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OTTAWA BESIEGED WITH JOB HUNTERS TO-DAY

LAURIER WILL CONTINUE TO LEAD THE LIBERALS

Says he Will "Stay With the Boys"—Mr. Borden to Reach Ottawa Tonight to Start Cabinet-making—Majority is Now Fifty

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier announced on Saturday that he will continue to lead the Liberals in the new House as leader of the Opposition. "It is my intention to stay with the boys," he said. The announcement caused great satisfaction among his followers.

Their Last Meeting

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—A meeting of the Liberal cabinet is to be held here on Monday. The Ministers are heading now for the capital. Sir Wilfrid who is already there has made a statement that he will remain as leader of the Opposition for some time in the future, as he would not desert the party at this time.

Session on Nov. 8th

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—Hon. R. L. Borden is due to arrive here tonight to confer with the Governor General as to who will be the Ministers under the new Government. It is reported that the new Parliament will convene on Wednesday, November 8th.

Change in Two Weeks

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—The Liberal Cabinet is to meet here this morning to wind up their affairs and prepare for handing over their portfolios to the new Ministers whom Mr. Borden will select.

In two weeks everything will be ready for the Conservatives to step into office.

Majority Now Fifty

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—The Conservatives have won two more seats in Quebec. Bellechasse and Shefford, the former by twenty-eight, the latter by three, according to the returning officers' returns. The standing of the province is Liberals thirty-four, Conservatives twenty-nine.

The standing of the parties in the Dominion, counting the latter is Conservatives and Nationalists one hundred and thirty-four, and Liberals eighty-four—a majority of fifty.

"Useless," Says Conmee

Thunder Bay, Ont., Sept. 25.—The dispute over the validity of the election here has been decided by James Conmee, the Liberal, dropping his protest. Mr. Conmee has decided that it is useless to bring on an election. This means that Carrick, the Conservative, will be declared elected.

Pugsley Squeezes In

St. John, N. B.—Hon. Mr. Pugsley's majority at St. John is two.

HE DIED DEFIANT

Murderer of Stolypin Went to Gallows Without Consolation.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Kiev, Sept. 25.—Bogroff, the assassin of Minister Stolypin, was hanged today at Kiev. Before leaving the cell he asked for consolation from the Rabbi, but refused to take it when he was told it would have to be in the hearing of the officials. He went to his death defiant.

POLICE RAID CHINK GAMBLERS

Fourteen Fan Tan Players Arrested. To Appear Tomorrow Smart Police Work During Conservative Tin Pan Parade Saturday.

During the Conservative procession on Saturday night Chief Vickers managed to score a splendid coup by the raid of a Chinese gambling party in progress in the premises of King Tai on Fulton street. About fourteen Orientals have been summoned to appear before the magistrate tomorrow. L. W. Patmore is to appear for them. On their behalf in the police court this morning he pleaded "not guilty." Chief Vickers' men, Sergeant McArthur with Constables Swasey, Hamblin, and Merritt secured a whole outfit of gaming apparatus for playing the Chinese gambling games. $11.35 was secured in actual cash by the police, but a good deal more money was hurriedly caught up from the table by the players, and the equivalent in chips to the value of $1000 was also found littered about. Chief Vickers has been trying to catch this gang at work for several days. The procession gave him his chance to effect a surprise visit.

BASEBALL SCORES

SATURDAY BASEBALL

Northwestern League
Vancouver 10, Seattle 2.
Portland 5, Tacoma 1.
Spokane 4, Victoria 2.

American Laegue
Boston 14, St. Louis 2.
Philadelphia 14, Detroit 3.
Cleveland 6, Washington 1.
Chicago 3, New York 2.

National League
Brooklyn 5, Pittsburg 4.
New York 6, Cincinnati 2.
Boston 14, Chicago 6.
St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2.

Pacific Coast League
Vernon 5, Sacramento 0.
Oakland 1, Portland 0.
Los Angeles 8, San Francisco 5.

TIED WITH SEATTLE

Vancouver Ball Team Will Lift the Pennant with One More Victory.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Vancouver, Sept. 25.—The Vancouver team broke even in baseball yesterday with Seattle and now require to win only one game from Victoria this week to clinch the pennant.

CAME TO BLOWS OVER LAURIER

First Election Argument of Serious Effect Took Place Saturday Night in the Knox Hotel. Fairplay Witnesses.

Because a certain Frenchman kept rubbing it into him that Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the greatest statesman that ever happened James Haughey got annoyed in the Knox Hotel on Saturday night. An argument followed in which Haughey was rather forcibly persuaded to leave the hotel, while the Frenchman was held in a corner. Two friends of Haughey's, Clarke and Hardacre, came to his aid because the hotel manager was apparently nearly throttling him. Into the midst of the scrimmage came a constable who pounced on the first two men he could grab. They turned out to be Clarke and Hardacre. Today these two were charged with fighting, but with a splendid instinct of fairplay James Haughey appeared for them explaining the story as given, and saying that the Frenchman and himself should have been arrested. The case was dismissed.

MUSHED TO RUPERT ALL WAY FROM EDMONTON

P. J. Carrigan, a Lone Prospector, Reaches the City After an Adventurous Journey—Rescued Two Men from Drowning in the Grand Canyon

With the achievement to his credit of a long solitary journey such as few white men have ever made even in the West, P. J. Carrington blew into the city by way of the Grand Trunk Pacific track over the week-end. He left Edmonton on July 15th. Then travelling on foot from Yellow head Pass, he came through by Grand Prairie to Tete Jaune Cache.

Located Minerals

Here Mr. Carrington started a wide detour by water on a prospecting jaunt by canoe four hundred miles river travelling. He went by Fifty Mile River, Big Smoky River, and Clearwater, following the bends of these rivers, travelliing some of them with the current, others up stream, and prospecting the banks for minerals as he went. He located indications of value in metal ores, and mica, but prefers to be a little vague regarding their position on the map.

Thrilling Rescue

Canoeing down the Fraser River on his way to Fort George this hardy prospector had a thrilling adventure. He left Goat River Rapids on July 28th bound for Fort George with only one stop to make, this is Big Salmon. Passing through the Grand Canyon of the Fraser River Carrigan was just in time to rescue Jack Fountain and George Cook, both of Victoria, B. C. They had gone into the Canyon fifteen minutes ahead of Carrigan and got caught in the boil. Their canoe, a light cotton wood dugout, hit a ledge of rock and split in two. The men clutching frantically for their lives in a turmoil of raging water, clung to the ledge of rock.

A Daring Rescue

It was impossible for them to have escaped from that position alive had not Carrigan came down the rapids in time. Swinging his canoe into the eddy he got into a safe position from which after an hour and a half of perilous work he managed to rescue both men. He took them with him to Fort George. It is characteristic of Carrigan that in telling his story to the News reporter the other day, he almost forgot to mention this incident, and its details were only obtained from him by direct questioning.

Through Fertile Valleys

From Fort George Mr. Carrigan passed with a ninety pound pack of provisions on his shoulders through the Nechaco Valley across Mazuka Lake to Fort Fraser and Burns Lake. Thence through the Bulkley Valley where the fine crops greatly impressed him, to Aldermere. Here he crossed over the Hudson Bay Mountain prospecting, and saw some of the noted B. C. silver just as it comes from mother earth on that mountain. He stopped there four days, and had a look at Copper Stain Ledge before proceeding to Hazelton. From Hazelton Mr. Carrigan went on to Sealey spending four days there, and then came on down the Skeena to tide water.

On his way now to Kotiack Island, Alaska, where he has his home, he is staying to put in a spell of work in Rupert. He is a Newfourdlard man, with such a varied experience of hardy adventure throughout the north and northwest, that it would take a book to tell half his doings.

FRENCH CRUISER LIBERTE DESTROYED IN THE HARBOR OF TOULON, FRANCE

With Five Hundred of Her Crew on Board, Magnificent War Vessel Suffers the Fate of the Maine—France is Horror Stricken at the News—At First a German Plot Suspected, but Suspicions are Without Ground—Great Loss to France

Canadian Press Despatch)

Toulon, September 25.—All France is in mourning today for the loss of the French cruiser Liberte, and her crew of five hundred men, who were done to death when the war vessel blew up at her moorings in the harbor of Toulon at half past three this morning

Owing to the condition of European politics, on receipt of the horrifying news, it was at first thought that the act was perpetrated by the Germans, and presaged a state of war. This wild rumor was speedily laid, however. There is no doubt that the vessel perished as the result of a fire which started near her magazine.

The Liberte was one of the finest of the French war vessels, and had only been in commission three years. She was built in 1907 at a cost of seven million dollars. She had ten twelve inch guns, as well as a battery of seven inch guns. Her displacement was 14,900 tons. She was of a type by herself, and her loss at the present time is a serious one to the French Republic.

The Liberte carried a crew of 793 men, but happily for many of them they were enjoying shore leave at the time of the disaster. As it is, nothing now remains of this fine vessel but a mass of tangled steel at the bottom of the harbor.

As soon as the fire was discovered, sailors from other vessels in the fleet were despatched to help fight the flames. Many of these have perished with their comrades on the Liberte.

The fire came with such suddenness that scores of the sailors on the Liberte are said to have perished in their berths. Others who tried to jump overboard were blown into atoms. The bursting shells filled with poisonous fumes filled the alley ways blinding and suffocating the crew in their efforts to seek escape, and turning the vessel into a veritable inferno.

THAT FOURTEEN STORY GRAND TRUNK HOSTELRY

Contract Lately Awarded to Montreal Firm For a Building on Similar Lines at Winnipeg—Will Have Three Hundred and Fifty Sleeping Rooms

Architect Battenberg, employed by the Grand Trunk Pacific to draw the plans for the new railway hotel in this city, when here a few days ago expressed himself very pleased with the site chosen and said the plans would in all probability be finally approved by the company soon after he reported at Winnipeg. They had already been prepared and after viewing the site he would have practically no alterations to make in them.

Its General Style

The general style of architecture the company was inclined to adopt for its hotels along the transcontinental was that of the old chateaus of Normandy and Lorraine, of granite and limestone. That for Prince Rupert was of original design along these lines, but outside of its merely architectural features very like the one the company was to erect at Winnipeg, and for which a contract had just been awarded to the George A. Fuller Company of Montreal. This will be called the Selkirk. The site for it is adjacent to that historic monument Old Fort Garry. The cost is to be $1,500,000.

Of Fourteen Stories

The building is to be of fourteen stories and will have approximately three hundred and fifty sleeping chambers and will be richly furnished. All its bedrooms are to have private bathrooms, and are to be equipped with every modern appointment.

Circular Tea Room

The central feature of the main floor is the circular tea room, of impressive and beautiful design.

The mezzanine gallery is also to be a novel feature of the hotel. It will be reached by a broad marble staircase from the main entrance lobby, and is to be finished and decorated in white and delicate shades of color. It will command a splendid view of those portions of the hotel where the most life occurs, and yet at the same time affords a quiet sense of retirement.

Ball Room Seventh Floor

The ball room banquet hall and foyer have been located on the seventh floor. These rooms are the richest of the public rooms. The ball room is designed in the Louis Quartorze period and will be one of the most striking of its kind in Canada.

The building as a whole will form a fine example of what modern science can do in the elimination of fire risk.

ITALY WILL FIGHT TURKEY

Dispute Over Tripoli is Likely to Be Settled by Force of Arms—Italian Reserves Called Out.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Constantinople, Sept. 25.—All hope of settling amicably the dispute between Italy and Turkey in Tripoli was abandoned today. Italy's purpose is believed to be to strike before Germany and France have settled their difficulties over Morocco.

It was unofficially announced today that Italian troops had been landed on the Turkish protectorate, and that 112,000 Italian reservists had been called to the colors. The Young Turks party here will not allow of the compromise asked by Italy, namely, that of joint rule over Triploi.

TECUMSEHS WILL WIN

Manager Querrie is Confident His Indians will Lift the Minto Cup.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Vancouver, Sept. 24.—The famous Tecumseh's lacrosse team arrived here yesterday in charge of Manager Querrie, to play for the Minto Cup. Querrie declares it is a sure thing they will lift the silverware. His team was out practising in the Recreation Park this morning, and attracted a lot of attention.

Left the City

Among the passengers for the south this morning was Mrs. Beckwith who has been spending the summer visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alex M. Manson. Mrs. Beckwith will visit her son at Portland before returning to her home in Toronto.

ARE ALL AFTER PARTY JOBS

Ottawa is Over-run with Office Seekers Today. Earl Grey Will Stay at the Capital Till Octover 4th.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—Hon. Mr. Borden has arrived in Ottawa and today began the formation of a new government. The public celebration of the Conservative victory has been fixed for tomorrow.

Earl Grey has decided to postpone his departure for England until October fourth. Ottawa is filled with office seekers wanting government jobs.

The Scandinavian Society

Regular meeting tomorrow at 8 p.m. in Carpenters' Hall. Members requested to attend.—John Dybhavn, secretary.

MUCH BANGING OF CANS AND BURNING OF BROOMS

Conservatives in Cavalcade With Clements on Charger Celebrate their Conquest on Saturday Night—A Blaze Soon Out and a Noise With Nothing To It

Saturday night saw a mighty assembling at the doors of the Conservative camp. All the empty gasoline cans in Northern B. C. were collected there, and all the small boys available stood guard over them. Then there were banners bearing legends, most frequent amongst which figured the words "TOM DONE," and certain derisive ones referring to leading men of the Liberal party in the hour of defeat.

There was a rig—the band wagon minus the band (which walked in front)—there were Union Jacks enough to scare the stars off Old Glory, there was a charger for Mr. Clements, a fiery untamed Mexican mustang with a "Tom Done" ticket which wouldn't stick on its behind part and had to be held in Mr. Clements' hand.

And then there were brooms.

There were a great many brooms—so many brooms that one little housewife rushed home in alarm to see whether the Conservatives had really and truly left hers. "New Brooms sweep clean" is the proverb, and all the new brooms in Prince Rupert were there.

Every one of those brand new brooms was saturated in gasoline or coal oil. At the word "Go!" every broom bearer struck a match. The bandsmen struck their gasoline cans. Mr. Clements struck spurs to his charger, in imitation of John Gilpin, and the mayor struck an attitude. As for the spectators they were struck dumb with admiration as the cavalcade started off up Sixth street. Blazing brooms were brandished to the concern of the Fire Chief. There was the dickens of a row from the tin cans and the small boys, but beyond that there was nothing doing. The procession marched via Third avenue, Fulton street, and Seventh avenue to McBride street. Then back by Third avenue pausing to invoke a blessing upon the News office en route.

"Never saw such a punk celebration before," remarked a man from Vancouver as the broom blaze died out, which was very discourteous of him.

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MR. BORDEN'S TASK

Today Hon. Mr. Borden, the potential Premier of Canada, is in Ottawa for the purpose of selecting men to aid him in his great task of carrying on the government of Canada. A great task it undoubtedly will be. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's was a great task to hold the two races of Canada together, and arouse a temporarily united people to enthusiasm for the Imperial ideal. Mr Borden's will be greater.

Let it be admitted frankly, so that if he succeeds his credit may be the greater, that Hon. Mr. Borden has a more difficult task than had Sir Wilfrid. He inherits a condition of prosperity, which to a political leader on trial is a handicap. The two races of Canada have come to the parting of the ways helped thither by Mr. Borden's own party. He can hardly acknowledge the support of his Nationalist allies in Quebec without offending his Orange supporters in Ontario, or vice versa. To either alter or accept Canada's present naval policy portends trouble. Above all is he handicapped at this period of prosperity by his pledges to tax imports still more highly, while his known personal leanings toward reciprocity can hardly hope to find expression or acceptance after his leadership of the anti-reciprocity campaign.

Mr. Borden has before him a course beset with difficulties, which should procure for him the sympathy of men of all parties during the time that it remains the will of the Canadian people that he should be their leader. Towards this end, Mr. Borden's unsullied reputation and exemplary personal character will go a long way to win the confidence and sympathy, if not the support, of all parties. It must be a matter for congratulations among all Liberals to know that as the country had to have a Conservative government, that its leader is a gentleman deserving of the honor, and in his personal life fully worthy to be its first citizen.

Who will be the men he will select to be associated with him on the Executive Council? That is the impatient enquiry in every mind. That is the first of the great tasks to confront Mr. Borden. Like the other tasks previously enumerated it will be fraught with risks. For many of the "eligibles," the question in the premier's mind may well be, "Will they be more dangerous in or out?"

Hon. George E. Foster, for instance despite his personal unpopularity, is still the ablest financial head in the Conservative ranks. Once his colleagues laid a pit for him to fall into in the hope of getting rid of him. Mr. Foster fell into the pit all right, but he got out of it and seems to have lived down the past. Mr. Foster is clearly Cabinet timber. The portfolio of Finance which he held for a brief time under Sir Mackenzie Bowell seems likely to pass into his custody again.

Henri Bourassa too, is entitled to Cabinet rank. The leader of twenty-one Nationalist votes in the House, and the party's greatest orator cannot be left out in the cold without risk of forfeiting his support.

Clifford Sifton is another who must be reckoned with. He has great genius for organisation. He was a tower of strength in the late campaign. Every place he spoke at returned majorities. He is ambitious too. Many of his oldest friends are convinced that personal ambition lay at the root of his recent change of political faith. Will he be safer inside or outside the Cabinet fold?

And among the other doubtfuls must be reckoned our own provincial Premier. The usually well informed Ottawa Journal suggests that he will be offered the portfolio for the Interior. Mr. McBride was supposed to be playing for higher stakes. His refusal to enter the campaign has certainly cost him his charces for the Federal Premiership, and it seems doubtful whether Mr. Borden after fifteen trying and difficult years of opposition leadership, would row in the moment of success, take chances on admitting to the Cabinet one who might at any time become a rival for the party leadership.

Then there is the other question, as to whether Mr. McBride in spite of his desire to enter the larger field of Federal politics, would not prefer to be a Provincial Premier than a Federal Minister.

Mr. Borden's task at Ottawa this evening in selecting his ministers will not be an easy one.

BE FAIR, GENTLEMEN !

In the good-humored fun making of the Conservative parade on Saturday night, there was one little bit of unkindness that would have been better left out. It was the banner inscribed:

"Hush, little Manson, don't you cry
You'll be happy by and by."

Although he failed to deliver the Skeena district, and failed badly, Mr. Manson did his best for his Conservative friends. He even deserted his Mayoral duties, and tied up the work of the License Board while he was out campaigning. It seems rather mean for his friends to rub his defeat in so.

Outside of that, the fun in the parade was real good, and in the best of spirits.

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CHAPTER XI.

Soda Creek

"You think you heap savvy Indians. You dam fool. I fix you plenty."

As they made for their horses, Kineeshaw shook his bleeding hand at Combe, and that was his last message. He knew that at a hundred yards a revolver was practically useless, and though when Jim picked up the Winchester the five hurried to horse and galloped swiftly away, at the clank of its pump, he almost wished that he had fired.

"As well now as later," he mused, "and it has got to come. It is pretty near a blood fued between us now. If they'd had a gun amongst them I'd have let them have it."

As he tightened the cinches of the roan, it worried him to remember that these five red devils had ridden off in the direction of the Risky Ranch. They meant mischief, of that he felt sure, but after all they were only five, Indians and unarmed, and he had left more than that on the ranch, white, and well armed.

It was his business to go and fetch the doctor. That was what Kitty wanted him to do, so he swung himself into the saddle, and rode steadily east.

Twice that morning he saw Indians, in small bands, but on both occasions he thought that he had been seen before he saw them, and was uncertain of the direction in which they were heading, and once, just before reaching the Fraser, he came across a large camp of Chilcotens, just preparing to move.

To his questions they replied that they were en route to Tatlo Lake, but they struck him as unfriendly, and lying for some set purpose.

If such things had ever happened in B. C. he would have suspected that an Indian rising was on foot, but that was practically impossible, and Jim dismissed the idea as born of fatigue and an empty stomach.

And then he heard the voice of the Fraser, and presently came over grey bluffs to that great river. It is never a pretty river, no, not even in springtime, when the patches of white flowering olall bushes do their best for it. Grand as it is at times, and at Hell's Gate and other places, picturesque, a show for the C.P.R. and a pleasing horror for tourists who ride safely along its precipitous banks in a luxurious Pullman car, its waters are too turbid, and its strangely shaped mud cliffs too weirdly colored with mineral matter, to be more than grotesque and uncanny. At the crossing where Jim struck it, the river was certainly not looking its best. Like the whole country it seemed in evil mood. The river had already felt the first touch of winter; small cakes of ice were thickening its dun-colored waters, grinding against one another, and rendering a crossing a matter of some difficulty.

However, the ferry man made light of it.

"It's all right, sonny, for twenty hours yet, and maybe for a week after that, but it's coming, it's coming sure, and if I was you I wouldn't get on no tear in Sody Creek as'll keep you more'n a week. If you do, you may have to wait there until you can walk across. A week on bug-juice ought to do you, though cow punching does seem to make man powerfully dry."

The ferryman was new to Caribou, and did not know Jim Combe, but he spoke from a long experience in other parts of the North-West, where prohibition had mightily increased the thirst of the people.

"All right, Cap." Everyone is a captain who owns anything bigger than a canoe in Canada. "I'll see to that. You be on hand in an hour's time."

The man laughed good-naturedly.

"Sure," he said, "I will, but you won't be. I never knowed a man yet as didn't calculate to do his business in half an hour, nor one as did it in a day. Seems to me this here metropolis had ought to be called Whiskey Creek 'stead of Sody."

Jim laughed at the old joke. There were many worse towns than Soda Creek, but of course there was whiskey in it.

"Do you know where I can find the doctor?"

"In the bar of the Ideal. Or no, stay! You won't get the doctor there to-day neither. He's away up to Snow Gulch."

Snow Gulch was fifteen miles outside Soda Creek, and Jim fretted at this new delay.

"What is he doing up there?"

"Guess he's gone as one of a reception committee to old man Hayes' place. The old man's got a raise."

"I thought he always was mine manager. Is he owner now? Got the mine for his wages?"

"No, thought that wouldn't make him a bloated millionaire by all accounts. The old man raised himself, sort of informal, with a stick of giant."

"Blown himself up? Is he much hurt?"

"Don't complain any, and I don't know as he ought to. He's only blowed the roof off his head, and that was never any good to him, even for carrying his liquor."

"Do you mean to say he's dead?"

"Dead as a mutton."

"Then why has the doctor gone out?"

"Give that chunk of ice a boost with the pole will you? That's bully," as the great cake slid down the side of the boat with a dull rasping sound. "Well, I don't know, I'm sure, why the doc's gone, 'cept that Sody is slower just now than a funeral. It's nothing here now but bug juice all day, and more bug juice all night, with interludes for crib. Not as a man really tires of bug juice, but it's monotonous even the way as the doc fixes it."

"How does the doctor fix it?" asked Jim, humoring him.

"Wall, the doc, he's got a sort of lay helper, what the gospel sharks back east call a deakin, and they've arranged to make what the doc calls a concession to the conveniences. They does it this way—doc he takes morning watch and the bottle, deakin, he takes the patients. Then doc and the deakin take dog watch together, both drunk for a spell. Then doc comes in for night watch, and in general manages to sober up before any of the boys get around. Drunk or sober, he's better nor the lay helper, so I guess your friend had better hit him a lick in the night watch."

"Cheerful for an invalid," commented Jim, as the ferry touched the bank.

"Oh, it's all right. This country ain't meant for cripples. I'll come along," and the philosopher who had really hit the nail on the head, tied up his boat, and loafed after Jim for his morning eye-opener.

The town (alone among its peers it never aspired to be a city), had once in the good old days of the Caribou excitement, been a place of some importance. Its grass-grown streets worn bare by many feet, but since then it had fallen a prey to stagnation.

The houses were mean and far apart, and except for stray dogs, and one or two melancholy looking horses tied to a rail, there was no outward visible sign of life.

As the horses were tied in front of the Ideal, Jim followed the ferryman's advice, and made his way into that high-sounding hostelry, a wooden building apparently of two stories, though its appearance was as deceptive as its name. Closer inspection revealed the fact that its top storey was a "bluff," being only a board extension of the front with nothing but the free air behind it.

But if the outside of the Ideal was dull and gloomy, inside the gloom was intensified. A more sordid interior than that of this saloon no man ever saw. A great stove which made a red glow in the middle of the bar room, and raised the temperature to something nearly tropical, was the only apparent apology for any man's coming inside.

The floor, which had not been swept for weeks, was a chaos of dead cigar ends, and a table at which three men sat thumping down their aces in a game of Steamer whist, was foul with kerosene oil, whilst the small windows wore blinds to keep out any ray of sunlight, which might be deluded into entering the place.

A drowsy bar tender leaned on his elbow across the bar, watching the game listlessly, spitting and encouraging the players by turns, and in front of the stove a middle-aged man of immense brawn, sat hunched up, looking wearily into the glow.

Jim, who knew the man's story, wondered what he saw in the fire. A few years ago the loafer had been a steady and prosperous rancher in a small way, but his wife had died in child birth, and since then the Ideal had been his home.

Unless he lived only in his work the Ideal would have to be Jim Combe's home in the future. For lone men with nothing to look forward to there are only two alternatives in the West, work or drink, and Jim knew it. With a shudder he pulled himself together and turned to the bartender, who had begun mechanically to polish up certain solid little tumblers at the advent of a newcomer, whilst the whist players moved restlessly in their chairs, ready to "line up" to the bar at the first sound of those magic words, "What shall it be, gentlemen?" But Jim did not utter them, and the hope died out in their face. Instead, he asked civilly where the doctor was.

"Gone to a buryin'," the bar man replied. "It's all deadheads to-day," he added with a sneer, which invited the approval of the disappointed whist players.

"Will he be back soon?"

"It all depends, Mister, on how the corpse travels. Corpses ain't gay on the hoof, as you may have heard, and it's all of fifteen miles to Snow Gulch. Don't see why they couldn't have left the old man where he was. One place is as good as another to be planted in to my mind."

"There you're plum off the track, sonny," broke in one of the players reprovingly. "There's no call for a man to demean himself if he does live in Sody Crik. Old man Hayes was a decent citizen, fix it which way you will; took his glass reg'lar, an' paid for it when he had any dust, and if he owes you a blanked cent, say so, and I'll foot the bill," and the speaker, who looked anything but opulent, eyed the bar tender fiercely, and pulled out a greasy deer-skin sack.

"No, Jake, the old man didn't owe me nothin'. I didn't say as he did."

"An' you hadn't better, you slab-sided cross between a galloot and a buck nigger. I say as old man Hayes has a right to all the frills he has a mind to when it comes to buryin,' and I'd like to hear from the gent as thinks contrary."

To patch up the breach, Jim stood drinks. It is the only civility you can show to your neighbor in some places, and then for want of anything else to do, rather than in the hope of hurrying a funeral procession, Jim borrowed Jake's cayuse, and rode out to meet the burying party.

CHAPTER XII.

A Backwoods Funeral

On a steep bluff, through the heavy brush of which a narrow trail had been roughly cut, Jim found a party of about a dozen men, half of whom wore black coats. They were almost the only black coats in Caribou, and had been collected with infininte trouble to give tone to the proceedings. There was also one top hat . That belonged to the doctor, and was worn by him. The bottle, too large for a medicine bottle, which protruded from his coat pocket, belonged to the party.

When Jim first sighted them, the proper spirit of their occupation possessed them. Two and two they paced behind a sorry nag, at whose head paced the doctor and another. All had their hats off, and their coats on, and no one spoke.

Upon the horse's back was all that remained of old man Hayes, a white handkerchief bound reverently over his face, and his body decently disposed in a blanket.

In a corner of this, unfortunately, was caught one of those sharp-ended boughs which B. C. people call a rampike. Gently and without a word the doctor wrestled with the impediment, and the horse stood still whilst he did so.

At the next step a small bough caught the handkerchief and lifted it off the face. It was recovered and replaced without a word. As soon as this had been done the horse stumbled over an unseen log, and its pack moved up a foot nearer to its neck. The doctor's companion caught the beast by the head and jerked at its bit, as a hint to it to take more care, and at the same moment another rampike caught in the blanket. This time the horse could not stand still, neither would the rampike loose its hold. For nearly thirty seconds the two at the horse's head did their best to undo the tangle, then the horse plunged forward, the blanket tore, some of the lashings gave, and old man Hayes rolled out with a thump, brandishing one stiffened limb in ghastly fashion as he fell.

The doctor's mate swore, and his fluency made up for his former silence.

"This is a positive scandal, boys. It's irreverent to the dead," Jim heard the doctor say.

"It's blanked poor packing, that's what it is," retorted one of them. "Ed don't know enough to tie a granny knot let alone the diamond hitch."

"You tie it better yourself, you web-footed blue nose."

"That's dead easy, and I'll tie your blamed neck in a knot when I'm through with it," said the other angrily, taking off his coat to work and swear more easily. But he did not find it "dead easy."

"Cinch the beggar good and tight," suggested one. "Corpses ain't got no feelin's," and putting his foot against the horse he threw his weight into the rope.

"Hold on, Mo; you'll break him all up."

"Not much. He's stiff enough. There, git up now," and he gave the horse a slap on its quarter.

Frightened by its mishap, or more conscious of the dead nature of its burden than its masters thought, the horse bolted, galloped through the range of timber, and on to the open hillside, where Jim was standing, and there with two or three vicious bucks sent the body of Mr. Hayes rolling down the slope.

This denouement evoked a volley of imprecations from the mutes, but even that had no apparent effect upon the gravity of the late Mr. Hayes.

Never in his life had he proceeded with more deliberate dignity than he did then in his death. The pitch of the hillside was only just steep enough to induce a bale of goods to roll, so that the swathed body went down it in slow time, with grave pauses, whilst the limbs of it, which had broken loose, swung in solemn mockery as the body rolled over.

In spite of pauses, it would not stop. As soon as one moved to catch it, it swung its arms and started again, recovering its momentum sufficiently to elude its would-be captors.

It was as if the dead man was playing a grim game with his old cronies. At last it reached the road, which wound round the base of the hill.

"Well, I'm blanked, if that don't beat everything. The old man always was pig-headed, but who'd have thought he'd have kicked like that at being packed, and he's a corpse!"

"Guess he thinks he can take care of hisself now same as he allus did. He's crossed this trail many a night when he hadn't any more sense than he has now."

But the stillness of the body brought back some of the old feeling of awe.

"Hush!" said one. "What are you giving us? That ain't no way to talk before corpses."

"Corpse or no corpse," said a bolder spirit, "it's a long time between drinks, and this burying is a mighty dry entertainment. Doc! Let's have a look at that bottle."

The doctor produced the medicine, which was labelled Scott and Mackay's Special, and in turn each of the mutes drank to their old companion.

"Guess he'll travel more sociable now," said Al, wiping his mouth with his coat sleeve. "But we'll have to pack him ourselves. Got to take off our frills for that business," and with a sigh of relief every man took off his coat, and tied it in a back on his back.

At this point Jim Combe joined them, was given a drink and solemnly introduced to the corpse.

In return he lent a hand at bearing it, and abandoning all ideas of a processional pace, or the decorum of silence, the party in its shirt sleeves, trotted to within sight of Soda Creek before dark. Here, however, the procession paused, reformed, put on its coats and funeral face, and marched with great pomp to the door of the Ideal.

Here, again, an unexpected difficulty met them. The Ideal was the only place to which ony one went on arriving at Soda Creek, but in spite of the former habits of their charge, it was evidently now no place for Mr. Hayes.

"Poor old hoss, I guess you ain't allowed in here now. Where'll we take him to, doc?"

An empty house was suggested where the body would be safe from the dogs until the clergyman came for it next day, and there it was locked up for the night.

But even then the doctor was not ready for his patient at the Risky Ranch. By unanimous consent it was held fitting that Soda Creek should celebrate old man Hayes' reception in due form, and no protest on Jim's part was of any avail. The men had had enough whiskey to make them as stubborn as mules. Jim Combe was in despair. Every drink that the reckless crowd took made it more noisy and more quarrelsome, whilst the doctor was rapidly progressing from the convivial to the maudlin stage of drunkenness.

Finally Protheroe declared his intention of going to take one drink with the old man.

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Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locate

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Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of the Exchumsik River, and being about two miles northerly from the mouth of the said Exchumsik River, and which post is about forty chains north from a stake planted on the Exchumsik River and known as "E9"; thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west forty chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 480 acres more or less.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for an Act incorporating a Railway Company under the name of "The Pacific, Trans-Canada and Hudson Bay Railway Company," with power to lay out, construct and operate a line of railway from a point in the Province of Alberta, at or near the City of Edmonton, thence northerly by the most feasible route to, at, or near Athabasca Landing; thence northwesterly northeast of Lesser Slave Lake to Wabiska or Loon River; thence northerly to a point at or near the junction of the Loon River with the Peace River, or at a point near the junction of the Red River with the Peace River, below Fort Vermillion on the Peace River; thence northerly to Fort Smith on the Slave River: From a point on the said railroad near its crossing of the Wabiska River or the Loon River easterly to Fort McMurray on the Athabasca River; thence easterly along the Clearwater river and Chruchill River through the Province of Saskatchewan to Fort Churchill or Port Nelson on the Hudson Bay: From a point on said railroad near its crossing of the Wabiska or Loon River, westerly to Peace River crossing on the Peace River; thence westerly on the north side of the river through Laurier Pass to Prince Rupert or Portland Canal on the Pacific Coast in British Columbia; with power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone and cable lines for general public purposes; to carry on, construct, maintain and operate boats and ferries for the purposes of the railway and other purposes; to acquire and make use of lands, waterlots, wharves, docks, dock-yards, slips, warehouses, elevators and other conveniences; and with power to enter into Agreements with other Companies.

SMITH & JOHNSTON
Solicitors for the Applicants

Dated at Ottawa this 12th day of September, A. D., 1911. 5w

WATER NOTICE

I, S. Harrison of Prince Rupert, B. C., broker give notice that on the fifteenth day of November 1911, I intend to apply to the Water Commissioner at his office in Prince Rupert, B. C., for a licence to take and use three cubic feet of water per second from McNeil River in Skeena District. The water is to be taken from the stream about four miles above the unction with the Skeena River and is to be used on Lot 4405 for domestic and agricultural purposes.

SAMUEL HARRISON

Sept. 9.

ITEMS OF .. SPORT

Owner Farrell of the Yankees, announces that he has decided upon his manager for next year, and that his name is Chase, front name Hal. He will play first base.

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Roy Hartzell, who was traded by St. Louis to the New York Highlanders, has helped the Yankees win more games from the Browns than any other one of Chase's players.

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That young Washington third baseman, Morgan, looks like a find. He has a terrific wing, and in reality acts like an old stager, though he has just slipped by his nineteenth birthday.

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Amradillo Marsans, Cuban player, would make a great hitter if he would use a bat. He bats with a toothpick, weighing about one-third as much as a regulation stick.

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Arrangements were completed for a 20-round bout between Matty Baldwin of Boston and Frankie Burns of Oakland at Dreamland, San Francisco, September 29. They have agreed to make 133 pounds three hours before.

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The arrangements for Ty Cobb's debut behind the footlights have been completed, and the contract signed. Vaughan Glaser, a personal friend of Cobb, will produce the play, which will be the "College Widow," revamped into a baseball drama, so that Ty can come to bat with bases loaded and make a clean-up.

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Herman Werder, the pitcher given a trial by Connie Mack and then sent to the minors, is said to have been a failure this year because he was unnerved by a sad accident in which he severely injured a fellow player at York, Pa. His bat flew from his hands, hit the player, broke his nose and jaw and nearly killed him.

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Vancouvers and Tecumsehs, Min to cup holders and champions of the N. L. U. respectively, are busy arranging for the big series, East versus West, which will take place the latter part of the month, and although some obstacles regarding referees and other points have yet to be overcome, it is expected that the matches will take place all right. President Murphy of the N. L. U., has acting on behalf of the challengers, suggested September 30 and October 7 as dates for the matches.

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Connie Mack has expressed himself as quite confident that the New York Giants are the team he will have to beat for the world's championship, and says: "The Athletics don't fear the Giants any more than they do the Cubs. They expect to win the series again, no matter which National League club they have to face. If New York wins they fully expect to atone for their defeat at the hands of the Giants in the big series of 1905."

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Canadians are rapidly rushing to the front tier in sport and another decade of advance such as has just been passed through will place the Canucks at the top of the ladder. Recently five athletes from Toronto—Bobby Kerr, Arnold Knox, Alex Cameron, Jack Tressider and George Lester—went to Pittsburg to the Olympic sports, and made a clean-up of five firsts, one second and one third, which is going some. They also won a medley relay race, which is somewhat of an innovation. In the medley race, which was the feature of the day, being schedulde as All-Canada against the United States, Knox started off, running the mile, and gave the Canucks a great lead, which Bobby Kerr increased in the 220. Tressider held his own in the 440, and George Lister finished up away out in front in the half, which was the last lap of the race. The Canadian team got a great reception when they completed the day by their victory in the relay.

= 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.

SILK AND STRAW CHAPEAU

A chic French hat just over is of the bonnet or scoop shape, with a wonderfully draped crown of taffeta. The joining of this to straw brim is covered with a wreath of small roses. Despite its simplicity it is indeed charming.

New York Fashions

The new season promises to be one of modifications and revivals in fashions rather than one of radical departures. Practically all of the best features of the summer modes are retained, but with new details and developed in new materials, they are bound to take on almost the novelty of entirely new ideas.

The kimono sleeve, the tunic, the stole-like panels, sashes, and all of the trimming methods that have charmed us during the last few months, are gradually reappearing in such new guises that they are more effective. The materials for fall are soft and pliable, even though there is a greater number of heavy thick-looking fabrics than usual, but they lend themselves to graceful draperies and flowing lines quite as readily as did the lawns and batistes of summer.

All the satin-surfaced fabrics and the lovely dull-lustre silks are back, but it is the rough tweeds, and the silky camel's hair and zibelines that catch the eye first. Within a few weeks now they will be noted among the smartest of street costumes, not only in coat and skirt suits, with the new half-length coat, but in dresses which, with furs, will be worn right through the winter. They will figure, too, in separate coats.

The color note is an important item, combinations that are most unusual being considered most successful. Old blue and a faint, silvery blue are used with tobac; dark blue with cigar brown and a blue purple, with all less definite shades. Mahogany, which is a prime favorite, will be used with black onyl; striped zibelines combine well with velvet of deep shades and particularly well with black; navy is trimmed with light blue, with any of the green blues, with black and white stripes or rich black.

LOTS OF TOURISTS

Three Years from Now Will Come to Rupert

Calgary, Sept. 24.—Banff Springs hotel entertained over 22,000 guests from May 15 to August 30, an increase of 6,452 over the corresponding period in 1910. During the months of July and August 308 guests occupied berths in sleeping cars on the track as an overflow from the hotel. During the period from July 22 to September 2, 886 people enjoyed the new golf links.

Manager McAleer of the Nationals, says that Larry Lajoie will be on his all-star team this fall, the club that will play the American League pennant winners to prime them for the world's series with the victorious team in the National League. Jim says that no all-star team is complete without the big Frenchman enrolled thereon.

THE OLD LOCHINVAR

The old Lochinvar was considerable sport,
He picked out a sweet little broiler to court;
Though save for his money of charms he had bore,
Still that was enough by itself all alone.
And to strengthen his chances, right there at the start,
He gave her five millions to win her young heart.

There was arching of eyebrows and sneers of disdain,
There was comment in public both pointed and plain,
And parsons and preachers a near and afar
All swore they'd not marry the old Lochinvar.
But with millions behind him and Force on his side,
He would not relinquish his charming young bride.

There were howls from the pulpit and jeers from the press;
In the home of the bride there was tears and distress;
And none were too wealthy or poor to deride
The old Lochinvar and his five-million bride.
But the old Lochinvar was exceedingly game,
And he clung to the girl with the breakfast-food name.

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There was racing and chasing by train and by yacht;
A thousand was offered for trying the knot;
And though many declined, there was not one averse
To taking a crack at old Lochinvar's purse.
So at last they were wed—but how happy they are
Must be told by the bride and her old Lochinvar.

FASHIONS FOR MEN

Pointers on What Will be Worn This Fall

A large clothing house has produced a reversible overcoat in 26 and 28 ounce double-faced fabric cravenetted. It is worn either as a grey with a regular shoulder, or as a brown overcoat with a raglan shoulder. There are really two distinct coats in one.

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In double-breasted, three-button overcoats for dress occasions, very dark blues are going to be favored in Paris this year.

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In Paris, trouserings patterned with stripes placed far apart are meeting with a marked demand. Greys and mixtures in black and white are leaders.

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Shoes of mahogany shade with socks to match have made their appearance in London, the former in brogue pattern and the latter with a neat clock at the side.

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Manufacturers who are featuring silver greys, strongly in thier shirting lines have struck upon a vogue which is in high favor with the better class trade in London at the present time.

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Harris and Donegal tweeds in rich browns, heather and dull green mixtures, as well as Bannockburns are in demand for hunting season wear in England.

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The watch chain that accords with fashions requirement at the present time is in many cases of very fine links in dull gold. Fobs, are, of course, still very much in vogue.

There are, perhaps, a half dozen really desirable tenants who would feel that they were actually "lucky" to have learned about your property—and they all read ads!

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that I, Peter Erickson of Prince Rupert, laborer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Williams Creek where the railway right-of-way crosses and 3 chains back from the creek bank, thence south 30 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 30 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.
Dated July 7, 1911. PETER ERICKSON
Pub. July 25. Fred E. Cowell, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that I, John Evenson of Prince Rupert, laborer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Lot 4415, thence north 80 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 60 chains to point of commencement.
Dated July 13, 1911. JOHN EVENSON
Pub. July 25. Fred E. Cowell, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that I, Benjamin A. Fish of Towner, N. D., occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the east boundary and about five chains from the south-east corner of Lot 4484, thence north 60 chains, thence east 30 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence west 30 chains to point of commencement.
Dated June 24, 1911. BENJAMIN A. FISH
Pub. July 25. Fred E. Cowell, Agent

keena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Stanley Green of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:
Commencing at a post planted 40 chains south and 40 chains west of the northwest corner of Lot 1733, Lakelse Valley, District of Coast Range 5, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.
Staked June 30th, 1911 STANLEY GREEN
Pub. July 15. Locator

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Percy M. Miller of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation Civil Engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the left bank of McNeil River at north west corner of lot 4409 R.V., thence east 20 chains more or less to westerly boundary of timber limit 545 (old number 40616) thence northerly following said westerly boundary of timber limit 60 chains more or less to north west corner of said timber limit, thence westerly 20 chains more or less to left bank of McNeil River, thence southerly following said left bank of McNeil River 60 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 100 acres more or less.
PERCY M. MILLER,
E. Flexman, Agent
Date June 19, 1911
Pub. July 19, 1911

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that I, Thomas Carter, of Prince Rupert, occupation carpenter, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land.
Commencing at a post planted about one mile south from the mouth of Falls creek and about 150 feet back from the beach, thence 80 chains north, thence 40 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.
THOMAS CARTER.
Dated July 7th, 1911. Charles Webster Calhoun,
Pub. Aug. 5th. Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that I, Paul Hagen of Prince Rupert, laborer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Williams Creek about 50 chains south-east from R. R., thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.
Dated July 7, 1911. PAUL HAGEN
Pub. July 25. Fred E. Cowell, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Sarah E. Alton of Prince Rupert, occupation nurse, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the North-west corner 140 chains easterly (slightly north) from the northeast corner of Lot 1116 (Harvey Survey) Coast District, Range V, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains north to post of commencement containing 480 acres more or less.
Dated June 14, 1911. SARAH E. ALTON
Pub. July 15. Fred Bohler, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notce that Linford Sewell Bell of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation locomotive engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of the Zimogotitz River about three (3) miles distant (upstream) in a westerly direction from the junction of the Little Zimogotitz River and the main Zimogotitz River, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to post of commencement containing 160 acres more or less.
Dated June 7, 1911. LINFORD SEWALL BELL
Pub. July 8. Geo. R. Putnam, Agent

Cassiar Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, Lemuel Freer of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following desribedr lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the shore in a northerly direction from Port Nelson Cannery marked L. F.'s S. E. Corner, thence 20 chains north, thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains south to shore line, thence along the shore to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.
Dated June 10, 1911 LEMUEL FREER
Pub. July 8. J. M. Collison, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that Jesse M. Tallman of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, occupation lawyer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted on the southerly shore of Kutzymateen Inlet on the right bank of a small stream flowing into said Inlet just east of Crow Lake. Thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains more or less to the shore line of Crow Lake, thence northerly and easterly following the shore lines of Crow Lake, the Inlet to Crow Lake and Kutzeymateen Inlet to the place of commencement, containing forty acres more or less. Located August 7, 1911.
Dated Aug. 9, 1911. JESSE M. TALLMAN
Pub. Aug. 12.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that R. F. Miller of Tipton, England, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains west from the N. W. Corner of Lot 4406, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to the point of commencement containing eighty acres more or less.
Dated August 19, 1911. R. F. MILLER
Pub. Aug. 26. P. M. Miller, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Thomas McClymont of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation real estate broker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a pst planted at the S. W. corner of pre-emption record 412, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains to shore of lake, thence following shore of lake in a northerly direction to point of commencement; containing 320 acres, more or less.
Dated Sept. 5, 1911. THOMAS McCLYMONT
Pub. Sept. 9. Erenest Cole, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that E. H. G. Miller of Falmouth Eng., occupation surveyor, intends to apply fo permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the N. W. Corner of Lot 4406, thence west 80 chians, thence south 20 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 20 chains to the point of commencement containing 160 acres more or less.
Dated August 15, 1911. E. H. G. MILLER
Pub. Aug. 26. P. M. Miller, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands
Take notice that Austin M. Brown of Prince Rupert, occupation saddler, intends to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands on the West Coast of Graham Island:
Commencing at a post planted three miles east of the northeast corner of C. L. No. 4472 thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.
AUSTIN M. BROWN, Locator
Located August 1st. 1911.
Pub. Aug. 19.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that I, Peter Larsen of Towner, North Dakota, U. S. A., farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Lot 1729, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.
Dated July 15, 1911. PETER LARSEN
Pub July 25, 1911. Fred E. Cowell, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V
Take notice that I, Adolph H. Christianson of Towner, North Dakota, occupation attorney-at-law, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about one and one-half miles (1 1-2) northeast of the head of Trout River on the west side of Lakelse Lake, and about 5 chains from the lake-front, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.
ADOLPH H. CHRISTIANSON
Dated June 30, 1911. Fred E. Cowell, Agent
Pub. July 25.

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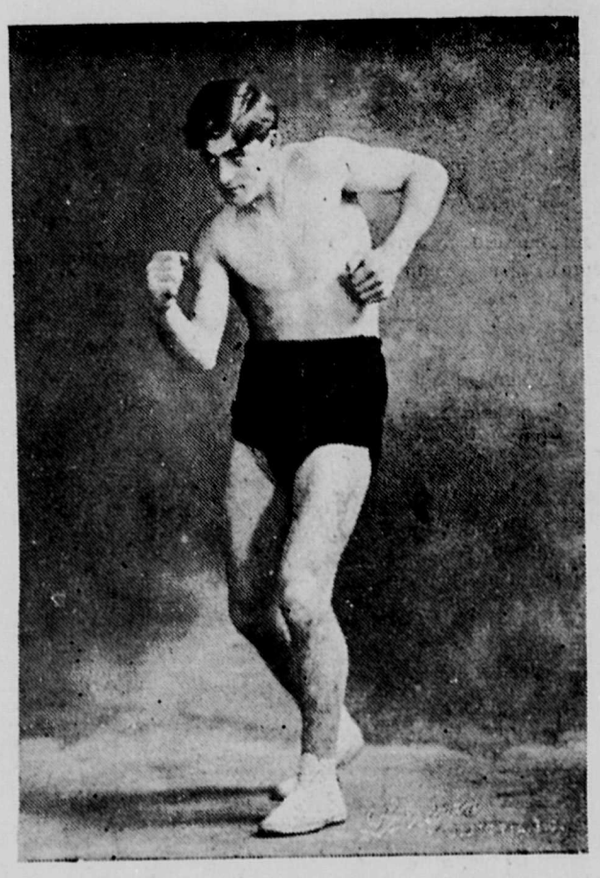
Former Lightweight Amateur Champion of B.C. Shows Fine Form Boxing All Comers before the Big Match on Wednesday—Record Sale of Ring Tickets

Joe Bayley, who will box Oscar Nelson on Wednesday at the Kaien Island Club, is busy at the Windsor Hotel putting on the finishing touches to his preparation for the bout.

Standing room at Bayley's training quarters is at a premium; size, weight, age, or experience in his sparring partner makes no difference to Joe, and a large crowd gathers every evening to see him take on four of five volunteers some of whom scale almost two hundred pounds. Bayley is young and strong and in perfect condition and to slam some heavyweight around the room seems to give him more pleasure than his meals. It is safe to say that Oscar Nelson will have no easy snap to gain a decision with his somewhat smaller opponent.

Nelson is about ready to step into the ring, his ten days' finishing process at the Kaien Island Club has brought him into the best possible condition.

Frank Bowness, who has charge of the arrangement committee for the Kaien Island Club, has made perfect arrangements to handle the large crowd that is assured by the advance sale of seats.



JOE BAYLEY
Formerly lightweight amateur champion of B.C., who will box Oscar Nelson here Wednesday

ELECTION ENDS WITH A TRAGEDY

In a Political Quarrel at Campbellton, N. B., Dr. Doherty Inadvertently Stabs and Kills Mr. D. J. Bruce With an Umbrella.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Campbellton, N. B., Sept. 24.—A sad election tragedy has plunged this little town in mourning. One of its most respected citizens, D. J. Bruce is lying dead, and another respected citizen, Dr. W. W. Doherty is in jail charged with causing his death.

The tragedy followed a heated election argument between the two men, the dead man being a Conservative and the doctor a Liberal. During the argument, one or other of the men lost his temper and blows were exchanged. The doctor struck Mr. Bruce with his umbrella in the face, the steel point entering Mr. Bruce's eye, destroying the sight, and causing his death a few hours later.

The affair has caused a great sensation. Dr. Doherty was placed under arrest and now awaits trial on a charge of causing the death of Mr. Bruce.

TO VISIT THE COAST

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier Planning Trip to California

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—Sir Wilfird Laurier and Lady Laurier are planning to take a rest in California before the House opens, when the Liberal leader will continue to act as leader of the Opposition.

Food for Camps

To make up for her light passenger list the Prince George had an exceptionally heavy freight cargo on Saturday. Two hundred tons of her cargo were foodstuffs consigned to Foley, Welch & Stewart camps up river.

For row boats and launches telephone 320 green. Davis' Boat House.

SERIOUS SKEENA WATER SCARCITY

Phenomenally Low Levels Recorded for This Time of Year, and Very Early Close of River Traffic Predicted Unless Change Occurs.

Yesterday "Two foot seven below zero" today "Two foot ten below zero, and still falling." Everybody in Prince Rupert who has reason to watch the Skeena water levels understands what that means. A phenomenally low state of the water exists today, and worse is threatened. If things go on like this for only a few days more it is certain that there will be an unusually early close of the river navigation, and corresponding ly difficult conditions up river owing to the problem of getting in supplies. There are people in Prince Rupert this morning who are positivtly praying for more water in the Skeena, and the first thing done in the morning is to scan that little yellow bulletin in Foley, Welch & Stewart's office that tells what the water is doing.

HON. MR. PARENT RESIGNS

Chairman of National Trans-Continental Commission Hands in Papers.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—Hon. A. N. Parent has resigned from Trans-Continental Railway Commission and is here in conference with Laurier. Lord Strathcona is expected in Ottawa next week and will likely tender his resignation.

FIVE FIRE VICTIMS

An Incendiary at Chicago Has Five Murders on His Conscience.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Two men, two women and one baby were burned to death last night in what is believed to be an incendiary fire at a tenement house.

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THE RACE FOR BALL TROPHIES

Portland, Vancouver, New York and Philadelphia Top the Big Baseball Leagues.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Following are the percentage standings of the clubs in the principla baseball leagues:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pacific Coast Laegue			
Portland	95	68	.583
Vernon	99	73	.576
Oakland	95	85	.528
San Francisco	82	96	.461
Sacramento	77	95	.440
Los Angeles	74	194	.416
Northwestern League			
Vancouver	97	59	.622
Spokane	90	69	.566
Seattle	83	74	.529
Portland	81	73	.526
Tacoma	81	73	.526
Tacoma	79	77	.506
Victoria	40	118	.253
National League			
New York	89	47	.655
Chicago	83	57	.593
Pittsburg	82	62	.589
Philadelphia	75	64	.539
St. Louis	73	67	.521
Cincinnati	64	79	.447
Brooklyn	56	81	.409
Boston	36	101	.263
American League			
Philadelphia	94	45	.676
Detroit	84	57	.596
Cleveland	74	66	.529
New York	73	69	.514
Chicago	70	70	.500
Boston	70	72	.493
Washington	59	83	.415
St. Louis	40	102	.282

MORE ELECTION RESULTS IN

Bella Coola Majority for Clements. Many Minor Places Also Help to Reverse the Decision of Prince Rupert.

Following election figures were received by Returning Officer F. G. Dawson up to one p.m. today. They increase Clements' majority:

	Ross	Clements
Bella Coola	12	18
Sloan	2	4
Namu	2	6
Rivers Inlet (Wadham's)	3	9
Rivers Inlet (Victoria)	2	4
Swanson Bay	1	2
Ocean Falls	3	5
Kincolith	2	1
Whiting Bay	8	4
Pt. Nelson	4	8
Hartley Bay	2	1
Kitimat	4	3

About twenty-five polling places have yet to report.

TO SHIP FISH VIA RUPERT

New Plan of the Standard Fish and Fertiliser Company's is Put in Operation Today.

At the wharf this morning the trawler Kingsway is berthed having transhipped her freight of halibut and mixed fish of all marketable kinds on board the Prince George for the southern markets. This is the first move in the new method started by the Kingsway's owners to ship fish as fast as possible south via Rupert. The trawler hails originally from Fleetwood, and is only one of what may some day be a great fleet of similar vessels plying in and out of Rupert.

Help Wanted

Wanted general servant, two servant girls kept. Apply to Mrs. L. W. Patmore. 201-tf

For Rent

Furnished rooms with bath. Special rates by the week. Talbot House. 165-tf

Neatly Furnished rooms, gentlemen preferred.—Apply Mrs. Mullin, over Majestic Theatre. tf

Nice Furnished Rooms, Mrs. Greenwood, Alder Block; Third Ave. 178-tf

For Rent—Furnished rooms. Hot and cold water with bath. Digby Rooms. 6th Ave. and Fulton Street. tf

For Rent—Sons of England Hall, 819 2nd Ave., for Dances, Fraternal Societies, Socials, etc. Apply Frank A Ellis, Box 869 or phone 68. 186-tf

For Sale

For Sale—Chicken Ranch. 2 Storey house, household goods. Near Prince Rupert. A snap if taken at once. Address Box 368. tf

For Sale—Irish Terrier dog pups, pedigreed, gritty, good companions, good color. Goddard Bros., 95 Water St., Vancouver. 216-227

Insurance

OUR Companies are noted for prompt and just settlements. We write every known class of Insurance. The Mack Realty and Insurance Co.

Wanted

Wanted — Hand laundering. Prices moderate. 261 Third Avenue, near News office. tf

Wanted. — Cleaning and pressing, alterations and repairing for men and women. Dressmaking called for and delivered. Mrs Charles Percher, 820 Third Ave. Phone 294 Red. tf

Lost and Found

Lost—Ladies' watch in bracelet. Reward by returning to News office. tf

FRED. STORK
—General Hardware—
Builders' Hardware
Valves & Pipes Oxford Stoves
Graniteware Tinware
SECOND - AVENUE

Gasoline Launches, Row Boats and Canoes
For Hire by Hour or Day
—BOATS BUILT AND REPAIRED—
H. Johnston Cow Creek P.O. Box 187
PHONE 259 GREEN

PHONE 301 P.O. BOX 804
PONY EXPRESS
SYSTEMATIC MERCHANTS' DELIVERY SERVICE
Baggage, Storage and Forwarding Agents. For Rigs or Motor Car day or night
Seventh Ave. and Fulton Phone 301

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Take notice that the partnership heretofore existing under the name of Handasyde & Hurt has this day been dissolved and that all accounts due the firm are to be paid to C. H. Handasyde, Jr., who will pay all firm debts and continue the aforesaid business.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., this day 25th of Sept. A. D. 1911.

6t C. H. HANDASYDE, Jr.

RUPERT STRIKER HAS GONE CRAZY

Steve Ruda, Arrested in Cabin the Day After Kelly's Cut Incident Went Bughouse at Victoria. In Asylum Now.

News reached Prince Rupert this morning that Steve Ruda, one of the men arrested in connection with the Kelly's Cut incident during the strike, and imprisoned at Victoria after trial there, has gone crazy. He is now confined in the asylum at Victoria. Ruda was arrested in his cabin the day after the fight, and maintained that he had nothing to do with the riot at all, being sick at the time.

For Rent—Furnished or unfurnished rooms (bachelors only) over Wallace's Dry Goods Store.—H. S. Wallace. tf

Do away with this. Patronize a white laundry. White labor only at
Pioneer Laundry. Phone 118

FEED STORE
We carry everything in the feed line, also garden seeds at the lowest market prices, at Collart's olg Feed Store, Market Place
PONY EXPRESS
Prompt Delivery Phones 41 or 301

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AGENT
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The Big Furniture Store
HART BLOCK
Main entrance 2nd Ave.; 6th St. entrance, last door in block
Bigger and Better than Ever
F. W. HART

PRINCE RUPERT OPPORTUNITIES
ASK UNCLE JERRY

FOR SALE
One lot, Block 22, Section 5, Seventh Avenue. Price $800. $400 cash.
One lot, Block 7, Section 6, Fourth Avenue, Harbor View. Price $1350.
Two lots, Block 24, Section 8, Eleventh Avenue. Price $300 each. $50 cash balance $25 per month.
Two lots, Block 24, Section 8, Eleventh Avenue. Price $600 pair, one-half cash.
Two lots, Block 51, Section 8, Kelliher Street. Price $175 each, $100 cash.
One lot, Block 7, Section 8, Tenth Avenue. Price $300, one-half cash.
Two lots, Block 38, Section 8, Justin Street. Price $500 pair, $300 cash.
One lot, Block 1, Section 8, next to corner, Eleventh Avenue. Price $475, $300 cash.
HOUSE FOR SALE
Four-room house, plastered, painted, best harbor view in city, on Ambrose Avenue. Price $1837. Cash $500, balance $30 per month.
FOR RENT
Offices and stores on Second Avenue and Sixth Street. Prices $35 to $75 per month.
Nicely furnished flat, four rooms and bath, hot and cold water, corner Fulton and Sixth Avenue. Price $50 per month.
LAND FOR SALE
5 and 10 acres for garden trucking, at Kitsumkalum. Price $65 per acre.
10-acre tracts garden trucking at Kitselas. Price $50 per acre. Terms.
FOR LEASE
Three lots on Third Avenue close to business section, level, good lease.
LOTS IN NEW HAZELTON
$10 cash and $10 per month buys you a homesite.

Jeremiah H. Kugler, Ltd.

Wark's Closing Jewelry Sale

Three Only, $6.00 Kitchen Clocks.....$2.90
Three Only, $12.50 Mantle Clocks.....$6.25
Dozens of Other Clocks at One-half Price.

See the bargains in the West Window today. Your choice for $2.50

C. B. WARK & CO.
Third Avenue

The Graham Island Oil Fields, Limited
CAPITAL STOCK $1,000,000
We are offering for sale a very limited amount of shares of stock at 25c per share; par value $1.00. These shares are going quickly and will soon be off the market : :
THE MACK REALTY & INSURANCE COMPANY
SELLING AGENTS

Are Your Valuables Safe?
Insure their protection by renting a safe deposit box in our vault. By so doing you need have no fear of fire or thieves. Call in today and inspect our vault and the protection provided : .
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Second Avenue

SAMUEL HARRISON (NOTARY PUBLIC) V. F. G. GAMBLE
Samuel Harrison & Co.
Real Estate and Stock Brokers
APPROVED AGREEMENTS FOR SALE PURCHASED
Prince Rupert - and - Stewart

WATER NOTICE

I, S. Harrison of Prince Rupert, B. C., broke give notice that on the fifteenth day of November 1911, I intend to apply to the Water Commissioner at his office in Prince Rupert, B. C., for a licence to take and use two cubic feet of water per second from the West Fork of McNeil River in Skeena District. The water is to be taken from the stream about one mile from its unction with NcMeil River and is to be used on Lot 4405 for domestic and agricultural purposes.

SAMUEL HARRISON

Sept. 9.

COAL NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte

Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 8, marked S. E. corne C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 14, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator
Pub. Sept. 23.

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Commencing at a post planted one mile north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 10, marked C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 15, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 10, marked N. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 16, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 14, marked N. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 17, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of G. E. B. Coal Lease No. 12, marked N. W. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 18, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator
Pub. Sept. 23.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that Austin M. Brown of Prince Rupert, saddler by occupation, intends to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands on the West Coast of Graham Island:

Commencing at a post planted three miles east of the northeast corner of C. L. No. 4471 thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

AUSTIN M. BROWN, Locator
Located August 1st, 1911.
Pub. Aug. 19.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that Austin M. Brown of Prince Rupert, occupation saddler, intends to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum en and under the following described lands on the West Coast of Graham Island:

Commencing at a post planted three miles east of the northeast corner of C. L. No. 4472 thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

AUSTIN M. BROWN, Locator
Located August 1st, 1911.
Pub. Aug. 19.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlo tt Islands

Take notice that Austin M. Brown of Prince Rupert, occupation saddler, intends to apply to the chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum on and under the following described lands on the West Coast of Graham Island:

Beginning at a post planted three miles east o the northeast corner of C. L. No. 4474 thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

AUSTIN M. BROWN, Locato
Located August 1st, 1911.
Pub. Aug. 17.

TRY THE "NEWS" WANT AD. WAY OF FINDING

COAL NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte

Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Land for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 7, marked C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 12, thence south 80 chains, then east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, then west 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 7, marked S. W. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 13, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No 17, marked X. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 23 thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator
Pub. Sept. 23.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 18, marked X. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 24, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator
Pub. Sept. 23.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte

Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Broderick of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bank manager, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 17, marked S. W. corner A. T. B. Coal Lease No. 25, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

A. T. BRODERICK, Locator
Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. Bainter, Agt.
Pub. Sept. 23.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 20, marked S. E. corner A. T. B. Coal Lease No. 26, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. Bainter, Agt.
Pub. Sept. 23.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 21, marked S. E. corner of A. T. B. Coal Lease No. 27, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement.

A. T. BRODERICK, Locator
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Commencing at a post planted five miles north of Coal Lease No. 4474, marked C. E. Bainter N. E. corner Coal Lease No. 9, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted one mile north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 9, marked N. W. corner C. E. B. No. 10, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

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