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BIG STORMS ON BRITISH COAST

STEAMER WINBOURNE WRECKED OFF LANDS END

Her Crew of Twenty Rescued—Thirty Men in Rigging of Largest Schooner in World With No Hopes of Rescue Owing to Heavy Seas.

(Special to the Optimist)

Dover, Eng., Nov. 9.—After colliding with a steamer in the Brighton channel the thirty men of the five masted schooner Prusesen, the largest sailing vessel of the world, today are facing certain death in the vessel's rigging, her rescuers having abandoned all hope owing to the heavy seas. The schooner is German owned and German manned. She is gradually filling.

Has a Stormy Passage

Montreal, Nov. 9.—(Special)—The steamship Megantic, which arrived here last night, reported having had the stormiest passage in her history.

Wrecked Off Lands End

Penzance, Eng., Nov. 9.—(Special)—The steamer Winbourne was wrecked off Lands End last night, in a heavy storm. Her crew of twenty were all rescued.

Cyclone In Portugal

Lisbon, Nov. 9.—(Special)—A cyclone struck the coast last night and a small craft containing ten men was sunk. All the men perished.

DRIVERS' STRIKE GENERAL

Chaffeurs Walk Out in Sympathy With Express Companies' Drivers

(Special to the Optimist)

New York, Nov. 9.—One thousand taxicab drivers walked out yesterday, in sympathy with the striking express companies' drivers. The coal drivers are to follow this morning, cutting off the fuel supply of the big city. Tomorrow the delivery and mail drivers are to go out, making it the greatest traffic strike in the history of the city.

The one thing that still stands in the way of a settlement is the attitude of Frank Platt, president of the Adams Express company. He informed Mayor Gaynor that he would agree to arbitration, but when the arbitrators were named he withdrew.

Flag For British Empire

London, Nov. 9.—(Special)—It is understood that in certain political circles here the subject of the creation of an empire flag is being seriously discussed.

Three Children Suffocated

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—(Special)—Three children of the family of A. Todd, a farmer at Buchanan, Sask., were yesterday smothered to death by the fumes from the wood box, in which a fire was smouldering.

Quiet Maintained In Spain

Madrid, Nov. 9.—(Special)—Dispatches are received at the war department that quiet is being maintained in the strike centers of Catalonia, but that there is no sign of the strike coming to a conclusion.

Earthquake Somewhere

Cleveland, Nov. 9.—(Special)—The seismograph of the state university recorded earthquake shocks yesterday, which it is believed occurred at some point in South America.

DEMOCRATS SWEEP THE COUNTRY

Roosevelt's Candidate Hopelessly Defeated In New York State.—Next House Will Have Democratic Majority of Forty-Three and Victorious Party Also Gains Control of Senate

(Special to the Optimist)

New York, Nov. 9.—The elections yesterday throughout the states show a great victory for the Democrats. They secure in the house of representatives a majority of forty-three, and rescue the senate from the control of the Republicans for the first time in many years. Dix, the Democratic candidate for governor of this state, defeated Colonel Roosevelt's candidate by the large majority of fifty-five thousand.

The streets of this city were crowded all Monday night watching the electric bulletins of the predictions of the results in the various contests all over the country, there being elections in no less than twenty-five of the states. Wall street kept open house yesterday although a holiday; all the firms and their staffs being in attendance and watching the returns as they came in over the tape. The crowd was divided

between these officers and the bulletin boards of the newspapers. Many of the large dry goods firms threw the results as they came in on the sky, and these could be read as far away as Long Island and New Jersey.

There was tremendous rejoicing in this Democratic city, the Tammany braves being out in great force. Torchlight processions and brass bands kept up a hubbub all night long. Although Democratic gains were expected the sweeping victory came as a surprise. When the campaign ended Monday night politicians admitted that they were at sea as to the result, because of what is termed the silent vote, which in this election was looked upon as the biggest factor. The independent voter was the nam of the hour, and it was impossible to forecast the result on that account. The overwhelming victories in unexpected quarters was therefore the cause of the especial rejoicings, and

it was admitted on all hands that the only good Roosevelt had done was to stir things up and to an extent destroy old party lines and affiliations.

In New Jersey the famous college professor, Woodrow Wilson, was elected by the Democrats, and the other governors elected were:

Connecticut, Judge Baldwin, Democrat.

Ohio, Judge Harmon, Democrat, a probably candidate for the presidency.

New Hampshire, Robert P. Race, Republican.

Rhode Island, Governor Pothier, Republican, re-elected.

Tennessee, Ben W. Hooper, Fusion candidate.

Alabama, W. McGrath, Democrat.

Iowa, Claude R. Porter, Democrat.

Michigan, Charles Osborne, Republican.

Oregon, Oswald West, Democrat, leading.

ILL WITH APPENDICITIS

Mr. J. McIvor Operated On by Three Doctors

Though apparently in perfect health up till a couple of days ago, Mr. J. McIvor, was suddenly taken very seriously ill on Monday and yesterday Dr. Eggert who was in attendance decided that his patient was suffering from appendicitis and an immediate operation was necessary.

Dr. Kidd and Dr. Tremayne were called and yesterday afternoon the operation was successfully performed in the patient's room at the Royal hotel.

Mr. McIvor is reported to be on the way to recovery this morning, but is still not quite out of danger.

SEVENTY MEN ENTOMBED

Result of Explosion in Large Collieries at Trinidad, Colorado

(Special to the Optimist)

Trinidad, Colo., Nov. 9.—A tremendous explosion occurred this morning at Delagoa mine at the time when the whole of the day shift was in the workings. It was at first believed that at least seventy men were entombed, but later it was believed the number was less.

Just before noon it was reported that nine men had been rescued from the No. 2 shaft, but at the No. 3 the fifty men entombed had not yet been reached.

J. J. McKinnon's Son Wanted

J. J. McKinnon has died in South Wellington. He is believed to have a son resident in Prince Rupert. If this should meet the eye of anyone knowing where he may be found Chief Wynn of the Provincial Police will furnish further particulars. Deceased was employed by the Pacific Coal Mines company at South Wellington.

Named For Hudson Bay Road

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—(Special)—It has been suggested that C. J. Bury, the Western Manager of the Canadian Pacific railway, would be the proper man to take control of the proposed Hudson Bay railway.

Where is Stanley Margerson

Stanley Margerson described as a man of 5 ft. 10 in. tall, 27 years of age, dark complexioned, and weighing about 170 lbs., and a stone mason by trade is sought by his brother who is at Vancouver. Margerson is believed to be in Prince Rupert. He may be clean shaven or wearing a dark moustache.

Appeal For Gunner Allen

Victoria, Nov. 9.—(Special)—Application to the department of justice is being made today for a new trial for Gunner Allen, who is to be hanged on December 2nd for the murder of his captain, Captain Elliston.

Why Hans Felt Cold

A BALLAD OF BORROWED BLANKETS BY OUR POLICE COURT POET

The frost was keen the other night, you know how cold you felt; the snow had made the mountains white, and touched the timber belt. Hans Hansen feeling mighty cold, curled up within his shack; upon his bunk were blankets old, he coverings did lack. His neighbor Mr. Frank Lindquest, had blankets nice and new; this Hansen heard, and Hansen guessed they'd keep him cosy too. So Hansen sallied forth by night, those blankets he annexed; he tucked them round him snug and tight, half frozen, Frank felt vexed. Frank called the man in blue to aid his vanished wraps to find; the man in blue was unafraid, the man in blue was kind. He found the blankets speedily, concealed within the shack, where Hans had placed them needily, when cold about the back. He led Hans Hansen to the court, where Hans was made to pay a ten spot bill and costs because he took Frank's wraps away.

ARE UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Emily Newington Is Now Mrs. D. H. McInnis

There was a quiet little wedding ceremony in the city yesterday, the principals being Mr. D. H. McInnis and Miss Emily J. Newington. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. F.W. Kerr, the wedding taking place at his residence near the Government Buildings.

The bride who is a native of England and has been staying for some time with Mrs. Geo. Tite was given away by Mr. David Anderson, Mrs. Tite's father.

The bridegroom comes from Cape Breton, and was attended by Mr. Geo. Parks as groomsman.

The young couple contemplate taking an extended honeymoon tour in the south.

TO KILL THE MIKADO

Twenty-six Anarchists Arrested in Japan for Anarchist Plot

(Special to the Optimist)

Tokio, Nov. 9.—The twenty-six Anarchists arrested recently for complicity in a plot to assassinate the Mikado and an attempt upon his life will be tried shortly. It is believed by the authorities that the arrests were made just in time to prevent a widespread Anarchistic movement.

Allan McKenzie Wanted

John McKenzie of 104 Lawrence street, Winnipeg, enquires regarding the whereabouts of his son Allan George McKenzie who was in Vancouver up till a short time ago, but after stating that he was going to Prince Rupert, has not written home since. It is believed that he reached Prince Rupert, but may have left for up river. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts will oblige by communicating with his father.

First Freight Aeroplane

Columbus, O., Nov. 9.—The first freight aeroplane arrived here yesterday, carrying a consignment of silk from Dayton.

SUDDEN DEATH OF A PIONEER

FREMONT CRANDELL DIES ON HIS WAY BACK

Was Chief Tie Agent for the Railway Since 1908 and Largely Interested in City Property—Leaves Two Sons in Business Here.

David H. Hays received a telegram last night notifying him of the death of an old friend of his and pioneer of Prince Rupert in the person of Fremont Crandell, chief tie agent for the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. Mr. Crandell was well known here and highly respected. He was largely interested in the B. C. Real Estate Syndicate and had other property interests here. He came in 1908 and was about fifty-three years of age.

Mr. Crandell left the city on August 1st for a trip outside. He had finished up his work here for the railway company but intended to act in the same capacity for the company in the neighborhood of Yellowhead Pass. He was returning here to conclude certain business arrangements before going to his new post of duty when he was suddenly attacked with sickness on the train and died in a few moments. This occurred at Westaskwin, near Edmonton, yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Crandell's home is Lindsay, Ont., and he has two sons here. The elder of these, Sydney Crandell, is the chief owner in the William Ellis Tie company, and immediately on receipt of the news of his father's death he made arrangements to leave to attend to the funeral. He left on the Senator this morning. The other son, Fremont Crandell, Jr., is in the employ of David H. Hays.

IS PEARY THE FAKER?

That's What Dr. Cook Confidently Believes He Is Able to Prove

(Special to the Optimist)

New York, Nov. 9.—Dr. Cook may yet prove his claim to being the discoverer of the north pole. He announces from London that he has all the scientific data nearly ready and as soon as it is completed he will come out of his retirement and prove Commander Peary to be the real faker in the controversy.

HIS EYES REQUIRE REST

Why Rev. F. W. Kerr's Blinds Were Drawn Today

Rev. F. W. Kerr, the popular pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has been confined to his rooms today owing to eye trouble brought on by too close study by artificial light. Resting the eyes in a subdued light is rapidly restoring them to their normal efficiency and Mr. Kerr does not anticipate any serious trouble with them.

Demolished in Six Rounds

Sydney, N. S. W., Nov. 9.—(Special)—Cyclone Thompson, of Illinois, easily demolished Rudolf Unholz, the South African, in six rounds. Unholz took the count seven times and the contest was eventually stopped by the police. There were twelve hundred people present.

Turned Over to Government

Victoria, Nov. 9.—(Special)—At noon today the British naval base at Esquimalt was turned over to the Dominion government.

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 Take notice that George Owen Johnston of
 Melbourne, Aus., occupation painter, intends to
 apply for permission to purchase the following
 described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted one mile up
 Extrava River on east bank, thence east 40 chains,
 thence north 80 chains, thence West 60 chains,
 more or less to the bank of Extrava River, thence
 along bank of Extrava 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

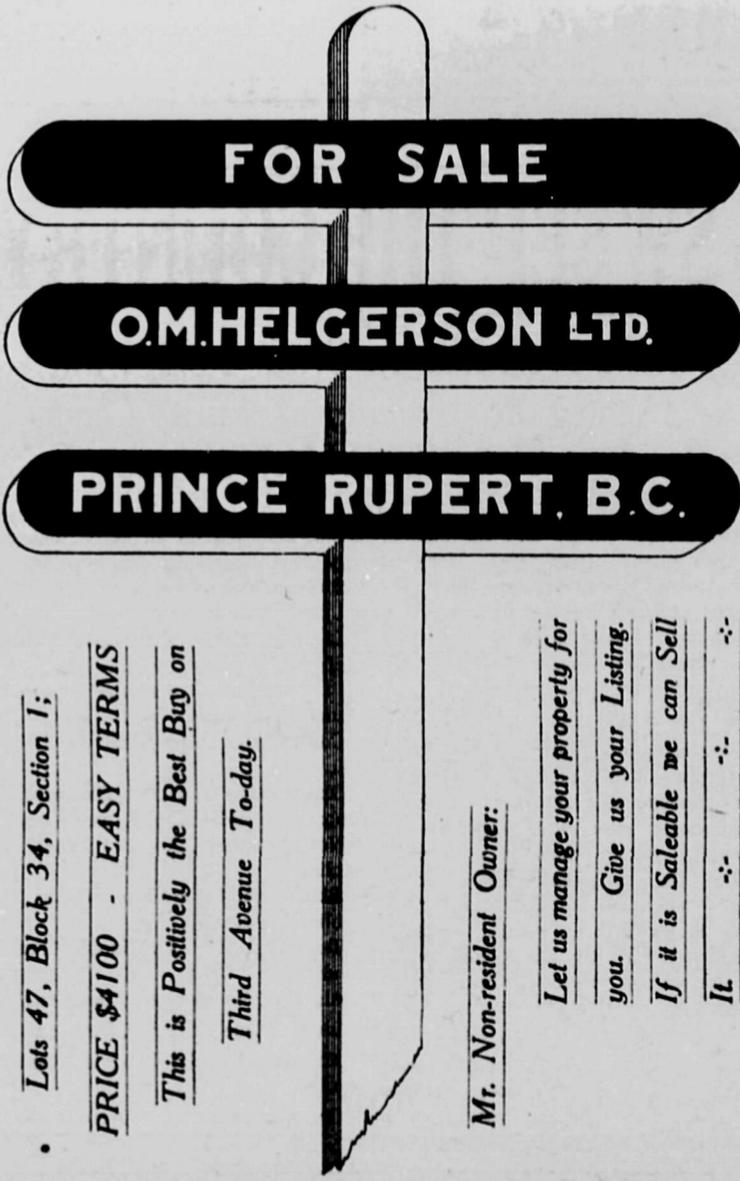
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
 Take notice that Ernestine M. Grable, married
 woman of San Francisco, U. S. A., occupation
 masseuse, intends to apply for permission to purchase
 the following described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted on the south side
 of the G. T. P. right-of-way 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 north-
 westerly direction to the G. T. P. right-of-way,
 thence 60 chains more or less in an easterly di-
 rection 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 Fran-
 cisco, U. S. A., occupation accountant, intends to
 apply for permission to purchase the following
 described lands:
 Commencing at a post planted on the south side
 of the G. T. P. right-of-way mile 73 1-2 from Prince
 Rupert on the north side of the Skeena River, thence
 south 20 chains more or less to the bank of the Skeena
 River thence 80 chains more or less along the
 bank of the Skeena River in a northeasterly di-
 rection 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 commence-
 ment 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:
 Commencing at a post planted 20 chains east of
 74 mile post on the G. T. P. right-of-way on north
 side of same and Skeena River, thence 80 chains
 north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains
 south to G. T. P. right-of-way, thence 80 chains
 east along G. T. P. right-of-way to point of com-
 mencement and containing 640 acres more or less.
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 Pub. Oct. 17. ARTHUR HENRY JOHNSTON

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Body of Experts Will Make Extensive
 Report on Industrial Training and
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 Great Britain, France, Germany and
 the States.

The Royal Commission on Industrial
 Training and Technical Education, which
 is wending its way across the continent
 taking evidence on which a report will
 be made some two years hence, is due
 shortly on the Pacific Coast. Sitings
 will be held on Vancouver in November
 28, 29 and 30 and in Victoria on Decem-
 ber 2 and 3. Later on it will investigate
 conditions in Great Britain, Germany,
 France and the United States.

The sole purpose of the commission
 is to gather information which will be
 published in a report at the disposal of
 the different provinces in the Dominion
 and which will be available for general
 distribution.

The members of the body are James
 W. Robertson, C. M. G., D. Sc., LL.D.,
 of Montreal; Hon. J. N. Armstrong of
 North Sydney, N. S., barrister; Rev.
 George N. Bryce, M. A., D. D., LL.D.,
 F. R. S. C., of Winnipeg; Gaspard de
 Serres of Montreal; Gilbert M. Mur-
 ray, B. A., of Toronto; David Forsyth,
 B. A., of Berlin, Ont.; and James Simp-
 son of Toronto.

The latter who is chairman of the
 Toronto Board of Education was chosen
 as a representative of labor, has been
 driven to resign from the Socialist party,
 owing to his refusal to submit his report
 to the Socialist party before presenting
 it to the Government. Mr. Murray is
 secretary of the Canadian Manufactur-
 ers' Association. The other members
 were chosen for their standing as edu-
 cational experts.

The commission will give particular
 attention to the manufacturing indus-
 tries, to agriculture, to domestic occu-
 pations, to mining, to the fisheries, to
 the lumber interests, to the building
 trades, to the transportation services,
 as well as to the technical training re-
 quired for commercial operations.

The commission will also make in-
 quiry into, (a) the needs of existing
 industries in respect to labor; (b) the
 quality of labor which is available, and
 (c) the needs of such labor for industrial
 training and technical education.

The commission devotes part of each
 day to visiting industrial establishments
 and technical institutions and holds one
 or two sessions to receive testimony
 from those who desire to appear before it.

"LEAD KING" MANAGER

Is in Prince Rupert—Just Down
 From Hazelton by Canoe

F. A. Brown, manager of the Hazelton
 Nine Mile Mining company,—better
 known as the "Lead King" claim, has
 just arrived in Prince Rupert after a
 prolonged trip down river. Mr. Brown
 came by canoe from Hazelton as far as
 the canyon, and from Kitselas by
 steamer. The journey took seven days.

"Everything at the mine," says Mr.
 Brown, "is running in first class shape.
 All necessary supplies, and the men for
 the work are in, and everything is in
 shape to continue development through-
 out the winter."

Mr. Brown came down river with
 Hugh and Ed. Harris of "American Boy"
 fame.

Calgary's Building Progress

Calgary, Alta., Nov. 7.—In October
 there were 165 building permits issued
 by the building inspector, aggregating
 a total of \$568,290. Up-to-date this
 year the building permits issued have
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15 and 16	45	5	1050
1 and 2	3	6	3000
7	49	7	400
27 and 28	28	8	750

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CHIPS FROM THE HUMORISTS

"What is woman?" asked the speaker at a public meeting. "Woman," replied a man in the audience—a married man—"is an animate being, with the power of speech abnormally developed, and entirely surrounded by a dress that buttons up the back."

Mrs. Henpeck—Do you remember when and where we first met? Henpeck—Yes, it was on Friday, the thirteenth day of the month; it was at a dinner party, and there were thirteen at the table.

"Late again, Simpkins; how's that?" "Please, sir, I got up late, and only left myself ten minutes to dress." "But I can dress comfortably in that time." "Yes, sir, but I wash."

"Why didn't you stay to ascertain how badly the man was injured?" demanded the judge.

"Why," explained the chauffeur. "I knew I could find out from the daily papers."

Friend (returned from abroad)—Tell me all the news. Is Stickem still paying devoted attention to your sister? Arlington—On the contrary, he's paying her no attention at all." Friend—You don't mean to say that he jilted her? Arlington—No, her married her.

Slum Child—She died through eating a tup-penny ice on the top o' 'ot pudden. The Other Slum Child—Lor! wot a jolly death.

Two Can Play—

"Waiter," called the irate diner, "there seems to be a dollar on this bill I can't account for."

"Oh, that's just a joke, sir," apologized the waiter. "Just a bet the cashier and I have. I'll have it fixed right away, sir."

"What do you mean about a bet?" asked the diner, detaining him.

"Well, sir, I bet the cashier fifty cents you would see the mistake, and he bet you wouldn't, so I win, sir."

"Suppose I hadn't noticed it?"

"He'd have gotten the dollar, sir."

"Oh, I see. Give me your pencil," and he wrote a few lines on the back of the bill, folded it up, and handed it to the waiter. "Take that to the cashier."

The waiter leaned over the cashier's shoulder as he unfolded the paper. It read:

"I'll bet you five dollars that when you send this back you don't find me."

And they didn't.—November Lippincott's.

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NO TOWNSITE AT FORT GEORGE

Railway Has Trouble Over the Indian Reserve

Edmonton, Alta., Nov. 7.—That it will be some time before the Grand Trunk Pacific will be in a position to announce the location of the townsite at Fort George, was the statement of C. Wiseden, chief clerk of the land department of the company, who was here on business in connection with townsite properties at Edson.

"It all depends upon whether we secure the Indian reserve at Fort George. If we do not secure this property, it is altogether likely that we will have to move our townsite away from there altogether. There has been nothing definitely settled yet regarding that townsite," said Mr. Wiseden.

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SOME ORE GOES OVER HUNDRED DOLLARS TO TON

Prince Rupert Shareholders Satisfied From the Results of the Assays That They Have the Makings of a Great Mine in the Silver Cup.

Alderman V. W. Smith, vice-president of the Silver Cup Mines, Limited, handed to the Optimist the report of A. W. Austin, assayer, on a sack of ore weighing 200 pounds taken from the Silver Cup on Nine Mile mountain and brought down. This is the shipping ore which anyone will find lying on the dump or in the tunnels. The ore was divided into four parts by the assayer with the following results:

Sample One—Gold value 60c., silver \$94.34, lead \$32.16, total \$129.10.

Sample Two—Gold 80c., silver \$63.28, lead \$24.32, total \$88.40.

Sample Three—Gold \$2.00, silver \$34.20, lead \$23.04, total \$59.24.

Sample Four—Gold 60c., silver \$72.19, lead \$31.36, total \$104.15.

The above showings are very satisfactory and those who are most heavily interested are more than pleased. They are satisfied that they have a good mine which will pay big dividends. That the general public share in this belief is evidenced by the fact that the hundred thousand shares are now nearly all subscribed for.

Cadbury's Chocolate sold at Keeley's Drug Store in 1-2 lb., 1 lb., and up to 10 lb. boxes, is the best in the world. The ladies' favorite bon bon. They are delicious, fresh and pure. Once you eat them you will have no other.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that F. W. Gilbert of Seattle, Wash., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 10 chains in a southerly direction from the N. E. corner of Lot 518, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence west 20 chains more or less to the railway right-of-way, thence following the railway right-of-way to point of commencement, containing about 200 acres more or less.
Dated Sept. 24, 1910. F. W. GILBERT
Pub. Oct. 1. Mancell Clark, Agent

Coast Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that J. W. Scott of Prince Rupert, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one half mile east of Gilbert Burrow's corner post, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 9, 1910. J. W. SCOTT
Pub. Sept. 15. Numa Demers, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast
Take notice that I. Thomas Dunn of Prince Rupert, occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of Kylox River, thence running west 20 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement, and containing 160 acres more or less; post marked "T. D.'s SE. Corner."
Date Aug. 25, 1910 THOMAS DUNN, Locator
Pub. Sept. 7. J. E. Bateman, Agent

NOTICE is hereby given that Application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act incorporating a Company under the name of "THE BRITISH COLUMBIA AND WHITE RIVER RAILWAY COMPANY" with power to construct and operate a line of railway running from a point in the Province of British Columbia on the International Boundary where said boundary crosses Bear Creek, a tributary to the Chilkat River, or near thereto, and thence extending north-westerly towards the Alsek River and thence through the Shakwak Valley to Lake Klauane and thence along this lake via the Donjek Valley to the White River and thence, if desired, by the most feasible route to the International Boundary between the Yukon Territory and Alaska between the sixty-second and sixty-fourths parallels of latitude, with power to generate and use electrical and other energy, and to dispose of the surplus thereof; to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines, and to charge tolls for the use thereof, also fixing the amount of securities to be used with respect to such line, also authorizing amalgamation with other companies, with other usual and customary powers.
DATED at the City of Ottawa in the Province of Ontario this 20th day of October A. D. 1910.
HAROLD FISHER
Solicitor for the Applicants
Pub. Nov. 5-5t

The Prince Rupert Optimist

DAILY AND WEEKLY

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DAILY EDITION.



WEDNESDAY, NOV. 9

WANTED—SOME ECONOMISTS

Alderman Lynch proved himself to be the economist of the city council in the debate on the Grand Trunk Pacific assessment on Monday night. His contention that the granting of exemptions to the railway company would be attended by a shrinkage in the borrowing powers of the city is an important one.

Under its charter the borrowing powers of the city is limited to twenty per cent. of its assessment. Consequently for every million dollars of assessment exempted, there would be a curtailment of \$200,000 in the city's capital. To reduce the Grand Trunk Pacific's assessment from \$7,200,000 to \$333,000,—for that is relatively what Mr. Hays' offer of \$5,000 per year means—would mean a shrinkage in the city's borrowing powers of \$139,000. There is nothing in the situation which requires the city to sacrifice \$139,000 of its potential capital in order to mollify the Grand Trunk Pacific.

The plea was raised by two aldermen that several industrial corporations were waiting for the assessment deadlock to be settled before coming into the city. But will they come if the difficulty is settled by the citizens assuming the railway company's burden of taxation? The question requires no written answer. It is self evident.

If, as is claimed, industrial corporations are in a state of hesitation, it is to make sure that they will not be called to take up more than their fair share of taxation. It is a factor in the situation that should make the aldermen more than ever anxious not to rush into a hasty and ill-advised settlement.

Several interests show signs of being obsessed by the railway company without there being any occasion for panic. At this stage of the proceeding no one need administer an opiate to his reflective faculties. The issues in the assessment of the Grand Trunk are very well understood by the highly paid brains in the employ of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. It is necessary that the citizens should also realize how far reaching any settlement may be.

A question is never settled, unless it is settled right.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP SPREADING

The cause of municipal ownership is spreading in old Ontario. The Toronto city council has inaugurated a movement to have the Provincial Government purchase the Bell Telephone company's lines in Ontario. Petitions to that effect are in circulation and other municipalities will be asked to co-operate. The excessive and discriminating rates charged by the company have long been a bugbear. Toronto is also so impatient to have a municipal street car service, that it is talking of buying out the present company, instead of waiting for the eleven years of its franchise to run out.

Why should Alderman Hilditch have such an aversion to anyone whose name ends in "vitch"? Only the difference between a "d" and a "v" keeps him out of the family.

HE MAY ENTER POLITICS

B. A. McNab Retires From Editorial Staff of Montreal Star

Monreal, Nov. 7.—Interesting developments are said to be pending in newspaper circles in Montreal over the retirement of B. A. McNab, managing editor of the Star. What Mr. McNab's plans are is a matter of conjecture. It is rumored that his retirement from the Star was part of a plan made by Sir Hugh Graham with Lord Northcliffe, by which Sir Hugh was to let Mr. McNab go in order that he might assist in the tariff movement, so dear to the hearts of both Lord Northcliffe and Sir Hugh.

Despite Sir Hugh's profession of ignorance of Mr. McNab's plans, it is generally believed that the latter will enter political life.

Brings Cargo of Brick

The steamer Venture is unloading ten thousand brick and a quantity of shingles for the Union Transfer company.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER

G. T. P. INN - PHONE 95

Steamer Senator's First Visit

The Pacific Coast company's steamer Senator put in this morning, on her way from the north, taking the place of the Cottage City. She took thirty passengers from here, among them being J. W. Kelly, A. C. Powell, T. Rosie, Jack Seguin, Ray S. Congdon, F. Crandell, James Knox, Captain and Mrs. Jackman and about twenty steerage passengers.

Will Visit Edmonton

C. Planitz, of the B. C. Real Estate Syndicate, will shortly pay a visit to Edmonton, where he has considerable real estate interests. After a short holiday Mr. Planitz intends to spend some months on business in the south, and may not return to Prince Rupert until spring. Mr. Kissick will be in charge of the office in Prince Rupert.

Condensed Advertisements.

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

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

DON'T Hawk Your Lots! If the price is right I have the buyers. Chas. M. Wilson, Alder Block. 149-wi

FOR LEASE—For rooming house. Fifteen rooms with bath and all conveniences, in centre of business district, rent reasonable. W. J. Alder, Alder Block. 152-158

FOR LEASE—Store 24 x 50 with or without basement, on 3rd Ave. near 8th St., will be arranged to suit tenant. W. J. Alder, Alder Block. 152-158

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

FOR Sale at a Bargain.—Gramophone and records. Apply G. R. T. Sawle, Optimist Office

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

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

TO LET—Fine office suite of three or four rooms, also one single office for \$15. W. J. Alder, Alder Block. 152-158

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Young lady to clerk in grocery store in city, light work, hours from 9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m., state salary expected. Apply at once P.O. Box 100, City. 155-158

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

WANTED—Old woollen rags and underclothes. Highest price paid. Apply J. H. Hoffa Co., No. 18 Fifth Street. Telephone 128 blue. P. O. Box 650. 148-tf

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

To Water Takers

Parties having private services which are not protected from frost are notified that the pipes must be properly covered forthwith. All such services will be inspected by the Waterworks Foreman on the 14th inst. and those which have not been covered will be cut off. WM. MAHLON DAVIS, Supt. 156-159

Liquor Act, 1910 (Section 42)

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the St. Ives Hotel, situate at Masset, Q. C. I., in the Province of British Columbia. Dated this 10th day of October, 1910. ARTHUR IVES, Applicant.

Oct. 10-30d

Liquor Act, 1910 (Section 42)

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Caledonia Hotel situated at Port Essington, B. C., in the Province of British Columbia. Dated October 13th, 1910. SUSAN KIRBY

Oct. 14-30d

FOR RENT

- 4-room flat, 3rd Avenue, near 8th St., very central.....\$30 per month
- 4-room flat, Summit Avenue and Taylor St., partly furnished....\$30 month
- 4 four-room flats, 8th Ave. and Thompson St.....\$10, \$12, \$15 month
- 2-room flat, Summit and Taylor St., very cosy, water, etc....\$15 month
- 7-room house, corner 7th Avenue and Green St., water connections, linoleums, etc.....\$30 month

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HOTEL ARRIVALS

Hotel Premier

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- R. F. Congdon
- Dr. Foster, Vancouver
- H. Kahn, Blumberg
- W. F. Cooke, Vancouver
- T. F. Sutherland, Vancouver
- Mrs. S. Traynor and children
- E. E. Partons, Porcher Island
- R. A. Harlow
- Chas. C. Perry, Metlakatla
- Wm. Ryan, Hazelton
- S. Washlop, Spokane
- John Bartlett
- H. H. Harris, Hazelton
- A. Faulkner, Hazelton
- S. Traynor, Kitselas

SALVATION ARMY QUARTERS

Will Be Ready for Occupancy By Next Week

The work of erecting the Salvation Army quarters at the head of Sixth street is making rapid progress. Ensign Johnstone and staff expect to be in occupancy of the residential portion of the buildings by next week.

The hall is rapidly approaching completion, and will be finished and furnished by the last week of November.

The opening ceremony will take place about the first week of December, when a party of prominent Salvation Army leaders will be present from Vancouver.

The Salvation Army services in the Majestic theatre attract growing crowds. Over two hundred attended the theatre service last Sunday and the open air services continue to gather good crowds.

Fined Five and Frills

George Hall admitted in the police court this morning that he had been drunk last night. He was fined five dollars and costs, and allowed ten days in which to pay. It was his first appearance.

Toronto Against Reciprocity

Toronto, Nov. 6.—The Toronto board of trade, at a largely attended meeting this afternoon, unanimously resolved that "reciprocity with the United States under present conditions would be inopportune and undesirable."

S. A. Captain Visits Stewart

Captain Kerr, of the Salvation Army Prince Rupert corps, leaves the city this afternoon to pay a visit to Stewart in connection with Salvation Army affairs there. He will be absent for a few days.

Masset Sawmill Sold

E. Harris who has been conducting the sawmills at Masset recently has just disposed of them to W. J. Cooke. Mr. Harris was in the city today and goes to Vancouver this week on business.

Home Made Candy

Another large consignment of fresh home made candy has been received at Keeley's Drug Store. The list includes the most popular varieties such as nut taffys, creams, chocolate, etc. This home made candy is pure.

Notice

Am now prepared to do all kinds of grinding, knives, scissors, etc. Keys made for all kinds of locks, and umbrellas repaired. Special attention to novelty work. Shop next to Talbot House in rear of shoe store. Second avenue, W. A. Miner, the One-arm Wonder. 155-161

THE WEATHER

Twenty-four hours ending 5 a. m., November 9.

MAX. TEMP.	MIN. TEMP.	BAR.	IN. RAIN
43.0	40.0	29.754	...

PORTLAND CANAL STOCKS.

Latest Quotations From Vancouver Exchange.

	BID	ASKED
Portland Canal	25	25 1-4
Stewart M. & D. Co.	2.40	3.00
Red Cliff	80	.88
Main Reef30

CHRISTMAS

Will Be Here in Seven Weeks

Have you decided on the Xmas gift or where you can purchase the best quality from the largest variety?

A call at our store will convince you that we are prepared to serve you best, as we handle only the highest standard of quality and a stock unsurpassed in cities four or five times the size of our city.

It is a pleasure to display our stock to anyone who will spare time to examine it.

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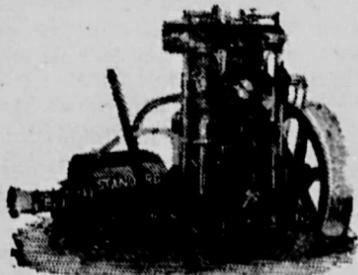
The Northern Pacific Railway

Will run a Special Pullman Tourist Sleeping Car, "Eighteen Section," Electric lighted, from Vancouver, B. C., and Seattle, Wash., Direct to Portland, Maine, connecting with White Star S. S. "Laurentic," sailing Dec. 3rd. Connections also made with the White Star S. S. "Celtic," 20,000 tons, sailing Dec. 3rd from New York; American Line S. S. "New York," sailing Dec. 3rd from New York.

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

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The gift that you are looking for is at Wark's Jewelry Store. Call and we will help you select it.

NEW CANADIAN PRESS

Optimist Readers May Hope for Better Telegraphic Service Shortly

(Special to the Optimist)

Toronto, Nov. 9.—The representatives of the Canadian daily newspapers who have been in conference for some days, have completed arrangements for launching a new company to be called the Canadian Press, Limited. This will control the associated press service of Canada and will begin operations on the first of next year. On the British Columbia and Yukon board of directors are John Nelson, of the Victoria Colonist and Vancouver News-Advertiser, and R. H. Hill of the Vancouver World.

PRINCE RUPERT DRYDOCK

Lot of Red Tape May Delay Construction Work for a Time

(Special to the Optimist)

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—The plans for the proposed government drydocks at Montreal and Prince Rupert have been put in and will be referred to the Canadian branch of the imperial navy. After this the plans will be sent to England. There they go first to the Board of Trade and then to the Admiralty. Then the chief engineer makes his final recommendations. It is likely that both propositions will be reported as calling for a second class subsidy.

Some men think they are going ahead because they dodge around so much. If you can whittle your convictions down men will soon see your real motives.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one mile east of E. Noble's coal application Shingle Bay, Moresby Island, and marked "E. Noble's N. W. Corner," thence running east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Located this 17 day of September, 1910.
ELLA NOBLE, Locator
O. W. Rafuse, Agent
Pub. October 1.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land:
Commencing at a post planted on the foreshore of Shingle Bay, Moresby Island, about one mile south of Sand Spit, and marked "Ella Noble's S. W. Corner," thence running east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
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Commencing at a post planted two miles south of Ella Noble's coal application No. 8, Shingle Bay, Moresby Island, and marked "Ella Noble's N. W. Corner," thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
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Located this 17 day of September, 1910.
ELLA NOBLE, Locator
O. W. Rafuse, Agent
Pub. October 1.

Queen Charlotte Islands District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:
Commencing at a post planted one-fourth mile west side of Hona River, covering Section 22 Township 4, thence 80 chains, west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated Oct. 11, 1910.
WILSON GOWING
Pub. Oct. 18.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:
Commencing at a post planted one and one-fourth miles from Slate Chuck creek north, adjoining A. Gowing's Coal License No. 00, covering Section 29, Township 4, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Oct. 11, 1910.
WILSON GOWING
Pub. Oct. 18.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:
Commencing at a post planted one and one-fourth mile from Slate Chuck creek north, adjoining A. Gowing's Coal License No. 00, covering Section 29, Township 4, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Oct. 11, 1910.
WILSON GOWING
Pub. Oct. 18.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, Wilson Gowing of Vancouver, occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on 640 acres of land:
Commencing at a post planted a quarter of a mile from Slate Chuck creek, west, adjoining A. Gowing's Coal License No. 00, covering Section 19, Township 4, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Oct. 11, 1910.
WILSON GOWING
Pub. Oct. 18.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
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Commencing at a post planted a quarter of a mile from Slate Chuck creek, west and adjoining A. Gowing's Coal License No. 00, covering Section 18, Township 4, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Oct. 11, 1910.
WILSON GOWING
Pub. Oct. 18.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that Mary Wilkerson, of Victoria married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted three miles north and one mile west from the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 23, 1910.
MARY WILKERSON
Arthur Robertson, Agent
Pub. Sept. 1.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that James McAdam Christie, of Prince Rupert, bank manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted three miles north and one mile west of the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 23, 1910.
JAMES McADAM CHRISTIE
Arthur Robertson, Agent
Pub. Sept. 1.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Clayton Aldridge of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the right bank of the Kinakooch River, about two miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-east corner thereof, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.
Date Aug. 16, 1910.
CLAYTON ALDRIDGE
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that William Gale of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one mile west of a point on the Kinakooch River, two miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-east corner thereof, 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.
Date Aug. 16, 1910.
WILLIAM GALE
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that George Lewis of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation money lender, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 70 chains west of a point on the Kinakooch River about four miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-east corner thereof, 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.
Date Aug. 17, 1910.
GEORGE LEWIS
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Chas. Sarrazon of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation plumber, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 70 chains west of a point on the Kinakooch River, about four miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-west corner thereof, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.
Date Aug. 17, 1910.
CHAS. SARRAZON
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Joseph Donnelly of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 150 chains west of a point on the Kinakooch River, about four miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-east corner thereof, 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.
Date Aug. 17, 1910.
JOSEPH DONNELLY
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Frank Bishop of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 140 chains west of a point on the Kinakooch River, about five miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-east corner thereof, 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.
Date Aug. 17, 1910.
FRANK BISHOP
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Charles M. Baxter of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation barrister, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains west of a point on the Kinakooch River, about six miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-west corner thereof, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.
Date Aug. 18, 1910.
CHARLES M. BAXTER
John Dybhavn, Agent
Pub. Sept. 7.

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

"That women should have the vote" was the verdict given last evening by the Presbyterian Club, as a result of their debate on woman suffrage.

The woman's side of the question was ably upheld by Mrs. D. McLeod and Mrs. B. R. Harrison while the negative speakers were Mr. Sloan and Mr. Gallop.

Mrs. McLeod, the leader for the affirmative, argued that woman intellectually is equal if not superior to man, and that she can rule as well out of the home as in the home. Although some women may not feel the need of the franchise, she said, these should not stand in the way of those who desired it.

Mr. Sloan quoted from a popular ladies' magazine and this finally proved his undoing. After a general discussion of the question by both sides a standing vote gave the decision to the affirmative.

The meeting was the largest and most enthusiastic in the Club's history.

Some Household Hints

A few drops of ammonia in water will take the grease off dishpans; a little put into warm water for washing paint will make it look like new.

When jelly is put into a kettle to boil drop in a small agate marble. It will keep in constant motion in the bottom of the kettle and prevent burning.

The long celluloid collar stiffeners sold at notion counters are useful to give body to the floppy brims of children's hats, especially those made of linen.

When steel knives and forks have become tainted with fish they can be rubbed with fresh orange or lemon peel, and the taint will disappear entirely.

Beauty doctors are now reinforcing the claims of vegetarians with a theory that meat hastens the approach of old age, and that fruit impedes the aging process.

After washing windows or mirrors, dampen a cloth with alcohol and rub them vigorously, if you would have a brilliant polish.

On Ironing Day

A few of the essentials to the ironing table, besides the table itself and the irons, are an ironstand, an ironholder with an asbestos lining, a bit of beeswax tied up in a piece of cheesecloth, a bowl of warm water with a sponge or a piece of soft linen with which may be dampened scallops and edgings which have become too dry to iron well, a piece of paper folded with several thicknesses on which to test the heat of the iron, and to wipe any black smirch from it.

The Kilt For Boys

To the discussion of "clothing reform," which was dealt with at the conference of Women Workers, in London, Dr. James Cantlie puts in, by way of footnote, a strong plea for the kilt as a healthy garment for growing boys. It is not the national predilections of a patriotic Scotsman that has brought the doctor to this view; but his experience and observation as a medical man. Dr. Cantlie points out that boys of even the well-to-do are not apparently improving in physique. How often do we observe, says he, a family consisting of an average-sized mother, of tall, well-set-up girls, and of rather ill-developed, often weakly-looking boys? The difference in clothing is largely responsible for this state of things. Nowadays, quite young boys and girls are not clothed alike as formerly. "At an earlier age than used to be the case boys are taken out of frocks and put into "suits." A "sailor suit" made of thin serge for the winter

and cotton for summer wear is affected by the majority, and the underclothing consists of close fitting "combinations," reaching but a short way down the thighs. "This, Dr. Cantlie urges with emphasis, "is an insufficient covering for a growing boy." It is all the fault of the indulgent modern mother who is anxious to see her infant boy look a "little man."

Forty years ago the dress of boys until the age of eight was practically the same as that of girls. Dr. Cantlie points out that the kilt is the favorite dress of the royal princes, and urges that were British mothers in all grades of society, "to follow the example set by the royal family in this as in other features of family life, it would be well for the nation."

Degrees Women Are Taking

Another subject discussed by the conference was that of the position of women in the universities.

Miss Beatrice Edgell, M. A., Ph.D., Lecturer on Philosophy at Bedford College (University of London), read a paper on "The Position of Women in the University of London, the Provincial Universities, and the University of Wales." Quoting figures compiled from information furnished by the registrars of the universities concerned, she said the number of graduates was the highest for the degree of B. A. Over 2,000 women had graduated in arts. In medicine and surgery over 400 women had taken the London degrees; a few had qualified at Manchester; some at Durham, others at Birmingham, and two at Bristol. One woman had graduated in theology, five in law, and two as doctor of laws. Birmingham gave them a doctor of philosophy, Manchester a master of technology, and London a bachelor of science (agriculture). In each of the universities there were women working as teachers in the faculties of arts, medicine, science, or economics. In any university where the life was open to men and women on equal terms women were bound to resist any effort to attach to their teaching a scale of payment lower than that in use for men. They must resist this or abjure the very faith which had opened the gates of university life to them—belief in the meaning and value of university training.

LUMBER ON THE STREETS

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"That city light seems a long time coming," said a well-known citizen the other day to the Optimist. "But it's not so much the lack of light that troubles me, as the abundance of loose lumber scattered on the streets in certain parts of the city. I could take you to several places now where timbers are piled anyhow in a manner calculated to trip up anyone passing in the darkness, and pitch him off the plankway altogether.

"The other night I fell heavily myself, and in groping round the place to find what had tripped me I found a telephone pole stretched pretty nearly straight across the street. I don't know why lumber should be strewn about on the thoroughfares like this but I do know that the system is a source of danger to pedestrians in the darkness, and I should not be at all surprised if the city were sued for damages some day over this matter by someone who has been injured."

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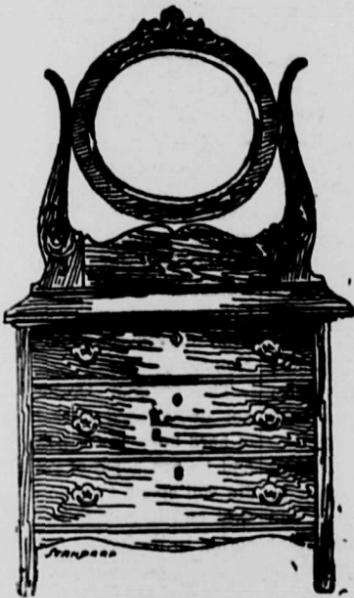
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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that John Henley, of Chilliwack, engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one mile north from the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 23, 1910. JOHN HENLEY
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that John W. Morris, of Victoria, gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and one mile south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. JOHN W. MORRIS
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that Jeannie Lothian, of Vancouver, spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile west and one mile south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. JEANNIE LOTHIAN
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that Minnie Menzie, of Vancouver, spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and three miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. MINNIE MENZIE
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that George McIntyre Gibbs, of Vancouver, financial agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and three miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. GEO. MCINTYRE GIBBS
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that William Edward Fisher, of Prince Rupert, solicitor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile west and three miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. WM. EDWARD FISHER
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that Robert Sangster, of Victoria, bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and three miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. ROBERT SANGSTER
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that John Thaw, of Victoria, engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and three miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. JOHN THAW
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that George Dyer Ramsey, of Victoria, machinist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile west and three miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. GEORGE DYER RAMSEY
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that William Charles Moresby, of Victoria, lawyer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and four miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. WILLIAM CHARLES MORESBY
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that Elizabeth Mary Gibbs, of Vancouver, married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile east and four miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. ELIZABETH MARY GIBBS
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that William Burns, of Victoria, customs official, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about half a mile west and four miles south of the south-east corner of T. L. 37,045, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 22, 1910. WILLIAM BURNS
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that George H. Robertson, of Victoria, gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted three miles north and one mile west of the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 23, 1910. GEORGE H. ROBERTSON
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I. Jeanie Wilkerson, of Victoria, stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted one mile north and one mile west of the north-west corner of T. L. 39,762, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Date July 23, 1910. JEANIE WILKERSON
Pub. Sept. 1. Arthur Robertson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Frank Mordaunt, of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the left bank of the Tehitit River, about three miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the north-west corner thereof, 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.
Date Aug. 14, 1910. FRANK MORDUAUNT
Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that John I. O'Phelan, of South Bend, Wash., occupation lawyer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and four miles east of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 13, 1910. JOHN I. O'PHELAN
Pub. Sept. 15. 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:
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 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 James Sammon, of Graceville, Minnesota, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted two miles north of the mouth of an inlet, which point is about ten miles south and two miles west of End Hill, Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Aug. 11, 1910. JAMES SAMMON
Pub. Sept. 15. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Chas. A. Edwards, of Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., occupation printer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains west of a point on the Kinskooch River about five miles from its confluence with the Naas River, said post being at the south-west corner thereof, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.
Date Aug. 17, 1910. CHAS. A. EDWARDS
Pub. Sept. 7. John Dybhavn, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that Mabel Corbett, 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 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 south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Sept. 7, 1910. MABEL CORBETT
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that John Anderson, of Seattle, Wash., occupation grocer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about three 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.
Date Sept. 7, 1910. JOHN ANDERSON
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Banks Island
Take notice that Dominica Alberigi, of Seattle, Wash., occupation grocer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about two miles south from End Hill, Banks Island, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Date Sept. 9, 1910. DOMINICA ALBERIGI
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.
Date September 7, 1910. SARAH BERRY
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5
Take notice that William McPhee, of Lakelse, B. C., occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of John Furlong's pre-emption, thence east 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 20 chains along Lake shore to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.
Date Aug. 20, 1910. WILLIAM MCPHEE
Pub. Sept. 7

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.
Date Sept. 7, 1910. MAURICE L. GIBSON
Pub. Oct. 11. B. L. Tingley, Agent

WHAT'S IN A NAME

TWENTY DOLLARS IS OFFERED FOR A GOOD ONE

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Conditions are as follows: Contest open to the world. The name must be one word, not to exceed ten letters, and a reason given why the contestant considers it an appropriate name. The contest closes on Friday, November 25th, at six o'clock p. m.

Address all communications to either W. S. Benson, or the Law-Butler Co., Prince Rupert, B. C.

SHELDON'S ASSETS SMALL

His Creditors May Get About Half a Cent on Dollar

Montreal, Nov. 5.—That Sheldon's assets will run about one-half cent on the dollar is the conclusion arrive at by the liquidators, Wilks and Burnett. The assets are \$2,000 and the liabilities half a million. In Saturday's "Boston American," Sheldon had a large display advertisement which was contracted for about a month ago. From this it would appear as if he meant to leave when he did. Its effects were at once felt, for this morning's mail from Boston brought a number of letters from the readers of the "American" who seek information about Mr. Sheldon and his operations.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that Robert Baker of Beaver Point, Salt Spring Island, occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 50 chains distant and in a northwesterly direction from the junction of the Skeena and Exchamsiks rivers, being the northwest corner of Lot 533, thence east 60 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 480 acres more or less.
August 4, 1910. ROBERT BAKER
Pub. August 26. J. E. M. Rogers, Agent

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that James Patterson of Victoria, B. C., occupation hotel keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about six and a half miles distant and in a northwesterly direction from the mouth of the Exchamsiks River about 15 chains south of the river, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.
August 4, 1910. JAMES PATTERSON
Pub. August 26. J. E. M. Rogers, Agent

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that Ernest Ferguson of Victoria, B. C., occupation hotel keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted two and a half miles distant and in an easterly direction from the junction of the Skeena and Exchamsiks rivers on the north bank of the Skeena, thence north 60 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 40 chains to the Skeena River, thence following the banks of the Skeena about 60 chains to the point of commencement, containing 300 acres more or less.
August 5, 1910. ERNEST FERGUSON
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GOLD WAS FOUND AFTER HE QUIT

HARD LUCK PERSISTS IN TRAILING WILLIAM THOMPSON

For Twelve Years He Has Been Either Too Early or Too Late for All the Big Gold Discoveries in Alaska—Will Try Again.

Seattle, Nov. 7.—William Thompson, an Oregon miner, who has spent twelve years in Alaska in search of wealth, probably has the prize hard luck story when it comes to discussing big gold strikes. Leaving Astoria, Ore., in May, 1898, Thompson and his partners landed on the Nome beach, which afterward yielded millions of dollars worth of yellow metal. He was located at Sirock, twenty-seven miles from Nome, for a long time before the immensely rich strikes were made on Anvil Creek. He located some claims there, but none turned out to be exceptional.

Disappointed with his work in these two districts, Thompson went to the Kotzebue Sound, where he prospected for a year. Returning to Behring Sea, he learned of the big strikes of gold in the vicinity of Nome beach, but they were too late to look for a grub-stake on the beach. Their disgust was greatly increased a year later when another rich discovery was made in the Kotzebue Sound country on Candle Creek and other rich gold-bearing streams. They missed the strike by returning to Nome.

The veteran Oregon prospector is not discouraged after his twelve years of hard labor in the goldfields of Alaska, and he has hopes of yet striking it rich. He will spend the winter in the Northwest and intends to return North in the spring to do further prospecting.

CALGARY PAPER SOLD

Jess Dorman Purchased Daily News, Which Was Bankrupt

Calgary, Alta., Nov. 5.—This afternoon the tenders for the Daily News Publishing company were opened. The highest tender of \$23,500 made by Jess Dorman of the Weekly Optimist was accepted.

The preferred and secured claims of the company amounted to \$18,960 at the time of liquidation and now will reach perhaps \$19,000.

Big Price For Raw Prairie

Regina, Sask., Nov. 7.—A big land deal was put through here today by which 4,000 acres of raw prairie were disposed of to J. F. Ogden, of Saskatoon, and W. B. Davis, of Moose Jaw. The price paid was \$55,000 or about \$14 per acre. The land is situated south of Rosetown in the Goose Lake district. It is the intention of the purchasers to commence farming operations on a large scale.

The Washington Cafe is installing more tables, and by Friday will be serving meals, family style, at \$1.00 per day. You will hear of the BIG FEED.

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