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RECIPROCITY DEBATE IS IN PROGRESS AT OTTAWA

Fielding Denies That Attempt Is Being Made to Rush Reciprocity Agreement Through the House---Opponents Working Against Canada Beating Drum of Imperialism

(Special to the Optimist)

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—The promised debate on the reciprocity resolutions had an unexpected beginning in the House of Commons this afternoon. It was noticeable that while the Conservatives were there in force, and the galleries were filled with eager listeners, there was a psarce attendance on the government side of the House. The explanation was soon forthcoming. Mr. Monk rose and moved an amendment asking that the consideration of the reciprocity proposals be postponed on the ground that sufficient time had not been given to a proper consideration of them. This amendment did not carry, however After a brief debate the resolution was defeated by 25, the vote being 97 against and 72 for.

After the amendment had been thus disposed of Mr. Fielding rose to speak to the proposal before the House. He did not agree that the House was being rushed into a consideration of the matter. Everyone knew that that was not the case. He went on to explain that there was nothing new in the proposed agreement. It was mainly the treaty of 1854. The opponents of the treaty, he said, were working against the best interests of Canada and were beating the big drum of imperialism to cover up their action.

He quoted the Ottawa Citizen which remarks that it is insulting the intelligence o the people to claim that the acceptance of trade relations with the United States was interfering with the loyalty of the Canadian people.

WRECKAGE SIGHTED

Lumber Believed to Be Part of Vessel's Rail

Victoria, Feb. 9.—A report from the Carmanah says that there is a large quantity of lumber, believed to be part of the railing of the vessel floating off the island close to the coast between Cloo-ee and Nitinat. The lumber was sighted by Lighthkeeper Daykin.

SHIPPING REPORTS

From the Dominion Government Wireless Stations

(8 A. M.

Triangle—Dense fog, raining, south west 68 miles. Bar. 29.27, temp. 34. Spoke Alameda 6.25 p.m. off Cape Cook, spoke Jefferson 8 p.m. north of Queen Charlotte Sound south bound.

Ikeda—Raining, south east. Bar. 29.10, temp. 33. Heavy swell.

Point Grey—Raining, south east. Bar. 29.51. temp. 43.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy, south east gale. Bar. 29.45, themp. 40. Sea moderate.

Tatoosh—Light rain, north east, 24 miles. Bar. 29.42. temp. 43. Passed out steamer Talac 6.30 p.m. Passed in steamer at 5.20 p.m. Out bound in steamer Maverick.

Estevan—Cloudy, south east gale. Bar. 29.00, temp. 40. Sea rough.

Pachena—Cloudy, south east. Bar. 29.33, temp. 31. Sea moderate.

AMENDMENT TO ADDRESS LOST

CHAMBERLAIN MOTION COMES A VERY HEAVY CROPPER

After a Lengthy Debate the Amendment Was Put Out of Business by 334 Votes to 222—A Coalition Majority.

(Special to the Optimist)

London, Feb. 10.—The amendment to the address was introduced yesterday in the House of Commons by Mr. Austin Chamberlain. In his remarks he urged fiscal reform making special reference to the proposed Canadian American reciprocity treaty. After a lengthy debate in which all the prominent men of both parties took part the amdendment was rejected by 334 votes to 222. The Labor and Nationalist party voted with the government.

SIXTEEN FEET WATER IN HOLD

VICTORIA REACHES CORDOVA RUNNING UNDER SLOW BELL

Her Nose Was Deep in the Water as She Made the Landing—Hull Badly Rent at Number Two Hold.

(Special to the Optimist)

Cordova, Feb. 9.—Running under slow bell with her nose deep in the water the steamer Victoria which went on the rocks last night arrived here late today. She had 16 feet of water in number two hold where there was a large steel hole in the hull.

YOUNG LIBERALS TONIGHT

Meeting Will Be Held in K. of P. Hall, not McInytres

Owing to a misunderstanding, the Young Liberals rally which takes place tonight, had been advertiseed to take place in McIntyre's Hall. This is in error. The rally will be held in the K. of P. Hall in the Helgerson Block. A large number of the most promising young men of Prince Rupert are to be present to take part in the organization, and all progressive young men are invited to join the association and benefit by its educational program.

PRICE ELLISON TO FACE AN ACTION FOR LIBEL

Western Graingrowers Are After Him---He Admits He Spoke Without Knowledge---B.C. Lumbermen to Withdraw Opposition to the Reciprocity Treaty

(Special to the Optimist)

Victoria, Feb. 9.—In the House today the Hon. Price Ellison backed out ungracefully from his statement in regard to the grain growers having Mr. J. J. Hill behind them when they went to Ottawa. On a question of privilege he explained to the House that he had only been quoting a rumor when he referred to the matter in his speech, and was not making any statement as to its veracity.

Word was received in the city today from Winnipeg to the effect that the Manitoba Grain Growers have entered a suit for libel against Mr. Ellison on account of the statements he made upon the subject.

Among the supporters of Mr. Ellison it is believed that he only repeated the rumor. He did so on the floor of the House with member's privilege. They do not take the matter seriously. The time of the House was taken up with routine matters only.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The opponents of the reciprocity agreement between Canada and the United States received a terrible jolt today when it was announced that the British Columbia lumbermen will withdraw their opposition to the ratification of the treaty. This is the statement made here today by John Hendry, the vice-president of the Canadian Lumbermen's Association. The annual convention of the association is being held here at the moment and of course the reciprocity proposals are coming in for a great share of the discussion. Coming from Mr. Hendry the announcement has considerable weight. It would appear that the lumbermen's grievance is not that the agreement will interfere with their profits but that it will not swell them quite so much as they anticipated. While it is thought that shingles should be free they consider that the reduction from fifty to thirty cents will be a distinct gain.

WILD MAN FROM ONTARIO FOREST

CAUGHT AND TAKEN OFF TO KENORA ASYLUM

Lived in Crevice in Rocks for Last Four Years—Was Greatly Feared by Railway Construction and Lumber Men.

(Special to the Optimist)

Fort William, Feb. 9.—Wild as the denizens of the new Ontario forest, which had been his sole companions for the last four years, John Beck, of some forty years old, garbed in a rudely fashioned coat and trousers made of skins, was taken through here today from Vermillion Bay, about a hundred miles north west of the city, to Kenora where he was committed to the institution for the violently insane.

Since 1907 Beck had lived in the wilds of the forest. His place of abode was a crevice in the rocks, twenty miles distant from the nearest dwelling. Until a few days ago he was not known by name. He lived his lonely life among the rocks and brushwood, and what he ate he killed. He was greatly feared by the G. T. P. construction men and lumber men who operated in the district. Despite his age he was very fleet of foot, and wary as an untamed beast. He would suffer no one to approach him. When anyone ventured to come near he would vanish into the brushwood.

Realising the dangerous possibilities of having such a man at large the police decided to have him stowed away. After a long and arduous chase he was finally captured by C. P. R. Constable Ball and the Dominion constable of Ignace. Beck put up a desperate struggle for freedom but failed to make it. He fed on raw fish, rabbits and fowl, which he snared or killed with stone clubs. In the primitive home which nature had fashioned for him there was only a pile of dry leaves, a few dried skins and a pile of stones.

LLOYD GEORGE IN ILL HEALTH

POSSIBLE THAT HE MAY HAVE TO RESIGN PORTFOLIO

He is Suffering from Nervous Prostration and is Taking a Much Needed Rest—All England Has Anxious Eyes on Him.

(Special to the Optimist)

Naples, Italy, Feb. 9.—It is regarded here as probable that Mr. D. Lloyd George, the Chancellor of the Exchequor, may be compelled to resign his portfolio owing to ill health. At the present time he is suffering from nervous prostration and is taking a much needed rest. All England turns an anxious ear to hear the varying reports of his condition and the probabilities and the possibilities of his retirement from office.

LIBERALS WIN IN CHARLOTTETOWN

BY-ELECTION RETURNS CANDIDADTE BY 33 MAJORITY

G. W. McPhee, Barrister, Was Successful Over J. H. Burton—Election Carried Great Excitement in Second District of Queen County.

(Special to the Optimist)

Charlottetown, Feb. 9.—Considerable excitement prevailed during the by-election in the second district of Queen's County. The Liberal candidate, George W. McPhee, barrister, defeated the Conservative, John H. Burton, by a majority of 33 votes. At the previous election the standing of the parties was Liberals 14, Conservatives 14. The return of the opposition candidate would have meant a general election.

The Daughters of the Empire will hold a meeting in St. Andrew's Hall on Saturday at 4 p.m.

ENGINE CREW RESPONSIBLE

FOR WRECK ON THE GRAND TRUNK LINE

Warrants Have Been Issued for the Arrest of Conductor Meachen and Engineer Erith—Evidence Proves That They Exceeded Orders.

(Special to the Optimist)

Brantford, Feb. 9.—The jury empannelled to investigate the circumstances of the recent collision on the Grand Trunk line at Dr mmond have found that Conductor Meachen and Engineer Erith, who were in charge of the light engine were responsible for the wreck. Warrants have been issued for their arrest. From the evidence adduced at the investigation it was found that the men overran their orders else the tragedy would not have occurred.

MANY ARRESTS AT OXFORD

POLITICAL SCANDAL LEADS TO PROMPT ACTION

Police Took Sepedy Action in Order to Prevent Any of the Suspects from Quitting the City—Convincing Evidence Obtained.

(Special to the Optimist)

Woodstock, Ont., Feb. 10.—The Oxford police net was thrown out this afternoon and gathered in a goodly number of the leading figures in the Oxford graft investigations. Quick action was taken in apprehending M. T. Buchan, Byron McCarthy, and John Young. The last named is charged with offering money to the late jailor, Cameron, for his job. The arrests were startling in their suddenness as the government wished to get the men before they could quit. It is believed the crown is in possession of sufficient evidence to convict the prisoners.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN VANCOUVER

MURDER AND SUICIDE IN SECOND AVENUE CABIN

Two Neighboring Workmen Quarrelled—One Shot the Other and Then Shot Himself With Fatal Effect in Both Cases.

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, Feb. 9.—Murder and suicide was the headline in this city today a the result of a fatal quarrel between two neighbours. Jack Follet, formerly an employee on the city street gang, shot and killed Samuel Norris, a well digger, and then turned the gun on himself and made a double tragedy of the business. Norris was killed outright but Follet survived the shooting for a few hours. He was rushed to the hospital but death jumped in and defeated justice.

The shooting took place in a little cabin on Second avenue, Fairview, shortly after eight o'clock this morning. The sound of the gun brought out a great many people to the scene. The cabin was closed but after being satisfied that that was the place in which the shooting had occurred the police forced the door open and discovered both men lying in a pool of blood on the floor.

The cause of the trouble between the two men is not definitely known but it is stated that they had quarrelled over something. How they came to be in the cabin together is also unexplained.

Eight Yards of Petition

Washington, Feb. 10.—(Special)—A remarkable petition has been received here by the Postmaster from the citizens of Fairbanks, Alaska, requesting the establishment of a postal saving's bank. The petition is twenty-four feet long.

St. Andrew's Society

The regular meeting of the St. Andrew's Society will be held in the Carpenter's Hall to-night at 8 p.m.

We have received Two Carloads of Canned Fruits and Vegetables. They are of the highest grade and quality, every can 1910 pack. They were bought at a price which cannot be duplicated this year.

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Corn, Peas and Beans	2 cans 25c
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= THE COSY CORNER =

DEVOTED PRINCIPALLY TO THE INTERESTS OF WOMEN

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

Social Notes

Mr. C. W. Peck left by the Vadso for Vancouver and Victoria.

Miss Craig who has been spending the past month with friends in Victoria has returned to the city.

The ladies' afternoon Bridge Club will meet on Monday at the residence of Mrs. R. L. M Intosh, Cliffside, Fourth avenue.

Mr. B. W. Browne left by the Prince George for Vancouver where he ill spend some time.

Miss Gleason entertained at a delightful Five Hundred party last Saturday evening. The prizes were won by Mrs Sweet and Mr. Trocher.

Mr. J. E. Gilmore left on Thursday for California, where he will spend a month.

Mr. W. Hurger, who has spent the past week in the city has returned to Vancouver.

Judge Young returned to the city on Wednesday after spendin the past two months in Victoria and Nanaimo.

Mrs. R. A. McMordie will receive on the Third Thursday of each month.

Women's Suffrage in France

France, which has already got suffrage for me , has so far had no women electors, municipal or national A bill, is, however, now before the chamber to remedy this defect in the Constitution, and when it passes, as it seems likely to do speedily, Frenchwomen will have the right to vote for and be elected to the municipal and departmental councils. The Commission of the Chamber, whose report emphatically endorses the women's demand, takes in detail all the anti-suffragist arguments which controversy has made us familiar with.

The argument that women, not being able to fight have no right to vote—an argument which one might suppose had a superficial show of reason in a country whose troops are recruited by conscription—is dismissed with the perfect answer that physical unfitness which debars thousands of Frenchmen every year from a military service does not disenfranchise them. It might be added, there as here, that the clergy vote but do not fight. And in France, too, officers, though they answer completely the fighting test, have no vote. "It must be remembered, too," adds the report, "that women are the mothers of soldiers." The political constitution of France makes the grant of the municipal and departmental franchise an even nearer step to the full franchise than it is here.

As there is no property qualification, marriage will make no difference, and in France all married women, whether they are property-holders or not, will have the vote. More important still is the fact that by the bill women become eligible for seats on councils and can become senatorial electors. Once they can exercise their votes to elect members of the second chamber of the state, they cannot long be denied their right to elect members of the chamber of deputies.

Schooling Not Essential

Higher education and culture are splendid attributes in any girl's equipment for life, but they are not a necessity in the business world. Many of the women who have reached acknowledged success in diffe ent lines of business had neither. They are selfmade women. They have worked their ay up by hard application and practical effort. Their power of assimilation has stood them in good stead. They have worked with their eyes open and their minds concentrated, and have absorbed the polish and culture that was theirs perhaps by birth, but which had been denied them by education.

A Needlework Hint

Just at present there is in all needlework a tendency to revive old designs that makes the use of old china particularly opportune. Those who have in the family—as who does not to some extent—very beautiful pieces of china will find if particularly pleasant to reproduce the designs.

On linen, white, cream or colored, the designs are very attractive wrought with colored thread in the same tones as those used on the china. The old willow pattern has been used most effectively on white linen for sash curtains in a girl's sitting room and also for pillows. If a large platter having the willow pattern be taken the embroiderer will find no difficulty in tracing the design. Part of the design may be chosen and other parts left out completely if one desires, and this single design may be repeated as often as the shape of the article to be embroidered demands.

Just Children

"I dream of just one thing—children—little children about the house. Ah, there's nothing to blush about in that It is a holy thought. Little children—in every woman's life there are only two great moments—when she gives her first kiss to her lover, and when she gives her first kiss to her own first child. Not much of a destiny, is it? But that is pretty near the sum total of our lives—and, Ardath, dear, the woman who misses them, no matter how much else she may do, how much else she m y succeed, she is still a failure"—Mrs. Wetherill in "Mother."

OUR DAILY RECIPE

Cream Pudding

One and a h lf pints of milk, three eggs, three tablespoonfuls of butter, one and a half tablespoonfuls of arrowroot, two heaping tablespoonfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful of lemon extract. Mix the arrowroot with a little cold milk till quite smooth, add lemon extract and stir the butter into it. Bring the rest of the milk to boiling point in a saucepan, and add the sugar, then pour it into the arrowroot, stirring well together. Beat the eggs well, stir them into the other ingredients, and pour the whole into a buttered pudding dish. This pudding should be baked in a moderate oven for about twenty minutes. It may be served with stewed fruit.

Baptist Brotherhood

Every Monday evening a band of young men meet for mutual benefit at the Baptist Brotherhood. An organization which has proved its worth among th young men of the city. Those who know that proficiency in public speaking is only acquired by hard practice, welcome the Borther ood as a means of helping a oung fellow to master the art of presenting his views competently on a subject. Any man is welcome to these meetings.

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Take notice that 30 days after date I, Ferdinand G. Tapert, farmer, o Skidegate, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 20 chains north of the southest corner of Lot 542, Graham Island, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres

Dated Nov. 14, 1910. FERDINAND G. TAPERT.
Pub Dec. 10.

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 thirteen miles north and three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 80, 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 Nov, 13, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

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Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 285, Graham Island, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres.

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Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

37.—Commencing at a post planted about two miles north of the northeast corner of Coal Licence No. 3475 marked J. M. S. W. Corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated Jan. 4, 1911. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. F. C. Elliott, Agent

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

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 northwest 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 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 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.

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 north and seven miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 70, T. R. D., N. E. corner, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 11, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. 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 thirteen miles north and five miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 77, 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.

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Notice

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an act to incorporate a company under the name of the "Naas and Peace River Railway Company" with power to build, construct, maintain and operate a railway of standard or narrow gauge to be operated by steam, electricity or other motive power from the head of Nasoga Gulf, in the Province of British Columbia, up the Naas River to its junction with the Kitmancool River, thence following the Kitmancool River easterly towards the Babine River, thence easterly up and along the Babine River to a point at or about its junction with the Neelkitkwa River, thence northerly and easterly to the Nation River, thence easterly along the Nation River to the Pine River, thence easterly along the Pine River and through the Pine River Pass to the easterly boundary of the Province of British Columbia; with power to build branch lines and with power to construct, acquire, own and maintain wharves and docks in connection therewith, and to construct, acquire, own charter, equip and maintain steam and other vessels and boats and to operate the same in navigatible waters and with all the powers given by the "model railway bill" and with other such powers and privileges usual or incidental to all or nay of the aforesaid purposes.

Dated the 20th day of December, A. D. 1910.

ALEXIS MARTIN,
Solicitor for the Applicants

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LABOR'S GREAT LEGAL BATTLE

INJUNCTION IS ON TRIAL IN THE U ITED STATES

Case Arises Out of the Sentence of Gompers, Morrison and Mitchell for Contempt in the Bucks Stove Case.

Washington, Feb 9.—One of the most s ectacular legal b tles ever waged between capital an organized labor has reached its final stages in the Supreme Court of the United States. Oral arguments have been hear in the famous litiga ion by the Bucks Stove and Range Com any of St. Louis, Mo., against the Ameri an Feder tion of Labor.

The contending forces started their fight to determine the legality of the "boycott." That was in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia; but when the c ntest was renewed before the Supreme Court of the United States, t e main issue had been crowde out of the limelight by an incidental one. Now, the burning issue is whether the princi al officials of he American Federation of Labor are to go to jail on charges of contempt of court.

Because they failed to obey the injunction iss e by the District Supreme Court in the original case, Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation, is under sentence to serve twelve onths in jail; John Mi chell, vi e-president of the Federatio , to se ve nine months; and Frank Mo rison, its se retary, to serve six months.

Fighting for the Americ n F deration of Labor and its officials are Alton B. Parker, former democratic presidential candidate; Jackso H. Ralston, Frederick L. Siddons, William E. Richardson and John T. Walker. Opposed t them as the representa ives of the Bucks Stove and Range Company ar Daniel Davenport and J. J. Darlington.

The Bucks Stove an Range Company was selling stoves and ranges throughout the United States at the time the suit began. It was doing a business of $1,250,000 a year. During its labor troubles the company s cured an injunction prohibiting the A. F. of L. from putting the company's name on the "We Don't Patronise" list. This injunction was not respected owing to a clash of opinion in different courts, and the sentences for contempt followed.

In fighting the appeal, the Federation is really fighting a battle against the use of the injunction as a weapon in labor wars.

GRAHAM ISLAND NEWS

Man Named Blanchfield Is Arrested for Perjury

(Special Correspondence)

Massett, Feb. 8.—Five men were arrested by Constable Prescott, of Jedway, on charges of supplying liquor, without a license, at Queen Charlotte City and Skidegate. When the cases were called, before the Government Agent, the informant stated that he knew nothing and was not cognizant of the fact that he had laid the inf rmations. The men were released and the informant, a man named Blanchfield, was arrested on a charge of perj ry.

The new townsite of Delkatla will be cleared, and opened up for settlement in the spring. A merchant, from Prince Rupert, intends opening a general store on the East side of Delkatla Bay.

Two Indians and two whites, were brought before the Indian Agent at Massett, on charges of intoxication on the Indian Reserve. The natives were fined $12.50 and $20 respectively and the whites were each assessed $20 or one month's imprisonment.

The Methodist Church of Skidegate, will construct a new ed fice for divine worship, having disposed of their building to the Dominion Government for school purposes.

The steamer Cetriana has been engaged by Messrs. Robertson, Garde & Parks, for the purpose of conveying machinery to the black sand deposits at Cape Fife. The company intend erecting a dredge and pumping plant on the east coast of Graham Island, to develop the gold and magnetic iron which litters the shores from Rose Spit to Lawn Hill.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new whaling station at Naden Harbor, Virago Sound. The wharf is complete and a large number of buildings have been erected.

Mrs. Wm. Hogan held a sale of work on the Massett Indian Reserve, and realized $100. Considering that the articles disposed of were all manufactured by the residents of the Reserve, and that the weather was extremely cold, the result of the sale was all that the promoters expected. The fancy work, made by former pupils of the industrial schools, was very much admired.

OIL FOR TRANS-PACIFIC SHIPS

CANADIAN AUSTRALIAN LINE MAY BE CONNECTED

Sir James Mills, Manager of Line Looks to New Zealand Oil Fieldfor Cheap Supply of Fuel.

Vancouver. Feb. 8.—The setamer Zealandia of the Canadian Australian line left Honolulu yesterday on her way from the Antipodes and is due here next Monday. Announcement is made that the first of the new st amers to be ordered for this line will be ready to enter services about October or November next. The new steamer will be larger than the Marama and of the type of the Makura. She will be 450 feet long by 55 feet beam, and her power will enable her to maintain a sea speed of sixteen knots an hour. Quadruple expansion en ines of the latest type will be provided.

Sir James Mills, K. C. M. G., manager of this line in his annual report recently published intimated that the steamers might before long be converted into oil burners. He said:

" I hope the day is not far distant when New Zealand oil fields, will be able to supply oil at a reasonable price and in sufficient qua ities to justify its adoption in our steamers."

WOMAN RISES FROM THE DEAD

CAUSED A GREAT PANIC AT HER FUNERAL

Mrs. Jane Pitcock, an Octogenarian, is Nearly Buried Alive—Awakes from Trance to Hear Funeral Service at Her Coffin.

Glasgow, Ky., Feb. 8.—Stretching out her hands toward those who had assembled about her coffin. Mrs. James Pitcock, an octogenarian, caused a pa ic at her funeral, at Gamaliel, Monroe County, Ky., yesterday.

The funeral service had been preached and the lid of the coffin was removed to permit frien s and relatives to take a last look at what they believed a corpse. It was then that Mrs. Pitcock regained consciousness. She remained alive for several hours, her death following last night.

Shame

I was ashamed, I dared not lift my eyes,
I could not bear to look upon the skies,
What I had done, sure, everybody
knew.
From everywhere hands pointed where
I stood.
And scornful eyes were piercing
throu h and through
The moody armor o my hardihood.

I heard their voices too—ea h word an
asp
That buzzed and stung m sudden as a
flame;
An all the world was jolting on my
name,
And now and then I heard a wicked
rasp
Of laughter, jarring me t deeper
shame.

And then I looked, and there was no one
nigh.
No eyes that stabbed l k swords of
glinted sky;
No laughter creaking on the silent air
And then I fo nd that I was all alone
Facing my soul, and next I was aware
That this mad mockery w s all my own.

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Dated Jan. 4, 1911 JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. F. C. Elliott, Agent

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DAILY EDITION. FRIDAY, FEB. 10

The Press and The Council

It is always considered a good joke when the biter gets bit, and perhaps that must be accepted as an excuse for the general merriment caused by the spectacle of a certain alderman-editor in tears on his editorial page protesting that he is not getting fair treatment in the press. It is a spectacle for the gods to la gh at. The truth is hard to bear.

A correspondent suggests t at the city council should be termed "The Patronage Committee" because they have done little else so far but provide jobs for their friends, but this we will not do. "Nothing else" was the phrase used by our correspondent but this is not strictly correct. Besides which, we are very anxious to help and encourage the council to do something. Now that they have provided for Mr. Manson to go away to Victoria for two months on salary to look after his other job, abolished the city's permanent legal department and put the legal work on the patronage list, afforded protection to the parlor house keepers, resurrected Alderman Newton's disputed account and sent it on to the Finance Committee of which Alderman Newton is a member, giving the other members of the committee power to act although the case is entered in the courts, taken away the City Engineer's power to appoint his staff, and put the appointments on the patronage list, they may now get down to business.

There is one thing the Council has done for which it deserves credit; it has faced the demand of the workers. It is true that the council balked till Alderman Pattullo forced their hand by moving for a committee of investigation, and that Alderman Newton after supporting the motion, says he and those of his colleagues for whom he speaks only supported the motion to "sidetrack the question." It is true that at the last minute the proceedings were only prevented from further delay by the courtesy of a member of the Optimist staff, who consented to act as official stenographer as the committee had neglected to provide a recorder. But we would not deny the council any credit, and will always be willing to strain a point to award them all the credit we can.

For nearly a month the Optimist has suffered inconvenience and risk from the inadequate water supply while the new council fiddled away with questions of patronage. We made no protest. In our own hearing, in asking for our support, Mr. Manson definitely promised that he would have the electric light on within ten days of his election. We believed him. We took his word for it. But what ha happen d? The first thing Mr. Manson did after his election was to go away to Victoria and leave us to get along in the dark. As Browning would put it:

"Just for a handful of silver he left us,
Just for a bauble to stick in his cap."

But did we kick? Though the ten days since January 12th must be nearly up now, as Heaven is our witness, we make no attack on the council. In a hundred ways we have showed admirable restraint. We still believe that when the council has settled the important matters of patronage, they will take up some of the municipal problems.

In this connection our own generosity has not been alone. The whole press of Prince Rupert has shown kindness to the council. Even Alderman Newton since the new council came in has ceased to fulminate against the electric light delays. The man who was sure that there was an attempt on the part of several honorable citizens to steal the telephone franchise stands quietly by while the council plans to take the disputed Empire Publishing Company's account from the courts and pay it, on the ground that it if goes to court the Judge would have to find that Alderman Newton's company had no legal claim on the city.

The whole press of Prince Rupert has been very good to the council. It would have been a good enough joke had any alderman raised a squeal at the press. From Alderman Newton it is uproarously funny.

The Rainiest Spot on Earth

Writing to the Optimist from Cobble Hill, Mr. C. B. Schrieber encloses a statement from a retired British naval officer in a discussion as to the rainiest spot on earth. Hawaii has a rainfall of 216 inches, while Maury in his Physical Geography of the Sea gives the rainfall of Cherraponju, a mountain in India as 605 inches, all of which falls between the months of April and October, during the S. W. monsoon.

But the officer in question, Lieutenant E. P. Tomkinson quotes the observations of Captains Fitzroy and Hall who measured on the west coast of South America near Cape Horn an annual rainfall of 1,368 inches, which he supplements with his own experiences.

After reading which, as Mr. Schrieber remarks, we may all thank Heaven we live in a dry climate with only 108 inches of rain.

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A. CUTHBERT, Secretary,
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Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, as fruit, vegetable and fish merchants in the city of Prince Rupert, and known as the Prince Rupert Fish Market, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to The Prince Rupert Fish Market of Prince Rupert aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Prince Rupert Fish Market of whom the continuing partners B. J. Bacon and F. S. Evans constitute the firm and by whom same will be settled.

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G. T. P. OFFICIALS RETURN TO TOWN

REPORT SIX FEET OF SNOW IN PLACES

Supt. Mehan Believes That the Worst of Winter Season Is Now Over—Will Be Ready for the Next One.

Mr. Mehan, the general superintendent of the G. T. P., Mr. McNichol, and Mr. Van Arsdoll, who have been up the line for the past ten days returned to the city last night.

Mr. Mehan reports that the weather up the line as far as the 85 mile post is very severe. They encountered a tremendous fall of snow—in some places it was as deep as six feet—and plenty of wind to heap it up in drifts.

The object of the trip was to extend the new rotary snow plough. A slight mishap, which under normal conditions might have been easily repaired, befell the plough when they were well up the line. Under the terrible conditions prevailing, however, it was decided not to proceed further but to come back to the city.

Mr. Mehan expressed the opinion in conversation with the Optimist this morning that by next year they would be ready for the very worst that the winter season could bring them. The worst place on the line lies between the 41 and 44 mile posts. There the line is banked on either side by precipitate slopes from which the snow slips down on to the cuttings. Just before the very severe weather set in the work of erecting snow sheds was started. It is proposed to build three sheds there and one of them is almost completed now. It is Mr. Mehan's first experience of the winter in these parts and his plans are formulated now to prevent the snow from banking on the railway cuttings and blocking the passage.

It is Mr. Mehan's intention to go up the line again in a few days. He believes that the worst of the season is now over.

RUSSIAN GETS BROKEN ANKLE

LANGUAGE WAS THE WHOLE CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE

He Was the Only Russian on the Contract—Colleagues Were Scandinavians—Did not Understand Proceedings and Got in Way.

A. Glovonoff, a Russian workman, is now lying in the Grand Hotel suffering from a broken ankle which he sustained yesterday afternoon while working with the station gang on the Fifth street contract.

Language—not bad language—was the cause of the trouble that ended so unfortunately for him. He was the only Russian on the job, and although he speaks English fairly well he is hard at Scandinavian tongue, of which all his colleagues on the job were native exponents. They were removing a boulder, and not understanding their intent he inadvertently got in the way of the heavy rock, which, when the jerk came completely broke his ankle.

Suffering much pain he was removed to the Central Hotel on a sleigh where he is now receiving medical attention.

Two More Aviators Killed

Douai, France, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Aviation in France has claimed two more victims. They are Noel and Delalorre. They were killed instantly tonight while conducti g trials in a military aeroplane before the experts of the war department.

THE WEATHER

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Bowser's Bill Passed Second Reading —Licence Will Cost $250 and the Deposit With Treasury Must Be $20,000—Drug Habit Bill.

(Special to the Optimist)

Victoria, Feb. 10.—At today's session of the Provincial House the Hon. Mr. Bowser's Bill for fire insurance passed its second reading. The provisions of the bill will not affect the Mutual companies within the province to any great extent, but under its provisions no outside company will be able to operate within the province without a licence, which will cost $250 and depositing $20,000 in the treasury. Those insuring with outside companies must do so by correspondence and pay the government taxation of two per cent per annum on his insurance premiums.

Mr. McKenzie's Bill relating to the formation of drug habits passed its second reading also. The stated purpose of the bill is to prohibit druggists from selling cocaine, opium or morphine except on a doctor's certificate, and a new one to be tendered with every prescription.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite claimed that the bill was dealing with the affairs of the Trade and Commerce and was an infringment of the Dominion legislation. He asked that more time should be given to its consideration.

Mr. Speaker Eberts is still unwell. The debate on Mr. Haywards reciprocity resolution was allowed to stand over.

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 land:

Commencing at a post planted nine miles north and seven miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 63, 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 Nov. 10, 1910. T. R. DAVEY
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Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

Take notice that 30 days after date I, Ferdinand G. Tapert, farmer, of Skidegate, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 506, Graham Island, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres.

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Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

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Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

6.—Commencing at a post planted one mile north of the northwest corner of Lot 171 being the southeast corner marked J. McL. S. E. Corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains f point of commencement.

Dated Dec. 24, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

7.—Commencing at a post planted 30 chains west of the northeast corner of Lot 45 being the northwest corner and marked J. McL. N. W Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 26, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21 W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

8—Commencing at a post planted 30 chains west of the northeast corner of Lot 45 being the northeast corner marked J. McL. N. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 26, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

9.—Commencing at a post planted 30 chains west of the northeast corner of Lot 473 being the northwest corner marked J. McL. N. W. Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 26, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—Distret of Skeena

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

10.—Commencing at a post planted 30 chains west of the northeast corner of Lot 473 being the northeast corner marked J. McL. N. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 26, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

11.—Commencing at a post planted 30 chains west of the northeast corner of Lot 473 being the southwest corner marked J. McL. S. W. Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 26, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agen

COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

12.—Commencing at a post planted 30 chains west of the northeast corner of Lot 473 being the southeast corner marked J. McL. S. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 26, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

13.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 42 being the northwest corner marked J. McL. N. W. Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 28, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

14.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 42 being the northeast corner marked J. McL. N. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 28, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

15.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 41 being the northwest corner marked J. McL. N. W. Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 28, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

16.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 41 being the northeast corner marked J. McL. N. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 28, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District o Skeena

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

17.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 41 being the southeast corner marked J. McL. S. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 28, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

18.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 41 being the southwest corner marked J. McL. S. W. Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 28, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

19.—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 40 being the northwest corner and marked J. McL. N. W. Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 30, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

20.—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 40 being the northeast corner and marked J. McL. N. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 30, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan .21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

21.—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 40 being the northwest corner and marked J. McL. N. W. Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 30, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

22.—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 40 being the northeast corner and marked J. McL. N. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 30, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

23.—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 40 being the southwest corner, marked J. McL. S. W. Cor., thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 30, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

24.—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner Lot 40 being the southeast corner marked J. McL. S. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 30, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

25.—Commencing at a post planted one mile north of the northwest corner of Lot 39 being the northeast corner marked J. McL. N. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains. thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 31, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

26.—Commencing at a post planted one mile north of the northwest corner of Lot 39 being the southeast corner marked J. McL. S. E. Cor., thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres.

Dated Dec. 31, 1910. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. W. Dass, Agent

COAL NOTICE

Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

Take notice that 30 days after date I, Charles Helmer, farmer, of Skidegate, B C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum o and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the southeast corner of Lot 501, Graham Island, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres dated Nov. 16, 1910. CHARLES HELMER
Pub. Dec 10.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—Distret 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 eleven miles north and seven miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 58, T. R. D. S. W. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thenco west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 9, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Thomas 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 thirteen miles north and seven miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 76, 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 and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 13, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

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 Coast

Take *notice that Lionel Dineen of* Brandon, Man., occupation teacher, ntends to apply for permission to purchase tke following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner, 40 chains north and 40 chains east of the northeast corner of Lot 1116 (Harvey Survey), thence 60 chains north, thence 60 chains east, thence 60 chains south, thence 60 chains west to *post of commencement, containing 360* acres, more or less.

Dated Nov. 14, 1910. LIONEL DINEEN
Pub. Dec. 17. Fred Bohler, 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 north and seven miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 69, T. R. D., S. E. corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 11, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

COAL NOTICE

Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

Take notice that 30 days after date, I, Charles Helmer, farmer, of Skidegate, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted two miles south of the southeast corner of Lot 501, Graham Island, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north *80 chains, thence east 80 chains to* point of commencement, and containing 640 acres.

Dated Nov. 16, 1910. CHARLES HELMER
Pub. Dec. 10.

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 thirteen miles north and seven miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 54, 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 Nov. 8, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land Dictriet—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 thirteen miles north and eleven miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 55, T. D. R., N. W. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 8, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub Dec. 3. 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 thirteen miles north and five miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 52, 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 Nov. 8, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. 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 p i ion to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted thirteen miles north and five miles east of Section 13, Township 7 Graham Island and marked No. 53, T. R. D. N. W. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less

Dated Nov. 8, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. 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 thirteen miles north and eight miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 74, 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 610 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 12, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. 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 and marked No. 13, T.R.D., N. W. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains thence west 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

Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

Take notice that 30 days after date I, Ferdinand G. Tapert, farmer, of Skidegate, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one-half mile east of the southeast corner of Lot 503, Graham Island, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and *containing* 640 acres.

Dated Nov. 14 1910. FERDINAND G. TAPERT
Pub. Dec. 10.

Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

Take notice that 30 days after date I, Ferdinand G. Tapert, farmer, of Skidegate, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 506, Graham Island, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres.

Dated Nov. 14, 1910. FERDINAND G.TAPERT
Pub. Dec. 10.

Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

Take notice that 30 days after date I, Ferdinand G. Tapert, farmer of Skidegate, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 20 chains north of the southwest corner of Lot 544, Graham Island, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres.

Dated Nov. 14, 1910. FREDINAND G. TAPERT
Pub. Dec. 10

Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

Take notice that 30 days after date I, Charles Helmer, farmer of Skidegate, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted three miles south and one mile west of the southeast corner of Lot 501, Graham Island, thence west 80 chains, *thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains,* thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres.

Dated Nov. 16, 1910. CHARLES HELMER
Pub. Dec. 10.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

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

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

Date Dec. 10, 1910.
Pub. Jan. 7, 1911. HENRY MACARTNEY

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that Edward Thomas of Vancouver, B. C., *occupation timber* man, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the west shore of Lakelse Lake about 60 chains in a *north-easterly* direction from the outlet at the lake (La Kelse River) thence north 20 chns, thence west 40 chains, thence south 20 chains to the lake shore, thence following the lake shore to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 7, 1910, EDWARD THOMAS
Pub. Dec. 10

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that Sarah E. Alton of Port Simpson, B. C., occupation nurse, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner 140 chains east and 20 chains south of the northeast corner of Lot 1116 (Harvey Survey), thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence north 80 chains to post of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Nov. 14, 1910. SARAH E. ALTON
Pub. Dec. 17. Fred Bohler, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

Take notice that L. W. Sloan of Prince Rupert *occupation housewife, intends* to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at S. W. corner lot 1707 marked L. W. S. south east corner and running north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres.

Date Dec. 22, 1910.
Pub. Dec. 31, 1910. LURECTIA W. SLOAN

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

Take notice that May Dineen of Port Simpson, B. C., occupation stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner 100 chains east and 20 chains north of the northeast corner of Lot 1116 (Harvey Survey), thence 80 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 40 chains north to the post of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated Nov. 14, 1910. MAY DINEEN
Pub. Dec. 17. Fred Bohler, 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 sixty days from date that I, Hugh Patrick Riley of Hazelton, B. C., miner, do intend to apply to the commissioner of lands for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 40 chains south from the south-east corner of lot 1733, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Date Nov. 1st, 1910. HUGH PATRICK RILEY.
Pub. Nov. 2nd. Robert Jas. Brickdale, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range

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

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 land:

Commencing at a post planted three miles north and seven miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 73, T. R. D., S. W. corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 12, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land Dictriet—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 thirteen miles north and eight miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 56, T. R. D., N. W. corner, thence east *80 chains*, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 9, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

Skeena Land District—Queen Charlotte Islands Division

Take notice that 30 days after date I, Ferdinand G. Tapert, farmer, of Skidegate, B. C., intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands, for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 511, Graham Island, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres.

Dated Nov. 14, 1910. FREDINAND G. TAPERT
Pub. Dec. 10.

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"A man tried to pick my pockets yesterday on the street, but my wife prevented him."

"Did she grapple with him, or just scream?"

"Neither. She wasn't there."

"Then how could she prevent him?"

"She had been through my pockets first."

Lawyer—Now what did you and the defendant talk about?

Witness—Oi t'ink about fifteen minutes.

L.—No, no; I mean what did you talk over?

W.—We talked over the tilliphone, sorr.

The Judge—Can you describe any specific act of cruelty on the part of your husband?

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"Do you want cheaper postage?"

"I don't know," replied the man who considers only his own interests. "I don't write many letters myself, and I don't see why I should be eager to make it easier for the men who send me bills."

A worthy and provident man went to his legal adviser to make his will. He gave many instructions, and it seemed that everything was arranged. The lawyer began to read over his notes, and put a point to his c i nt.

"Oh—you have made provision for your wife in the event of her surviving you. Does that remain unaltered if she should marry again?"

"No, no," said the client, eagerly. "What am I leaving her? One thousand dollars a year. If she marries again make it $2,000."

The lawyer thought there must be a misunderstanding, and pointed out that most men put it the other way about.

"I know," said the client, "but the man who takes her will deserve it."

Maxims of Mark Twain

Even popularity can be overdone. In Rome, along at first, you are full of regrets at Mithelanelo died; but by and by you only regret that you didn't see him do it.

Whoever has lived long enough to find out what life is knows how deep a debt of gratitude we owe to Adam the first great benefactor of our race. He brought death into the world.

Tell the truth or trump—but get the trick.

The holy passion of Friendship is of so sweet and steady and loyal and enduring a nature that it will last through a whole lifetime if not asked to lend money.

Consider well the proportions of things. It is better to be a young June bug than an old bird of paradise.

There are three infallible ways of pleasing an author, and the three form a rising scale of compliment: (1) to tell him you have read one of his books, (2) to tell him you have read all of his books, (3) to ask him to let you read the manuscript of his forthcoming book. No. 1 admits you to his respect, No. 2 admits you to his admiration, No. 3 carries you clear into his heart.

Notice to Our Customers

Because of other parties misrepresenting themselves I will personally collect all accounts due this company during February So do not pay accounts until I call as we will not recognize them — City Scavenging Co, H L Dixon 24

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COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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

25.—Commencing at a post planted about one mile north and two miles east of the northeast corner of Coal Licence No. 3477 marked J. M N. W. Corner, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated Jan. 1, 1911. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. F. C. Elliott, Agent

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena

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26—Commencing at a post planted about one mile north and two miles east of the northeast corner of Coal Licence No. 3477 marked J. M. N. E. Corner, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

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27.—Commencing at a post planted about two miles east of the south east corner of Coal Licence No. 3477 marked J. M. S. W. Corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

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28.—Commencing at a post planted about two miles east of the southeast corner of Coal Licence No. 3477 marked J. M. N. W. Corner, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

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29.—Commencing at a post planted about three miles east and one mile south of the southeast corner of Coal Licence No. 3477 marked J. M. S. W Corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

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32.—Commencing at a post planted about one mile north of the northwest corner of Coal Licence No. 3479 marked J. M. S. E. Corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated Jan. 4, 1911. JOHN M'LEOD
Pub. Jan. 21. F. C. Elliott, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted nine miles north and two miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 41, T. R. D., S. E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 5, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowihg, 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 eleven miles north and two miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 42, 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

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Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted eleven miles north and three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 43, 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.

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Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted eleven miles north and five miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 44, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted eleven miles north and five miles east of section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 45, T. R. D., N. W. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

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Commencing at a post planted eleven miles north and three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 46, 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 Nov. 7, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

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Commencing at a post planted eleven miles north and three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 47, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted eleven miles north and five miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 48, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted eleven miles north and five miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 49, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted thirteen miles north and three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 50, 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.

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Commencing at a post planted thirteen miles north and three miles east of Section 13, Township 7, Graham Island and marked No. 51, T. R.D., N. W. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Nov. 8, 1910. THOS. R. DAVEY
Pub. Dec. 3. Wilson Gowing, Agent

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CONVENT SCHOOL BURNED DOWN

NARROW ESCAPE OF TWO HUNDRED CHILDREN

Pupils Were Kept in Ignorance and Marched Quietly Out of the School —Nervy Work by Teachers—900 in School.

(Speical to the Optimist)

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Some two hundred who attend the convent school o' St. Anne of St. Joseph's Boulevard had a narrow escape from burining this afternoon when fire visited the place and razed it to the ground. The school had an attendance roll of 900, most of whom were daily attendance at lessons. At the time of the fire however, there were only 200 in the school. The alarm was sounded all over the house in time to let the children escape. They were trooped out in most orderly fashion despite the tremendous strain of excitement which was exercising the minds of their elders who were alone aware of the terrible fate that was staring them in the face.

WILL HOLD A "SMOKER"

Kaien Island Club Will Bring One Off Soon

It is the intention of the Kaien Island Club to "stage" a smoker at an early date—the exact date to be fixed later—at which several boxing bouts between the l cal aspirants to championship honors will compete. Another feature of the entertainment will be a wrestling bout between the exponen s of the art of the mat. Should this, the first entertainment of the kind prove a success it will be followed regularly by others f a similar nature.

HUSBAND'S DRAMATIC SUICIDE

SHOOTS HIMSELF DEAD AFTER PROMISING TO LIGHT FIRE

Left His Wife in the Morning to Go Downstairs—Sound of a Shot Roused Wife to Follow—Found Him Dead.

(Special to the Optimist)

Vancouver, Feb. 9.—W. A. Vickers, of 221 Eight ave ue, blew out his brains this morning with a revolver. He got up early in the morning to light the fire. In order to do so he left his wife u stairs In a few minutes the silence of the house was rudely interrupted by the report of a gun Fearing that some accident had happened to her husband Mrs. Vickers rushed downstairs in her nightdress. On entering the kitchen she discovered her husband lying back i the arm chair with a small bullet hole in his temple from which blood was trickling down over his face. He was dead then. The woman shrieked for assistance and when it came a brief examination was sufficient to satisfy all of the fatal effect of the shot. The only reason that can be assigned for the suicide is despondency. Mrs. Vickers says t at for some time past he has been run down and disprited.

400 MEMBERS NOW

P. R. I. A. Appoints a Finance C mittee

The Prince Rupert Industrial Association met last night in their hall on Third avenue. The meeting appointed a finance committee of three to draw up and present a statement of the financial standin of the association to the members at an early date. The committee is comprised of Messrs. Carroll, Balsomer, and McDonald. It was announced to the meeting the membership now exceeded the four hundred mark.

ALTRUISTS TO UPLIFT RACE

PROMINENT BRITISHER CONSP RE TO HELP THE GOOD

New Agenda Club Appea s to Educated Men to Come Out and Lead in Social Organisation to Make England Happier.

London, Feb. .8—A new club formed on a novel plan was inaugura ted in London recently by a dinner. Its name is the Agenda Club and it is an organization of altruists, each of whom pledges himself to help by some small definite service in his own particular line the accomplishment of some clearly defined object of agendum.

Already the club has made a successful appeal to a large number of persons. Time will show how far the club will bring about fulfillment.

The organizers believe if the capacity of resourcefulness, research, courage, and persistence which is applied to the daily production and distribution of standard household commodities is applied to an idealistic effort toward getting certain things done which ought to be done and which every one would be glad to see done, we might hope to see a better and happier England.

ydney Holden presided at the first meeting. He said the object of the clu will be to make class love class, to bring happiness and sympathy to those needing it badly, to raise the physical and moral standard of the people, to fight disease, to alleviate suffering among the poor, to protect the weak, and to foster patriotism. He appealed to gentlemen by birth, education and instinct to "come out of their shells and lead in social organization."

300 LIVES ARE LOST AT SEA

T RRIFIC STORM SWEEPS THE SPANISH COAST

Twenty-two Souls Perish in One Steamer Unknown—Two Other Vessels in Dire Straits—Property Loss Heavy.

Madrid, Feb. 8.—Despatches received here regarding the havoc wrought by the great storm which swept the coast last night, report the wreck of an unidentifi d steamer, in which twenty-two persons were drowned. Two other steamers re reported to be in difficulty.

It is estimated that in all the storm has caused the loss of nearly 300 lives. The list of wrecks is likely to be largely increased when ll reports are in.

The property loss will be very large.

GOV'T SALARIES BOOSTED UP

CABINET MINISTERS GET $1,000 INCREASE

Estimated Revenue Shows Increase but in Smaller Ratio to Estimated Expenditure—Five and Half Million for Public Works.

(Special to the Optimist)

Victoria, Feb. 10.—The provincial estimates for the fiscal year ending March 3rd, 1910, were presented to the legislature by the Hon. Price Ellison today. On Monday he will deliver his budget speech. The revenue for the coming year is predicted to reach $8,192,000, against $7,000,000 for last year. Increased expenditure is also foreshadowed and the figure is estimated at $12,103,597, as against $9,019,559 last year. That sum includes $5,507,990 for public works. The extra allowance of the Premier is increased from $1,000 to $2,000, and the salaries of all the ministers from $5,000 to $6,000, and the speaker is to be allowed an additional indemnity of $600.

41—41 PATTERNS

We have just received forty-one full pieces of new spring ginghams. The ladies who have already seen them pronounce them the prettiest designs and colorings in ginghams they have ever looked at : :

Besides being very handsome, they are beautifully soft in texture, being free from starch and filling : :

Some are now on display in our Fulton St. window. Glad to have you come in and look them over. We sell them at 15c a yard, in any quantity : : :

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WATCH the WINDOW THIS WEEK

Red Rubber Water Bottles
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WONDERFUL PROGRESS

Made by Manufacturers of Ready to Wear Clothing

During the past few years the wonderful development along all lines of human endeavor has been very strikingly illustrated in perfecting the science of clothes building. A few years ago ready made clothing was a very poor article indeed and lucky was the man so constructed by nature that he would fit the Hand-me-Downs offered. This has all been changed. When one visits the up-to-date clothing establishment of today they will find not only the chest measurement on every suit but what is far more necessary, the different types, that is, the tall slender man wil find a type especially designed for long men, and likewise the corpulent, short, and young men's types, until almost any build of man can be perfectly fitted.

These features are very prominent in the new spring stock just received by Messrs. Sloan & Company from the Lowndes Company of Toronto who are the originators of bench tailored, ready to wear clothing in Canada. In placing the order with the tailors for this stock no feature known to tailoring science has been overlooked and as a cold business proposition one should see these garments before buying, especially as the concensus of opinion seems to be that they are the most beautifully tailored and most cleverly styled garments produced in this country.

A Grand Masquerade Skating Carnival will be held on Tuesday evening, February 14, at the Rink. All will unmask at 9 o'clock. Admission 25c 2t

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ADDRESS ON DELINQUENTS

Next Monday evening Rev. W. H. McLeod has promised to speak to the Baptist Brotherhood on "The Delinquents of Society" a treatise on prison reform, classification of criminals, causes of crime and other phases of misdemeanor. Rev. McLeod has put much time and energy into this bra ch of socialogical investigation while connected with the University of Chicago. At the close of the address a discussion will be held on the subject to which strangers are especial y invited ot contribu e.