at Midnight Friday---Said to be the Richest in the Portland Canal District---Upraise is Under Way and Ore Shipments Will Soon Start

A rich strike of a solid body of copper ore at Red Cliff has been reported. It has caused some excitement in Stewart, and since Friday at midnight when the strike was made, the wires to Vancouver have been kept hot. The strike had been expected for several days, but is reported to exceed all expectations.

Celebrations Are Held

Erskine Smith, commonly known as "Coolgardie" Smith, the mining engineer of the Red Cliff, brought the news down on the Camosun. He was hurrying to Vancouver with the good news.

The ore was struck in the tunnel about midnight on Friday and there was great rejoicing. "Coolgardie" ordered the drills to renew works and the new strike was thoroughly tested by other blasts and demonstrated that it was a solid ore body that had been struck. He at once told the machine men to lay off for a shift and gave each a present of $100.

Rich Vein of Sulphite Copper

The strike was made in the tunnel at 1330 feet. It is of sulphite copper and is said to be richer than any yet struck in the Portland Canal district, but this remains to be seen. The men went to work Saturday morning on the construction of an upraise for getting out the ore, starting it about one hundred feet form the face of the solid body of ore discovered.

Arranging to Ship

The news of the strike is said to have caused much excitement at Stewart and gave rise to a general belief that the

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

Women's Sphere in Medicine

Speaking on this subject at the London (Royal Free Hospital) School of Medicine for Women, Dr. E. W. Roughton said that although the natural gifts of the average woman were more suited for the profession of nursing than for that of medicine, there were many women whose mental qualities fitted them in the highest degree for the practice of the healing atr. There was no presumption that women were incapable of becoming efficient doctors. Doubtless in course of time, when women had got over their want of confidence in their own sex, the number of women practitioners would largely increase.

He was strongly in favor of the separation of the sexes in medical work, so that, as far as possible, persons should be treated and nursed by persons of their own sex. Dr. Garrett Anderson, who presided, congratulated the school on the fact that of the thirty-one ladies who had entered this year thirty were aiming for the London University degree, the very highest degree it was possible for men or women to obtain.

Suffragettes In China

Whatever rebuff the suffragette movement may receive in the West, it is not without hope in the East. Dr. Gilbert Reid, of the International Institute of China, speaking before the Buffalo Twentieth Century Club, said: "In the rapid changes that are now taking place in China I would not be surprised if within ten years we should see some intelligent, patriotic woman sitting in the imperial parliament and discussing questions of empire with ease and fluency, with no criticism of impropriety from anyone, just as the whole administrative power of the empire has for so many years rested solely in the hands of a woman. There may be a Manchu woman on the throne, and a Chinese woman in the parilament.

A Phonograph Battle

The phonograph is an inoffensive and entertaining instrument in itself, but it can be converted into a destroyer of domestic peace as destructive as a gatling gun in war. Two Philadelphia families, whose neighborly relations were not the most amiable, sought to render each other's lives miserable by a phonograph war. The rival instruments were turned loose for a continuous stretch of 170 hours, playing the same tune consecutively, the members of the families forming themselves into relays to change records and wind up the sleep-destroyers. The other residents of the block, in self defence, stormed and captured the musical batteries and discord no longer prevails.

A Great Man's Nurse

Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain remains the devoted friend and nurse of the great statesman who is her husband. He is never happy if she is out of his sight for a moment. She is beginning to show signs of her long term of nursing, but she assures all her friends she is "perfectly happy" and that her only trial would be were anything to happen to "Joe."

It is said that some day Mrs. Chamberlain will enter an Anglican sisterhood; she is very devout and is a constant visitor at a well-known convent near Epsom. Most of her private income she gives to charity, but in the most unostentatious manner. The agents who disburse it have strict instructions never to reveal whence it comes.

Her friends have ceased to invite her out now, so persistently does she decline all their invitations. Ever since she has been married she has written twice each week to her mother, never missing a mail no matter where she is.

For the Housewife

Tough meat may be made tender by laying it a few minutes in vinegar water.

The cut half of a raw potato will brighten dull knife blades which upon it is rubbed.

For starching muslins, ginghams, and calicoes, dissolve a piece of alum the size of a hickory nut for every pint of starch. This will keep the colors bright for a long time.

A little cup shaped like a very long thimble attached to a slender wire is useful for taking cream from milk bottles, without trouble or waste, or without pouring out the milk.

For washing silver put half a teaspoonful ammonia into suds; have the water hot; wash quickly, using a small brush; rinse in hot water and dry with a clean linen towel; then rub very dry with a chamois skin.

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CHIEF OF POLICE TOOK A HAND

DANGEROUS DESPERADO SHOT UP ROSSLAND HOTEL

By Clever Ruse Chief Long Shot Bandit in Groin and Ignominiously Hauled Him Off to Jail—Had Plenty of Money.

Nelson, Nov. 25.—Equipped with two 44-calibre automatic revolvers, and 150 rounds of ammunition, a stranger, after shooting up the Crescent bar at Rossland yesterday, and holding up Chief of Police Long at the point of his gun, was shot in the groin by the policeman and taken to jail.

The story told by a Nelson man, arriving on the Rossland train last night was to the effect that some time yesterday morning a stranger entered the bar of the Crescent hotel, and after taking a few drinks commenced to shoot in all directions. The shots all went wild, and the stranger then left the bar and walked down toward the C. P. R. track.

He was followed by Chief of Police Long and a citizen, who came up with him near the water tank on the track. Covering each of his pursuers with a gun, the stranger told them in forcible terms to get out of his way and leave him alone.

Seeing that he was up against a bad man, Chief Long turned around, and then making a quick movement, drew his own revolver and shot the man in the groin. The bandit fell to the ground, was arrested, and lodged in jail. The sum of $500 was found in his possession.

Lemieux on Way Home

Durban, Nov. 25.—Hon. R. Lemieux, who has been representing Canada at the opening of the first United South African parliament, sailed today from here and will visit Egypt and Italy on his way home.

McConkey's Chocolates in Christmas boxes at Ormes' Drug Store.

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MARTIN BURRILL'S CHEAP BLUFF

At some future date when some entertaining author writes a treatise on The Art of Bluffing, he will make an entry in the index like this:

"Bluff—cheap. Historical example, see speech of Martin Burrill, M. P., in "House of Commons, November 25th, 1910."

A better example of the cheap bluff will surely he hard to find than that challenge of the member for Yale-Cariboo that Sir Wilfrid Laurier test the temper of the electors of the Pacific Coast on the naval policy by sending Hon. William Templeman to the Senate and promoting a contest in Comox-Atlin. It was cheap to the limit of impecuniosity.

When Mr. Burrill threw out that challenge he well knew that it could never be taken up; that Hon. William Templeman was of far too much service in the Gabinet and the House for his retirement to the Senate to be considered.

There is an easier way than that to settle the issue. If Mr. Burrill is anxious to test the feelings of the people of British Columbia on the navy question, let him resign his own seat. Let him secure the services of Henri Bourassa and the other anti-British agitators who figured in the contest at Drummond-Arthabasca. Let them repeat the same speeches and the same arguments in Yale-Cariboo. Let the issue be confined to the navy question. And let the voice of the people of British Columbia be heard.

The test is in Mr. Burrill's hands. He can try it out—if he dare—in his own constituency. But Mr. Burrill knows too well the feeling of the people of British Columbia to take a chance.

As an example of the cheap bluff Mr. Martin Burrill's challenge is a gem.

NO RACE SUICIDE THERE

Last week a man of 23 years, with his wife of 22 years, left Montreal for Alberta. They had with them ten children, all their own, five pairs of twins born within six years.

The proud father told a newspaper reporter that they were going West where there was plenty of room. They need it.

But what a chance Prince Rupert lost to see the city grow, when it neglected to bonus this promising family and bring them hither.

GET WISE, DIOGENES!

Writing in the Vancouver Province about the rain in Vancouver during November, "Diogenes" after advising the Vancouverites to make the best of it, says: "As there seems every probability that it will rain from now till the end of January, we had better look to our waterproofs and make the best of it."

Why not advise the good people of Vancouver to take a trip north and enjoy the sunshine and the blue skies of Prince Rupert? We have enough and to spare.

Get wise, Diogenes, get wise!

REMEMBER POOR JEFF.

That gentleman who is being petitioned to 'come back' and run for Mayor ought to remember the fate of one of the contestants in the recent unpleasantness at Reno.

He listened to the advice of his friends under somewhat similar circumstances. Alas; poor Jeff.

PLUCKY WOMAN SETTLER

Goes Out to Swift Current and Stakes Mile of Land

Mrs. J. Hunter, of Mountain, Ont., is not one of those described in Scripture as having eyes which see not. Last year on a trip through the west, she saw the land with a good business eye—saw the future as well as the present, and when returning east, in goodbye to a friend, she made the remark, "'Oh, I am coming back for a mile of this country before it is all gone."

On May 1, 1910, she got off the train at Swift Current and located in township 5, range 18, in one of the best parts of the country. Securing all the coal and water that any one would want she went out and did her six months' settlement duties and then returned east for her little girl whom she had left behind. When asked about her enterprise, she answered, "Oh, I wanted a mile of Saskatchewan, so I just made up my mind to get it, and everything came my way."

Technical Education Commission

Vancouver, Nov. 28.—(Special)—The technical education commission began its sittings here today and was formally welcomed to the city by the city council and the board of trade.

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THE WEATHER

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FROM STEWART TO EDMONTON

MR. D. D. MANN CONFIRMS PUBLISHED REPORTS

New Line Will Tap Naas Valley Country—Charter for Alberta Section Already Secured—Surveyors Are Now at Work.

Donald D. Mann, first vice-president of the Canadian northern, was in Vancouver last week and confirmed the report that the Canadian Northern was applying for a charter for a railway from Stewart at the head of Portland Canal across Northern British Columbia —north of the Grand Trunk Pacific—to the eastern borders of the province, there to connect with a line to Edmonton. The charter for the Alberta section of the proposed trunk line has already been secured from the Legislature of Alberta.

Preliminary Work Done

"Our engineer has already done some preliminary work, demonstrating that it is quite feasible to build a line from the Portland Canal district into the Naas river valley," said Mr. Mann. "He has ascertained that fair grades can be secured as the summit has an altitude of only 1740 feet above sea level. About three thousand feet of tunnelling and certain snowsheds would have to be built at the summit of the divide. The maximum grades for westbound traffic would be about one per cent and eastbound a maximum grade of two-tenths, and that for only a few miles, can be secured.

Will Open Up Naas Valley

The building of less than a hundred miles of line from Stewart will tap the Naas river valley which, according to my information, contains vast areas of land adapted for mixed farming and for ranching as well as rich mineral resources and anthracite coal.

"I feel convinced that no serious engineering difficulties exist as regards this portion of the route. It may not be generally known that a line from Edmonton direct to Stewart will not be much longer than our route from Edmonton to Vancouver. We will probably do some exploratory work next year in the region between the Naas river valley and the western boundary of Alberta."

TWO PROSPECTORS LOST

Wreck of Boat Resembling Theirs Has Been Found

Valdez, Alaska, Nov. 25.—Edward Evans, aged 40, of Oregon, and Bert Cooper, aged 26, of Lynn, Mass., prospectors, are believed to have perished on Prince William Sound during one of the violent storms that prevailed there early last week.

The men left Valdez, Oct. 1. on the powerboat Rambler carrying mining equipment and provisions, and intended to prospect on Miners' river and Glacier Island. Persons arriving from Ellamar today report the finding of a sunken boat answering the description of the Rambler in Finsky Bay.

Saw Rupert and Got Drunk

John Richardson was runk on Saturday and this morning had to explain matters before the Magistrate. He said he had just come to the city, and was going to work on the railway. Fined five dollars including costs, he will sign an order that the amount may be kept off his wages and go to work as he intended.

Baptist Classes Prove Popular

The Sunday School in connection with the Baptist church has more than doubled its roll of pupils during the past three months and is still rapidly growing. Rev. W. H. McLeod's Young Men's Class is also increasing in membership and pupolarity.

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

ena Land District—District of Banks Island
ake notice that D. E. Walker of Graceville, n., occupation farmer, intends to apply for mission to purchase the following described s:
ommencing at a post planted about five miles from the mouth of an inlet, which point is t ten miles south and two miles west from Hill, Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, ce south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, ce north 80 chains to point of commencement.
ed Sept. 7, 1910. D. E. WALKER
. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agen

ena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5
ake notice that Elden S Detwiler of Berlin. ario, occupation doctor, intends to apply for mission to purchase the following described s:
ommencing at a post planted at the south-t corner of lot 1928, thence east thirty chains e or less, thence south forty-five chains more ess, thence west thirty chains more or less, ce south forty-five chains more or less to t of commencement, containing one hundred forty acres more or less.
e Sept. 26, 1910. ELDON S. DETWILER
. Oct. 19 1910. Joseph Dumas, Agent

t Land District—District of Skeena
ake notice that I, John E. Dyer of Prince ert, B. C., occupation gentleman, intend to y for permission to purchase the following ribed lands:
ommencing at a post John E. Dyer's N.W. er and plant d about 40 chains south, and 40 s west of the N. W. corner of surveyed Lot , Range V' being the N. W. corner of surveyed number 993, thence south 40 chains, thence 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence 40 chains to the point of commencement, aining 160 acres more or less.
d Oct, 3, 1910. JOHN E. DYER
Oct. 18.

ena Land District—District of Coast Range 5.
ake notice that John H. Sweder of Prince ert, B. C., occupation tailor, intends to apply permission to purchase the following describ-nds:
ommencing at a post planted forty chains and fifty chains south from the south-west er of lot 2275, thence south forty chains, ce east forty chains, thence north forty ns, thence west forty chains to point of com-cement, containing 160 acres.
e Sept. 26, 1910. JOHN H. SWEDER
. Oct. 19. 1910. Joseph Dumas, Agent

ena Land District.—District of Coast, Range 5
ake notice that I. Daniel Nicholson of Kitselas, , occupation contractor, intends to apply for mission to purchase the following described s:
mmencing at a post planted on the east side akelse Lake, about one mile north of lot 684 marked D. N's. S. W. corner, thence east 40 ns, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 ns to Lakelse Lake, thence southerly along shore of Lakelse Lake to point of commence-t containing 160 acres more or less, and being prised in lot number 3984, (ungazetted).
DANIEL NICHOLSON
e Sept. 28th, 1910.
. Oct. 22nd.

na Land District—District of Coast Range 5
ake notice that Charles R. Gilbert of Van-er, B. C., occupation broker, intends to apply permission to purchase the following described s:
ommencing at a post planted at the S. W. cor-of Lot 3980, thence east 40 chains, thence south chains, thence west 60 chains more or less to e of Lakelse Lake, thence following the shore aid lake in a northerly direction to point of mencement, containing 200 acres more or less.
ed Sept. 19, 1910. CHARLES. R. GILBERT
. Oct. 1. Mancell Clark, Agent

BAPTIST PASTOR ELOQUENT

v. W. H. McLeod's Sermon on the Sins of Great Cities

In the Baptist church last night Rev. H. McLeod preached vigorously the theme "Would Christ Weep if He me to Prince Rupert Today?" There s a large audience, one of the largest t has yet gathered in the Baptist urch. Beginning with a sketch of Jerusalem Christ wept over, the tor carried on the subject through er great cities, London, Paris Chi-o, Montreal, showing how rampant e becomes in large communities.

He emphasized the tremendous need a continual fight on the part of right citizens of Prince Rupert to p the city pure now that it is young. ink was one of the greatest sources all kinds of vice, he said, and he held at to purge the city of the drink was take a great step towards keeping ince Rupert pure.

SEWERS AHEAD OF FILLS

ty Is Putting in Connections on Second and Third Avenues Today

A start was made this morning by e City Engineer's department putting sewer connections on Second and ird avenues. This is part of the y's policy of keeping the sewer work ways just ahead of the grading in der that it may be more economically rried out. The work will be pushed at points where the contractor quires the fills shortly.

BIG STRIKE ON THE RED CLIFF

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Red Cliff would be shipping ore as soon as the raise could be completed and a hoisting gear arranged.

Market Starts to Move

The news of the strike was wired to Vancouver on Saturday but probably failed to reach there before the close of the stock exchange. Saturday's quotations closed at 90c, but S. Harrison &Co., the local mining brokers, have reason to believe that this morning the stock will go up with a jump. The news made a little flutter among the stock speculators here this morning, and the firm mentioned took orders to buy up to a limit of $1.40. The firm expects the quotation to reach $1.50 today and believe there is a probability that it will shortly reach anywhere from $3 to $4.

Price Goes Up on Exchange

Harrison & Company received a wire from Vancouver this afternoon that Red Cliff closed on the Exchange at $1.28. The stock opened with a jump from 90c to $1.00 and from that on it was the leading feature of the market and there was heavy buying.

OUR GREAT WATERWAYS

Navigable Channel Proposed From Edmonton to Winnipeg

The annual report of the public works department of the federal government refers particularly to the survey now under way looking to the establishment of a navigable channel via the North Saskatchewan river from Edmonton to Winnipeg. It declares that with the development of the Saskatchewan Canada would stand unique among the countries of the world in the matter of water transportation. A thirty-foot navigation (soon to be thirty-five) from the sea to Montreal, a distance of nearly 1,000 miles; a fourteen-foot channel from Montreal to Fort William, something over 1,200 miles; nine-foot navigation from Winnipeg to Cedar Lake, and from there to the Rocky Mountains four to five foot navigation, over a distance of 1,500 miles, a total of approximately 3,300 miles of actual inland waterway traversing the greater part of the northern half of this continent, the only break in the chain being 400 miles from Fort William to Winnipeg.

ADVICE TO WIFE COSTLY

Fined Twenty-Five Dollars for Telling Her Not to Testify

Seattle. Nov. 25.—R. I. Goldberg was yesterday fined $25 and costs for contempt of court in advising his wife that she need not obey a subpoena to testify in the divorce case of Maude Goldberg against Samuel Goldberg, now being heard by Judge A. W. Frater. A bench warrant was issued for Mrs. R. I. Goldberg when she failed to appear, and when Deputy Sheriff W. H. Myers brought her into court she explained that her husband had thought it unnecessary to respond to the subpoena. The husband is an employee in the city hall.

MADE A FAST TRIAL

New C. P. R. Boat for Prince Rupert Makes Fifteen Knots

During a trial spin last week on the Clyde, the new Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Mary averaged a speed of fifteen knots an hour. Her contract speed calls for fourteen knots.

The new boat is a steel twin-screw steamer somewhat larger than the Princess Beatrice, is registered A1 at Lloyd's and is of the most modern type of coasting passenger steamers. The Princess Mary is 210 feet in length, with a beam of 40 feet and a depth of 16 feet.

ELECTRIC LIGHT VOTE

Ballot on the By-law Proceeding Today. No Great Rush to Vote

City Clerk Woods himself dropped the first ballot paper into the box provided at the City Hall this morning for the Electric Light By-law vote. The hours for the votes to be received are from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. not 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. as published the other day. So far there has been no great rush on the part of the citizens to record their votes.

Speaks the Gaelic Already

David Gordon Stewart was handing cigars around this morning with great liberality. He said it was not his birthday but that of his son, David Gordon Stewart, junior, who arrived here this morning. Alderman Mobley says the youngster is already able to discuss in Gaelic as well as his father did at the same age, and Dr. Eggert is of the same opinion. The latter says Mrs. Stewart is doing remarkably well.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Hotel Premier

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C. P. Otter
E. J. Williams, Stewart
F. W. Guyer
Bert Sidle
W. R. Matheson
R. M. Daie
Guy McLaren
H. J. Thomey
W. L. Smith, Stewart
Miss M. W. O'Neill, Pt. Simpson
Jas. Sharp, Pt. Simpson

Knights of Pythias Social

To night at 8 o'clock the Knights of Pythias are holding a social evening in their hall in the Helgerson Block All members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

COAL NOTICE

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 lands:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north and five miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island, and marked No. 5, T. R. D., S. W. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Oct. 28, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Nov. 17. Wilson Gowing, 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 two miles north and five miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island, marked No. 6, T. R. D., 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.

Dated Oct. 28, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Nov. 17. Wilson Gowing, 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 three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island, marked No. 7, T. R. D., S. W. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Oct. 28, 1910 THOS. R DAVEY
Pub. Nov. 17. Wilson Gowing, 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 three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 8, T. R. D., 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.

Dated Oct. 28, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Nov. 17. Wilson Gowing, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

Commencing at a post planted three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 9, T. R. D., 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.

Dated Oct. 29, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Nov. 17. Wilson Gowing, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—Dstrict 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 two miles north and three miles east of Section 13, Township 7 and marked No. 10, T. R. D , N. W. 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.

Dated Oct. 29, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Nov. 17 Wilson Gowing, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Omineca Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that Philip Chenett, of Prince Rupert, occupation Contractor, intends to apply for permissiod to purchase the following described lands: Commensing at a post planted at the south west corner of Andimaul Government Reservation, Skeena River. Range 5, District of Cassiar, thence 20 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 10 chains south, thence east along the bank of Skeena River to point of commencement, containing 100 acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 14, 1910 Philip Chenett
Pub. Oct. 28 Locator

Cassiar Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that Wilfrid C. McDonald of Prince Rupert, B. C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted one mile distant in northerly direction from north end Bulkley Lake and ten chains west Bulkley Creek, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 8, 1910. WILFRID C. McDONALD
Pub. Oct. 25. Philip C. McDonald, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Carl Hoffman of Seattle, Wash., occupation physician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 8, 1910. CARL HOFFMAN
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Cassiar Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that Henry Hunter Morton of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted one mile in a northerly direction from the north end of Bulkley Lake and 10 chains west of Bulkley Creek, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Date Oct. 8, 1910. HENRY HUNTER MORTON
Pub. Oct. 25. Wilfrid C. Macdonald, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that C. W. Stancliffe of Vancouver, B. C., occupation consulting engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Timber License No. 30895 about one mile south and one mile east of the entrance to Juskatala Bay, thence north 20 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres.

Dated Oct. 7, 1910. C. W. STANCLIFFE
Pub. Nov. 5. A. E. Jessup, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that Gordon J. Jessup of Vancouver, B. C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Masset Inlet about 20 chains north of the north-east corner of Timber License No. 30895 and being about one mile east of the entrance to Juskatala Bay, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains more or less to the shore of Masset Inlet, thence westerly following the shore back to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Oct. 7, 1910. GORDON J. JESSUP
Pub. Nov. 5. A. E. Jessup, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlott Islands

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

Commencing at a post planted on the shore near the mouth of Juskatala Bay, at about the north-west corner of Timber License No. 30895, thence east 80 chains, thence north 20 chains more or less to the shore, thence westerly following the shore back to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated Oct. 7, 1910. CATHERINE BOWMAN
Pub. Nov. 5. A. E. Jessup, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Harry Lever of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation plasterer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 10 chains west of the northeast corner of John Furlong's surveyed pre-emption (Black's recent survey August 22, 1910) on the east side of Lakelse Lake, thence west 30 chains more or less, thence north 40 chains, thence east 30 chains, thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 120 acres more or less.

HARRY LEVER
Pub. Nov. 5. Chas. M. Wilson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Charles M. Wilson of Prnce Rupert, B. C., occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Johnson's surveyed lot No. 684, thence west 30 chains more or less to 10 chains east of Pete DeBoor's surveyed pre-emption (Black's recent survey August 25, 1910) on the east side of Lakelse Lake, thence north 80 chains to the south line of William Gainey's lot surveyed August 20, 1910, thence east 30 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.

CHAS. M. WILSON
Pub. Nov. 5.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Dan McDougall of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted two chains west of the south east corner of William McPhee's surveyed purchase (Black's recent survey about August 20, 1910) on the east side of Lakelse Lake, thence west 40 chains more or less to R Langley's purchase (Black's survey August 20, 1910) thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

DAN M'DOUGALL
Pub. Nov. 5. William McPhee, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Leonard Vaughan of Hammond, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north shore of Lakelse Lake and about 10 chains in a westerly direction from the S. W. corner of Lot 3982, thence west 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains more or less to the shore of Lakelse Lake, thence following the shore of said lake to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated Sept. 19, 1910. LEONARD VAUGHAN
Pub. Oct. 1. Mancell Clark, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Michael Fisher of Seattle, Wash., occupation restaurant keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 7, 1910. MICHAEL FISHER
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Henry T. Jacob of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept, 7, 1910. HARRY T. JACOB
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Estelle B. Maher of Seattle, Wash., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles west and one mile north of End Hill, Banks Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated Sept. 9, 1910. ESTELLE B. MAYER
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that John Graffin of Seattle, Wash., occupation druggist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 8, 1910. JOHN GRAFFIN
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Charles Holsman of Seattle, Wash., occupation physician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept 8, 1910. CHARLES HOLSMAN
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District.—District of Coast.

Take notice that I, M. V. Wadhams of Vancouver, B.C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwesterly angle of a bay at the north end of North Dundas Island, thence south 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

MARGUERITE VIOLET WADHAMS
Date Oct. 17th, 1910.
Pub. Oct. 22nd.

Skeena Land District.—District of Coast.

Take notice that I, G. I. Wilson of Vancouver, B.C., occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southerly end of the westerly side of an arm of a bay on the northerly end or North Dundas Island, thence south 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement, containiug 80 acres more or less.

GEORGE INGRAM WILSON
Date Oct. 17th, 1910.
Pub. Oct. 22nd

Skeena Land District.—District of Coast.

Take notice that I, William A. Wadhams of Vancouver, B.C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the northerly shore of Porcher Island opposite the northwesterly entrance of Chismore Passage, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

WILLIAM A. WADHAMS
Date Oct. 14th, 1910.
Pub. Oct. 22nd.

Skeena Land District.—District of Coast.

Take notice that Hugh Bain Wilson of Vancouver, B.C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing st a post planted at a point on the northerly shore of Porcher Island opposite the northwesterly entrance to Chismore Passage, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

HUGH BAIN WILSON
Date Oct. 14th, 1910.
Pub. Oct. 22nd.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Maurice L. Gibson, of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 7, 1910. MAURICE L. GIBSON
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agen

Cassiar Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that I Neill M. McNeill of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation Real Estate Dealer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted one mile in northerly direction from the north end of Bukley Lake and ten chains west Bulkley Creek, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 8, 1910. NEIL M. McNEILL
Pub. Oct. 25. Wilfrif C. McDonald, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Isla n

Take notice that J. Drew of Seattle, Wash occupation theatre owner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 8, 1910. J. DREW
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that George Owen Johnston of Melbourne, Aus., occupation painter, intends to apply for permisson to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one mile up Extrews River on east bank, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence West 60 chains, more or less to the bank of Extrews River, thence along bank of Extrews River south to point of commencement, containing 340 acres more or less.
GEORGE OWEN JOHNSTON
Dated Sept. 12, 1910.
Pub. Oct. 17. A. H. Johnston, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Ernestine M. Grable, married woman of San Francisco, U. S. A., occupation masseuse, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the south side of the G. T. P. right-of-way 73 1-2 miles from Prince Rupert on the north side of the Skeena River, thence south 20 chains more or less to the bank of the Skeena River, thence 80 chains more or less along the bank of the Skeena River in a northwesterly direction to the G. T. P. right-of way, thence 60 chains more or less in an easterly direction along the G. T. P. right-of-way to the point of commencement and containing 120 acres, more or less.
Dated Sept. 12, 1910. ERNESTINE M. GRABLE
Pub. Oct. 17. A. H. Johnston, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Brent U. Grable of San Francisco, U. S. A., occupation accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the south side of the G. T. P. right-of-way mile 73 1-2 from Prince Rupert on the north side of the Skeena River, thence south 20 chains more or less to the bank of the Skeena Riverthence 80 chains more or less along the bank of the Skeena River in a northeasterly direction to the G. T. P. right-of-way, thence 60 chains more or less along the G T. P. right-of-way in a westerly direction to the point of commencement and containing 120 acres, more or less.
Dated Sept. 12, 1910. BRENT U. GRABLE
Pub. Oct. 17. A. H. Johnston, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Arthur Henry Johnston of Prince Rupert, occupation builder, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
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Dated Sept. 12, 1910.
ARTHUR HENRY JOHNSTON
Pub. Oct. 17.

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HIDDEN CREEK DEVELOPMENT

MINING EXPERT EXPRESSES AN OPINION

Mr. E. Jacobs Gives Favorable Statement Thinks It Is Early Yet to Call It "One of Greatest Mines on Pacific Coast.

E. Jacobs, mining engineer of Victoria, has an article in the Canadian Mining Journal under the caption: "Granby Company Enlarging Its Field of Operations," which deals with the recent purchase of the Hidden Creek Properites on Observatory Inlet by the smelter company. After quoting at length the prospectus just issued by the company and the statements made by Jay P. Graves, its vice-president and general manager, to the effect that a matting plant will be erected as soon as a sufficient tonnage is developed, Mr Jacobs goes on to state:

"Last summer I was given the following information relative to this property by one who claimed to be well informed concerning it: The developed ore zone has been opened for a little more than 2,000 feet in length, and from 200 to 500 feet in width. Beside some 1,500 feet of open-cut work, about 1,000 feet of tunnelling has been done. This work has opened a large body of copper sulphide ore, running from 4 to 8 per cent. (with some as high as 12 per cent.) in copper, and $1 to $3 per ton in gold and silver. It is a very favorable ore for smelting, carrying an excess of iron over silica. Much of it is pure copper and iron sulphide, high in both iron and sulphur, so making it a desirable smelting ore, less coke being required for its reduction than for other ores having constituents less favorable from a metalliferous point of view.

"The ore has been cut for a width of 125 feet and down to a depth of between 400 and 500 feet, and it is known to be good to below the 400-foot level. The quantity of ore blocked out is more than 300,000 tons, and the mine is sufficiently developed to warrant the erection of a 300-ton smelter.

"The foregoing information will serve to give a general idea of the property the Granby Company has taken under bond. It is probable Mr. Graves is not quite correctly quoted in the statement attributed to him, in effect that the Hidden Creek property is 'one of the greatest mines on the Pacific coast.' It is likely that his comparison was intended to be restricted to the British Columbia coast district. If not, then the opinion may be expressed that it is premature to express any such opnion in the present state of development of the Hidden Creek mine. Nevertheless, there seems some good reason to believe there is in that mine a large tonnage of copper ore, but of general average grade somewhat lower than the stated 3 1-2 per cent. copper."

CAPTAIN OF INDUSTRY

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Capitalist Davins, the gentleman who was in Edmonton a few weeks ago with trunks filled with blueprints of buildings which he proposed to erect in Edmonton and environs, at a total cost of in the neighborhood of $25,000,000 or $30,000,000—a difference of a few millions is immaterial—left the city last week in a hurry, leaving behind him an unpaid board bill for $10 at the Crescent rooming house, and a number of greatly chagrined real estate men, who had entertained the soi distant emissary of the kings of American finance for a period of several weeks upon the strength of his yarns as to untold millions at his command.

Mr. Davins also left a check for $10,000 in the hands of Mr. John R. Boyle and Parlee, this being the price that he had agreed to pay the holders of a railway charter into the Peace River district, as purchase price.

JOHNSON NOT FIT

Predicted He Will Never Again Leave Ring a Champion

Chicago, Nov. 25.—The next time Jack Johnson steps into a prize ring a new heavyweight champion will be brought out, say close friends of Jeffries' conqueror here today. They are not astonished at reports from the East that he is suffering from nervous prostration, and say a break-down of the big black has been coming for some time.

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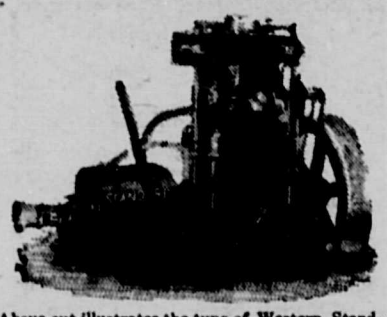
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"What do you suppose it is dat is overcrowdin' de cities?" asked Meandering Mike. "I dunno," answered Plodding Pete, "unless it's dis habit farmers is gittin' into of advertisin' fur harvest hands."

Mistress—Jane, I saw the milkman kiss you this morning. In the future I will take the milk in. Jane—'Twouldn't be no use mum. He's promised never to kiss anybody but me.

"I see you have subscribed to a drug journal."

"I wanted something to read nights. I judge they won't print any football stories."

"Why don't the theatrical managers want husband and wife in the same company?" "They think the public wouldn't care to see a man making love to his wife." "Looks too much like acting, eh?"

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SCHEME OF PUBLICITY

New Westminster Giving Subject Careful Consideration

New Westminster, Nov. 25.—That a united effort should be put forth to advertise New Westimnster to the uttermost parts of the earth was the feeling expressed at an enthusiastic meeting of the Board of Trade last night called to hear an address from Vice-president A. E. White, who had just returned from Portland filled with the spirit of the publicity movement of that city.

Several speakers took occasion to score the business men of the city for their lack o finterest in the Board of Trade and publicity work of the city, and the feeling expressed that there should be more general support both financially and morally, to this work. The question of the board having independent quarters away from the city hall was also discussed. Mr. White thought that the board could not do its best work until it had such quarters.

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Owing to the fact that two members of the firm of Simon's Fair have been taken ill it has been decided to sell their entire stock of crockery, glassware, fancy china, granite ware, kitchen ware, fancy manicure sets, etc., at absolutely cost. They want to be away by January 1st and are sparing no means to have their stock disposed of.

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that Donald Clacher, of Breckenridge landing Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about five miles in a south easterly direction from Breckenridge Landing, and at the southwest corner of Lot 3065, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 60 chains more or less to the south east corner of Lot 3062, thence west 40 chains more or less, along the lot line 3062 thence north 20 chains, more or less, along lot line 3062 to the south east corner of Lot 3065, thence west 40 chains more or less, along lot line 3065 to the place of commencement, containing 560 acres more or less.

Dated Oct. 20, 1910. DONALD CLACHER
Pub. Nov. 17.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that John Geheke of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 7, 1910. JOHN GEHEKE
Pub. Oct. 11 B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that William Russell of Seattle, Wash., occupation manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Principe Channel about 200 yards north of End Hill, Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated Sept. 9, 1910. WILLIAM RUSSELL
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Martin H. Larkin of Hopkins, Minn., occupation fireman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 7, 1910. MARTIN H. LARKIN
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Theodore Corbett of Seattle, Wash., occupation plumber, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commenceing at a post planted about three miles east from the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west from End Hill, Bank's Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Date Sept. 7, 1910. THEODORE CORBETT
Pub. Oct 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Sarah Berry of Seattle, Wash., occupation widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated September 7, 1910. SARAH BERRY
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District.—District of Coast.

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

Commencing at a post planted about four feet from the corner post of the Indian Reserve number 4 Newton, thence south 60 chains, thence west about 10 chains to Walker's pre-emption (surveyed lot number 3995) range 5, thence south 60 chains, thence east about 10 chains to point of commencement, containing 70 acres more or less.

SOLOMON MUSSALLEM

Date Oct. 3rd, 1910.
Pub. Oct. 22nd.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that I, Napoleon Dupras, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:-

Commencing at a post planted on the left bank of the Exchumsik River, about three miles from its mouth; thence north 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west along the shore of the river 40 chains, to the point of commencement, containing three hundred and twenty acres, more or less.

Date September 8, 1910. Napoleon Dupras.
Pub. Sep. 24, 1910.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that James Marshall of Seattle Wash., occupation real estate dealer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 8, 1910. JAMES MARSHALL
Pub. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Cassiar Land District—District of Cassiar.

Take notice that Thomas Y. McClymont of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted one mile in easterly direction from Hylands Ranch and about 20 chains south Taltan River thence north 80 chains thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Sept. 29, 1910 THOS. M. McCLYMONT
Pub. Oct. 25. Wilfrid C. McDonald, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

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

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

Dated Sept. 8, 1910. ALEXANDER MITCHELL
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Edward Warner of Vancouver, B. C., occupation contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 8, 1910. EDWARD WARNER
Pub. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that E. R. Loomis of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 7, 1910. E. R. LOOMIS
Pub Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that George R. Putman of Prince Rupert, occupation timekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:-

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of lot 1712; thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

Date September 5, 1910. Geo. R. Putman.
Pub. Sept. 20.

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that John J. Keeler of Barry, Minn., occupation miller, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept 7, 1910. JOHN J. KEELER
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Guy Jacob of Barry, Minn., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 7, 1910. GUY JACOB
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island

Take notice that Archibald Henderson of Seattle, Wash., occupation machinist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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

Dated Sept. 8, 1910 ARCHIBALD HENDERSON
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

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This, he said, is the up to date sin that has a strangle-hold on the United States today, and is reaching out over Canada. "The sin six-removed" he called it, and declared against it as the cause of the debasement of bright young manhood, and the degrader of pure and tender girlhood.

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SQUABBLE OVER GRAHAM ISLAND COAL LANDS

Canadian Development Company Sued for Difference Between Four-Fifty and Ten Dollars an Acre.—Early Trial Is Promised.

Vancouver, Nov. 24.—The Royal Bank will be the receiver and the court the guardian of some $230,000 in the recent sale of some 23,000 acres of Graham Island coal lands, until the court shall have decided a suit now pending over both.

The five plaintiffs are Messrs. Russell Whitelaw, James and John S. Soutar, George Grant and George Bowers. The defendants are the Canadian Development Company Limited and Mr. H. R. Bellamy, mining engineer.

The action is for an accounting of the proceeds of the sale of these Graham Island coal lands.

It is contended by the five plaintiffs that Mr. Bellamy, acting as the agent for the holders of title to the lands, entered into an agreement to sell them to the Canadian Development Company for $4.50 an acre, on the understanding as the plaintiffs further allege, that a new company was to be formed to take over the lands at an increased price; that this company was formed under the name of the Graham Island Collieries Limited, and that the lands passed to the latter at $10 an acre.

The defendants now, the plaintiffs declare, refuse to account for any sum in excess of $4.50 an acre, and this action has followed.

Messrs. Bowser, Reid & Wallbridge are acting for the Canadian Development Company Limited, and Mr. R. S. Lennie for its co-defendant, Mr. Bellamy.

SAYS LIQUOR WAS DOPED

Victor Ambrose's Explanation. Was Bought in Stewart

Shivering and shuddering with cold or "nerves" Victor Ambrose admitted before Magistrate Carss this morning that he had been drunk yesterday. Almost as soon as he got off the gangplank of the Camosun he had been taken in charge by the ever watchful Constable Mansell.

Victor declared that he had had only three drinks on the steamer, of liquor purchased at Stewart. He couldn't imagine how he had got drunk unless the stuff were doped. Such a thing had never happened to him before. After mentioning some highly respected citizens of Prince Rupert as likely to vouch for him, and even advance the needful for his fine, Victor withdrew the poorer by a debt of $5 including costs, due the police department of Prince Rupert.

He remarked more than once upon the cold, and the police court positively rattled and shook with his shivering stunt, and the force of his eloquence in explaining matters

SNOW FOLLOWS FAIRY SUNSET

Coating of "The Beautiful," Heralds the Approach of Winter

Thick rime on the plankroads yesterday gave place today to Prince Rupert's first snow for this winter. The coming of the snow was rather a surprise to the citizens who were out around the city at sunset yesterday when the sky was beautifully clear.

Such a superb sunset as yesterday's would surely be enough to convince the most confirmed croaker that the city of Prince Rupert must always rank as one of the loveliest in the world. Never surely out of the realm of romance, was a city so superbly situated. Mountain, sky, and sea, lit yesterday by the rays of that wonderful sunset, seemed like the scenery in a fairy tale. And Prince Rupert in the heart of it!

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Letters to the Editor

Order of Eagles to Meet

All the members of Prince Rupert Aerie Fraternal Order of Eagles are requested to attend the regular weekly meeting in the Helgerson Block on Wednesday evening, November 30, when the nomination of officers for the ensuing term takes place. A smoker will be held at the close of the meeting.

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Military brushes, genuine Russian bristles, ebony backs. Ladies brushes the same at Orme's Drug Store.

Piver's, Roger & Gallet's, Colgate's and Lyman's toilet waters at Orme's Drug Store

EXPECT A BUSY TIME

Ladies of St. Andrew's Church Arrange a Sale of Work

The Prince Rupert St. Andrew's Branch of the Anglican Church Woman's Auxiliary will hold a Sale of Work in the St. Andrew's Church Hall on Tuesday afternoon, December 6th.

This sale of work will be a well organized event embracing such various departments as arts and crafts, toys, candies and home-cooking, and the ladies interested in the work of the Woman's Auxiliary are giving it their enthusiastic support. Afternoon tea will be served in the Church Hall at six p.m.

INQUEST TO BE HELD

Death of Tom Nekich on Railway to Be Investigated

On his return from Stewart yesterday Coroner McMullin was notified of the death of the workman Tom Nekich who was killed on the railway in the hadncar collision on Friday. He decided that an inquest was necessary, and the hour was fixed for 2 p.m. today. A jury has been summoned, and the undertaker notified. The body lies at F. W. Hart's morgue.

Dr. Eggert reports that the two men injured on the railway at the time of Nekich's death are both doing well at the hospital. One is suffering from a broken leg and the other from a fractured skull.