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Loss Of Life From Earthquake Continues To Increase In Number

London, Jan. 14.—According to the Rome Tribuna it is estimated that the victims of the earthquake number between 23,000 and 25,000. Four hundred and fifty bodies have already been recovered from the wreckage at Soras. There are a large number injured.

The victims of the earthquake at Soras alone number 1,000 dead and wounded.

King Visits Scene.

Avessano, Jan. 14.—King Victor Emmanuel arrived here this afternoon and inspected the ruins and the work going on. He watched the work of the rescuers, which is being

carried on by troops with the assistance of civilians.

Installed Officers.

The following officers have been installed in the local aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles: W. H. Derry, W.P.; V. A. Cole, V.P.; Geo. Davies, Chaplain; H. E. Ross, Treasurer; George Leek, Secretary; G. Candow, Outside Guard; R. Daugherty, Inside Guard; Ben Self, Past President. The trustees are R. I. Van der Byl, J. Sweder, and W. Wright. A committee has been appointed to arrange for the annual ball to be given on or about February 11.

THE CIVIC ELECTIONS WERE HELD YESTERDAY

Three Changes Made In Aldermanic Board As Result Of The Polling--- Three School Trustees Were Elected For A Term Of Two Years

Yesterday proved to be the quietest election day ever held here. With no mayoralty contest there was not the incentive to hard fighting that usually goes with the election. With a vote of about 700 cast there was some surprise felt, as it was anticipated it would be less than that.

From thirteen aldermanic candidates eight were elected. The result of the poll was as follows: the elected candidates' names being in black type:

Thomas Maitland	480
Geo. W. Kerr	405
Thomas McClymont	397
John Nicol	372
William Montgomery	367
A. W. Edge	330
Daniel W. Morrissey	303
William Beveridge	291
D. H. Morrison	248
John Dybhavn	241
V. Basso-Bert	230
Ronald Ferguson	186
Walter Shaw	141

In the field for school trustees

WEIGHMASTER.

APPLICATIONS marked "Weighmaster" will be received by the undersigned up to 5 p.m., Monday, January 18, 1915, for the position of Weighmaster. Position carries with it free water, light and quarters, and fifty per cent. (50%) of the receipts.

ERNEST A. WOODS,
City Clerk.

The war, curiously enough, has not affected the stamp issue in Canada. Instead of decreasing it has grown. The issue in December totaled \$1,720,492, as compared with \$1,661,999, an increase of \$58,493. As against December ten years ago this is an increase of over a million dollars.

For the nine months of the fiscal year the stamp revenue was \$11,189,780, an increase of \$66,074 over the same period of 1913.

To Recruit Here For Contingent

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—The Minister of Militia announces that Prince Rupert will be one of the places for recruiting for the third contingent from British Columbia. Subsequently the forces will be mobilized at Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster.

PREMIER DENIES CURRENT RUMOR

SIR RICHARD McBRIDE SAYS THERE IS NO TRUTH IN SENSATIONAL STORY.

Lawrence McRae Was Not Concerned in Giving Out Any Plans of Forts.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 14.—Premier McBride today formally denied the current report that his late secretary, Lawrence McRae, had committed suicide because of the discovery that it was he who sold the plans of Esquimalt to the Germans. A report was published at Seattle that the plans of these defenses were found on the person of a brother of Alvo von Alvensleben, arrested a few months ago at Gibraltar as a German spy.

CANADIAN PACIFIC PAYS MORTGAGE

Big Railway Company Distributes Over Twelve Million Dollars Among English Investors.

A telegram to the Free Press yesterday from Montreal gave the information that Sir Thomas Shaughnessy was prepared to pay, and had paid, six months before they were due, all that remain of the 5 per cent. first mortgage bonds which were given by the company many years ago. The sum involved is \$12,842,646. This considerable amount

FIRE DESTROYED LAWN HILL HOME

F. C. WRIGHT SUFFERED HEAVY LOSS BY CONFLAGRATION THERE.

Excellent Building Burned—Part of Contents Believed Saved.

A telegram received in the city yesterday conveyed the information that F. C. Wright, a well-known mining man of Lawn Hill, had suffered heavy loss by the burning of his home at that point. The house and its contents was valued at over \$3,000. It was partially covered by insurance. Part of the contents are believed to have been saved.

There will be general sympathy with Mr. Wright in his loss. He is well known in Prince Rupert, being a frequent visitor to this city on business.

is now being paid out in cash by this great Canadian railway, the recipients of the money being chiefly people in England. The story in connection with these first mortgage bonds may be briefly told.

In 1885 the well-known firm of Baring Bros. offered in London first mortgage bonds of the railway company to the amount of £3,000,000. These were taken at 95. In the year 1886 Baring Bros. made a second offer of £4,191,500, which were sold at 104, a much better price than (Continued on Page Four.)

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I wish to thank the electors of the city who yesterday by their votes elected me to a position on the Aldermanic Board for 1915. I will endeavor to serve the city of which I have been a resident since the early days to the very best of my ability.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN NICOL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I thank you for the substantial vote you gave me at the election for alderman yesterday, thus returning me for the fifth term as an alderman of the city. During the whole of my term in office I have tried to serve the citizens faithfully and well. During the coming year I will pursue the same policy as in the past.

Yours faithfully,
GEORGE KERR.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Allow me to convey to you my sincere thanks for the splendid vote you accorded me at the polls yesterday, electing me an alderman at the head of the list. As in the past I will do all in my power to advance the city's interests.

Faithfully yours,
THOMAS MAITLAND.

Allies Have Altered Plans Near Soissons Owing To Floods

Paris, Jan. 14.—An official statement given out says: Last night our troops were successful in their attack having for its object, the overwhelming of the trenches recently constructed by the Germans north-east of Fouquescourt.

The attacks upon the enemy in the region north of Soissons have been stopped. The flooding of the River Aisne which destroyed several bridges rendered very precarious the communication with our troops operating on the first slopes on the right bank. We were thus prevented from sending reinforcements. This has been the essential cause for the

withdrawal of our troops which were fighting under difficulties. The success is a partial one only for our adversaries.

On the rest of the front there is nothing to report.

Lloyd's War Risks.

London, Jan. 14.—Lloyd's quote 65 guineas per cent. against war between Roumania and Austria or between Roumania and Turkey within the next three months. Roumania's entrance into the war is now regarded as absolutely certain.

METHODIST CHURCH BURNED AT SMITHERS

A Building Which Served Important Place Of Entertainment Destroyed On Wednesday Evening--Work of Rev. C. E. Batzold Interfered With

ICELAND FIGHTING POLITICAL BATTLE

COUNTRY IS SPENDING LONG WINTER NIGHTS IN UNIQUE QUARREL.

Liberal Party There Is Waging a Fight Against the King of Denmark.

Iceland is in the throes of a political crisis and the people are hugely enjoying it because it gives them something to talk about during the long cold winter nights. It is nothing less than a quarrel between the Liberal party, which is in the ascendancy and his majesty, the King of Denmark, who is, of course, the ruler of Iceland.

It has led to the resignation of Prime Minister Eggerz, but he has consented to remain in office for the present and if matters are arranged to his satisfaction he will no doubt withdraw his resignation altogether.

There are two points of disagreement with the king. The first concerns the constitution. Icelanders being progressive folk, want an up-to-date constitution and in the last session of parliament various changes in the old constitution were agreed to in accordance with the popular demand. But when the prime minister sent them to the king for signature without which, of course, they could not become effective—he refused to affix it. He maintained

Word has reached the city that the Methodist Church at Smithers has been destroyed by fire. The fire occurred on Wednesday night between 8:30 and 9 o'clock. As far as can be learned the building was completely destroyed. The loss is quite considerable. The building represented an heroic work done by the Rev. C. E. Batzold, the pastor, who with his own hands did no small part of the labor connected with the building.

The church served more than the duties of a place of worship. Combined with that side accommodation was provided in the way of entertainment. It had four rooms on the one floor which included a club room which was found of great convenience to the young men of the place.

Rev. Mr. Batzold was formerly of Telkwa. He has, by his broad ideas in connection with church work and by paying attention to the social side of the citizens, done a good work in Smithers. The loss will be severely felt. Nothing as to the plans for the future are known.

that the constitution of Iceland could not be changed without the sanction of the Danish parliament. The sturdy Icelandic Liberals, on the other hand, contended that their own parliament was quite competent to fix up their constitution and that the Danish parliament had no business to meddle with it. The other point at issue concerns the flag question. Iceland for some (Continued on Page Four.)

Taylor Elected Mayor Of Vancouver

Vancouver, Jan. 14.—In the election here today for mayor, L. D. Taylor was elected. The vote stood as follows: Taylor, 4,848; Baxter, 4,022; Martin, 3,067; Douglas, 2,176. In North Vancouver Hanes was elected mayor by a majority of 67.

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THE LATE LAWRENCE McRAE.

The denial which has been made by Premier McBride to the rumors that his late secretary, Lawrence McRae, had been implicated in the providing of plans of Esquimalt to the Germans will be received with great satisfaction to the many friends of the late Mr. McRae. Those who knew Mr. McRae could never believe that he would be implicated in any such thing. He was born a Canadian and was truly loyal to everything British. His characteristic traits of character were not those that would lead to such a crime. Mr. McRae was not avaricious, and above all things he was absolutely faithful in the discharge of any duty he had to perform. To the wide circle of newspaper friends of his late secretary with whom he had worked on this coast there will be great satisfaction felt that the Premier has taken occasion to clear the character of one whom none would ever have suspected of such an offence as has been hinted at. Mr. McRae was not one, moreover, who was likely to be drawn unknowingly into anything of this kind. He was cautious to a fault. His extreme caution was sometimes interpreted by his friends as being due to suspicion on his part. Whatever faults may have been his we feel as one who knew him intimately that he could never be suspected of being disloyal to the British flag. He was British through and through and could be regarded as even an extremist in that line.

Skeena Land District — District of Coast, Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that Kathleen A. Humphrys, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Housekeeper, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Lot 607, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

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HOW THE BRITISH SOLDIERS ARE FIGHTING

A Vivid Description of a Gallant Fight When Hopelessly Outnumbered.

The following extracts from a letter written by Sergt. J. O'Wyer of the Irish Guards, describe vividly the gallant fight made at the front by a hopelessly outnumbered little band of men, and the heroic death of both of the officers concerned in that thrilling stand.

Two companies of the Irish Guards were ordered to take up a position on a rise of ground facing the village of ——. The companies were not in the position long when there appeared on the skyline, about 1,200 yards away, what appeared to be a reconnoitering patrol. As we were outnumbered we had to retire to the road leading towards —, in which direction the remainder of the battalion had gone.

Excitement prevailed, but we got into our new positions quickly, and from that time to two hours afterwards we fought for all we were worth. Men were falling all round, wounded and killed, but still we kept up the retirement until we came to four cross-roads, where there were only about 18 or 20 left of the two companies, which number includes about 16 of the 2nd Grenadiers, who came to reinforce us during the engagement. I and two more Irish Guards were among the 20, and wherever we looked there were nothing but Germans kneeling down, actually taking pot shots at us.

At this period of the engagement there were two officers left with the 20, viz., Col. Morris and a lieutenant of the Grenadiers. Col. Morris ordered us to line one side of the road, which we did, and we fired volley after volley into the Germans, who were advancing through the wood. Then Col. Morris ordered us to charge, but on standing up he got shot clean through the throat, and fell out in the middle of the road.

Then the officer of the Grenadiers took command, but when he got off the road, with sword in hand, he was immediately shot through the head. What was left then of us (about 11 men and myself), owing to superior numbers, had to retire into the wood on the other side of the road. By the time we got there four more fell. I got over the ditch, but got entangled in some telephone wire that was torn away by shrapnel, etc., and I was thrown headlong into the wood.

I got up as soon as I could and got about five yards further in company with one Irish Guardsman, when I got an explosive bullet in the knee which shattered my whole leg.

After a while when everything was quiet, an N.C.O. and private of the German army came along, and I, lying on my face and hands, they didn't know whether I was dead or alive, but they wanted to find out. I got a punch with the butt of a rifle, and, of course, turned over with the pain.

They were all smiles at once and then gave me wine, etc., to drink.

Form 11.
LAND ACT.
Form of Notice.
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that Edward Chesley, Prospector, of Shames, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land: Commencing at a post planted one-quarter of a mile east of Mile Post 83 of G.T.R. from Prince Rupert on north boundary line of railroad right of way and about one-half mile easterly from south-east corner of Wm. Elson's, thence north 10 chains, thence west 10 chains, thence south 10 chains, thence east 10 chains to the point of commencement and containing 10 acres, more or less.

EDWARD CHESLEY.

Dated January 14, 1915.

and were so sorry that I was wounded. In fact, everyone I met on that occasion was as kind as possible.

The Red Cross of the Germans came along afterwards and bandaged up my wound with my own field dressing, and then put a candle by the side of my head so that the ambulance wouldn't fail to see me in the dark.

About ten hours from the time I fell I was picked up by the ambulance and brought to Vivierre, where I lay for four days and then I was conveyed to a chateau in the same village, where my leg was cut off by two German doctors. The anaesthetic was administered by Lieut. Raxkin, R.A.M.C., who was a prisoner with me. The British afterwards relieved me.

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In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5, which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only; but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10 per acre.

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Deputy Minister of the Interior

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NAVAL SUPREMACY CONTROLS GOLD SUPPLY

Interesting Statistics Which Go to Prove How Futile Are the Kaiser's Efforts.

An example of the supreme importance of naval supremacy in war is furnished by the increase in Great Britain's gold supply as evidenced by the Bank of England reserve, since the war began. On August 7 the panic resulting from the war had caused the gold reserve to decrease \$62,500,000 in two weeks, but on November 26 it had increased to \$361,100,000, which was an increase of \$223,000,000 on the figures of August 7, and of \$174,000,000 on those of the same date in 1913. It exceeded by \$115,000,000 the highest total ever reached in the history of the bank.

This great accumulation of financial power was due only partially to recovery of gold withdrawn during the war panic and to payment of

debts by the United States. About \$60,000,000 was newly produced gold from the British Transvaal colony. In 1911, the last year for which complete statistics of the world's production are at hand, Great Britain and her colonies produced \$274,809,800 of gold out of the world's total of \$461,542,100. Her Allies—Russia, France, Japan and their colonies—produced a total of \$42,984,700, bringing the total for the Powers allied against Germany and Austria up to \$317,794,500 or 68.8 per cent. of the world's total. Germany produced only \$62,900 and Austria-Hungary \$2,185,100.*

The Allies produce gold to finance the war in their own dominions and so long as they control the sea, they can prevent any gold from reaching their enemies, even from neutral countries like the United States, which in 1911 produced \$96,890,000 in gold. Could Germany obtain naval supremacy, she could seize the treasure ships, carrying gold from South Africa, Australia, Canada and India to England, and could use the spoils of war in paying its cost. Could Germany also conquer the Transvaal and Australia, she could defeat efforts to withhold shipments, for she would control the countries producing more than \$250,000,000 of the British gold supply.

By controlling the sea and shutting Germany in on herself, the Allies are able to starve their enemy financially, as well as to stop the supply of copper and nitrates which is necessary to the manufacture of ammunition. Thus we are having demonstrated under our eyes the truth of Admiral Mahan's contention that naval supremacy is necessary to military dominance by even so self-contained a country as Germany.

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Some time before the war Sir Percy predicted the remarkable success of submarines.

THOUSANDS PAID FOR WAR DEATHS

One American Insurance Company Operating in Paris Has Big Claims.

Paris, Jan. 14.—One of the American life insurance companies has paid out about \$400,000 on policies held by soldiers who were killed in the war. The last policies issued which cover the war risk were dated July 25. After that date American policies were so modified as to exclude all risks connected with the war.

A captain of artillery who paid his first premium on a \$5,000 policy on July 25 was killed in one of the early engagements.

Annuities and claims in case of

death from natural causes are being paid promptly by American companies. Others in accordance with the provisions of the moratorium are paying no annuities in excess of \$240 per year and no death claims.

There were six German and Austrian life insurance companies doing business in France before the war. They come under the measures taken against Germans doing business in France, and their reserves deposited with the national consignment department will be used for the benefit of the policy holders other than those of German or Austrian nationality.

Skeena Land District — District of Coast — Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that H. Bell-Irving & Co., Ltd., of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Salmon Cannery, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at high water on easterly side of De Horsey Island and about two miles in a north-easterly direction from Parry Point; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains more or less to shore-line; thence northerly and easterly following the sinuosities of the shore-line to point of commencement and containing 40 acres more or less.

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Skeena Land District — District of Skeena, Coast R. IV.

TAKE NOTICE that Lizzie Blackwood, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Housekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at a head of the Inlet on the north half of the Island, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence Travershead of Inlet to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

LIZZIE BLACKWOOD.
J. P. Meehan, Agent.
Dated August 22, 1914. s26

Skeena Land District — District of Skeena, Coast R. IV.

TAKE NOTICE that Annie L. Kerr, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 30 chains south of the east side of middle of Inlet on north end of Fin Island, thence east about 80 chains, thence Travers Beach in a south-westerly direction, and thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

ANNIE L. KERR.
J. P. Meehan, Agent.
Dated August 22, 1914. s26

Cassiar Land District — District of Cassiar.

TAKE NOTICE that Charles W. Vance, of Telegraph Creek, B.C., occupation Rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the west side of ix-Mile Creek, six hundred feet north of the Stikine River, thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains to the point of commencement and containing forty acres more or less.

CHARLES W. VANCE.

Skeena Land District — District of Coast, Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that I Hugh McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the south-west corner of P. Chesley's No. 8 claim, being about 1 1-2 miles north of the Beaver River and 4 miles west of the Cedar River; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as H. McLean's No. 12 claim.

HUGH McLEAN.
Per G. F. Monckton, Agent.
Dated July 24th, 1914. aug 19



NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Reserve existing on Detention Island by reason of a Notice published in the British Columbia Gazette on the 30th of May, 1912, is hereby cancelled.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands
Department of Lands,

Victoria, B.C.,
October 19th, 1914. o24

Skeena Land District — District of Coast, Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Geoffrey Francis Monckton, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the south-west corner of H. McLean's No. 8 claim, being about 1 1-2 miles north of the Beaver River and 3 miles west of the Cedar River; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as G. F. Monckton's No. 11 claim.

GEOFFREY FRANCIS MONCKTON.
Locator.
Located August 21st, 1914. o16

Skeena Land District — District of Skeena, Coast R. IV.

TAKE NOTICE that I, William A. Preston, of Winnipeg, Man., occupation Lumberman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the north end of Fin Island, 80 chains west of Inlet, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north about 35 chains, thence Travers Inlet to the most northerly point, thence west about 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

WILLIAM A. PRESTON.
J. P. Meehan, Agent.
Dated August 22, 1914. s26

Skeena Land District — District of Coast, Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Geoffrey F. Monckton, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked Monckton's No. 12, S.W. Cor. planted one mile south of the south-west corner of P. Chesley's No. 8 claim, being about 1 1-2 miles north of the Beaver River and 4 miles west of the Cedar River; thence 80 chains east, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres to be known as G. F. Monckton's No. 12 claim.

GEOFFREY F. MONCKTON.
Locator.
Located August 19th, 1914. o16

Skeena Land District — District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that John A. Kirkpatrick, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation Merchant, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on Naden Harbor, about two and one-half miles north of the south-west corner of S.T.L. 2551, 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.

JOHN A. KIRKPATRICK.
Agent, John Munro.

Skeena Land District — District of Coast, Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Thomas H. Tracy, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the south-west corner of P. Chesley's No. 8 claim, being about 1 1-2 miles north of the Beaver River and 4 miles west of the Cedar River; thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to this post Tracy No. 12, S.E. Cor., comprising 640 acres to be known as T. H. Tracy's No. 12 claim.

THOS. H. TRACY.
Per G. F. Monckton, Agent.
Located August 19th, 1914. o16

Skeena Land District — District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that John Alexander Murray, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation Carpenter, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on Massett Inlet Graham Island: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot No. 1579, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN ALEXANDER MURRAY.
Date located 27th July, 1914. s23

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COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Revision and Appeal under the provisions of the "Taxation Act" respecting the assessment rolls of the Prince Rupert Assessment District for the year 1915, will be held at the Provincial Assessor's Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., on Friday, January 29, 1915, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C., January 9, 1915.

ALFRED CARSS,
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal. ja10



TAX NOTICE.

Prince Rupert Assessment District.

NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with the Statutes, that all assessed taxes and income tax, assessed and levied under the "Taxation Act" are now due and payable for the year 1915. All taxes collectable for the Prince Rupert Assessment District are due and payable at my Office, situated in the Provincial Land Registry Building, in the City of Prince Rupert, B.C.

This notice in terms of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for taxes. Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C., January 9, 1915.

C. W. HOMER,
Assessor and Collector for the Prince Rupert Assessment District.

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W. McG. MASON,
City Engineer.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

TAKE NOTICE that James Thomas, of Victoria, B.C., occupation seaman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted one mile distant and in a northerly direction from Skiak Pt., on the west side of Stephens Island; thence north 40 chains following the sinuosities of shore line, thence east 20 chains, thence south 40 chains following H. s application to purchase line, thence west 20 chains to the point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

JAMES THOMAS.

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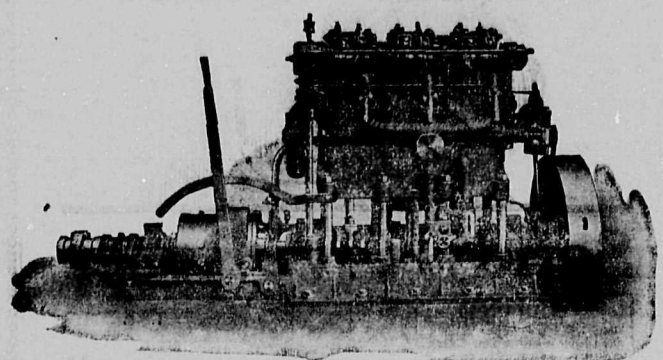
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Rain 47

CANADIAN PACIFIC.

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was realized in the previous year. These bonds were to fall due on July 1 of the present year. The total sum was thus \$7,191,500, or \$34,998,633. This was gradually reduced by the redemption of the bonds, until in 1913 there remained outstanding \$13,157,520.

At that time the Canadian Pacific had, as it usually has, a very large sum in ready money, and it offered to pay a premium for permission to redeem these outstanding bonds. The public, however, preferred to hold them, and during the twelve months following the offer the Canadian Pacific was able to secure bonds only to the amount of \$314,873. The balance outstanding was therefore \$12,842,646. The cause which resulted in the securing of the bonds at the present time by the company from the holders was the war. Previous to this great catastrophe people in England did not want the principal. The war caused a great demand for money, and the Canadian Pacific consequently was able to redeem its bonds as it wished to do prior to the time at which they fall due. All these bonds issued by Baring Bros. in 1885 and 1886 are therefore now redeemed.

ICELAND FIGHTING.

(Continued from Page One.)

time has been anxious to have a flag that it would call its own and the king, it is said, promised that its desire should be gratified. The Liberal majority in the parliament here having complete faith in the patriot-

ism and good taste of the prime minister authorized him to go ahead and get up a flag and settle the matter personally with the king. But the king declined to confirm a design for a flag submitted by the prime minister, alleging there was no evidence it was the flag the Icelanders or a majority really wanted. The king announced he will summon before him some of the leading politicians of Iceland to talk things over and determine if a satisfactory arrangement cannot be made.

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NOTICE TO MEN.

A new class for the instruction of First Aid for men will be formed on Wednesday evening next, 13th inst., at the City Hall at 8 o'clock. All men are urged to avail themselves of this opportunity of obtaining a knowledge of First Aid to the Injured.

NOTICE.

The Canadian Patriotic Fund.

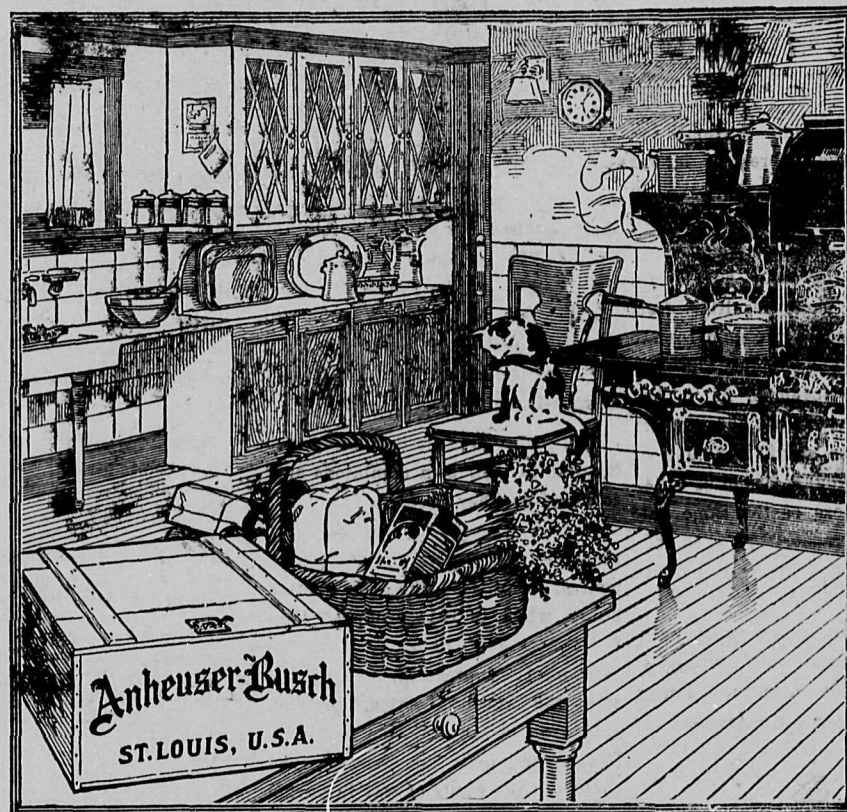
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Skeena Land District—District of Skeena, Coast R. IV.

TAKE NOTICE that John Kerr, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Inlet on the north end of Fin Island, thence south about 30 chains, thence east about 80 chains, thence Travers Beach in a northerly direction about 60 chains, thence west to mouth of Inlet, thence Travers Beach to point of commencement, containing 480 acres more or less.

JOHN KERR.

J. P. Meehan, Agent.
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Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range Five.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George Mills Shirley, of Prince Rupert, occupation Rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the N.E. corner of Lot 5462, Range 5, Coast District; thence east 32 chains, more or less, to the west boundary of Lot 48. Thence south along the said West boundary of Lot 48 about four chains to the G.T.P. Right-of-way; thence westerly following the G.T.P. Right-of-way to the S.E. corner of Lot 5462; thence northerly 4.26 chains to point of commencement, containing 15 acres more or less.

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Form of Notice.

Hazelton Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

TAKE NOTICE that John V. Rittenhouse, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation mining engineer, intends to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum over and under the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 2 1/2 miles north-east from the confluence of the Copper and Kitnawak rivers, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

J. V. RITTENHOUSE.

Dated October 24th, 1914. d16

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

TAKE NOTICE that John A. Murray, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation Carpenter, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands: Massett Inlet, Graham Island; Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of Lot 1577; thence south 80 chains to the shore of Massett Inlet; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN A. MURRAY.

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