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SKEENA THE PREMIER DISTRICT OF PROVINCE

NEW BRITISH COLUMBIA WILL SEE ACTIVE YEAR

Eyes are Turned in This Direction and the Mining and Agricultural Sections Will be Invaded by Large Numbers---Prince Rupert as the Centre of the Rich Area Will Derive Great Benefits From the Influx.

The estimated expenditure for the fiscal year by the Provincial Government shows that New British Columbia is very much in the eye of the members of the administration. The vote of $225,000 to be expended upon the roads and trails, independent of the other large expenditures in connection with public work in the district is an assurance that the Government recognizes that the country is to make rapid advances and the facilities are to be provided to enable this development to take place.

The grant made to this district is the largest that goes to any one of the districts in the province. There was a time when the Okanagan and Similkameen were the envy of the various representatives in the legislature. These districts with the vast agricultural development going on in them were made the recipients of large appropriations, the largest in the province. There was no denying the money was needed there to keep pace with the settlement that was flowing in. Now, however, the situation is changed and while the appropriations of these interior districts mentioned are not cut down the government has come to realize that there is a vast area in the north that requires a very heavy expenditure of public funds to keep pace with the rapid demand for farm lands and for industrial development.

Okanagan the next largest appropriation in the province is $156,000, which is considerably lower than Skeena.

Member Did Well

The member for district, Mayor Manson, has shown his ability as an appropriation getter. When it is realized that there are strong demands upon the Government from every part of the province the task of getting what he did is not an easy one. The member for the district has the reputation of staying with any proposition he has in hand and there is no question that he lost no time in fireworks while in the capital but that he stayed with his appropriations and the results should be most gratifying.

The money so appropriated will not be spent directly in Prince Rupert but in the distribution of it the city will be a gainer, for the most of it will eventually find its way back to Prince Rupert the centre of the district and the permanent source of supply.

Cariboo's Development

The appropriation of $150,000 to Cariboo District is reassuring to the people of this city also. That district is contiguous to this one along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific and the development of the northern part of Cariboo, in fact, the whole of it, must have its effect upon this port. It will be tributary to here and with the completion of the road the merchants of this city will have the opportunity to make a strong bid for the trade that is to offer there.

The vote for this northern portion of the province will mean much in the opening up of means of communication with the rich agricultural sections that are located wtihin easy reach of the Grand Trunk Pacific It will also be utilized in affording the ways of reaching the mining districts that are proving so rich and which must in the next few years be the means of maintaining prosperous centres of population.

Distributing Point

All of these will find their official and commercial centre in the seaport of Prince Rupert. Wholesale houses are opening here that would do credit to a city many times the size of Prince Rupert. These are in a position to furnish all classes of goods to meet the requirements of the vast district that is opening up in the matter of supplies. These are but the beginning of the wholesale community that is to find its home in the metropolis of the north. The row of five-storey buildings embracing the establishments of Keily and Co., Stewart and Mobley and J. Piercy Morris and Co. are a credit to the city, and in themselves are sufficient to satisfy the most skeptical that the future of Prince Rupert is assured and that the business of the city and the whole of the north is already opening up. These substantial warehouses equal to most of those found in old cities like Victoria and Vancouver will be followed by others just as large. Already many firms in the line of wholesalers and manushould become an important factor as it will assuredly call for a steamer here and supplies at this port in carrying out the repairs and new facturers are awaiting the opportunity to come in and establish themselves in the city. They are awaiting the decision of the Grand Trunk Pacific in the matter. The arrangement with the city of all outstanding questions will be followed very quickly it is said, by a decision by the company relative to the location of its own works and the placing of industrial quarters for the waiting concerns.

Governments Are Favorable

The Government at Victoria has made provision to have this city made the centre of its business in the whole of the north. It has provided for centralizing offices in the way of registry offices and every other department so that there may be no unnecessary delays in the transaction of public business. The same policy is being carried out by the Dominion Government so that Prince Rupert is assured of being the capital of the north so far as government works are concerned. The Dominion Government will establish a buoy centre here and in the end that sub-station of the Department of Marine and Fisheries undertakings of the department in these northern waters.

The Growing Line

As the Terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific, important works and offices must be established here in order to provide for the railway and the shipping in connection with it. In the case of the Canadian Pacific Railway there is a division to a certain extent of these interests between the cities of Vancouver and Victoria, the latter city being the head of the coasting service of the company. In the case of the Grand Trunk Pacific and Prince Rupert there will be no such division. All of the trade will centre here with the advantages which go with it.

The Government has shown that it realizes that the time is ripe for an aggressive policy looking to the opening up of this part of the province. There will follow undoubtedly a very active move on the part of private individuals. All eyes are in this direction. It is becoming a qustion of months only until the Grand Trunk Pacific is completed to the coast. This coming summer should be marked by a decided move in all directions both in the city and in the outlying parts of the district. Already the plans are ripe in many quarters and with the opening of the spring there will be a tremendous movement. The transportation companies are ready for it. Prince Rupert, it is safe to say, will not know itself at the end of the next eight months.

COMING INTO ITS OWN

The votes set aside by the Provincial Government this session for tne Skeena District are a sufficient guarantee that for the next few years, at least, the efforts of the administratoin are to be directed towards the opening up of this district, which is so much in evidence at the present time. Skeena, according to the votes, is made the first district in the province, being far in the lead of all others for the year in the matter of appropriations. Out of a total of $2,842,000 set aside for roads, streets and wharves in the province, Skena gets $225,000, or about 8 per cent of the whole will come to this district. In addition to this, there is the heavy expenditure out of various other votes such as bridges, ferries, work in Stewart, etc. The appropriations put Skeena in a most important place.

APPROPRIATIONS ARE LARGEST IN PROVINCE

McBride Administration Has Provided Liberal Means for Developing the Resources of This Part of the Country---Roads and Trails Will be Built to Assist in the Settlement of the Northern Country.

TURNING FIRST SOD

Tomorrow the Lieutenant-Governor Will Perform Ceremony Connected With C.N.R.

Vancouver Island Construction to Be Formally Commenced Near Colwood Hotel

(Special to The Journal)

VICTORIA, Feb. 17.—Saturday afternoon has been selected as the day for the formal ceremony of turning the first sod in connection with the opening of construction on the first portion of the Canadian Northern Railway Company's first section of the Victoria-Barkley Sound Railway branch.

The ceremony will be performed by the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. T. W. Paterson, in the presence of the members of the provincial legislature. The mayor of the city and members of the city council and other invited guests will also attend

The ceremony will take place at a point selected just beyond the Colwood hotel about six miles from the city.

REBELS IN ASCENDANT

(Special to The Journal)

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.— Beaten and in full retreat, Army Governor Vega of Lower California, Mexico, is hurrying back toward Crisenada. Vega, himself, is wounded in the neck and the side. The rebels are supposed to be pursuing the Mexican troops.

THE CENSUS

By End of June Work of Getting Population Will Be Completed

While a general census of Canada will be taken on June 1 an Order-in-Council has been passed at Ottawa to authorize it being commenced at an earlier period in the Northwest Territories and in the Yukon, so as to ensure completion by the end of June.

TO PRESERVE SEAL

Steps Taken to Stop Killing for a Term of Years in Pacific Ocean.

British Columbia Fleet Will Be Affected by Treaty with the United States

(Special to The Journal)

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier said yesterday that the House of Commons treaty with the United States, regulating pelagic sealing had recently been signed. It applied to the Pacific Ocean and was designed to conserve seal, the cessation of killing being limited to a term of years and not being perpetual.

He said he was not in a position to give further details until the documents were formally presented to Parliament.

The treaty will have an important bearing upon the industry in this province. Victoria has been the home of the sealing fleet of this coast for many years. In the early days the business was a lucrative one but there has been a falling off in it with the slaughter of the herds which followed.

In compliance with the regulations adopted by the British Government and the United States the indiscriminate killing of the seals was cut off but with the Japanese not bound by any treaty, inroads were made by the hunters of that nation.

For years negotiations have been on looking to a treaty with the settlement in an amicable way of the claims of the Victoria owners of schooners for compensation.

The announcement of the treaty would indicate that an agreement has been made to recompense the owners of the fleet.

Mr. B. Jelich, proprietor of the Owl Cafe, left on the Prince George last evening, amid a shower of rice, his friends mistaking the object of his leaving, which was, however, merely a visit to his home in Salt Lake.

HOSPITAL MATTERS

W. Wright Appointed Managing Secretary by the Board at Last Meeting.

Houston Memorial Fund Will Be Devoted to Equipping Operating Ward

The board of directors of the Hospital met yesterday afternoon in the Hospital and made an appointment of a permanent managing secretary who will perform the duties of a house steward for the institution. The matter had been gone into by the house committee who had quite a large number of applicants to choose from. The committee made a selection which was reported to the general board and the matter of deciding upon the merits of what were considered the most suitable candidates was voted upon by the full board. The decision fell upon W. Wright, who has been a resident of the city for a considerable time.

The new appointee will enter upon his duties as soon as the board deems it wise that he should do so.

Houston Memorial

Another important matter that was disposed of at the meeting held yesterday was that of the John Houston memorial fund. By arrangement there were present at the meeting not only the committee having the memorial in hand but also the executive committee of the Ladies' Auxiliary, so that the whole matter of furnishings and equipment was freely discussed at a little preliminary gathering that took place.

The Ladies who were represented by Mrs. Eggert, Mrs. Tite, Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Dawson explained just what the society which they represented had done. The arrangements for the beds and all the equipment of these were well in hand. While the beds themselves had not yet arrived, Mr. G. Tite had been kind enough to furnish them with temporary supplies until these did come. In the matter of mattresses, pillows, linen and blankets there

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FAVORS ANNEXATION

Resolution at Washington in the Direction of Securing Canada.

Resolution Is Not Taken Seriously by the Opponents of It

(Special to The Journal)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Congressman Bennett, of New York, introduced in the House of Representatives yesterday a resolution providing that President Taft be requested to open negotiationds with the British Government to secure the annexation of Canada to the United States.

Representative McCall, President Taft's right-hand man in pushing the reciprocity bill in the house, said:

"It must be remembered that Congressman Bennett tried to defeat the bill in the House. While I am not reflecting upon his motive in introducing the resolution, it might tend to produce the same results by affecting the Canadian Parliament against reciprocity. Personally, I do not take the resolution seriously."

PERSONALS

Charles Halsey, after several months' absence from the city during which time he visited the east, has returned to the city and is being welcomed back by his many friends.

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Dr. McNeill and Mrs. McNeill have returned to the city after a honeymoon trip to southern California. They have taken rooms in the Clapp Block.

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Col. Davis, the city engineer, left last evening by the Prince George for Vancouver and Victoria, where he will look into matters relative to engineering in those cities, hoping to gain information that will be of value in the work here. He will not be long absent. Among the points he will make a study of is the method of carrying pipes for the water supply under the water of the harbor in conducting the line from the Woodworth Lake.

CLOSING THE GAP

G. T. P. Contractors are Very Busy at Both Ends of the Line.

Plentiful Supplies Are Being Rushed in ot Complee Line to Tete Juan Cache

The G. T. P. is gradually closing the gap between the ends of the rails east of here and west of Edmonton. A daily passenger service between Edmonton and Edson, occupying six and a half hours' time has now been inaugurated.

From the end of the steel the contractors and sub-contractors are reported to have spent the winter very busily getting in supplies and already are at work upon construction almost as far west as Tete Juan Cache.

It is the expectation of Messrs. Foley, Welch and Stewart to complete their contract to Tete Juan Cache before the end of the season, and with tnis end in view are already commencing to ship outfits and men west, to the camps that they have established in the mountains. For the season's work they will require over 3,000 men.

Practically all of the construction that is to be done on the Grand Trunk Pacific this season west of Edmonton, will be rock work, and will require an immense amount of ballasting. Two tunnels of fair length will be required in the mountains, and work on these is also to proceed this summer. It is the opinion of the contractors that construction through the Yellowhead will be comparatively easy.

A great deal of construction can be done in the mountains during the remaining winter months.

The main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific will be completed as far as Tete Juan Cache, 47 miles west of the Yellowhead Pass, by the end of this season. That is the statement of the various contractors and subcontractors.

From Tete Juan Cache westward the contractors will be able to utilize the waterways in the carrying of

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SUPPLY IS GRANTED

Legislature Disposes of Considerable of the Appropriations for Year.

Indications That Session Will Soon Close at Victoria—Over Nine Millions Voted in Hour

(Specia to The Journal)

VICTORIA, Feb. 17.—The motion that supply be granted to His Majesty passed in the provincial legislature yesterday evening, the day that witnessed the inauguration of night sittings seeing disposal of the budget debate.

After passing the motion for supply, the House went forthwith into committee and one hundred and one votes—or almost all the main estimates—were passed before the committee rose, shortly before midnight. The Legislature granted for the uses of the country a total of $9,109,427 in the course of about one hour.

The fact that one hundred and one votes have been passed indicates that the appropriations for Skeena, which is included in vote number 82, has gone through committee and is assured.

The Salvation Army is making elaborate preparation for a social evening next Wednesday.

Last evening the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church gave a social in the church. There was a good attendance and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

At three o'clock this afternooon a meeting is being held in the city hall, when the special committee of the city council charged with the consideration of the question of wages, will again go into the matter.

On Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the Knights of Pythias will parade to the Methodist Church where a sermon will be preached to the members of the order by Rev. C. Sing. All the members are asked to meet at 3 o'clock at the hall.

THE INSURANCE BILL

Attorney General Explains Main Features of the Measure on Second Reading.

Legislature Seems Well Satisfied With Bill Which Will Protect All Interests Concerned

Hon. W. Bowser, attorney-general of the province, in moving the second reading of the bill relating to fire insurance, said the government was taking a most important step in introducing this bill to control the business of fire insurance in this province. They had been able to get some information of similar legislation in other provinces, but he did no tthink any of these sister provinces had gone so far as this. They wanted to see the public and those doing business here protected, and at he same time the government did not wish to interfere with the freedom of large insurers who insured outside of the province. The bill had been principally brought about by agents engaged in the insurance business in the province, who were paying the taxation oi one per cent on the premiums collected here. They claimed to be placed at a disadvantage by large insurers insuring outside the province; and the insurers met the argument by replying that here was no reason why they should not do so if they could get get better rates. The insurance men replied that these outside companies brought very little capital into the province and paid no taxation and it was unfair to alolw them to compete.

To get at he facts the government has appointed a Royal Commission, composed of Mr. R. E. Lennie, of Nelson; Mr. McDowall, of Victoria (a former member of the Dominion Parliament), and Mr. A. B. Erskine, a well-known business man of Vancouver. These commissioners had held sitings for many weeks in various parts of the province, and the result of their labors was embodied in the splendid report on which this bill was founded. It was objected by those insuring outside that certain insurance, such as blanket policy, could not be obtained from local agents, and that they could not get better insurance with such companies as Lloyds and by some of the mutual companies that carried on a large business By this bill they were still given the liberty of placing their insurance with outside companies, but at the same time these must be put on an equality with the firms doing business in the province. For that reason insurers with outside companies were required to pay to the government a tax of two per cent on their premiums, and at the same time the government was raising the taxation of local companies to two per cent. They considered they were justified in this by the protection the local companies were getting under the act.

To Protect the Public

Companies wishing to do business here re required to satisfy the superintendent of insurance to, be appointed under this act, as to their standing, to deposit $20,000 in the provincial treasury to protect the public in the payment of losses, and they must also pay $250 for a license. The bill also places on the superintendent of insurance the responsibility for the investigation of all fire losses of a suspicious nature, and he could institute a judicial investigation and use the resources of the government in order to prove whether there was a case of arson or not. This was a great advance over the old system under the Fire Inquiries Act, as that was found so cumbersome that only one or two cases had ever been investigated under that act.

Persons insuring with outside companies were required to send in annual returns of the amounts insured and a statement of where it was placed, and they must pay a tax of two per cent on their gross premiums. The reason why the tax was placed upon the insurer was be cause he was the only person the government could collect from. They could not collect from Lloyds or mutual companies in New York or elsewhere. They had raised the taxation on companies in the provinc at the same time so that without shutting out competition they were able to strike a happy medium between the two sets of companies.

Superintendent's Powers

"If there has been any rascality," said the Attorney General, "we allow not only an investigation of the companies inside the province by the superintendent of insurance, but we allow him to go outside the province if necessary and investigate. It is true that we have not much control of these outside offices, but if the head office refuses to give the inspector access to its books, that would appear suspicious, and the Minister of Finance, who will have charge of the insurance department, may cancel their licenses in this province. We also do away with the licensed broker. Formerly an agent would come from Montreal or Toronto and write up a large insurance and then leave. We now shut them out, with the result that tne company that wants to do business in British Columbia must be licensed here. Any company such as Lloyds or the mutual companies who are not licensed cannot place insurance here, and anyone who wishes to insure with them must do so by correspondence."

Mutuals Exempt

The Attorney General continued, that under the law of the province mutual insurance companies were allowed to be formed, and these acted only among themselves it was thought fair that they should be exempt from the provisions of the act. Complaint about the high rates charged by some of the companies doing business here had been made before the commission, but the government thought this could be best regulated by competition, and allowing people to place their insurance with outside companies.

He did not think that two per cent could be considered a high tax, because he found that in other places where there was a fire insurance department it generally ran much higher. In California, for example it was four per cent; in Ohio, it was two and a half per cent, and in Oregon, it was two per cent, but the latter state did not provide such a department as was provided for under this act.

"We have also met the wishes of the insurance people," said Hon. Mr. Bowser, "in not allowing municipal corporations to tax insurance companies. That was a matter of considerable complaint among the insurance men, as they said they had to go to great expense in incorporating and getting certificates from the Dominion Government, and when they established an office here they were also taxed by the municipalities. We felt that if they paid the two per cent taxation to the province that should be sufficient. I will be glad to leave the bill before the house for a few days so that insurance people or others having suggestions to make will be given an opportunity to do so, and if necessary it may be amended in committee."

The bill passed second reading unopposed.

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HALL OF TARA

Historic Building Famed in Song and Story to Be Sold at Auction

Within a few weeks the historic hall of Tara, near Dublin is to be sold and it is expected that the bidding will be lively to secure what was once described as "the most interesting and authentic monument of early civilization in northwestern Europe." Tara, of course, is the best known by Moore's famous poem "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Halls," but it is also the centre of more legends than any other spot in the three kingdoms and perhaps than any in the whole of Europe.

Tara was the site of the palace of the Ard Righsh or High Kings of Ireland for many centuries.

The story of the doom of Tara and its destruction is most interesting. It was all due to the indiscretion of a tax collector, sent forth by Lear to gather in the annual tribute from the subject kings. When he came to the palace of King Gaure of Connaught the fancy took him to enter with the spear across his body under his arms. The door was not wide enough and he demanded in the name of the high king that it be widened to admit him.

Guare refused and the representative of King Lear reported the King of Connaught's contumacy to his master, who took up the quarrel. The church espoused the case of King Guare and a deputation of clerics visited the hall of Tara and solemnly cursed it, after which it gradually became deserted. The famous palace became a ruin and gradually disappeared and today the only traces of it are a few mounds and rats.

Another curious legend in connection with the Tara is that the Ark of Covenant is buried there and a few years ago the owner of that time undertook extensive excavations in search of it. He didn't find the ark, but he did find a number of old coins and Celtic jewelry and a fine collection of prehistoric weapons.

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THE WHITE PLAGUE

Tranquille Sanitarium is Named After the Late King Edward.

Record for the Year Laid Before Board of Directors—Officers Elected

That the sanitarium at Tranquille shall be named the King Edward sanitarium, in recognition of the late sovereign's interest in the fight against tuberculosis, was decided upon at the annual meeting of the board of directors of the British Columbia Anti-Tuberculosis Society, held in the city hall, Victoria.

Dr. C. H. Vrooman, medical superintendent, in his report says: "Looking to the future I would say British Columbia has a unique opportunity to become the most foremost of Canadian provinces in the fight against tuberculosis. A sanitarium beautifully situated, with accommodations for ninety patients, a ranch convenient for supplies, and a climate peculiarly adapted for the treatment of consumption, all combine to give this opportunity."

He pointed out that during the year ending December 31 there had been 58 admissions, and out of these 26 had been advanced cases. This feature was unavoidable, as Tranquille was the only place in the province for the care of consumptives. At the same time the admission of incurables was not fair to the incipient, and more curable cases, who were necessarily brought more or less into intimate contact with those in the advanced stages of the disease.

Of the 58 admissions there were 41 males and 17 females; in nationalities—Canadian 27; Scotch 13; English 11; Americans 3; Irish 3, and Italian 1. The patients were drawn from the following points—Vancouver 23; Victoria 10; New Westminster 4; Kamloops 3; Mara 3; Salmon Arm 2; Cascade 1; Revelstoke 1; Duncans 1; Union Bay 1; Stewart 1; Sidney 1; Ashcroft 1; Penticton 1; Cumberland 1; Nakusp 1; Ymir 1; Merritt 1, and Fernie 1.

One of the most interesting features of the report was the fact that those most susceptible to consumption are between the ages of 20 and 30. The statistics were: Between the ages of 10 and 15, 2 cases; 15 and 20, 5 cases; 20 and 25, 12 cases; 25 and 30, 15 cases; 30 and 35, 9 cases; 35 and 40, 5 cases; 50 and 60, 1 case, and between 60 and 70, 2 cases.

The board of directors' report showed that the full maintenance cost for 1910 was $20,240.07, an average cost per patient per day of $2.05. The board regretted to have to report that no hospital was yet built for advanced consumptives.

Dr. C. J. Fagan made an appeal for the prohibition of indiscriminate expectoration. There were laws relating to this practice, but they were not enforced by municipalities. Dr. A. P. Proctor and Dr. Brydone Jack insisted strongly on the need for preventive measures.

Officers were elected as follows: Hon. president, James Dunsmuir; president, A. C. Flumerfelt; vice presidents, R. Marpole, J. S. C. Fraser and A. J. Galletly; treasurer, George A. Kirk; secretary, Dr. C. J. Fagan; auditor, J. A. Anderson; solicitor, Hon. D. M. Eberts, K. C.; medical superintendent at Tranquille, Dr. C. H. Vrooman; board of directors, Dr. A. P. Proctor, Dr. F. T. Underhill, Dr. R. E. Walker, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, L. D. Taylor, A. S. Barton, A. J. Dallain, J. A. Mara, A. E. Planta, W. R. Megaw, J. T. McNayle, T. Kilpatrick and W. C. Moresby.

The society remains under the patronage of the King, the Governor-General and the Lieutenant-Governor.

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WEDDING RINGS

The History of This Feature Connected with the Marriage Ceremony

According to the ancient ritual in marriage, the husband began the ring business by placing it upon the bride's thumb, and putting it successively on the next two fingers, pronouncing for each a personal of the Trinity; with a final amen when the fourth finger was reached, and there the ring remained.

The Greek church ritual directs that the ring be placed upon the right hand. Puritan influence sought to abolish the ring as a vain and heathen emblem, but the sweet old-fashioned custom of giving and taking emblem, "for our love's sake," yet remains to us.

Betrothal or engagement rings vary in fashion nowadays, and always depend, or should, on the purse of the donor. Where there are no limitations of this sort his taste, if it be perfect, will lead him to choose a diamond solitaire, and of the best he can afford, a small and pure blue white stone being altogether preferable to a large stone. Some prefer a ring set with three stones, generally a sapphire set between two diamonds. Others select a ruby or an emerald, which signifies promise of happiness.

Few persons choose pearls for an engagement ring as pearls are supposed to typify tears. They are also too perishable to become emblems of love, which, in its first glow at least, is always understood to be indestructible. Their beauty is very precarious, being dimmed or aged, as the lapidary expresses it, by conannihilates them completely.

SNOW IS COSTLY

Railways Have Had Large Expense in Keeping the Roads Clear This Winter

That the railways are finding it very expensive work in maintaining any kind of train service is apparent in the fact that the snow trouble in the Brandon district has cost the Great Northern $9,000 to keep 60 miles of road from there to the boundary in decent condition and even with that heavy expenditure the company has had great difficulty in maintaining service. A gang of 80 men with a big engine and a snow plow is steadily keeping the line clear. These men are paid from $2.25 to $2.50 a day and as they are also provided with their board, it is pretty remunerative employment for the winter.

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ACCIDENTS ON RAILWAYS

Statistics Relative to Loss of Life on Canadian Roads During the Pase Year

During the year ended June 30, 1910, 615 persons were killed and 2,139 injured on Canadian railways, against 505 killed and 2,186 injured in the previous year. Of these 524 were killed and 1,441 were injured as the result of the movement of trains. Those killed included 60 passengers, 214 employees, 175 trespassers, 74 non-trespassers and one postal clerk ,and those injured included 270 passengers, 926 employees, 148 trespassers, 77 non-trespassers and 20 postal clerks.

In acidents caused otherwise than by the movement of trains, two passengers, 81 employees, and eight postal clerks were killed, and nine passengers, 679 employees and 10 postal clerks injured.

From the movement of trains one passenger in every 598,243 was killed and one in every 132,943 was injured. One trainman in every 199 was killed, and one in every 33 injured; one trackman in every 550 was killed, and one in every 98 injured; one switch tender in every 181 was killed, and one in every 65 was injured.

Through accidents at highway crossings 63 were killed and 45 injured at urban crossings, while 35 were killed and 16 injured at rural crossings.

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A little girl, sitting beside her mother in a theatre caused many amused glances by her frequent bursts of comment and laughter. For a time her mother, unwilling to be the centre of atraction, succeeded in holding the irrepressible in check. But when a Japanese troupe in pink fleshings came on, the twinkling legs of a recumbent Jap, tossing a barrel in dizzy revolutions, proved too much. "Look, mother," piped the shrill treble, "you could do that, too, if you wanted to; couldn't you?"

THE MINING BELT

Copper River Properties are to Be Developed—Promising Outlook.

Preparations Are Made for the Spring—Swede Group Looks Well

Dan Mason came up from Copper City and reports that Ed. and Fred. Michaud and himself will very shortly commence the erection of a cabin in on their mineral claim about five miles out from Copper City and haul supplies to their camp when the snow is on the ground, says the Inland Colonist of Kitselas. They hope to have a branch from the main Lakelse trail built out to their camp next spring, as such a branch would tap a number of properties as well as their own.

They own three claims, all located within five miles of Copper City, from which good shipping values have been obtained in all ore they have assayed up to date. There are two veins on these claims, one vein ten feet wide giving assay of $8 in gold and 48 ounces in silver. The other vein is between 75 to 100 feet wide, and assays have been obtained running as high as $24 in gold and 14 ounces in silver.

It is Dan's opinion that were trains carrying all classes of freight, he and the Michaud brothers would have no difficulty in making shipments of ore from their property right now that would pay them a handsome profit over taking it out. After cutting a trail from the main Lakelse road, it would be very easy to haul their ore in over the snow and deliver it right at the track at Dobbie's.

In addition to their claims, within a few hundred feet of them are located Messrs. Andrew and Olsen, who have a big dyke from which they are taking out good ore. Dan and the Michaud brothers were out to their (the Swedes) camp a few weeks ago and saw the partners pounding up and panning rock from which they obtained a string of "colors" as long as the little finger, and it seemed to Dan that every piece they pounded up, panned better than the one before.

He says the "proper spirit" exists in Copper City essential to the encouragement of the mining industry in that vicinity, and he fully expects to see everything in that line on the boom down there this coming season.

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Sport—Is there anything worth shooting around here, my boy?

Boy—Well, there was a feller shot here by Farmer Jones last week for trespassin', but I don't know wedder he'll think you're worth shootin' at or not."

STUDY EARTHQUAKES

F. Napier Denison of Victoria Gives Interesting Talk on Subject.

He Traces the Development of Information Relative to the Subject

"Victoria," said F. Napier Denison in his lecture on seismic research, given in the city mentioned, at the Broad street hall, "is just far enough outside a great seismic zone to be safe from actual disaster, and just near enough to make it possible to measure from here, by the seismograph, the great forces at work in the interior of the earth. It is highly possible that were such operations extended here some important discoveries might be made. There is little doubt that from a seismic standpoint research work should be extended on this coast."

Mr. Denison spoke before a very large audience, the hall being very well filled. He illustrated his lecture with most interesting lantern slides showing earth formations and explaining in part how earthquakes are likely to occur. The lecture was given in language readily understood and not in scientific terminology. The address was given under the auspices of the Natural History Society.

Mr. Denison said that from his researches there certainly seemed to be a connection between certain movements of the pendulum (by which earthquakes are recorded) and the times when coal mining disasters occur. It was possible, he said, that when great earth strains occurred, gases were dislodged and escape dinto the mines. Following such escape, it was only necessary for ignition to take place to explode the mine. Arguing along this line, Mr. Denison considered that it might be possible to determine the time when such strain would occur and possibly their period of duration, when mine inspectors could safeguard against disaster by taking extra precautions.

Mr. Denison also draws the conclusion that the time is at hand when it will be possible to tell when earthstrains are due, in the same manner as the weather conditions. He believes it will also become possible to tell the duration of the strain. He spoke of the San Francisco earthquake of 1906, and said that hrough the influence of the sun and moon the earth contracted and expanded three inches daily. Slides of Mount Vesuvius were shown to illustrate locations of seismic intensity.

The lecturer quoted Professor Milne and Professor Omori, and explained many of the interesting theories held by these great seismic authorities. He told how Professor Milne believed that in a process of evolution caused by continuous earth unrest another great continent was being formed in the neighborhood of the East Indian Archipelago. He dealt in detail with the San Francisco earthquake of 1906, illustrating its effects on buildings, how it was recorded on the local seismograph, and the deductions drawn from it by Professor Omori, the eminent Japanese seismologist, who, as a result of the great disturbance, was able to predict the earthquake which happened shortly afterwards at Valparaiso.

Coast Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

TAKE NOTICE that T. P. McLachlan, of Prince Rupert, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described foreshore: Commencing at a post plainted at the mouth of Delkatlah Bay, on the south side; thence following the shore line in a northeasterly direction 2,000 feet, including all foreshore between high and low water mark.

P. McLACHLAN (Locator).
Thos. L. Fay, Agent.
Dated January 19, 1911.

Coast Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

TAKE NOTICE that I, Thomas L. Fay, of Prince Rupert, occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described foreshore:—Commencing at a post planted about 2,000 feet distant in a northeasterly direction from the mouth of Delkattah Bay, and on the north side; thence following shore 2,000 feet in a westerly direction, including all foreshore between high and low water mark.

THOMAS L. FAY.
Staked Jan. 19, 1911.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Nellie Biebig, of Vancouver, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 2¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and 5 miles west; 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.

NELLIE BIEBIG.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Isabella Minzies, of Vancouver, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 4¾ miles southerly of th e mouth of the Jas un River and about 5¾ miles west from the River; 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.

ISABELLA MINZIES.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Ann F. Hunter, of Vancouver, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 4¼ miles southerly of the mouth of the Jas un River and 5¾ miles west of River; 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.

ANN F. HUNTER.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Carrie F. Hunter, of Vancouver, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 4¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and 5¾ miles west of River; 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.

CARRIE F. HUNTER.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Cecilia Morton, of Vancouver, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 4¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and 5¾ miles west of River; 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.

CECILIA MORTON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Mary Wilkerson, of Victoria, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about ½ mile southerly from the mouth of Jas un River and one mile west; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less. ,

MARY WILKERSON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 7, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Jennie Wilkerson, of Victoria, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains south from the mouth of Jas un River and 2 miles west; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

JENNIE WILKERSON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 7, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Olive Armstrong, of Vancouver, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 2¼ miles southerly of the mouth of the Jas un River, and 3 miles west; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

OLIVE ARMSTRONG.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 7, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that George McLeod, of Port Moody, occupation bank manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 2¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and 3 miles west; 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.

GEORGE McLEOD.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 7, 1910.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Thomas A Johnston, of Victoria, occupation real estate, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 3¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and about 3 miles west from the River; 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.

THOMAS A. JOHNSTON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 7, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that J. W. Maxwell, of Victoria, occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 2¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and 3 miles west; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

J. W. MAXWELL.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 7, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Elizebeth N. Kerr, of Victoria, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the folowing described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 2¼ miles southerly of the mouth of Jas un River and 3 miles west; 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.

ELIZEBETH N. KERR.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 7, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Ada Lothian, of Vancouver, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 2¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and 5 miles west; 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.

ADA LOTHIAN.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Mary Ann Lothian, of Vancouver, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 2¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and 5 miles west; 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.

MARY ANN LOTHIAN.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6th, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NTICE that Grace Lothian, of Vancouver, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2¼ miles southerly of mouth of Jas un River and 5 miles west; 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.

GRACE LOTHIAN.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1910.

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Thos. L. Fay,, of Prince Rupert, occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about one mile above Swamp Point, Portland Canal; thence 40 chains easterly; thence 40 chains northerly; thence 40 chains westerly; thence 40 chains southerly to place of commencement.

THOS. LAWRENCE FAY.
Dated Jan. 4th, 1911.

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that Thos. L. Fay, of Prince Rupert, occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:—Freeshore, commencing at a post planted about ¾ of a mile easterly of Port Simpson; thence 1500 ft. easterly.

THOS. L. FAY.
Dated Dec. 14, 1910.

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that Thos. L. Fay, agent for P. McLachlan, of Prince Rupert, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:— Freeshore, commencing at a post planted about 1-3 mile easterly from Port Simpson; thence 3000 ft. easterly.

P. McLACHLAN.
Thos. L. Fay, Agent.
Dated Dec. 14, 1910.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF ATLIN HOLDEN AT ATLIN

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas D. Kearns, deceased, intestate

All parties having claims against the above Estate are required to forward the same, with full particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned, not later than the sixteenth day of February, 1911, after which said date the Estate of the said deceased will be distributed amongst those entitled thereto.

Dated at Atlin, B.C., this nineteenth day of August, A.D. 1910.

PATRICK FOLEY,
A6-O8 **Administrator.**

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Statements, Business Cards
Visiting Cards, etc., etc.

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Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that H. A. Pelly, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about four chains in an easterly direction from Herman lake; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

H. A. PELLY.
John Kirkaldy, Agent.
Dated December 13, 1910. D23

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that H. K. Pelly, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 40 chains in a southerly direction from Herman lake; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

H. K. PELLY.
John Kirkaldy, Agent.
Dated December 13, 1910. D23

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that Alice M. Tovey of Vancouver, B.C., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the N. W. corner of John Furlong's pre-emption and near Lakelse Lake, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains more or less to the shore line of Lakelse Lake, and thence south 40 chains along the shore of the Lake to point of commencement, and containing 160 acres, more or less.

ALICE TOVEY.
Dated October 17, 1910. N2

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made by the City of Prince Rupert at the next sitting of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia for an act amending the City of Prince Rupert Incorporation Act, 1910, so as to enable the City to borrow and raise money by the issue of inscribed stock to convert debentures already issued into such stock, and to consolidate debts provided for by individual by-laws so that consecutive debentures or inscribed stock may be issued for such debts as consolidated.

Dated at Prince Rupert, this 14th day of October, 1910.

WILLIAMS & MANSON,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

LAND LEASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that The Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company Ltd., of Vancouver, occupation Mercantile and Manufacturing, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at high water mark on the westerly side of Prince Rupert Harbor and distant about 110 chains from the north-east corner of Lot 443, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 5 chains, more or less to high water mark, thence following along the high water mark to the point of commencement and containing 20 acres more or less.

The Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Company, Limited.
J. H. Pillsbury, Agent.
Dated June 20th, 1910. Jy12

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Coast Land District—District of Skeena—Range Five.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. F. Perry, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation contractor, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of the Skeena river at the southwest corner of Lot 530, thence north 40 chains, thence west about 40 chains to line of Cassiar Cannery, thence south to the Skeena River, thence east about 40 chains following the shore of the Skeena River to the place of beginning, and containing about 160 acres.

CHAS. F. PERRY, Locator.
R. F. Perry, Agent.
Dated Sept. 28, 1910. O18

COAL NOTICES

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that I, K. M. McInnes, of Prince Rupert, occupation mariner, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Crow Bay, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to post marked K.M.McI.'s S.E. corner.

Dated August 18th, 1910.
S16 KENZIE McLEOD McINNES.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that I, K. M. McInnes, of Prince Rupert, occupation mariner, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Crow Bay, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to post marked K.M.McI.'s S.W. corner.

Dated August 18th, 1910.
S16 KENZIE McLEOD McINNES.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Mary Smith, of Fort William, Ont., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 7 miles south of the southeast corner of Lot 227, and 5½ miles west from the shore line, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

MARY SMITH.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Frederick Babe, of Fort William, Ont., occupation barrister, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about five miles south of the southeast corner of Lot 227 and two miles west from shore line, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

FREDERICK BABE.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that James Murphy, of Fort William, Ont., occupation coal merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about five miles south from the southeast corner of Lot 227, and two miles west from shore line, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

JAMES MURPHY.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur A. Vickers, of Fort William, Ont., occupation agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about five miles south from the southeast corner of Lot 227, and two miles west from shore line, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

ARTHUR A. VICKERS.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that John C. Murray, of Fort William, Ont., occupation capitalist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about five miles south from the southeast corner of Lot 227 and two miles west from shore line, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

JOHN C. MURRAY.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Alexander C. Moffat, of Fort William, Ont., occupation agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about seven miles south from southeast corner of Lot 227 and 1½ miles west from shore line, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

ALEXANDER C. MOFFAT.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. **S30**

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Coast Land District—District of Skeena.

TAKE NOTICE that I, J. Adolph Perry, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation book-keeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of the Skeena River, about a mile west of Lot 31, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains to lot 31, thence south 40 chains to bank of Skeena River, thence west about 80 chains following north bank of Skeena River to point of commencement, and containing about 320 acres.

J. ADOLPH PERRY, Locator.
Wm. A. Roney, Agent.
Dated July 16th, 1910. Jy22

Coast Land District—District of Skeena.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Mary M. Roney, of Stillwater, Minnesota, U. S.A., occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands. Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of the Skeena River at the south-east corner of Geo. T. Church's pre-emption, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south to the bank of the Skeena River, thence south-west following the Skeena River to the place of beginning and containing about 120 acres.

MARY M. ROENY, Locator.
W. A. Roney, Agent.
Dated July 8th, 1910. Jy22

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.

TAKE NOTICE that William Hume Grant, of Stewart, B.C., occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post marked W.H.G.'s S.W. Cor., and planted adjoining Alfred Manson's corner post, thence 80 chains north, along W. N. Harrison's west line, thense east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, following Alfred Manson's north line to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

WILLIAM HUME GRANT.
Frank R. Strolm, Agent.
Dated July 2, 1910. Jy22

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that The Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Company, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation mercantile and manufacturing, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of lot 34, Range 5, Coast District, thence south 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 25 chains more or less to the shore line, thence following along the shore line to the point of commencement and containing 90 acres more or less.

The Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company Limited.
J. H. Pillsbury, Agent.
Dated July 14, 1910. Jy19

Coast Land District—District of Skeena.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Ernestine A. Roney, of Prince Rupert, occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of the Skeena River about half a mile south of Geo. T. Church's pre-emption, thence west 10 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east to the Skeena River; thence southwest following the bank of the Skeena River to the place of beginning, and containing about 80 acres.

ERNESTINE A. RONEY, Locator.
W. A. Roney, Agent.
Dated July 7th, 1910. Jy22

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte.

TAKE NOTICE that the Queen Charlotte Whaling Company Limited, of Victoria, British Columbia, occupation manufacturers, intend to apply or permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about fifteen chains south of a small creek on the west side of Rose Harbour, Moresby Island, thence west forty chains, thence north forty chains, thence east forty chains, thence southerly following the sinuosities of the foreshore line forty chains, to the point of commencement.

Queen Charlotte Whaling Company Limited,
Per Sydney Charles Ruck, Agent
Dated July 14th, 1910.
Rose Harbour, Q.C.I. A5

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur A. Wilson, of Fort William, Ont., occupation banker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 7 miles south from the southeast corner of Lot 227 and 1½ miles west from shore line, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

ARTHUR A. WILSON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that I, William David Allen, of Victoria, B.C., agent, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 542, Range 5 Coast (Skeena), thence east 60 chains to the inner part of Kinnealon Inlet, thence south 80 chains to south east corner of said lot, thence west 80 chains to westerly limit of said lot, thence north and at right angles to the southerly limit of said lot to the shore line, thence north along the shore line of said Inlet to place of beginning: containing about 600 acres, more or less.

WILLIAM DAVID ALLEN.
Robert Mason, Agent.
Dated Sept. 23. **S.28**

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O. H. NELSON,
EDITOR.

Friday, February 17, 1911.

OUR GROWING TIME

With the opening of the spring northern British Columbia is to become the Mecca of a vast army of people who have their eyes turned this way. The rush that will come is not confined to one single class. On the contrary it includes mining men, the seekers after farm lands and those who are ready to invest in various enterprises that are to find their headquarters in the north. In connection with this movement the city of Prince Rupert is to play an important part. It is the centre of the whole of this activity and must benefit from the movement.

The various shipping companies are in the field to do business on a scale never before attempted in the north and with the facilities which they possess to push this line of business there can be no doubt as to the results. The transportation companies will take the means of ensuring the business for their concerns so that the steamers will not be run at a loss. It is safe to estimate on a travel north this season that will exceed anything in the past not even excluding the days of the Klondike rush.

Prince Rupert can count on an active year and already the business men are preparing for it. Visitors will this year be able to judge of what the city will look like when the streets are completed, for the work will be advanced far enough to permit of the proper sizing up of the situation. Real estate especially in the business section will feel the effects and a ready market should be established.

UNFAIR TACTICS

The insinuation made by a local paper that because the acting mayor, Ald. Smith, and Ald. Kirkpatrick were stockholders in the Empress theatre that there was some relation between the proposition made by the owners to reduce the licenses paid by theatres and the payment of the Empire's bill, is rather unfair and far-fetched. When the proposition for a reduction in the licenses of playhouses came before the finance committee of the council, Ald. Smith and Ald. Kirkpatrick refused to have anything to do with it and referred the whole matter to the council. Any one who knows the two aldermen would feel perfectly satisfied that neither of them would stoop to anything that was not absolutely fair in order to save a few dollars to a company in which they were interested. The aldermen showed all the way through, a disposition to have nothing whatever to do with the particular proposition.

In view of the history of the passing of printing last year to a concern after a majority of the council became stockholders in the company, it is surely with bad grace that such an insinuation is made as has been put forward.

News of the Province

VANCOUVER—The Orange Hall was crowded a few nights ago by some six or seven hundred anti-vaccinationists who went prepared to object strenuously to the proposed compulsory vaccination, and who did so with no uncertain voice.

The whole meeting was up in arms against the proposals and was unanimous in condemning them. A resolution as follows was unanimously carried:

"That this meeting heartily condemns the Order-in-Council providing for enforced vaccination, and demands the immediate repeal of the same."

So strong was the meeting worked up on the point that one of the speakers, Rev. Dr. Davies, went so far as to state that if it became necessary, in the interests of a test case, he would willingly go to gaol, nor should they vaccinate him or his children if he had a six-shooter handy.

An additional resolution was also carried to the following effect:

"That the School Board of Vancouver refrain from putting into force compulsory vaccination."

At the conclusion of the meeting badges were given to those present with the words on them, "I am against vaccination."

CONSERVATIVES ELECT

NORTH VANCOUVER—At the annual meeting of the North Vancouver Conservative Association, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hon. presidents, Hon. R. L. Borden and Hon. R. McBride, Premier of British Columbia; vice presidents, Geo. H. Cowan, M. P., and Hon. F. L. Carter-Cotton, M. P. P.; president, Geo. R. Morden; vice president, S. D. Schultz; secretary, Percy King ;treasurer, A. T. Kennedy; executive, Mayor McNeish, W. C. Gladwin, J. B. Paine and E. A. Peers. The delegates who will represent the local association at the Richmond Conservative convention are: Mayor McNeish, G. H. Morden, C. F. Foreman, B. Gladwin and W. Knowles.

CANADIAN CLUB PLANS

VICTORIA—The new president of the Canadian Club in Victoria promised at the annual meeting that the present year would make a record, for they intended to be very active. It was decided that local men would sometimes be called upon to deliver addresses and read papers and that a campaign would be inaugurated to increase the membership and make the club thoroughly representative of the city of Victoria.

It was pointed out during the course of a discussion that an opinion was abroad to the effect that only native-born Canadians were eligible for membership, but that new arrivals from the Old Country could not join. An efofrt will be made to dispel this fallacy and to make it clear that any British citizen can become a member by securing a nominator and a seconder from among the members of the club and being passed upon by the executive committee.

Another move that was made was to affiliate the club with the Association of Canadian Clubs, thus receiving the benefit of co-operation and unity of work and purpose.

The following are the new officers elected: Hon. president, His Honor Lieut.-Governor Paterson, president, Lindley Crease; first vice-president, H. A. Munn; second vice-president, R. F. Taylor; Hon. secretary-treasurer, F. I. Clarke; literary secretary, Capt. Clive Phillipps-Woolley; executive committee, Lt.-Col. Rogers, Capt. William Hunter, John Cochrane, James Forman, M .B. Jackson, J. D. O'Connell, G. T. Fox; auditors, Messrs. McCurdy and Perry.

CHAMBERLAIN'S VIEW

The Old British Statesman Writes on Proposed Reciprocity Agreement.

He Laments the Fact That Canada Did Not Wait Until After Conference

Hon. Joseph Chamberlain has written the following letter to the chairman and members of the tariff commission which was established some years ago on his initiative:

Gentlemen, I learn that the tariff commission will meet Thursday for further consideration of the report on preference which they have drawn up in response to a request made by me in a letter of November 5. When this is completed we shall have provided all that is requisite for working out the scheme of preference with our dominions across the seas. I am more than ever convinced that without preference we cannot hope to maintain and develop the unity of the empire. Since the tariff commission first undertook its work, however, we have had to take into account new arrangements with foreign countries and now have to consider the proposed reciprocity agreement of Canada and the United States. Without presuming to offer advice to the people of Canada about their own affairs, I cannot help feeling that they are rather premature. I wish that they might have at least waited until the meeting of the imperial conference, when an opportunity of discussing a principle of such imperial importance with represntatives of the other self-governing dominions would have presented itself and when the question of preference might have been aptly considered. There is moreover anothe raspect to be taken into consideration. It should not be lost sight of that the ratification of this treaty would mean a radical change in the policy of Canada, which hitherto has been an independent national one. Its results may be far-reaching but whatever may be the outcome of the present situation, the cause of imperial preference must not be abandoned. There must be no whittling away of the policy which we believe is essential to imperial unity and those of us who have devoted ourselves to the furtherance of this great ideal in this country are bound to see to it that nothing which has happened shall weaken our aspirations or render our work vain. The fight must be carried on with unabated vigor and confidence.

Ellen Terry, the actress, was one day talking about the many women who asked her to help them get on the stage, when she said:

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Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that John Holmes Graham, of Winnipeg, occupation barrister ,intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 1 mile north of the northwest corner of A. P. 12-037; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

JOHN HOLMES GRAHAM.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

NOTICE.

A book is kept in the City Clerk's Office in which to enter the names and addresses, etc. of citizens of Prince Rupert desiring employment on City work. All desiring employment should register at once.

ERNEST A. WOODS,
City Clerk.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Port Simpson School

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Port Simpson School," will be received by the Honourable, the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Friday, the 28th February, 1911, for the erection and completion of a large one-room school building at Port Simpson in the Skeena Electoral District.

Plans, Specifications, Contract, and Forms of Tender may be seen on and after the 6th February, 1911, at the offices of Dr. W. T. Kergin, Secretary of the School Board, Port Simpson; the Government Agent, Prince Rupert; and the Department of Public Works, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of $200, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 3d February, 1911.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing on Crown lands in the vicinity of Babine Lake, situate in Range 5, Coast District, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette, dated December 17, 1908, is cancelled in so far as said reserve relates to lots numbered 1519, 1518, 1517, 1516, 1515, 1510, 1507, 1506, 1506A, 1503 1501, 1502, 1512, 1511, 1505, 1504, 1513, 1514, 1509, 1508, 1530, 1527, 1528, 1529, 1531, 1532, 1533, 1534, 1535, 1537, 1539, 1536, 1538, 1540, 1541, 1544, 1543, 1545, 1546, 1542, 1547, 1548, 1549, 1550, 1520, 1521, 1522, 1523, 1524, 1525, 1526, and 1551.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C., June 16th, 1910.
(First insertion July 5.)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Masset School

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Masset School," will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday the 22d day of February, 1911, for the erection and completion of a large one-room school building at Masset, in the Queen Charlotte Islands, Skeena Electoral District.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 28th day of January, 1911, at the offices of Mr. Charles Stewart, Secretary to the School Board, Masset, B. C.; the Mining Recorder, Jedway; and the Department of Public Works, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by accepted bank cheque or certifcate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works for the sum of $150, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B. C., 23rd January, 1911.
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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing on Crown lands in the vicinity of Babine Lake, and situate in Cassiar District, notice of which bearing date June 30th, 1909, was published in the British Columbia Gazette, dated July 2nd, 1908, is cancelled.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C., June 16th, 1910
(First insertion July 5.)

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SPORTS

LOCAL BOXING MATCH

Prince Rupert lovers of sport will have an ample opportunity of enjoying themselves at the Empress Theatre next Wednesday night, February 22, when Oscar Nelson of Vancouver and Mickey O'Brien of Seattle will box 15 rounds.

Both these boys have an enviable reputation for cleverness and hard-hitting.

Nelson has been seen here in action before, having received the decision over Harry Lomoard a year ago. This fast game lad has also won many decisions in Vancouver and Victoria and has a host of admirers in Rupert. He will arrive on the Camosun tonight and will do light gymnasium work only, he being in fine shape always on account of his regular habits.

O'Brien has won his last three fights in masterly style, whipping Eddie Marino before the Graystone Athletic Club of Seattle, Eddie Shannon of Seattle and Billy Mack of Los Angeles, all in the past month.

Frank Bowness of this city saw the go between O'Brien and Marino and was so impressed by his cleverness in disposing of this aspirant for Abe Attell's title that he immediately wired Julius Levy, who is matchmaker for the Empress Theatre Company, regarding him. "Billy" Wright saw O'Brien's next go with Billy Mack and confirmed Bowness' judgment and the go was arranged with Nelson. Both boys will be in town on the Camosun.

BOAT DESIGNER

Mr. Edson B. Shock, who next to the wizard Herreshoff, is probably the best known and most successful yacht designer and naval architect on the American continent, is in Vancouver and intends to make his home there in future.

Mr. Shock is a graduate from the drafting bench of A. Cary Smith, one of the greatest designers of schooners in the world. Since going into business for himself some years ago Mr. Shock has achieved marked success in designing boats that have won some of the most notable aquatic and ocean races on the Atlantic.

The Alanbee, formerly owned by Mr. R. P. McLenann, is from Mr. Shock's board. A sister boat of the Alanbee, also designed by Mr. Shock, won the ocean race from New York to Bermuda in 1909.

The first commission which Mr. Shock will undertake as soon as he gets settled in an office, will be to design a 55-foot power yacht for Mr. E. J. McFeely, who some time ago caught the boating craze from his partner. Mr. McLennan, who some time ago sold the Alanbee to the provincial government, is also considering having another and larger boat built, which will probably mean another job for Mr. Shock.

STEEL PROFITS

Quarterly Reports of the United States Corporation Shows Net Earnings of Over $20,000,000

The quarterly reports of the United States Steel Corporation for the three months ended December 31, as made public, shows earnings of $25,999,987, with net earnings of $20,462,460.

These figures are somewhat below recent estimates and the folling off is largely due to December earnings, which were only $7,249,991. Total surplus for 1910 amounted to $16,928,719, and the balance of the surplus carried into this year is close to $11,000,000 despite the charging off of $6,000,000 for expenditures to be made in the way of new plants.

Total earnings of the corporation for 1910, aggregated $141,144,001, which compares with $131,941,414 in 1909 and $91,847,710 in 1908.

Only twice before have the earnings exceeded those of last year. In 1907, the record year in the history of the American steel trade, the corporation earned $160,964,674, and in 1906, the second best year, earnings amounted to $156,624,273.

M. M. Stephens, after a hurried business trip as far as Vancouver, returned by the Prince George.

A few days after Nat Goodwin's last marriage, Wiliam Collier, the actor, met him and said:

"Well, Nat, I see you've married again?"

"Yes," replied Goodwin.

"Good!" replied Collier. "By the way, Nat, I wish you would invite me to one of your weddings some time, won't you?"

SKEENA DISTRICT

Ferry, Above Kitsequecla Creek Skeena River

IN ACCORDANCE with chapter 78, R. S. B. C., 1897, "Ferries Act," the Government of British Columbia invite applications for a charter for a ferry to ply across the Skeena River above Kitsequecla Creek.

Applications will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works up to and including the 3rd of March next.

The limits of the ferry shall extend for a distance of one mile and half below the Beaver Dam and half a mile above Kitsequecla Creek.

The charter will cover a period expiring on the 31st March, 1913.

The ferry shall be operated whenever required between 7 a. m. and 7 p. m., every day excepting Sundays.

Applications shall give a description of the scow or boat it is proposed to use, and method of operation.

Applications shall state the tolls it is proposed to ask for—

Each adult passenger.

Each child (not in arms) under 13 years.

Each head of cattle, horse, mule or donkey.

Each calf, sheep, goat, or swine.

Each vehicle with one horse and driver.

Each cart or waggon with one horse and driver, loaded.

Each vehicle with two horses and driver, loaded.

Each parcel of 25 lbs. and under.

Freight, per 100 lbs. and under, non-perishable goods.

Freight, per 100 lbs. and under, perishable goods.

The Government of British Columbia is not necessarily bound to accept any application submitted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B. C., 8th February, 1911.

PRINCE RUPERT ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

A court of revision and appeal under the provisions of the "Assessment Act" and "Public Schools Act" for the Prince Rupert Assessment District for the year 1911, will be held at the Court House, Prince Rupert, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1911 at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., Feb. 7th, 1911.

A. CARSS,
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE, that the Municipal Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert, intends to make the following local improvements:

The alteration of Grade of Second Avenue between the intersection of Third Street and McBride Street and the raising or lowering of the buildings effected by making the said alteration, and to assess the final cost thereof upon the property fronting or abmutting thereon, or to be benefited thereby, and that a statement and diagram showing the lands to be so specially assessed for the said improvement or work, is now filed in the office of the City Clerk, and is open for inspection between 10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. daily.

The estimated cost of the work is $12,100.

Dated at Prince Rupert this 24th day of January, 1911.

WM. MAHLON DAVIS,
City Engineer.
ERNEST A. WOODS,
City Clerk.

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NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage to be produced at the time of sale, there will be placed for sale by public auction on the 18th day of February, 1911, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the office of Carss & Bennett, City of Prince Rupert, the following property, namely:

32 shares in the Steam Tug "Edith," terms of sale will be made known on application to Carss & Bennett.

CARSS & BENNETT,
Solicitors.

Dated at Prince Rupert, this 2nd day of February, 1911.

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 with power to build, construct, maintain and operate a railway of standard or narrw guage to be operated by steam, electricity or other power for the purpose of carrying passengers, logs and merchandise or either from the mouth of the Salmon River on Dean Channel or from a point at or near Bella Coola, or some point between them, or some other convenient point near thereto, on the western boundary line of the Province of British Columbia to Sigutla Lake; thence to Kwalcho Lake; thence along the Uhalghat River to Entiaco Lake, and along the Entiaco River to Natalkuz Lake; thence along the Upper Nechaco River to Fraser Lake; thence in an easterly direction to a point where the eastern boundary line of the Province of British Columbia intersects the Peace River, or any other feasible route, 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 on any navigable waters, and with all powers given by the "Model Railway Bill" and with such other powers and privileges usual or incidental to all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

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NOTICE.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until Thursday noon, March 2nd, 1911, for the purchase of the whole or any portion of Four Year City of Prince Rupert Local Improvement Debentures as follows:

11th St. and Beach Place, plank road	$ 3,600
Hay's Cove & 8th Avenue, plank road	11,600
Fraser, 5th, 6th, 7th & 8th Sts., plank road	5,300
2nd Street, plank road	2,700
Alfred Street, plank road	160
8th Avenue & Fulton Street, plank road	2,500
7th Avene (Fulton to Thompson), plank road	3,900
9th Avenue, plank road	12,000
4th Avenue (McBride & Hay's Cove), plank road	8,000
8th Avenue (McBride & Hay's Cove), plank road	7,000
Ambrose Avenue, plank road	6,000
Conrad St. & 11th Avenue Sec. 8, plank road	16,800
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(2) Assessed value of the land benefitted, excluding G. T. P. and Government, $936,394.00.

(3) Total Assessed value of the land of the Municipality, $14,844,860.00.

(4) Government lands—exempted —$2,569,590.00.

(5) Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Co., Assessment, $7,319,000.00. (Subject to adjustment.)

(6) Total Assessment—Excluding G. T. P. Ry. & Government, $4,956,270.00.

The highest or any thender not necessarily accepted.

The above figures do not include improvements.

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City Clerk.

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE tl at J. E. Anderson, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Masset Inlet, about two miles west of the S. W. corner of T. L. 40787, thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains more or less to the shore of Masset Inlet; thence easterly along the shore back to the place of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

J. K. ANDERSON.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Frank Nelson, of Chicago, Ill., U. S. A., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about one mile north of N. W. corner of Application to Purchase 6953; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

FRANK NELSON.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Fred. A. De Lisle, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 120 chains east of the S. E. corner of Lot 35; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

FRED. A. DE LISLE.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that George Stanley Mayer, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of Tsu Skundale Lake; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains, more or less, to the north boundary of T. L. 35413; thence west and south along the boundaries of T. L. 35413, to the shore of the Ain River; thence northerly along the shore, back to the place of commencement, containing 500 acres, more or less.

GEORGE STANLEY MAYER.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 28, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Robert Cross, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of Tsu Skundale Lake; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains, to or near to the S. E. corner of Lot 35; thence west 40 chains, more or less; thence south 40 chains, more or less; thence west 40 chains more or less, following the southern boundaries of Lot 35; thence south to the shore; thence southerly along the shore back to the place of commencement, containing 500 acres, more or less.

ROBERT CROSS.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 28, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Christina Orr, of Masset, B. C., occupation married, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 3 miles east of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 320 acres.

CHRISTINA ORR.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Clara Orr, of Masset, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 80 chains east of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

CLARA ORR.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Wesley Singer, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles north of the N. W. corner of T. L. 40859; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

WESLEY SINGER.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 27, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that A. Walter De Lisle, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permissionu to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 120 chains east of the S. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

A. WALTER DE LISLE.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Alice Millard, of Masset, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains east and 120 chains north of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

ALICE MILLARD.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Allan Orr, of Massett, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Masset Inlet two miles west of the S. W. corner of T. L. 40787; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains, more or less, to the shore of Masset Inlet; thence westerly along the shore back to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

ALLAN ORR.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Flora Orr, of Masset, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: —Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 80 chains east of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

FLORA ORR.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated November 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Ives, Sr., of Masset, B. C., occupation hotel keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 120 chains east of the S. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

ARTHUR IVES, Sr.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Lynn Sutherland, of El Paso, Texas, U. S. A., occupation auditor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 120 chains east of the S. E. corner of Lot 35; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

LYNN SUTHERLAND.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Orland P. Merrill, of Chicago, Ill., U. S. A., occupation coal operator,. intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains east and 40 chains south of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

ORLAND P. MERRILL.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Robert Entwisle, of Masset, B C., o cupation mechanic, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 80 chains east of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

ROBERT ENTWISLE.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Carl Nelson, of Chicago, Ill., U. S. A., occupation draughtsman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains east and 120 chains north of N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

CARL NELSON.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated, Nov. 26, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur W. Nelson, of Chicago, Ill., U. S. A., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 4½ miles north of the S. E. corner of T. L. 40859; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

ARTHUR W. NELSON.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 27, 1910.

MISS HENNY WENNERSTEN
SWEDISH SPECIALIST

Electric, Facial and Scalp treatment; Scientific Massage treatment for rheumatism, nervousness and poor circulation. Manicuring also Chiropody work.

ROOM NO. 4, EXCHANGE BLOCK

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Ellen Ives, of Masset, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 3 miles east of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains, containing 320 acres.

ELLEN IVES.
M. A. Merril, Agent.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Ives, Jr., of Masset, B. C., occupation retired, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains east and 120 chains north of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

ARTHUR IVES, Jr.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 26, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Bert A. Millard, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about a mile and a half north and 3 miles east of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

BERT A. MILLARD.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 26, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that James McLay, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about a mile and a half north and 3 miles east of the N. E. corner of Lot 35; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

JAMES McLAY.
M. A. Merrill, Agent.
Dated Nov. 26, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Edward Singer, of Masset, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles north of the N. W. corner of T. L. 40859; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, containing 640 acres.

EDWARD SINGER.
M. A. Merrill Agent.
Dated Nov. 27, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Merton A. Merrill, of Masset, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the S. W. corner of T. L. 40787; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains, more or less, to the shore of Masset Inlet; thence easterly along the shore back to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

MERTON A. MERRILL.
Dated Nov. 25, 1910.

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Peter P. Rorvik, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation master mariner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner, one-half mile northeast of Ephegsnia Point, North land of Queen Charlotte Island Group, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

PETER P. RORVIK.
Dated October 9th, 1910. N18

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Elizabeth N. Kerr, of Victoria, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about one mile west from the southwest corner of Timber Limit 31833, 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.

ELIZABETH N. KERR,
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated October 6th, 1910. N11

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John W. Maxwell, of Vancouver, occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Timber Limit 31854, 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.

JOHN W. MAXWELL.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated October 6th, 1910. N11

GRAHAM ISLAND — "The surest sign of the progress of a town or district is its newspaper—live, active, hustling." "The Masset Review," **Masset, Q.C.I**

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Coast Land District—District of Skeena.

TAKE NOTICE that we, George Hie and Robert Corlett, of Little Canyon, B.C., occupation farmer and farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east portion of an island situated and lying about two miles below Little Canyon, near the south bank of the Skeena river, Range V, Skeena Land District, District of Coast, thence northerly, thence easterly, thence southerly around the shores of the island back to the point of beginning and inclosing 30 acres, more or less

GEORGE HIE,
ROBERT CORLETT.
Dated August 1, 1910. A19

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Charles Rubidge Dunsford, of Fort William, Ont., occupation retired, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about seven miles south of the southeast corner of lot 227 and 1½ miles west from shore line, thence east 80 chains thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

CHARLES RUBIDGE DUNSFORD.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Norman M. Patterson, of Fort William, Ont., occupation grain merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 7 miles south from southeast corner of Lot 227, and 1½ miles west from short line, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres|

NORMAN M. PATTERSON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Benjamin Ostrander, of Fort William, Ont., occupation grain merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 7 miles south from southeast corner of Lot 227, and 3½ miles west of shore line, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containinn 640 acres.

BENJAMIN OSTRANDER.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Omineca Land District—District of Coast, Range Five.

TAKE NOTICE that E. Lucas, of West Carnie, Ont., occupation banker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of lot 2287, District of Coast, Range Five, and marked E.L.'s 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.

E. LUCAS.
Steven McNeill, Agent.
Dated Sept. 22, 1910. S27.

Omineca Land District—District of Coast, Range Five.

TAKE NOTICE that W. G. Whitesides, of South Bend, Ont., occupation bank clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 1729, District of Coast, Range Five, and marked G.G.W.'s N.E. corner, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

W. G. WHITESIDES,
Steven McNeill, Agent.
Dated Sept. 22, 1910. S27

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Robert Joseph Nott, of Victoria, occupation steamfitter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about the southwest corner of Timber Limit 37039, 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.

ROBERT JOSEPH NOTT.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated October 7th, 1910. N11

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Jennie Wilkerson, of Victoria, occupation stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about one mile west from the southwest corner of Timber Limit 31833, 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.

JENNIE WILKERSON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Oct. 6th, 1910. N11

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Thomas Samuel Smith, of Fort William, Ont., occupation contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 7 miles south of the southeast corner of ot 227, and 5½ miles west from shore line, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

THOMAS SAMUEL SMITH.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Nelson Noel Smith, of Winnipeg, Man., occupation contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 9 miles south of the southeast corner of Lot 227, and 5½ miles west from shore line, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

NELSON NOEL SMITH.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that E. N. Ensworth, of Fort William, Ont., occupation accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 9 miles south of the southeast corner of Lot 227, and 5½ miles west from shore line, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

E. N. ENSWORTH.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that I, K. M. McInnes, of Prince Rupert, occupation mariner, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the south short of Crow Bay, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to post marked K.M.McI.'s N.E. corner.

Dated August 18th, 1910.
S16 KENZIE McLEOD McINNES.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that I, K. M. McInnes, of Prince Rupert, occupation mariner, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Crow Lake, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to post marked K.M.McI.'s N.W. corner.

Dated August 18th, 1910.
S16 KENZIE McLEOD McINNES.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.

TAKE NOTICE that Reginald Davey, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation machinist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands, in the vicinity of Kitwancool or Chean Wein Valley:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner and about 6¼ miles distant in a north-westerly direction from the north end of Kitwancool Lake, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, chains, thence west 40 chains to a point of commencement, and containing 480 acres (more or less).

REGINALD DAVEY.
James W. Smith, Agent.
Dated May 30, 1910. Jy8

COAL CLAIMS

Skeena District—Queen Charlotte Islands.

To all to whom it may concern:—

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, intend to apply for a license to prospect for Coal and Petroleum upon the following lands situate on Graham Island, one of the Queen Charlotte Group, in the Province of British Columbia, and more particularly described as follows, viz: Commencing at a stake planted one and a quarter miles west of the north-east corner of Louis Inlet, and marked "P. C. Coates' S. E. Corner Claim No. 1," thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement.

Staked June 14th, 1910.
Dated this 28th day of July, 1910.
P. C. COATES,
By his Agent, Wm. Edward Laird.
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COAL CLAIMS

Skeena District—Queen Charlotte Islands.

To all to whom it may concern:—

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned intend to apply for a license to prospect for Coal and Petroleum upon the following lands, situated on Graham Island, one of the Queen Charlotte group, in the Province of British Columbia, and more particularly described as follows, viz:—Commencing at a stake planked at the S. E. corner of P. C. Coates' Claim No. 1, and marked "Wm. Penman's S. W. Corner, Claim No. 1," thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south, 80 chains to the place of commencement.

Staked, June 14th, 1910.
Dated this 28th days of July, 1910.
WM. PENMAN.
By his Agent, Wm. Edward Laird.
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Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Edward Robert Wayland, of Fort William, Ont., occupation grain merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 7 miles south from southeast corner of lot 227, and 3½ miles west from shore line, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

EDWARD ROBERT WAYLAND.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that William Curtis Lillie, of Fort William, Ont., occupation agent, intends to apply for permisison to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 7 miles south from southeast corner of Lot 227, and 3½ miles west from shore line, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

WILLIAM CURTIS LILLIE.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that John Russel Smith, of Fort William, Ont., occupation grain merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about seven miles south from southeast corner of Lot 227, and 3½ miles west from short line, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

JOHN RUSSEL SMITH.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Agnes Smith, of Fort William, Ont., occupation widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 9 miles south from the southeast corner of Lot 227, and 3½ miles west from shore line, thencfie east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

AGNES SMITH.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Sidney Smith, of Fort William, Ont., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about nine miles south from the southeast corner of lot 227, and 3½ miles west from shore line, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres

SIDNEY SMITH.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Ardagh Smith, of Fort William, Ont., occupation agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about nine miles south from southeast corner of Lot 227, and 3½ miles west from shore line, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

ARDAGH SMITH
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that John L. Davidson, of Victoria, B.C., occupation agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 9 miles south of the southeast corner of Lot 227, and 3½ miles west from shore line, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

JOHN L. DAVIDSON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that Josephine J. Davidson, of Victoria, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 9 miles south of the southeast corner of Lot 227, and 5½ miles west from shore line, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

JOSEPHINE J. DAVIDSON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that James Henry Smith, of Victoria, B.C., occupation agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 9 miles south of the southeast corner of Lot 227, and 5½ miles west from shore line, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

JAMES HENRY SMITH.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated August 20th, 1910. S30

SETTLE THE LAND

Good Farming Valley Close to Prince Rupert Being Exploited.

Extews River Is Avenue to a Rich Territory Within Easy Reach

H. M. Wood returned Friday last from his trip of cruising land in the Extews valley for a number of Washington farmers. He reports that the valley so far as the bottom is concerned, is not quite so wide as has been reported, but from bench to bench it is about the same average width as the Skeena river valley. One mile from bench to bench, will cover the width of the bottom lands, says the Inland Colonist.

But his cruising has resulted in making known the fact that instead of running north and south as has always been snupposed, the general course of tne river and lay of the valley is due east and west after going the first mile up river. From the point where the Extews is crossed by the G. T. P. to a mile up the river, it runs almost due north an dsouth, then it takes a slight turn to the west, and then sharp to the north again, but at this point where it takes the first turn to the west, it rounds the range of hills and the valley opens up for a distance of a number of miles to the west, the river instead of continuing on a course to the north, merely crosses at different points from one side of the valley to the other, on its general course to the west in direction of Prince Rupert. From the strike of the hills on both sides of the valley, Mr. Woods believes that the valley continues in a true westerly direction for many miles from where he finished his work of cruising, which was four miles up the river.

The site for the building of a wagon road from the G. T. P. to the extreme end of the valely touching the ranches is ideal, with of course, as is the case in any farming district, the building of a bridge here and there crossing the streams that are feeders to the main river.

The land is level and all of it can almost be called meadow land, the trees which are spruce, being so far apart as to make it one of the easiest clearing propositions he has yet seen. Under the trees in many places there was no snow, on account of the protecting branches above, and at hese places the ground was covered with grass. He believes from signs he saw, that there are quite a number of deer in the valley. As to the current of the Extews, he says that he believes that during any stage of water, one would have no trouble in going up and down the river in a row-boat.

He left again on another trip to the Extews to cruise out additional acreage up the river, a number of farmers other than those for whom locations have already been made, desiring to secure tracts in time for early settlement in the spring.

As the Kitsumkalum valley is settled for more than fifteen miles from the river, and the land already held at a high price at the extreme north or upper end as well as down near the railway, there is very little doubt but what every available acre in the Extews will be taken up, to the extreme west end before spring. Up to date all purchasers of this land are farmers, who intend settling on the land, and as the number of locations now amount to twenty-five, it looks as though in another year there will be quite a prosperous farming community in the Extews valley and almost within a step of Prince Rupert.

BRITISH NAVAL GUNNERY

New System Said to Double the Rate of Hitting

The London Telegraph prints a report on the development of naval gunners, which may double the present rate of hitting of the newest large armored ships.

The new battleship Neptune left Spithead on Saturday to make a series of important gunnery trials in the Mediterranean. The principal gunnery experts, including Vice Admiral Sir Percy Scott, inspector of target practice, are on board to watch the trials. The officials refuse all information regarding the experiments, which, according to the Telegraph, are expected to leaa to a revolution in gunnery.

The nature of the reported developments is not indicated more clearly than the suggestion that it is due to notable changes in construction compared with the original Dreadnoughts, principally in reference to the disposition of the guns. The Neptune is the first vessel to have wing barbettes arranged in echelon, enabling two 12-inch guns in each of five barbettes to be trained on either beam. Moreover, the aft barbettes are so designed that the guns of the inner one can be fired over the other. On the result of the experiments depends the future construction of battleships.

Maud—The girls are daffy about our youngest bishop.

Beatrix—Is it his mitre or his motor?

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Emily Margaret Johnston, of Armagh, Ireland, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles west of the southwest corner of A. P. 12037; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

EMILY MARGARET JOHNSTON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that A. Frank Wakefield, of Victoria, occupation agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles west of the southwest corner of A. P. 12037; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

A. FRANK WAKEFIELD
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Robert Fraser Ogilvie, of Vancouver, occupation banker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the folowing described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles west of the southwest corner of A. P. 12037; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

ROBERT FRASER OGILVIE.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Speirs. of Winnipeg, occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about the southwest corner of A. P. 12037; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

ARTHUR SPEIRS.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Violet Palmer, of Ireland, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles east of southeast corner of A. P. 12037; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

VIOLET PALMER.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 10, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Samuel Lampkin, of Armagh, Ireland, occupation banker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles east of the southeast corner of A. P. 12037; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

SAMUEL LAMPKIN.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 10, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that John Compton, of Armagh, Ireland, occupation retiretd, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles east from the southeast corner of A. P. 12037; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

JOHN COMPTON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 10, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Lizzie Compton, of Armagh, Ireland, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 1 mile east of the southeast corner of A. P. 12037; thence east 80 chains; thencet south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

LIZZIE COMPTON.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Calvin Ogilvie, of Hamilton, Ont., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted about the southwest corner of A. P. 12037; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

CALVIN OGILVIE.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Eustace R. B. Pike, of Winnipeg, occupation draughtsman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about the southwest corner of A. P. 12037; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

EUSTACE R. B. PIKE
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that William Wiseman, of Calgary, occupation banker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following dechase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles west of the southwest corner of A. P. 12037; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commncement, containing 640 acres.

WILLIAM WISEMAN.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Island.

TAKE NOTICE that D. Walter Moody, of Winnipeg ,occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planoted about 1 mile north of the northwest corner of A. P. 12037; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

D. WALTER MOODY.
Arthur Robertson, Agent.
Dated Dec. 9, 1910.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that Charles James Gillingham, of Prince Rupert, occupation contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 992 and marked C. J. Gillingham's N. E. Corner Application for Purchase; I, C. J. Gillingham, intend to apply for permission to purchase 320 acres of land bounded as follows:—Commencing at this post; thence 80 chains south; thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 40 chains east to place of commencement.

CHARLES JAMES GILLINGHAM.
Robert Osborn Jennings, Agent.
Dated January 5, 1911.

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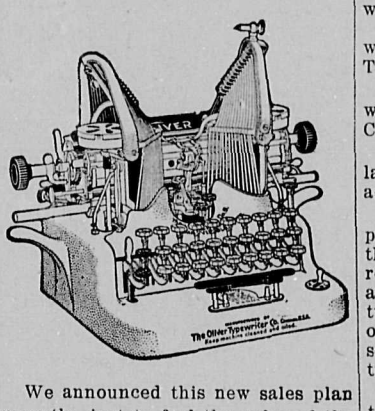

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WATER NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of the "Water Act, 109," to obtain a licence in the Skeena district.

(a) The name, address and occupation of the applicant, The Federation Brand Salmon Canning Company, Liimted Liability.

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description) is Naas Harbour Creek.

(c) The point of diversion, A point on the creek about three-quarters of a mile in a southerly direction from the cannery.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second) is 28.0 C. F. S.

(e) The character of the proposed works, Dam or Weir.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same), The Naas Harbour Cannery.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used, Power for the Cannery.

(h) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage, ...

(i) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return, Would be returned into sea from cannery; difference in altitude about one hundred feet.

(j) Area of crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works, Ten acres more or less.

(k) This notice was posted on the 25th day of November, 1910, and application will be made to the commissioner on the 15th day of January, 1911.

(l) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licencees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet, Government land.

(m) The name of the Company in full, The Federation Brand Salmon Canning Company, Limited Liability.

n) The head office, Care of C. & S. Innes, Law Chambers, Bastion St., Victoria, B. C.

(o) The capital, how divided showing amount paid up, Fifty thousand dollars divided into one thousand shares of fifty dollars each.

(p) Copy of such parts of the Memorandum of Association as authorize the proposed application and works—

(c) To purchase or otherwise acquire any real and personal property and any rights or privileges which the company may think necessary or convenient for the purpose of its business and in particular any lands, buildings, foreshore rights, easements, machinery, plant, stock in trade; also any steam or sailing vessels, tug boats, scows or row boats.

(d) To construct, maintain, improve, work, manage, carry out or control any roads, ways or tramways, railways, branches or sidings, water courses, wharves, railways, branches or sidings, water courses, wharves, manufactories, warehouses, icehouses, sawmills, refrigerators, electric works, shops, stores and other works and conveniences which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to advance the company's interests and to contribute to, subsidize or otherwise assist or take part in the construction, improvements, maintenance, working, management, carrying out or control thereof.

(Signature)
FEDERATION BRAND SALMON CANNING CO., LTD.
P. O. address, Victoria.
Per G. H. Leslie, Agent.

Portland Canal Short Line Railway

Pursuant to Section 7 of the Navigable Waters Protection Act (R. S. Jan. cap 115) notice is hereby given that there has been deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and a duplicate in the Office of the Registrar of Titles at Prince Rupert, plans and description of the site and side elevation of a proposed railway wharf and trestle approach thereto to be constructed near the mouth of Bear River at Stewart, British Columbia, and that one month after the first insertion of this notice the Company will apply to the Governor-in-Council for the approval thereof.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 16th day of September, 1910.

GERARD RUEL,
Chief Solicitor.
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Shipping Report

By Dominion Wireless.

February 17—8 a. m.

Triangle—Foggy; raining; east hurricane, 82 miles; barometer 29.98; temperature 33; spoke steamer Humboldt at 8 a .m. off Pine Island northbound.

Ikeda—Fog; raining; southeast hurricane; barometer 29.50; temperature 40; sea rough.

Estevan — Cloudy; wind southeast; barometer 29.48; temperature 40; light swell.

Tatoosh—Light rain; wind northeast, 30 miles; barometer 29.92; temperature 45; sea rough; out, steamer probably the Earl of Forbes at 8 p. m.; out, steamer Admiral Sampson at 2:30 a. m.; out, four-masted barkentine at 7:20 a. m. tug Goliath will pass in with Charles Moody in tow about 6 p. m. on 18th.

Pachena—Raining; wind southeast; barometer 29.55; temperature 40; light swell.

Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; barometer 29.97; temperature 38.

Cape Lazo—Raining; wind southeast; barometer 29.03; temperature 32; sea moderate.

February 17—noon

Ikeda—Drizzling; wind southeast; barometer 29:62; temperature 42; light swell.

Dead Tree Point — Raining; strong wind, southeast; dense; sea rough; steamer Amur at Queen Charlotte City

Triangle—Hazy; squally; wind southwest, 20 miles; barometer 30.02; temperature 44; sea rough; out, steamer Northwestern at 6:30 a. m.; out, barque Eliza Lihn in tow of tug Lorne, at 11:10 a. m.; in, barkentine James Tuft, at 11:20 a. m.; out bound in, schooner Melrose; in, Col. A. Drake, 11:30 a. m.

Estevan—Drizzling; wind southeast; barometer 29.70; temperature 34; light swell.

Pachena—Cloudy; wind southeast; barometer 30:11; temperature 41.

Lazo—Raining; wind southeast; barometer 30:12; temperature 30; sea smooth.

PRINCESS MAY TO RETURN

The remodeled steamer Princess May will be placed on the Alaska coast route in March, making ten-day sailings for several months, during which time the steamer Princess Beatrice will be laid up at Esquimalt for her annual spring overhauling.

The Princess May during the time she has been lying at Esquimalt and Victoria has been converted into an oil-burner, being the first steamer of the Canadian Pacific fleet to be adapted by the company.

The company anticipate exceptionally heavy traffic during the coming summer between the south and the Alaskan coast and will operate a first-class passenger service to the north. The Princess May, Princess Royal and Princess Beatrice will be placed on the route and possibly the Charmer; the Princess Ena will take care of the freight traffic.

Ex-Mayor Stork spoke before the Presbyterian Club on Wednesday evening. His subject was the "Duties of Citizenship."

On Tuesday, February 28, Archdeacon Collinson will address the Canadian Club at its first luncheon. The luncheon will be held between 12 and 1 noon.

W. S. Chalmers, who has been a member of the Optimist Reportorial staff for some months left last night for Victoria where he will take a place on the Times staff.

HOSPITAL MATTERS

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was a full supply already on hand ready for use.

Committee Reports

The Houston Memorial committee, consisting of W. G. Dennis, J. A. Kirkpatrick and G. R. Naden, reported that there was now $604 subscribed. It was felt that there would before the lists closed be $750 available for the purpose. The committee expressed a desire to furnish the operating ward throughout. In view of the statement made by the ladies of the Auxiliary that they had the supplies for all the wards it was agreed that the Memorial committee should take over the necessary equipment from the ladies for this ward, paying for it and thus giving the Auxiliary that much more for other necessary work. Any other equipment for the ward that was necessary to equip it in first-class shape, it was decided would be paid for out of the funds of the committee, the whole expenditure being subject to approval of the Board. The funds available indicate that the ward can be furnished in first-class shape by the committee.

More Insurance

A report from the Finance Committee was received in which it was announced that there had been $3,000 more insurance placed on the building to cover the interests held by the board. It was announced that this insurance had been divided among three of the local firms doing business and that as soon as the equipment was in place in the hospital there would be $2,000 more put on which would be placed with two other firms in the city.

In this connection the attention of the board was called to the practice which is followed by some companies of specifying in the policy that in case an adjuster is required that the expense in that connection shall be borne by the insured. This meant that there might be a rather large bill in sending an adjuster from the outside here and reduce the insurance collected.

The members of the board disapproved of placing insurance with any such provision in the policy.

An equipment which the Medical Association of the city approved of and which was reported to be absolutely essential to the hospital was ordered to be sent for.

The members of the board took occasion of the meeting being held at the hospital to inspect the progress of the work. The supplies are being received and the matron, Miss McTavish, and her staff, are busy getting the institution in shape to do work in.

Before the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary left it was decided that there should be a formal opening probably early next week just before the hospital is opened for the reception of patients. Some of the wards will then be equipped and the public will be asked to be present and inspect the premises. The ladies will supply tea, sandwiches and cake, for which a nominal charge will be made to aid in the funds of the institution.

NEW RAILWAY LINK

Line Will Be Built to Reduce by 54 Miles Distance Between Portland and Spokane

Contracts for $8,000,000 worth of construction work on the North Coast or third division of the Oregon and Washington Railroad and Navigation lines, between Spokane and the Snake River, reducing the distance between Portland and Spokane 54 miles, making this line the shortest between the two cities, will be let in a few days with the stipulation that they be completed before the end of 1912.

Arrangements have been made with the Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound Railway for the joint use of the line between Maringo, where the North Coast crosses the Milwaukee and Spokane, a distance of about 60 miles. The road will be built and owned by the Harriman system, the Milwaukee agreeing to pay a trackage charge. The terminal facilities at Spokane will be owned jointly by these companies.

CLOSING THE GAP

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supplies, so that after the work of next summer is completed from the west and the east the work will be simplified and can be rushed forward.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE, that the Municipal Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert intends to make the following local improvement:

An extension of the 6th Avenue 6-inch Sewer from Fulton Street, 192 feet in a Westerly direction, and to assess the final cost thereof upon the property fronting and abutting thereon, or to be benefitted thereby, and that a statement and diagram showing the lands so especially assessed for the said improvement or work is now filed in the office of the City Clerk, and is open for inspection between 10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. daily.

The estimated cost of the work is $1,490.00.

Dated at Prince Rupert, this 17th day of February, 1911.

ERNEST A. WOODS,
City Clerk.

WM. MAHLON DAVIS,
City Enginere.

NOTICE.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, until Thursday noon, March 2nd, 1911, for the purchase of $40,000, Twenty Year City of Prince Rupert Telephone Debentures, bearing interest at 4½ per cent per annum, payable half-yearly in Prince Rupert, B. C., London, Eng., New York, U. S. A., Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver, B. C., and secured by special rate.

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