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STATESMAN AND ORATOR

The Eastern despatches just to hand tell of the death of Viscount Wolverhampton, better known as Henry Hartley Fowler, formerly Secretary of State for India and latterly Lord President of the Council. There are in Victoria not a few Wulfrunians to whom this is an interesting announcement, although apparently not of sufficient importance to secure notice in the local press. If the deceased statesman had been a Senator from Wyoming, or a Congressman from Wisconsin, or even a fraudulent Bank President, the item would have been good for half a column; thus do the Victoria daily papers keep the public posted on English news. Viscount Wolverhampton was a statesman and orator. Twenty years ago he was, with the single exception of Mr. Gladstone, the greatest platform speaker in the United Kingdom. It is an open secret that from 1875 to 1885 he was excluded from the Liberal platforms in Birmingham because there was not room for two such stars as Joseph Chamberlain and himself. Later the more aggressive and constructive statesmanship of the former carried him to the front. The parting of the ways came when Mr. Gladstone introduced his celebrated Home Rule Bill. Mr. Chamberlain went to the Unionists, Mr. Fowler remained with the Liberals. His reward soon followed. His first Government position was that of Financial Secretary to the Treasury, an office which he filled in 1886; his first Cabinet position, President of the Local Government Board, followed by that of Secretary of State for India. His administration of the latter office brought him into great prominence, especially in connection with the celebrated Chitral Expedition. At this time Mr. Fowler stood very near to the Premiership, and not a few Liberals would have preferred his leadership to that of Lord Rosebery. Their judgment was verified when that brilliant but erratic statesman bolted after a short term of office. By this time the health of Mr. Fowler was becoming enfeebled. With three score years and ten upon his shoulders he had lost his vigour. Moreover, his leanings towards Whiggism had become more pronounced, and the latter years of his life yielded nothing new and nothing aggressive. But he never lost his hold on the seat which he had represented with such masterly ability for forty years, and when he finally decided to accept a peerage he adopted the title of Viscount Wolverhampton. Only a few weeks ago the cable brought the news of the death of his wife and there is little doubt that the sad bereavement curtailed the life of the veteran statesman. An interesting chapter could be written of the romance of Viscount Wolverhampton's love, courtship and marriage. Suffice it to say that he came to Wolverhampton young, poor, unknown, the son of an obscure Methodist parson. He proposed for the hand of the daughter of Wolverhampton's first Mayor and wealthiest iron-master; his suit was indignantly rejected by the irate father, who practically told him to "get out." He got out and made good. In six years he was Mayor of Wolverhampton and the leading lawyer in the town. Six years later he was the leader of every public movement and Chairman of the School Board. Two years later, Member of Parliament for a borough which for half a century had returned Charles Pelham Villiers of Corn Law fame. A few years before, Mr. Fowler had joined forces with Mr. R. W. Perks, also the son of a Methodist parson, and for years the firm of Fowler & Perks were known as leading Parliamentarian lawyers. Viscount Wolverhampton has gone to his rest full of years and honours; a man of the highest integrity, of supreme ability and of remarkable force; a man who had no personal friends and yet whom everybody respected and many feared; a natural orator and a constructive statesman; prevented only by temperament and a certain ingrained adamant from attaining the highest position in the public service. It is probable that if Mr. Fowler had not been born a Methodist he would have established more friendly relations with the great Nonconformist party which never trusted him fully because of his antagonism to Disestablishment. There are not half a dozen men now remaining who belong to Mr. Fowler's school, and none who advocated the principle of Free Trade with the ability and insight which distinguished his utterances. He was to the last an uncompromising opponent of Tariff Reform, and died, as he lived, in the full belief that Cobdenism and Salvation were synonymous terms.

THE NAAS VALLEY

Less than a year ago the Naas Valley first came into prominence through the efforts of a brave little band of pioneers who went up there to stake land and finally succeeded in locating 60,000 acres. They brought back a good report; told of a valley 200 miles long and ten to fifteen miles wide, which was fertile, with alluvial soil, lightly timbered, traversed by a river and watered by numerous tributaries. Later on other adventurous spirits followed the lead and by the time that the first 60,000 acres had been disposed of to Mr. James S. Rear of Vancouver a second section of 90,000 acres was taken up by Mr. Morton Griffiths, the Member for Wednesbury. Later some 200,000 acres were staked so that it is probable that not less than half a million acres have been located to date. Only a few days ago the local press told of a railway from the Pacific tide-waters up the Naas and through to Edmonton, there to connect with the Canadian Northern Railway. Branch lines are also contemplated into the Naas from the Skeena by way of the Kitsumkalum, and from Stewart and the Bear River country by way of Bitter Creek. Only this week particulars have been published of the out-fitting of a party to prospect the Naas for minerals under the guidance of Mr. Joseph Varin, and now the latest information is that Mr. J. S. Rear has succeeded in inducing the Dominion Government under the direction of their engineer, Mr. G. A. Keefer, to blast out the rocks and boulders which impede navigation in the Naas so that small craft will be able to navigate the river for a distance of two hundred miles. Thus in one short year has a new country been practically discovered, and it is only one of the many virgin tracts in the Northern part of British Columbia which will within a few years become settled and prosperous.

ANOTHER IMBROGLIO

At the time of writing the City Solicitor has not given his opinion as to the right of the Mayor to veto the appointment of Mr. C. H. Topp to conduct the surveys of the Sooke Water Scheme. The decision may not touch the real point at issue or at any rate the point which most concerns the ratepayers, viz.—whether the Mayor has the legal right to veto a decision of the majority of the Council. The Week never thought very highly of Mr. Topp as a City Engineer, but it does know that he is a good surveyor, and that the action of the Mayor, if it be not illegal, is at any rate unjustifiable and vindictive; but it is all of a piece with his conduct of City affairs, and shows how impossible it is for a self-respecting body of men to work with him. It also shows the wisdom of the course adopted by the Provincial Government in restricting his authority to routine business when passing remedial legislation.

A PUBLIC LOSS

The retirement of Mr. R. W. Clarke, Chief Clerk in the King's Printer's Department, is a decided public loss and will be deeply regretted by all who had been accustomed to do business with a painstaking and conscientious public servant. Mr. Clarke has been in the employ of the Provincial Government for twenty-three years and leaves with the good will of all his fellows. The King's Printer, Lt.-Col. Wolfenden, C.M.G., and the Hon. Dr. Young, Minister of Education, headed a delegation of Mr. Clarke's colleagues to present him with a silver tea service on the occasion of his retirement. Both gentlemen spoke in the highest terms of his personal character and public services, and in order to place on record some tangible expression of their esteem they presented Mr. Clarke with the following address:—

"Robert Wilson Clarke,
Chief Clerk of the Government Printing Department:

"Dear Sir,—Your fellow-workers in this department beg to express their regret that you are leaving the pleasant associations so long and so mutually enjoyed, to undertake duties elsewhere.

"We wish you with all our hearts the utmost success and prosperity in your vocation, and trust that you may long enjoy the best of health, and we take this opportunity of presenting you with this silver service as a slight token of our esteem and good wishes. On behalf of the employees of the department, yours very sincerely,

"R. Wolfenden, *King's Printer.*
"Victoria, Feb. 28, 1911."

A FOOLISH QUESTION

In addition to writing foolish editorials the Victoria Times sometimes asks foolish questions, but rarely one more foolish than that which appeared in its columns on Tuesday last: "As we are all so British why not imitate the British Government in the policy which has made Britain great? No one can deny that Great Britain is every day increasing her trade, her wealth, and her prestige, and yet she has Free Trade." Perhaps unconsciously the Times answers its own question in the last phrase "and YET she has Free Trade," for there are not a few people who believe that Great Britain's trade and wealth, if not her prestige, would increase more rapidly if the Tariff Reform programme were adopted. But the answer to the foolish question in the Times seems to be that it assumes parallel conditions in Canada and Great Britain, which alone would justify the comparison. Moreover the Times is not sincere or candid because no responsible Liberal leader and no responsible Liberal organ has yet arisen to advocate Free Trade for Canada. Indeed, the one outstanding feature of the Laurier regime has been the abandonment of the Free Trade platform and the adoption of moderate Protection as a national policy.

TRAMWAY EXTENSION

When the Jordan River project of the B. C. E. Ry. was before the ratepayers of Victoria The Week strongly advocated its acceptance because it would lead to the extension of the Tramway System throughout the Saanich Peninsula. At that time the manager of the Company, Mr. A. T. Goward, guardedly stated that some $250,000 would be spent for that purpose. It now appears that the most optimistic expectations are to be exceeded as within a year from date there will be a modern, well equipped railway in operation between Victoria and Deep Cove, a sheltered harbour in the extreme north-west of the Saanich Peninsula. Later on there may be branches east and west to the water front, but in any event something like two hundred square miles of territory will be made tributary to the new railway system. Just what this may mean for Victoria only the future can tell, but it will mean the settling of every acre of cultivable land in the district traversed, and the locating of thousands of homes in close proximity to the railway. The first fruits of this rich harvest is already being reaped by those people who look ahead a little, and in two days have bought up all the acreage which Grant & Lineham have placed on the market. This has been easily the most successful sale of the kind ever held in Victoria and goes to show that the people are only waiting for transportation facilities to secure beautiful locations for summer homes. With the growth of the city this tendency will increase every year. The highest authority in the Province has stated that within four years Victoria will have a resident population of 100,000. In view of the building permits being issued, and the realty transactions recorded daily, his estimate would appear to be far too modest.

THE LATE SESSION

The session of the local Legislature has just closed and the Colonist has given a very full and intelligent synopsis of the business transacted. The most notable measures have been the Coal Mines Act, the Land Act, the Railway Charter Act, the Automobile Act, the University Bill and the Health Amendment Act. It is almost appalling to read that no fewer than seventy-eight new acts were passed during one session, yet none of them were superfluous and all should contribute to the public weal. Naturally the Liberal Press is unable to wax enthusiastic over such a legislative record and it especially regrets the absence of an effective opposition. With respect, however, to this objection it is only fair to say that what the Opposition has lacked in numbers it has more than made up in intelligence, application and fairness. Mr. H. C. Brewster, the respected Member for Alberni, has greatly enhanced his reputation by the able and business-like manner in which he has criticised the Government measures. Not once has he departed from the beaten track of fair, incisive argument and there is little wonder that his methods have proved distasteful to a press which found its apotheosis in the swash-buckling member for Delta. Mr. Hawthornthwaite has fully maintained his reputation as a capable debater, and there will be many regrets that he is abandoning the field of political adventure for the much less exciting and more prosaic calling of mine management. Mr. Parker Williams will now plough a lonely furrow, but he must plough a little better next session if he would hold his own. On the whole it may be said that the Legislature has done good work, has fully lived up to its standard of a business Administration, and if no great reputations have been made, it is satisfactory to know that none have been lost.

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It is a pity that all the late municipal muddle should have occurred just at the time when the fine weather set in for good and there became urgent necessity for the water-cart. Of course, it is hardly fair to blame anyone for the dust nuisance just yet, because there was nobody to take the responsibility of putting this much needed public utility to use. And in view of the fact that matters reached such a climax that even the clock stopped because cheques were in a similar quandary, it is not to be wondered at that nobody has undertaken the watering job on an off chance. But by the time that this appears I suppose that all financial crises will have passed, in which case I would beg to call the attention of the city Fathers pro tem. to the dust nuisance, which is thus early beginning to give evidence of its existence.

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Archaeologists, theologians and divers others have puzzled their brains for many centuries as to the exact spot where the original Noah's Ark landed. Another Ark of more modern date discharged her cargo at the Outer Wharf last Tuesday when the German steamer "Uarda" landed a few pets for Mr. French of Saanich, who is already the proud possessor of a fine menagerie. A curious individual and a camel were both interested observers of a soliloquizing lion until the former became aware of the proximity of his fellow spectator, when he stood not upon the order of his going, but "got:" I didn't see the camel myself, but I am told that it sadly needed a bath; which may have accounted for the individual's hurried exit; but again he may have had other reasons.

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I wonder where else in the world one could experience the gorgeous weather which we have been having lately. It has been weather of the kind that makes life worth living for its own sake alone. I am quite aware that to talk about the weather is rather a confession of incompetence, but I am doing it for three reasons. First of all because it is calculated to make other people who are not so happily situated as we are jealous, and a jealous neighbor is always calculated to enhance one's own self-respect. They say that imitation is the sincerest form of flattery; it may be, but I contend that jealousy is a far more soothing form for the person flattered. Secondly, I make mention of the weather because my whole literary outlook has been utterly disorganised by the municipal muddle, which has practically deprived me of a target for my shafts, and thirdly because it really has been such fine weather that it deserves a word of commendation.

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But why should it be spoilt by the inconsiderate owners of property? Just after I had turned in my copy last week I noticed a hideous pall of smoke arising from the chimneys of the late Driard; now the emporium of David Spencer & Co. To-day the sky is being marred by smoke pouring forth from a chimney which I cannot quite locate from my window, though I have a very shrewd idea as to where it is. There is no necessity for this kind of thing. If furnaces are properly tended and good coal is used the amount of smoke allowed to escape is hardly noticeable. But the smoke nuisance, like the dust and the water problems, is on a level with the poor and is always with us.

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But it is not quite right to say that, because here in Victoria there is a noticeable absence of the poor. True enough there are plenty of people who are "broke," but they starve not neither do they thin (incidentally, they thirst not at all). But I should like to know how many people in this Western country have any conception of what a slum is; what real poverty is. Rags they know, but often the ragged man has a bigger wad than the man in broadcloth. Hunger they know, but that is due to the fact that restaurants do not grow in the wilds and game is sometimes scarce. But real, downright poverty—that's another story. I always have liked the opening sentence in Marie Corelli's book "The Sorrows of Satan." "Do you know what it is to be hungry?" This is the hunger that is intensified by the sight of food in the stores and the lack of coin in the pocket. This is the hunger of want in the midst of plenty and is different from the hunger of want in the midst of destitution.

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I suppose the above remarks were inspired by the fact that it is past dinner time and I don't want to leave the office till I have completed my weekly toll of lamentations and complaints, fancied and otherwise. Unfortunately for me there is somewhat a scarcity of these this week. I think, however, a word might be said as to the condition of the Inner Harbour at low tide. I do not remember in days gone by that there was such an unsanitary odor arising from the harbour as at present prevails at certain hours of the day and night. We used to get, and still get, fragrant breezes from the chemical works when the winds were propitious, but this is an entirely different kind of smell, and not half so wholesome. The smell to which I refer always reminds me of that exquisite passage in Barry Pain's "In a Canadian Canoe," where he describes the Smell of the Bad Pork Chop which wandered through the marble halls from the kitchen to the banqueting hall, gaining strength on its fell errand, as it approached to slay the mighty Agamemnon. Possibly you haven't read this classic from the pen of Pain, in which case you have missed a treat, but one, which to be thoroughly enjoyed, should be indulged in when reclining in a Canadian Canoe on "The Backs" during a fine summer's morning stolen from important lectures.

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However, I am wandering from my subject which is the state of the Inner Harbour at low tide. It is an unsavoury subject seeing that it must almost certainly have something to do with—drains. I remember a juvenile acquaintance of mine, a blood cousin, who strongly objected to his youthful peccadilloes being made the subject of discussion at the dinner table. When the conversation threatened to turn in that direction he would turn his eyes to the head of the table and softly say, "Take care, Mother, or I'll talk about drains." The mother, being of a refined and sensitive disposition would refrain from "giving her Benjamin away," and "Drains" as he was nicknamed, was left the triumphant possessor of the field.

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But I am not of a refined and sensitive disposition. I am essentially coarse and vulgar when I think that there is anything to be gained by being so. I have said things in print which caused shudders, but which have resulted in the work at present progressing on the south-west corner by the Post-office. An shall I be deterred by such a word as "Drains?" I trow not. What is the use of endless columns in the daily papers advocating a general civic clean-up; of garbage-can promises; of fulminations from the Provincial and Municipal Officers of Health; of impassioned pleadings from the pen of the writer for The Woman's Page in the Colonist and of solicitous suggestions from that of Miss Ruth Cameron, when right in front of our premier hostelry there exists what may at certain periods be styled a public sewer? Is there nothing that can be done? If at this season of the year when the air is cold and health-giving, this sickening smell is a nuisance, what will it be in the dog-days?

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It is satisfactory to note that the City By-law with reference to the selling of alcohol with "bona fide" meals has been declared illegal by the Court of Appeal. If ever there was a nonsensical state of affairs it existed when it was forbidden to sell alcohol under such circumstances between the hours of midnight and dawn except on Sunday mornings. Mr. Justice Gregory held that this was quite contrary to the spirit of the Provincial Liquor Act and in consequence of his decision it will now be possible to entertain at an after-theatre supper party without having to "switch off" on to lemonade half way through.

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I have never yet had any explanation of the existence of the planks which are so carefully laid along the side-walks in some of the principal streets, so I presume that there is nobody that can give one. I have racked my brains to find a reason, but find none. They are a nuisance and seem to serve no purpose, so I beg to propose that they be abolished.

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I should like to know what is the correct form of procedure under the following circumstances. A street car is proceeding down the track overladen with its human freight; lack of room compels many of the passengers to stand on the back platform; the conductor is busy near the fore end of the car collecting his fares. There you have your stage setting and the "dramatis personae." Now comes the problem. A passenger on the rear end wishes to get off at the next stopping-place but is unable to attract the attention of the conductor. What is he to do? Common sense says "Ring the bell for himself." This was done the other day on a Government St. car, whereupon the conductor immediately rang the bell to keep the car in motion and compelled the passenger to travel a block beyond his destination, and when the latter eventually descended, remarked that he would "teach them kind of fellows to ring the bell for themselves." Was the conductor right or wrong? If the former, wherein lies the passenger's remedy? This is a question which puzzles the

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Dated December 12th, 1910.
jan 14 FRANK HALLETT.

MUSIC DRAMA

Miss Kathleen Parlow

On Monday evening last Miss Parlow gave a recital at the Victoria Theatre and was assisted by Mr. Karel Leitner. It is a pity that Miss Parlow had not been heard of before, or she would have undoubtedly have drawn a better house. Considering her age there is little doubt that the young violinist will have a distinguished future if indeed she does not rank with the very best violinists of her sex. She has splendid command of the bow and her tone is really marvellous. More facile execution will come with experience. It is no exaggeration to say that in many respects Miss Parlow reminds one of Mde. Norman Neruda at the same age, and positively no higher praise could be given. The following is the programme she rendered:—

Concerto G Minor (Violin)—..... Max Bruch
I.—Introduction
II.—Adagio
III.—Finale—Allegro energico
(a) Sicilienne ..... Bach-Auer
(b) Gavotte ..... Gossec
(c) Andantino .....Martini-Kreisler
(d) Variations, on a theme of Corelli .....Martini-Kreisler
Piano Solos—
(a) Menuett ..... Josef Suk
(b) On the Seashore .... Sinetana
(c) Ballade ..... Chopin
Mr. Karel Leitner
(a) Chopin Nocturne
(b) Wienianski—Russian airs .....

Polly of the Circus

On Tuesday night Victoria renewed the acquaintance of the Circus but not of Polly, for the young lady who essayed the part bore no resemblance in form, shape or comeliness to Miss Ada St. Leon, who played the title role on a former occasion. If the truth must be told the company was third-rate and not one member possessed more than the most elementary knowledge of acting. The play is too thread-bare to stir the emotions and the young parson lover more stilted than the ordinary stage parson of his kind. The only feature which redeemed the play from something worse than puerility is the whiff of the sawdust which the circus brings. The worst and the best which can be said of "Polly of the Circus" is that it is perfectly innocuous.

Nance O'Neil

On June 18th Victorians will have an opportunity of seeing Nance O'Neil in "The Lily." This is a long way ahead, but those who saw Miss O'Neil play Queen Elizabeth at the Victoria Theatre five years ago will not be willing to miss the chance of seeing her again. In my opinion she is one of the foremost actresses of the age and in her own line ranks next to Edith Wynne Matheson. In some parts she has no superior and according to the best information obtainable has scored an enormous success in an adaptation from the French. Miss O'Neil comes with the whole of the company which supported her at the Belasco Theatre, New York, where the play ran for over one year.

The New Grand Theatre

By far the best turn at the New Grand this week is that contributed by the Alex Brothers who are really wonderful equilibrists and present some exceedingly clever novelties. Eddie Girard provides the laughter for the evening in his role as an Irish policeman, being intensely comic in his monkey metamorphosis; during the whole of the time that "Dooley and the Diamond" is being staged the house is kept in a continual roar of merriment. Tom Dempsey has been getting good receptions as a monologuist of an amusing type, but the same cannot be said of Lefevre & St. John, who present an extraordinary playlet entitled "The Show Girl," which entirely fails to justify its existence or to give them an excuse for being on the boards. The One-Stringed Violin has appeared again and with the saxophone forms the equipment of Billy Barron who plays them both with much skill.

Romano's Theatre

"At the Duke's Command," a film from the celebrated Imp Company, proved a drawing card in the middle of the week. It is not every day that the spectator is taken into the torture room of mediaeval times and I for one duly appreciated the privilege. The picture dealing with the Newlyweds, in this case Mr. and Mrs. Dare, was one of the most comical I have seen and was received with shouts of laughter.

The Majestic Theatre

Dickens Redivivus has been a great attraction lately at Mr. Christie's house and scenes from "The Christmas Carol," which were most faithfully and cleverly represented accounted for over-flowing houses. The misfortunes that attended the masquerader who fancied himself as a policeman provided material for a series of pictures that were funny in the extreme, as did those of the heroic (?) life-savers at Coney Island beach.

The Crystal Theatre

Though we haven't had any chance of seeing air-ships in their material form we have been privileged many times to see them on the screen but never to better effect than at the Crystal this week, when pictures of Henry Farman with five passengers were on view. The views of the clearing of the wreckage of the Welsh train were very interesting. For the rest Manager Jamieson has been providing his usual A1 attraction.

MOMUS.

Mr. Edward Terry, the dean of English comedians who is making a brief tour of this country under the management of Liebler & Co., and who brings with him a complete English company from Terry's Theatre, London, will come to the Victoria Theatre, Wednesday, March 8, in selections from his large and varied repertoire.

From the list of plays announced it is evident that this versatile artist has no leaning toward those which touch the sombre side of life but prefers those which gild frail humanity with touches of humor and philosophy. In "Sweet Lavender," "Liberty Hall," "The Toymaker of Nuremburg," "Flander's Widow," and "The Magistrate," there is an optimism which the serious moments only emphasize the more. So many playwrights of the present day seem to have forgotten that the theatre is, after all, a place of relaxat
is pleasing to contemplate such a list of entertaining comedies as those announced.

It is the cleanly wholesome quality in Mr. Terry's humor that has done so much toward making him so universally popular. His wit is pure and kindly. The suggestive problem on the one hand and acrid pessimism on the other are entirely foreign to his humor. His impersonations hurt no one's prejudices, sneer at no one's inferior wit. His fantastic imaginings compel a welcome from all who have a sense of humor. His characterisations are so funny, so obviously exaggerated for the specific purpose of ordinary experience, and yet so instinctive with a perception of the foibles and fancies of human nature, that we laugh with them as well as at them, and jubilantly recognize in them a clever study of the ridiculous side of our neighbors.

James T. Powers in "Havana."

Here is one "Havana" which does not have to be located on the map. In fact it is here, there and everywhere—at least every place which is designated as a "big city," for this "Havana" is the musical play which was imported from the Gaiety Theatre, London, and which ran for over two years in New York. James T. Powers is the star and it is with Mr. Powers in the stellar place and surrounded with the original company of 100 people, including the famous little much heralded Hello People, People Hello octette that the Messrs. Shubert will offer for the play at the Victoria Theatre next Tuesday, March 7. "Havana" was pronounced the most conspicuous musical success ever imported from England, excepting the "Mikado" and "The Geisha." Doubtless much of its success on this side has been due to the comedy element which is chiefly the result of Mr. Powers' book, for Mr. Powers revised the English script. Leslie Stuart, composer of "Florodora," is responsible for the score of "Havana" and a quartette of well known writers turned out the book and lyrics.

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SAILING IN FEBRUARY

BY BOHEMIAN

I wonder where in Northern Seas it would be possible to thoroughly enjoy sailing in the month of February. I find in the daily press that frost and snow prevail all over the northern section of the continent; indeed, there is just a breath of frost whitening the grass in our own city, but that is all.

Probably those poor benighted Easterners who up to date have heard so little about British Columbia, will think that I am joking when I say that on the last day of February I took a trip in a small launch from Victoria to Comox and enjoyed every minute of the time. The sky was as blue and the sunshine as bright as in early summer days, and when night fell the stars shone so clear that it never became dark, and the absence of the moon made no difference to navigation.

It was a flying trip, all done within a couple of days, so I travelled by day and night. There was literally not a ripple on the water and no breeze except that made by the motion of the boat. It was warm enough to sit in shirt-sleeves on deck and to sleep with the cabin door wide open. It was so exhilarating that I found three square meals a day insufficient to satisfy my rapacious appetite.

The trip was a procession of one through straits and narrows, bounded by near views of wooded islands and distant glimpses of snow-capped mountain peaks. The clarity of the atmosphere was a remarkable circumstance well illustrated by the fact that from Nanoose Bay I got a clear view of Mt. Baker. From Nanaimo one could see the smoke of Vancouver and the low-lying Point Grey, flanked by the Hope Mountain Range, which in perspective seemed to flank Vancouver and New Westminster. There was an unbroken ridge stretching away to the north-east, easily distinguishable beyond Bute Inlet. On the west lay Vancouver Island with here and there a snowy peak, but mostly covered with dense forest.

Words could never describe the magnificence of the scene, and I do not know where it could be duplicated. The remarkable combination of warm, bright sunshiny weather, green islands and snow-clad mountains, all in such close proximity, furnished a unique spectacle, impressive and awe-inspiring in its grandeur.

But there were other things to attract the attention, and they impressed me greatly. Between Victoria and Comox I counted more than a hundred craft of various kinds, ranging from the Indian dug-out and the tiny Japanese fishing-smack to the big coal carrier speeding to Union Bay, and the stately C. P. R. Ferry forging its way from Vancouver to Victoria. The number of Japanese fishermen scattered among the Islands is surprising and on this occasion they were all fishing for cod, with herring as a bait, and apparently meeting with success.

Perhaps, the most gratifying evidence of industrial activity was to be found in the numerous booms of logs being towed from northern forests to the mills of Victoria and Vancouver. It is only when one gets out into the Straits and meets with as many as a dozen booms a day being brought down, each boom probably averaging a million feet that it is possible to realize how silently, but certainly, the forests are being devastated and the lumbering industry developed.

Then one met scows loaded with coal from Union Bay, Nanaimo, Boat Harbour and Ladysmith, all being silently dragged to the fiery furnaces awaiting them in Victoria and Vancouver, to say nothing of the large tonnage consumed daily at the Tod Inlet Cement Works.

There were ocean liners at all the shipping piers waiting for coal for the south, another medium through which an enormous tonnage of raw material is being constantly exported for the benefit of our cousins across the line.

The surprising feature of this glorious trip was to be found in these many evidences of increased activity, still further emphasized by the number of passengers at every point where train or boat touched. The little steamer "Iroquois" was loaded not only with freight, but with passengers for the Islands, and the requirements of the trade have so far out-grown its capacity that I should think a larger boat would be put on the run in the very near future.

I do not see what is to prevent the Islands of the Straits of Georgia from becoming a Western Paradise. They offer every attraction of climate, scenery and access which could be asked for in a summer retreat. There is nothing to be compared with them elsewhere on the Pacific Coast. The population is increasing beyond all expectation and with visions before me of the gallant President of the Council I would not hesitate to say that it is no slight compliment to be the Member for the Islands; and it will some day be a very proud position for any public man to occupy.

It is not so long since Victoria was known as "Victoria the Sleepy," and well deserved the title. It is now generally admitted that she is waking up and from frequent opportunities of observing what is going on all over the Coast line of Vancouver Island, especially on the East, I have no hesitation in saying that the activity of Victoria is spreading, and that one of the richest and most beautiful islands in the world, blessed with unrivalled natural advantages is coming to its own, and coming faster than most people are aware of. Among the many remarkable advantages which it enjoys not the least is that of furnishing the opportunity for what can fairly be called a summer trip in the month of February.

Bohemian.

JOSEF HOFMANN

On Thursday night the Victoria Theatre was packed to hear Josef Hofmann, the celebrated Polish pianist. It is satisfactory to be able to say that for once a really appreciative audience assembled in large numbers, for so often the arrival of "quality" on the stage, means a decrease in "quantity," in the auditorium. This brief paragraph is not intended to convey a criticism of the wonderful performance which so many were privileged to hear on the evening in question, it is rather written in a spirit of acknowledgment to one of the greatest living exponents of the old masters. Mr. Hofmann is above all a devout admirer and skilled interpreter of Chopin, and perhaps his finest work on Thursday was his rendering of that composer's masterpieces. At the same time special mention must be made of his rendering of Rachmaninoff's "Prelude in G. Minor," which is so full of the vein of romance and mysticism which runs throughout the Russian school. Another delightful item was the playing of the paraphrase from Tschaikowsky's "Eugene Onegin," by Pabst, which concluded the recital. One of the most pleasing features of Mr. Hofmann's performance was the entire modesty with which he conducted himself. He is absolutely free from those affectations which so often seem to be inseparably connected with musical geniuses, and which the enthusiasm of his audiences might well justify.

Miss Corelli's First Play

Miss Marie Corelli has signed a contract to write a short play, to be called "The Sedan Chair," for the London Hippodrome, an invitation to do so having been given to her by Sir Edward Moss and the directors. The subject which Miss Corelli has chosen for her play is the suffrage question, and her view is entirely opposed to the Suffragette policy.

Savage Attack by Rook

A remarkable incident has just occurred in the village of Oakhill. A Mr. A. Hockey, an inhabitant of the Parish, was crossing a street a rook suddenly attacked his face, and with such persistence that he had great difficulty in beating the bird off. The rook inflicted wounds on his face which drew blood.

Ex-Soldiers as Emigrants.

Presiding recently at a meeting of the Naval and Military Emigration League held at the United Service Institution, Lord Roberts said that one of their objects was to assist financially ex-soldiers who desired to emigrate.

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Companies Act
(July 1st, 1910)

CANADA,
Province of British Columbia.
No. 385A (1910)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that "Dodge Manufacturing Company, Limited," is authorised and licensed to carry on business within the Province of British Columbia, and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate at the City of Toronto, Province of Ontario.

The head office of the Company for this Province is situate at the City of Victoria, and William John Taylor, whose address is Victoria aforesaid is the attorney for the Company.

The amount of the capital of the Company is five hundred thousand dollars, divided into five thousand shares.

Given under my hand and Seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this fourteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

(L.S.) D. WHITESIDE,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The objects for which this Company has been established and licensed are: To manufacture, build, operate, deal in and buy and sell engines, boilers, machinery, motors, castings, pulleys of all kinds, iron ware and other productions of metals or wood or other materials and to acrry on a general foundry engineering and machinists business and to manufacture and deal in all kinds of power transmission appliances.
feb 25

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that George Philip Carr, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Postman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the intersection of the northwest corner of Lot 330 and the east boundary of Charles Skinner's pre-emption (Lot 329); thence north 40 chains more or less to the northeast corner of said pre-emption; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains to the northeast corner of Lot 330; thence west 80 chains, more or less, along the north boundary of Lot 330 to point of commencement, and containing 480 acres, more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.
jan 14 GEORGE PHILIP CARR.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Charles Hillman of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Florist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 331 on the shore of Cochin Lake; thence east 53.88 chains along the north boundary of Lot 331 and the south boundary of Lot 330 to the northeast corner of Lot 331; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 53.91 chains, more or less, to the shore of Cochin Lake; thence following the shore of Cochin Lake in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement and containing 582.8 acres and being Lot 331.

Dated November 25th, 1910.
jan 14 CHARLES HILLMAN.

RENFREW LAND DISTRICT
District of Renfrew

TAKE notice that I, Edward B. Cadwell, of Detroit, Mich., U.S.A., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Lot 272, being the south-west corner; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, and containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less. The land is required for agricultural purposes.

Dated January 27th, 1911.
feb 11 EDWARD B. CADWELL.

RENFREW LAND DISTRICT
District of Renfrew

TAKE notice that I, Samuel A. Moore, of Pomona, Calif., U.S.A., occupation Butcher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Lot 270, being S. A. M.'s North-east Corner Post; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to place of commencement, and containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less. The land is required for agricultural purposes.

Dated January 26th, 1911.
feb 11 SAMUEL A. MOORE.

COMPANIES ACT

TAKE NOTICE that the "Trust and Investment Company, Limited," intends after the expiration of one (1) month, from the first publication of this Notice, to apply to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies to change its name to the "Victoria Mortgage and Trust Company, Limited."

Dated this 7th day of February, 1911.
E. H. MANSFIELD,
Secretary.
1011 Government Street,
Victoria, B.C.
feb 11

RENFREW LAND DISTRICT
District of Renfrew

TAKE notice that I, James A. Crawford, of Spokane, Wash., U.S.A., occupation Farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted forty chains distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 272, being the south-west corner; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 10 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 70 chains to place of commencement, and containing three hundred acres more or less. The land is required for agricultural purposes.

Dated January 27th, 1911.
feb 11 JAMES A. CRAWFORD.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Fred. Gibson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 332; thence 40 chains west to the northwest corner of Lot 217; thence 40 chains south; thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 40 chains south to point of commencement and containing 480 acres, more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.
jan 14 FRED GIBSON.

LICENSE TO AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY

Companies Act
(July 1st, 1910)

CANADA,
Province of British Columbia.
No. 363A (1910)

This is to certify that "The Continental Insurance Company," is authorized and licensed to carry on business within the Province of British Columbia, and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate at No. 46 Cedar Street, New York, N.Y.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at the City of Vancouver, and A. D. McRae, Agent, whose address is Vancouver aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

The amount of the capital of the Company is two million dollars, divided into twenty thousand shares.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this seventeenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

(L.S.) D. WHITESIDE,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The objects for which this Company has been established and licensed are:

Making insurances (1) on dwelling houses, stores and all kinds of buildings and household furniture and other property against loss or damage by fire lightning, wind storms, tornadoes, or earthquakes, and also against loss or damage by water to any goods or premises arising from the breakage or leakage of sprinklers, pumps or other apparatus erected for extinguishing fires, and of water pipes, and against accidental injury to such sprinklers, pumps or other apparatus, and upon vessels, boats, cargoes, goods, merchandise, freights and other property against loss or damage by all or any of the risks of lake, river, canal and inland navigation and transportation, including insurances upon automobiles, whether stationery or being operated under their own power;

(2) Upon vessels, freights, goods, wares, merchandise, specie, bullion, jewels, profits, commissions, bank-notes, bills of exchange and other evidences of debt, bottomry and respondentia interests, and every insurance appertaining to or connected with marine risks and risks of transportation and navigation;

(3) To make or effect reinsurance upon any risks taken by the said Company.
feb 25

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY

Companies Act
(July 1st, 1910)

CANADA,
Province of British Columbia.
No. 84B (1910)

I hereby certify that "Pierson, Roeding and Company," an extra-Provincial Company, has this day been registered as a Company, under the "Companies Act," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate at Monadnock Building, San Francisco, Cal.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at Davie Chambers, Victoria, and Albert Edward McPhillips, Barrister-at-law, whose address is Victoria aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company, not empowered to issue or transfer shares or stock.

The amount of the capital of the Company is two hundred thousand dollars, divided into two thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

The time of existence of the company is fifty years from the 24th day of October, 1905.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

(L.S.) D. WHITESIDE,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The objects for which this Company has been established and registered are:

To conduct a general mercantile business, including the buying, selling and generally dealing in merchandise, manufactured articles and raw materials of all kinds;

To act as agent for individuals, firms or corporations, in the conduct of any and all lines of business;

To buy, sell, and generally deal in, either for its own account or for the account of other persons, firms, or corporations, machinery of all kinds, electric appliances of every description, and materials used in connection with the transmission of electricity;

To buy, sell, and generally deal in steam and electric railway equipment of every description;

To acquire, hold, sell, mortgage, lease and generally deal in real property;

To acquire, hold, sell, mortgage, lease and generally deal in franchises and rights of way;

To acquire, hold, sell and generally deal in the stocks, bonds and securities of other corporations, either private, public or quasi-public;

To acquire, hold, sell, and generally deal in patents and patent rights; and generally for all other purposes and to do all other things that may be incidental, proper, or necessary in connection with the conduct of any of the businesses, or the carrying out of any of the purposes hereinabove enumerated.
feb 25

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, John F. Doyle, of Nanaimo, occupation Merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner about two and one-half miles distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains, to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 JOHN F. DOYLE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Richard Layritz, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Florist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner, about 40 chains distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 RICHARD LAYRITZ.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Tenders, superscribed "Tender for Otter Point School," will be received by the Honourable Minister of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday, the 1st day of March, 1911, for the erection and completion of a small one-room school building at Otter Point in Esquimalt Electoral District.

Plans, Specifications, Contract, and Forms of Tender may be seen on and after the 18th day of February, 1911, at the offices of M. Emerson, Esq., Otter Point, Secretary to the School Board, 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 $125, 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., 16th February, 1911.
feb 25

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of North Saanich

TAKE notice that Conrad Johnsen, of Port Blakeley, Wash., occupation Caretaker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at north-east point, thence south 110 yards; thence west 60 yards; thence north 100 yards; thence east to point of commencement of Island locally known as Johnson's Island, situated in Canoe Pass, about three miles from Sidney, B. C.

Dated February 16th, 1911.
feb 25 CONRAD JOHNSEN.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Mary D. Macnaughton, of Cumberland, B.C., occupation, Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner, about 20 chains distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-east corner of Lot 343, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains to lake; thence following the lake shore to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 MARY D. MACNAUGHTON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Elise Layritz, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner about three and one-half miles distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 ELISE LAYRITZ.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, James Robert Anderson, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner about three and one-half miles distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 JAMES ROBERT ANDERSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Hannah Watts-Jones, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner about three and one-half miles distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 HANNAH WATTS-JONES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Ivor K. Watts-Jones, of Victoria, B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner about two and one-half miles distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 IVOR K. WATTS-JONES.

RENFREW LAND DISTRICT
District of Renfrew

TAKE notice that I, John H. Moore, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Logger, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-east corner of Lot 272, being J. H. M.'s S.E. Corner; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 60 chains to place of commencement, and containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less. The land is required for agricultural purposes.

Dated January 27th, 1911.
feb 11 JOHN H. MOORE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Geo. H. W. Ashwell, of Chilliwack, B.C., occupation Merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner about one-half mile distant, and in a westerly direction from the north-west corner of Lot 344, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated December 30th, 1910.
feb 25 GEO. H. W. ASHWELL.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Gladys Darling Beck, of Shanghai, China, occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner situate at the south-west corner of Lot 344, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated December 30th, 1910.
feb 25 GLADYS DARLING BECK.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Bertram Andrew, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Surveyor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner situate at the south-west corner of Lot 343, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated December 30th, 1910.
feb 25 BERTRAM ANDREW.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Geo. W. Clinton, of Cumberland, B.C., occupation Paymaster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner about one mile distant, and in a westerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 343, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated December 30th, 1910.
feb 25 GEO. W. CLINTON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Geo. K. Macnaughton, of Cumberland, B.C., occupation M. D., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner situate at the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated December 30th, 1910.
feb 25 GEO. K. MACNAUGHTON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, James A. Mitchell, of Victoria, B.C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner situate at the south-west corner of Lot 343, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated December 29th, 1910.
feb 25 JAMES A. MITCHELL.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, A. E. Planta, of Nanaimo, B.C., occupation Real Estate Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner about one mile distant, and in a westerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 343, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated December 30th, 1910.
feb 25 A. E. PLANTA.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Isabell McPhee, of Courtenay, occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner situate at the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated December 29th, 1910.
feb 25 ISABELL MCPHEE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Henry James Barber, of Chilliwack, B.C., occupation Druggist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner about two miles distant, and in a northerly direction from Forks of Chilcotin and Alcatcho Trails from Bella Coola and on Bella Coola-Alcatcho winter Trail, Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 HANNAH WATTS-JONES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Ivor K. Watts-Jones, of Victoria, B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner about two and one-half miles distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 345, Range 3, Coast District, thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 3rd, 1911.
feb 25 IVOR K. WATTS-JONES.

RENFREW LAND DISTRICT
District of Renfrew

TAKE notice that I, John H. Moore, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Logger, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains distant, and in a southerly direction from the south-east corner of Lot 272, being J. H. M.'s S.E. Corner; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 60 chains to place of commencement, and containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less. The land is required for agricultural purposes.

Dated January 27th, 1911.
feb 11 JOHN H. MOORE.

TAKE NOTICE that on the 25th day of March, 1911, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon the Wood Motor and Taxicab Company, Limited, will apply to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies to change its name to the Wood Motor Company, Limited.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 16th day of February, 1911.

Barnard, Robertson & Heisterman,
Solicitors for the Wood Motor and Taxicab Company, Limited.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Robert Hornall, of Cumberland, B.C., occupation Liveryman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner about two miles distant, and in a northerly direction from Forks of Chilcotin and Alcatcho Trails from Bella Coola, and on Bella Coola and Alcatcho Winter Trail, Range 3, Coast District, thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated December 28th, 1910.
feb 25 ROBERT HORNALL.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Alfred Parker Stokes, of London, England, occupation Gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner about one mile distant and in a northerly direction from north-west corner of Lot 351, Range 3, Coast District, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 10th, 1911.
feb 25 ALFRED PARKER STOKES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Algernon H. Pease, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner about one mile distant, and in a northerly direction from the north-west corner of Lot 351, Range 3, Coast District, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 10th, 1911.
feb 25 ALGERNON H. PEASE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Alfred C. Wilson, of Nanaimo, B.C., occupation Florist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner about eight miles distant, and in a westerly direction from Salmon River and on Bella Coola-Anaham Lake, Summer Trail, Range 3, Coast District, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 4th, 1911.
feb 25 ALFRED C. WILSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Robert Hamilton of Victoria, B.C., occupation Veterinary Surgeon, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner about one mile west and one mile south from the south-west corner of Lot 343, Range 3, Coast District, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 4th, 1911.
feb 25 ROBERT HAMILTON

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, Arch. B. Lamberton, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Restauranteur, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner about seven miles distant and in a westerly direction from Salmon River on Bella Coola-Anaham Lake, Summer Trail, Range 3, Coast District, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Jan. 4th, 1911.
feb 25 ARCH. B. LAMBERTON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, George Randall Ashwell, of Chilliwack, B.C., occupation Merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner situate at foot of precipice on Bella Coola-Anaham Lake Trail on north side of Hotnarko River Range 3, Coast District, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated December 26th, 1910.
GEORGE RANDALL ASHWELL
feb 25

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, John Henry Ashwell, of Chilliwack, B.C., occupation Gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner situate at foot of precipice on Bella Coola-Anaham Lake Trail on north side of Hotnarko River Range 3, Coast District, thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated December 26th, 1910.
feb 25 JOHN HENRY ASHWELL

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

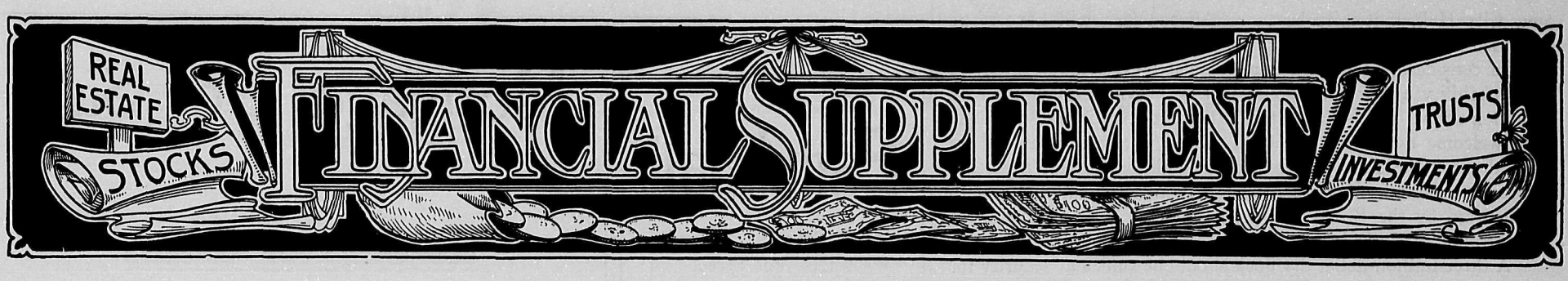
TAKE notice that I, John Hale Sweet, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Clergyman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner and about six miles distant in a westerly direction from Salmon River on Bella Coola-Anaham Lake, Summer, Trail, Range 3, Coast District, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated January 4th, 1911.
JOHN HALE SWEET SWEET.
feb 25

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE notice that I, John R. Borthwick, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-west and about six miles distant and in a westerly direction from Salmon River on Bella Coola-Anaham Lake, Summer Trail, Range 3, Coast District, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated January 4th, 1911.
feb 25 JOHN R. BORTHWICK.



BANK CLEARINGS

For the week ending March 2nd	$2,365,635.00
For the corresponding week, 1910	$1,656,627.00
For the corresponding week, 1909	$1,212,073.00

BUILDING PERMITS

From Feb. 23rd to March 2nd

Feb. 23.	Wilson Noble—Simcoe—Dwelling	$1,300
"	Vict. Phoenix Brew. Co.—Government—Dwelling	300
"	Ning Yu Hing Long—Cormorant—Dwelling	300
"	S. H. Stanley—Edward—Stable	250
"	Jalland Bros.—Oliphant—Dwelling	2,500
"	Mrs. Kate Hewitt—Rockland—Kitchen	550
Feb. 24	Watson & McGregor—Superior—Dwelling	1,800
"	Cap. Jas. Hunter—St. Andrews—Dwelling	2,700
"	L. T. Spragge—Albany—Dwelling	2,100
"	Mary M. Arthur—Work—Dwelling	1,500
"	T. Redding—Fullerton Ave.—Dwelling	1,500
"	J. Donegan—Belton and Pine—Dwelling	2,800
"	A. Baines—Ladysmith—Dwelling	750
"	Geo. E. Handley—Cedar Hill Rd—Dwelling	4,000
Feb. 25	Newbury & Cowper—Yates—New store front	600
Feb. 27	C. E. Mertzger—Walnut—Dwelling	1,750
"	Sylvester Feed Co.—North Park—Stable	1,000
"	W. G. Mitchell—Victor—Dwelling	1,500
"	Hayward & Dods—Fort—Alteration	——
"	Jas. Moggey—Haywood—Dwelling	2,750
"	Thos. Neil—Burnside—Dwelling	1,000
"	Staneland Co., Ltd.—Fort—Alteration	——
"	Jas. Couch—Princess—Garage	70
Feb. 28	J. Middleton—Ontario—Dwelling	1,800
"	J. Morgan—Helmcken—Dwelling	300
"	L. M. Rutland—Fort and Ash—Dwelling	1,950
"	C. H. Harrison—Superior—Dwelling	1,800
"	A. Turner—Connaught—Stable	200
"	A. Bjornsfelt—Moss—Dwelling	1,500
"	Frederickson—Vancouver—Dwelling	1,600
Mar. 1	C. P. R.—Store, Discovery, Chatham and Government—Freight Shed and Offices	——
"	G. H. Harris—Johnson—Alteration	110
"	Arthur Brakes—Belmont Ave.—Dwelling	1,850
"	Harry Burns—David—Dwelling	1,500
"	R. W. Savage—View—Dwelling	2,250
Mar. 2	Mrs. R. W. Savage—View St.—Dwellings	4,500
"	H. Ermer—Bushby Street—Dwelling	1,800
"	William Christian—Blackwood St.—Dwelling	1,800
"	Weiler Bros.—Government St.—Alterations	150
"	William Barbour—Ontario St.—Dwelling	1,900
"	John Wilson—St. Andrew's St.—Dwelling	4,000
"	Silver Spring Brewery—Lime St.—Storage Cellar	900

A SPLENDID PROSPECT

So often have we heard that Victoria is on the verge of an era of unparalleled prosperity that many people are inclined to take a reiteration of this statement with a very large pinch of salt. But now at last the statement can be made definitely and not indefinitely, from a reliance on facts and not on theories. It is not the eye of a dreamer that sees the enormous expenditure of $28,000,000 outlined for the next three years. The following table of estimates is convincing enough, and if any error is made it will not be on the side of an extravagant computation but rather from a natural hesitation to take into consideration all that is highly probable, but not actually certain.

Municipal expenditures ordered	$ 1,000,000
Prospective expenditures, including City and Oak Bay water supply, new sewerage—Esquimalt and elsewhere, schoolhouses, paving Esquimalt Road, etc., outside of city limits, etc	1,000,000
New Government buildings	1,000,000
Tramway and telephone extensions and improvements	1,000,000
Dry dock	3,000,000
Shipbuilding plant and shipbuilding	5,000,000
Railways, including terminals for C.N.R. and E. & N.	6,000,000
Private buildings	10,000,000
	$28,000,000

In a recent issue of The Week reference was made to the item of $1,000,000 for Municipal expenditures ordered for such purposes as Asphalting, Sewerage, Waterworks, High School, Street Widening, etc., and there can be little doubt that a million dollars is a very conservative estimate. The prospective expenditures include such sums as $125,000 for Esquimalt sewerage, $100,000 for Oak Bay Water supply, $75,000 for paving the Esquimalt Road beyond the city boundary, and $30,000 for one new school. The above mentioned projects will account for about one-third of the total sum, leaving $670,000 for new permanent paving, sidewalks, the Johnson Street bridge and other necessary improvements. The

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new City Hall, if it is to be an established fact, will have to be provided for as an extra.

In considering the third item it must be remembered that in all probability a new court-house will be provided, in which case a million dollars will be found too little for all that is contemplated. The welcome news that the B. C. E.Ry. is about to extend its lines through the Saanich Peninsula in addition to effecting other improvements and extensions, together with the estimated cost to be incurred by the B. C. Telephone Company in laying its wires underground, entirely justify the fourth item on the fore-going list.

A three-million-dollar dry dock should be sufficient security for an estimate of $5,000,000 to be expended in ship-building and the necessary plant. We know that the Canadian Government is going to build ships and it is as certain as the sun that some will be constructed at Esquimalt. It is highly improbable that the amount specified in the fifth item will be found sufficient to last for three years.

The Railway estimates include the cost of the C.N.R. from Victoria to Barkley Sound together with the sums to be spent on its car-ferry terminal and initial deep water facilities, as well as the unavoidable expenditures which will be made by the E. & N. Ry. as a direct result of the opening up of the Songhees Reserve.

Three years ago the building permits for Victoria for the first two months in the year totalled $200,000. The record for January and February 1911 shows that permits to the value of $334,395 were taken out, and in view of this material increase the sum of $10,000,000 which is intended to cover Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt as well as Victoria is extremely conservative.

The above items only deal with improvements and extensions in the immediate vicinity of Victoria. No mention has been made of the probable business prosperity which will undoubtedly accrue to the Capital as a result of the extensions made by the E. & N. Ry. outside the City, and the building of the Cowichan Lake Railway. $2,000,000 may be set down as the probable expenditure on these and similar works. Neither has mention been made of the enormous amounts to be spent by the Canadian Collieries Ltd.

Of the vast sums which will be spent during the next three years by far the largest portion will be put into circulation right in our midst, the biggest outlay being for labour and material which can be supplied locally. In view of the above mentioned facts it would seem impossible for anyone to hold any pessimistic views as to the future of the Capital of British Columbia.

IN THE REALTY MARKET

Business has been brisk during the past week. Undoubtedly this is due to the fact that a commencement on the Island section of the C.N.R. has been made as well as to the important announcements in connection with the new Dry Dock at Esquimalt and the now assured extension of the B. C. E. Ry. along the Saanich Peninsula.

Local agents report that inquiry is greater than for many months past, and they all expect a record volume of sales during the coming spring. Among the latest sales noted are:

A piece of property on Humboldt on the south side of Douglas street with a 190-foot frontage has been sold for $35,000. This property four years ago was purchased for a sum in the neighborhood of $3,000.

A piece of property with a frontage of 75 feet on Pandora ave., and 75 feet on Cormorant street has just been sold to a Chinese investor for $21,000.

Mr. F. Landsberg of the Empire Realty company reports the sale of property amounting in value to $61,000 for the week ending yesterday, the sales being as follows: Lot 1007, situated on Fort street, on which Styles & Co.'s garage is situated, formerly owned by Mrs. Vigor; the southwest corner of Fort and Vancouver streets, with two houses thereon, purchased from Mr. H. J. Sanden by investors from the Northwest; lot 99, situated on Burdette avenue, formerly owned by Mr. Walter of Salt Spring Island; lot 8 in the Finlayson estate, situated on Government street, formerly owned by Chang Hooie, et al.; lots 3 and 4 on Craigflower road opposite to Burleith park, formerly owned by W. D. Davies, and lots 5 and 16, situated on Craigflower road and Connaught street, formerly owned by Mr. McKenzie.

Messrs. Currie and Power have been responsible for a number of small sales including two lots in Esquimalt—one near Langs Cove for $1,500 and one on Admirals Road for the same amount; two lots on Bank street for $600; a lot on Hillside avenue for $1,500; a lot on Haultain street for $600; a lot on Hillside avenue for $1,000, an acre of land and a six-roomed house in the Esquimalt district for $3,500; a lot on the corner of Princess avenue and Vancouver street for $1,650; a lot on Southgate street for $1,250, and two lots on Howe street for $1,600.

Mr. Watson Clarke Sells Property for $100,000

One of the largest recent sales of inside residential property has just been put through the market, fifty-five acres in Oaklands being sold by Mr. Watson Clarke for $100,000. The property comprises good level land and it is understood to be the intention of the purchasers to subdivide and again place on the market. This sale is indicative of the growing interest in acreage at the north end of the city.

Fort Street Transfer

An interesting sale in the business section is reported in the changing of hands of the southwest corner of Fort and Blanchard streets formerly the property of Mr. J. E. Smart and syndicate. This corner realized $55,000.

A lot on the north side of Douglas street near Bay has been sold for $5,500.

A large number of residential lots are changing hands daily and there has been considerable demand for Esquimalt property since the announcement that a large drydock was to be established on the harbor.

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Mr. J. O. Stinson reports the sale of four lots in Haultain street, a lot on Moss street, two lots on Howe street, two lots on Wellington avenue, three lots on Fort street, two lots King's road, two lots in Scott street, three lots on Shakespeare street, and three lots on McKenzie Avenue.

Big Deal on Douglas Street

An important real estate deal was put through this week when the St. John's site on Douglas Street passed from the control of the trustees to Messrs. T. R. Cusack and R. L. Drury, the consideration being $157,000 ,the trustees still retaining a lot and a half at the back of the church. The new owners have a 240-foot frontage on Douglas street, 120 on Herald and 120 on Fisguard, and it is understood that their intention is to subdivide the propefty and replace it on the market in the form of business lots.

Other Transfers

A piece of property on the north side of Yates street, just above Blanchard, with a sixty foot frontage and a depth of 120 feet has been sold to a syndicate representing the Victoria Country Club for $34,500—at the rate of $575 per front foot.

The news concerning the B. C. E. Ry. extension has had the effect of creating an immediate demand for property in the neighbourhood of Burnside Road with corresponding increase in prices asked. Throughout the Saanich Peninsula values are rising and numerous sales are anticipated.

Residential Property

Residential property continues in strong demand. Messrs, McPherson & Fullerton report that thirty lots in the Belvedere sub-division which were purchased during November and December at $425 each have been resold recently at $650. The same firm a few days ago bought the property known as Oak Park and placed it on the market as a sub-division on Saturday, all 20 lots being sold that day at a price varying between $800 and $1,000 per lot. In the sub-divisions known as Hollywood Park and Hollywood addition practically all the lots have been resold once, and in some instances twice at advances of $300 per lot. The Fairfield Farm Estate recently placed on the market as a sub-division is rapidly being disposed of, numbers of lots on Woodland road, Carnsew, Durham, Clifford, Brook and Walton streets changing hands, and changing a second time at prices varying from $800 to $1,110 per lot.

A GILT-EDGED INVESTMENT

The attention of The Week has been called to an advertisement in the current issue which offers a gilt-edged investment to those who have a few hundred or a few thousand dollars to spare. The Pacific Coast Agency is handling the five per cent. debenture stock of the Canadian Northern Railway. It is selling at 105, which for an investment of this class is decidedly cheap. There is no risk and the rate of interest is nearly double that which is realized in England on similar investments. Anyone wishing to purchase these debentures can obtain them by applying to the Pacific Coast Agency, 804 Dominion Trust Building, Vancouver.

B. C. E. R. INCREASE IN TRAFFIC

Passenger traffic on the local lines of the B. C. Electric Company for the first two months of the year showed an increase over that of the corresponding period a year ago of no less than thirty-eight per cent. The aggregate number of passengers carried was 1,069,082 compared with 774,475 in January and February, 1910. The figures for the two months were:—

January, 1911 .	546,092	1910.....	415,150
February, 1911	522,990	1910.....	359,325
Total—February, 1911	..1,069,083	1910.....	774,475

SIR WILLIAM MACKENZIE IN A NEW DEAL

It is announced that a Canadian syndicate headed by Sir William Mackenzie, which already owns the electric railway and lighting system in Monterey, Mex., has acquired a concession from the Government for the construction of a large dam across the Balasas River and installation of a large hydro-electric plant in the State of Guerrero. The contract for the construction of the dam has been let, and the work will cost approximately $3,000,000. The Mackenzie syndicate is also said to be negotiating for the purchase of valuable railroad concessions.

EIGHTY PER CENT OF THE "TIPS" ARE WRONG

(Saturday Evening Post)

"Probably eighty per cent. of the daily stock exchange speculation is inspired directly and indirectly by tips," says a conservative review; and everybody knows that eighty per cent. of the tips are wrong. The people who play the tips are wrong. The people who play the tips know it better than anybody else, for it has been demonstrated to them by experience. Why, then, do four-fifths of the rank and file of ordinary speculators keep on playing tips? The reason is that before they took to playing tips they played on their own judgment and lost money so rapidly that they finally resorted to other men's judgment. Most men of the common garden variety of speculators, who really keep the game going, enter the market with a sage opinion of their own. They feel sure their opinion is sound, but the market acts contrary to it; hence, the market must have been manipulated. After several trials have demonstrated that their own opinion is worthless, they seek tips that may give a clew to what big manipulators are doing. The tips prove worthless, also; but, their own judgment being of no account, they must either keep on playing tips or get out of the game. This is why the tip industry flourishes perennially, providing much advertising for the newspapers and many tolls for the telegraph companies.

MITCHELL INNES

ESQUIMALT—New sub-division on waterfront and less than one minute's walk from car line. Twenty-nine lots to select from. Ideal position for home sites. Magnificent view. Prices and terms to suit all purchasers. Fullest particulars may be had from the above-named at their offices.

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Wills appointing the Company Executor drawn at our expense.

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CANADA SHOWS LARGE GAINS, U. S. DECREASES

This week's bank clearings of the leading cities were supplied The Toronto Star by Bradstreet's. Note the fine Canadian increases and the decreases by the United States cities:—

	Week		
New York	$1,638,175,000	Dec.	1.8
Chicago	222,527,000	Dec.	12.5
Boston	124,748,000	Dec.	9.6
Philadelphia	127,043,000	Dec.	7.8
St. Louis	64,175,000	Inc.	7.5
Kansas City	39,256,000	Dec.	9.4
Pittsburg	40,641,000	Dec.	2.9
San Francisco	39,118,000	Inc.	4.1
Montreal	41,153,000	Inc.	13.3
Toronto	30,794,000	Inc.	17.0
Winnipeg	16,583,000	Inc.	32.5
Vancouver	9,502,000	Inc.	20.0
Ottawa	3,817,000	Inc.	18.9
Calgary	2,577,000		
Quebec	2,265,000	Inc.	15.0
Hamilton	2,013,000	Inc.	23.9
Halifax	1,510,000	Dec.	8.0
Victoria, B. C.	2,280,000	Inc.	44.3
St. John, N. B.	1,471,000	Inc.	10.1
Edmonton	3,309,000		
London, Ont.	1,148,000	Inc.	7.9
Regina	1,246,000	Inc.	127.3

BUILDING BUSY IN VICTORIA

Two Apartment Blocks

The demand for residences, which is so strong that it can't be supplied, is the explanation those in closest touch with the situation give for the fact that the attention of many investors has been turned to apartment houses. It is pointed out that scarcely a year ago that Victoria didn't boast one of these establishments. Now there are several taxed to their capacity. The Mount Edwards, corner of Vancouver street and Coutt's way, opens this week. And now there are two more being planned on which work will be hurried. One of these is to be situated on the southwest corner of Fort and Quadra streets. It will be of substantial construction, three stores in height, and cost about $20,000. Mr. Max Leiser is financing the enterprise. The other, slightly smaller, will be located between Douglas and Blanchard streets, Dr. Milne being back of the venture.

New Hotel Projected

The majority of the contractors are looking forward to the announcement of a number of important business block propositions in a few days. J. L. Skene, who is just finishing the new Y.M.C.A. home, corner of View and Blanchard streets, stated yesterday that before the week is ended there will be tenders asked for the erection of a hotel which will rank among the handsomest of the city. He was not in a position to furnish the details as yet. The Jamieson Brothers, it is reported, proposed constructing a commodious block on Courtenay street, on the property adjoining Woods Bros. new garage. While there is no news up-to-date as to when the replacing of those structures destroyed in the recent Government street fire will commence it is believed that some definite steps will be taken by the owners of the property shortly. With the commencement of operations there it is assured that there will be a general shuffling among old established business firms. As an illustration it was reported yesterday that Challoner & Mitchell were only awaiting such a move as that indicated before preparing modern quarters on Douglas street for occupancy.

Contractors Busy

The Westholme Lumber Company, Luney Bros., Parfit Bros., McMurray & Kinney, Malcolm & Dinsdale, W. A. Gleason, in fact all the contractors of prominence are as busy as convenient. The former are just completing their Government street, situated below Johnson street. They expect that it will be ready for opening by May 1st. They are engaged with many smaller jobs as well as some large enterprises in northern British Columbia. Luney Bros. are finishing several contracts, notably the Woods Bros.' garage, the addition to the Victoria West school, and the improvements to the David Spencer store. Parfitt Bros., McMurray & Kinney, and Mr. Gleason have a large number of homes in hand while Malcolm & Dinsdale are busy with the V. & S. new offices and the clearing of a portion of the burnt area preparatory to the extension of View street through to Government street.

LOCAL MARKET

In the local market, American Canadian and Alberta Canadian Oils have again been the centre of activity, both advancing to new record figures—the former to 58½, and the latter to 21½ cents. On the American Canadian properties, work is still being pushed, but oil has not yet been struck. Insiders are still optimistic as to the ultimate outcome, but we personally believe this is a good time to take profits on these shares.

Portland Canal issues have lagged somewhat during the past month, although Portlands themselves are always more or less actively traded in. We understand this company has financed all of its present needs, and the stock should do a little better from now on. Red Cliffs at present prices, we believe, are too high, and would advise taking profits at the market.

There has been an active demand of late for Rambler-Cariboo with sales recorded as high as 43 cents. Reports from this property just to hand, are of a very encouraging nature, and shipments which were started a short time back will be greatly increased during the coming month. A new railroad into the property is assured, and will greatly facilitate shipping both from the Rambler and the adjoining property, the Lucky Jim.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, John P. Hicks, of Victoria, B.C., Clergyman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at John G. Brown's southwest corner post; 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.

Dated November 24, 1910.

JOHN P. HICKS.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Edward Parsons, of Victoria, B.C., Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 80 chains, more or less, south from John F. Mason's southeast corner; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, *more or less.*

Dated November 25, 1910.

EDWARD PARSONS.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Fred. W. Jubb, of Victoria, B.C., Clerk, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south of John F. Mason's southeast corner; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25, 1910.

FRED W. JUBB.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Selby A. Codd, of Victoria, B.C., Clerk, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Edward Parsons' southeast corner post; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25, 1910.

SELBY A. CODD.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Maurice M. Meredith, of Victoria, B.C., Gentleman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Edward Parsons' southeast corner post; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25, 1910.

MAURICE M. MEREDITH.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Peter Shandley, of Victoria, B.C., Customs Officer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Fred. W. Jubb's southeast corner post; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25, 1910.

PETER SHANDLEY.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Harry Catteral, of Victoria, B.C., Foreman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Peter Shandley's southwest corner post; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25, 1910.

HARRY CATTERAL.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Richard Coleman, of Victoria, B.C., Estate Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south of Albert E. Christie's southeast corner; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 26, 1910.

RICHARD COLEMAN.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, John J. Harte, of Victoria, B.C., Book-keeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south of Harry Catteral's southwest corner post; 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.

Dated November 26, 1910.

JOHN J. HARTE.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Edwin M. Brown, of Victoria, B.C., Gentleman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted to Alfred C. Lovick's northwest corner post on shore of Pendozy Lake; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains, more or less, to shore of Pendozy Lake; thence in an easterly direction 80 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

EDWIN M. BROWN.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published in the British Columbia Gazette of the 27th December, 1907, over Lot 2351, Group 1, New Westminster District, situated within the boundaries of Lot 1377, Group 1, New Westminster District, held under Timber Lease by the British Columbia Sulphite Fibre Company, Limited, will be cancelled three months after date of this notice in order that a sale of the said Lot 2351, may be made to the said Company.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C.,
9th February, 1911.

feb 11

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Katie Gibson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 50 chains northerly of the S. E. corner of Lot 315, situated in the Beautiful or Nemiah Valley, thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 19th, 1910.

jan 14 KATIE GIBSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Gideon Hicks, of Victoria, B.C., Merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at William C. Browne's southwest corner post; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

GIDEON HICKS.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, James L. Armson, of Victoria, B.C., Gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at William C. Browne's southeast corner; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, James L. Armson, of Victoria, B.C., Gentleman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at William C. Browne's southeast corner; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

JAMES L. ARMSON.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Alfred C. Lowick, of Victoria, B.C., Merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 50 chains, more or less, south of the south shore of Pendozy Lake; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains, more or less, to *shore of Pendozy Lake; thence following* the shore of Pendozy Lake, in an easterly and southerly direction 80 chains, more or less; thence south 50 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 600 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

ALFRED C. LOVICK.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Winnifred Codd, of Victoria, B.C., Married Woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Alfred C. Lovick's southeast corner post; thence north 50 chains, more or less, to the shore of Pendozy Lake; thence following shore of Pendozy Lake in an easterly direction 80 chains, more or less; thence south 50 chains, more or less; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 300 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

WINNIFRED CODD.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, John G. Brown, of Victoria, B.C., Architect, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Winnifrid Codd's southeast corner post; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 60 chains, more or less, to the shore of Pendozy Lake; thence following-lowinging the shore of Pendozy Lake 50 chains, more or less, in a southerly and westerly direction; thence south 40 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 600 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

JOHN G. BROWN.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, John F. Mason, of Victoria, B.C., Commission Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at A. C. Lovick's southeast corner post; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 24, 1910.

JOHN F. MASON.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, H. Crawford Coates, of Victoria, B.C., Gentleman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Alfred C. Lovick's southeast corner post; 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.

Dated November 24, 1910.

H. CRAWFORD COATES.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert, Vancouver Island, B. C.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Albert T. Richardson, of Vernon, B.C., occupation Foreman of Irrigation, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Township 24, commencing at a post planted about ten feet distant from and in an easterly direction from an old Government survey post planted in the north-west corner of Section 1, thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Dated January 30, 1911.

ALBERT T. RICHARDSON.

feb 11 Reginald Jaeger, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert, Vancouver Island, B. C.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Francis Gillespie, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—In Township 24, commencing at a post planted about *ten feet distant and in a westerly direction* from an old Government survey post, at the south-east corner of section 10, thence 40 chains north; thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains south; thence 40 chains east to point of commencement.

Dated January 30th, 1911.

FRANCIS GILLESPIE,

feb 11 Reginald Jaegar, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert, Vancouver Island, B. C.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Frances Dickout, of Vernon, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Township 24, commencing at a post planted about ten feet from and in an easterly direction from an old government survey planted in the north-east corner of section 2, thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Dated January 30, 1911.

FRANCES DICKOUT.

feb 11 Reginald Jaeger, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Arthur Wheeler, Jr., of Victoria, B.C., Insurance Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about seven chains south of the south bank of the Atna River between Pendozy Lake and Atna Bay. Taylor Lake; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

ARTHUR WHEELER, JR.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Frank McInnis, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Mariner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 338; thence west 80 chains; thence south 78.38 chains to the shore of Eagle Lake; thence following the said shore to the southeast corner of Lot 338; thence north 84.60 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less and being Lot 338.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 FRANK McINNES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Albert L. Petty, of Victoria, B.C., Insurance Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the flolowing described lands:—Commencing at Arthur Wheeler, Jr.'s south-east corner post; thence north 80 chains; thence east 70 chains, more or less, to shore of Taylor Lake; thence following the shore of Taylor Lake and the Atna River in a southerly and westerly direction; thence along the south bank of Atna River in an easterly direction 80 chains; thence south 10 chains, more or less, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 600 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

ALBERT L. PETTY.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, William C. Browne, of Victoria, B.C., Insurance Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains, more or less, south of Atna Bay, Taylor Lake; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 70 *chains, more or less, to the shore* of Atna Bay, Taylor Lake; thence following the shore of the Lake in a southerly and westerly direction 60 chains, more or less; thence south 20 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 60 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

WILLIAM C. BROWNE.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, Clement Goss, of Victoria, B.C., Insurance Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Arthur Wheeler, Jr.'s South-east corner post; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains, more or less, to the shore of Pendozy Lake; thence following the shore of the Lake in a northerly direction 80 chains, more or less; thence east 10 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 300 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

CLEMENT GOSS.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, William F. Williams, of Victoria, B.C., Merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at Arthur Wheeler, Jr.'s southeast corner post; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

WILLIAM F. WILLIAMS.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE NOTICE that I, George Ernest Jubb, of Victoria, B.C., Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at William C. Browne's south-west corner post; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23, 1910.

GEORGE ERNEST JUBB.

feb 11 A. K. Stuart, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that John Alexander Leopold McAlpine, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Physician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 332; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the northwest corner of Lot 332 (being the northeast corner of Lot 217); thence south along the east boundary of Lot 217 80 chains to the southwest corner of Lot 332; thence east 80 chains more or less, to point of commencement (excepting any part of Lot 332 that may not be crown land), and containing 600 acres, more or less, and being Lot 332.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

John Alexander Leopold McAlpine.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Alvin J. Engvick, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of Takush Harbour on the east bank of Takush River, thence north eighty (80) chains; thence west eighty (80) chains; thence south eighty (80) chains; thence east eighty (80) chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1910.

ALVIN J. ENGVICK.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Marie L. Engvick, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of Takush Harbour, on the east bank of the Takush River, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1910.

MARIE L. ENGVICK.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast. Range 2

TAE NOTICE that Joseph Gonzales, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Fisherman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains north to the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence west 80 chains along the south boundary of Lot 331; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 JOSEPH GONZALES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Henry Joseph Sharp, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the southeast corner of Lot 331 and adjoining Mary Gibson's, Joseph Gonzales' and Alfred Gonzales' locations; thence 80 chains north to the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 HENRY JOSEPH SHARP.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that John David Breese, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Insurance Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following *described lands:—Commencing at a post* planted at the southwest corner of Lot 330 on the shore of Cochin Lake; thence east 53.88 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west to the east boundary of C. Skinner's pre-emption (Lot 329); thence south along the said boundary 27.01 chains to the shore of Cochin Lake; thence following the said shore southerly and easterly to point of commencement and containing 559 acres and being Lot 330.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 JOHN DAVID BREESE.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published in the British Columbia Gazette of the 27th of December, 1907, over Lot 1899, Group 1, Kootenay District, being the survey of Timber Licence No. 32654, is cancelled in so far as it relates to that portion of the said Lot, lying south of the line of the Crow's Nest Southern Railway Company's rights of way, containing approximately 13.67 acres, in order that a sale of the said land may be affected to the Adolph Lumber Company.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C.,
3rd February, 1911.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Ellen Ledwell, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about three miles south-west of Takush Harbour, thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 26th, 1910.

ELLEN LEDWELL.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Thomas McAlpine, of St. Louis, U.S.A., occupation Physician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 337 and the southeast corner of Lot 334; thence 80 chains west along the south boundary of Lot 334; thence south 60 chains; *thence east to the shore of Eagle Lake;* thence following the shore of Eagle Lake in a northerly and easterly direction to the southwest corner of Lot 337; thence north 45.49 chains more or less to point of commencement and containing 400 acres more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 THOMAS McALPINE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that John Anthony Fahey, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about four miles south-west from Takush Harbour, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 26th, 1910.

JOHN ANTHONY FAHEY.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Roy Broderick, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Fireman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about four miles south-west from Takush Harbour; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 28th, 1910.

ROY BRODERICK.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that (Mrs.) Mabel McAlpine, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 333; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains more or less to the northeast corner of Lot 333; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains along the north boundary of Lot 334 to point of commencement and containing 640 acres and being Lot 333.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 (MRS.) MABEL McALPINE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Florence Mincey, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Spintser, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 346; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 492 acres of land and being Lot 346.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 FLORENCE MINCEY.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Mrs. Bertha Margaret Humber, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of the Chilco River, about 55 chains north of the mouth of Chilco Lake; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains more or less to river bank; thence following the west shore of the river southerly to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

(Mrs.) Bertha Margaret Humber.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Joseph Gibson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 50 chains northerly of the S. E. corner of Lot 315, situated in the Beautiful, or Nemiah Valley; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 19th, 1910.

jan. 14 JOSEPH GIBSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Harold McAlpine, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Student, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 335, thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains more or less along the west boundary of Lot 336 to the northeast corner of Lot 335; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 520 acres of land more or less and being Lot 335.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 HAROLD McALPINE.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVES

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserves existing on Crown lands in Range 5, Coast District and in Cariboo District situated in the vicinity of Stuart River, notices of which, dated December 17th, 1908, and February 15th, 1910, were published in the British Columbia Gazette in the issues of December 17th, 1908, and February 17th, 1910, are cancelled in so far as the said reserves relate to Lots numbered 2391, 2390a, 2971, 2971a, 2395, 2970, 2969, 2969a, 2951a, 2836, 2810, 2835, 2820, 2788, 2789a, 2789, 2790, 2787, 2787a, 2791a, 2792a, 2952, and 2828a, Range 5, Coast District.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 3rd, 1911.

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CANCELLATION OF RESERVES

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserves existing on Crown lands in Range 5 ,Coast District and in Cariboo District situated in the vicinity of Babine Lake, notices of which, dated December 17th, 1908, and May 5th, 1910, were published in the British Columbia Gazette in the issues of December 17th, 1908, and May 5th, 1910, are cancelled in so far as the said reserves relate to Lots numbered 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 657, 668, 669, 670, 673, 674, 675, 676, 1873, 671, 672, 677, 678, 679, 680, 1870, 1871, and 1872.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 3rd, 1911.

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Are You Going to Get Your Share of the Big Business Coming This Way?

WEILER BROS

A FEW WORDS TO THE BUSINESS MAN:—

VICTORIA is going to be a large city, and it is not going to be very long before every business man will be anxious to get a share of the big business which is now beginning. We are all going to be busy. First of all you must have something that will attract attention to your place of business. The best and cheapest advertisement you can get is to have us furnish your office—by doing so you can't help but have customers. There is no getting away from it, that the man who has a nicely furnished office does the business. People come back to him, it is a pleasure to them to give him a call. A man who has a well furnished office and has desks nice and roomy, where he can file his correspondence, etc., instead of leaving it all over the place in a mass of untidiness, is the man who people can see at a glance has got the system and business ability. In conclusion we would ask you to give us a call and inspect the largest variety of office furniture that has ever been shown in this city. Desks of the latest designs, all of which are attractive, at prices that are exceptionally reasonable. IF YOU WANT TO DO THE BUSINESS, PAY US A VISIT—WE HAVE THE GOODS THAT WILL SUIT YOU. COME IN TODAY.

FLAT TOP DESKS

Golden Oak Flat Top Desks, 42x30 top, 3 drawers. Price..$18.00
Golden Oak Flat Top Desks, 48x30, 4 drawers and cupboard. Price $22.50
Golden Oak Flat Top Desks, sanitary style, 50x30, 5 drawers. Price $25.00
Golden Oak Flat Top Desks, wax finish, 30x48, 4 drawers and cupboard. Price $25.00
Golden Oak Flat Top Desk, wax finish, 5 drawers and cupboard. Price $25.00
Solid Quarter Cut Golden Oak, sanitary Flat Top Desk, 60x32, 6 drawers $35.00
Solid Quarter Cut Golden Oak Flat Top Desk, 60x32, 8 drawers. Price $35.00
Solid Quarter Cut Golden Oak Double Flat Top Desk, 60x42, 16 drawers $55.00
Solid Quarter Cut Golden Oak Flat Top Sanitary Style Desk, 34x60, 6 drawers. Price $60.00
Solid Oak Flat Top Desks, Early English finish, sanitary style, 42x30, 3 drawers. Price $20.00
Solid Oak Flat Top Desk, Early English finish, 50x30, 5 drawers, sanitary style. Price $25.00
Solid Quarter Cut Oak, Early English Finish Flat Top Desk, 32x50, 7 drawers, sanitary style. Price $35.00

Typewriter Desks

Flat Typewriter Desks, solid oak, in golden or Early English finishes. Price $12.00
Flat Typewriter Desks, in golden oak, with drop head, 4 drawers, 30x36. Price $30.00
Solid Quarter Cut Golden Oak, Flat Top Typewriter Desks, with drop head, 41x30, 3 drawers, sanitary style. Price $35.00
Solid Quarter Cut Golden Oak, Wax Finish, Flat Top Typewriter Desks, drop head, sanitary style, 55x30, 6 drawers. Price $40.00
Solid Oak, Early English Finish, Flat Top Typewriter Desks, drop head, 30x36, 4 drawers. Price $30.00

Roll Top Desks

Solid Oak, Golden Finish Roll Top Desk, 26x36, 4 large drawers and 2 small drawers, 4 pigeon-holes, 6 shelves. Price $25.00
Solid Oak, Wax Golden Finish Roll Top Desk, 30x42, 3 large drawers, 2 small drawers, 6 pigeon-holes, and 4 shelves. Price $30.00
Solid Oak, Golden Finish Roll Top Desk, 36x26, 4 drawers and 2 small ones, 4 pigeon-holes, 6 shelves, book case on top. Price $35.00
Solid Oak, Golden Finish Roll Top Desk, 4 drawers and cupboard, and 2 small drawers, 6 pigeon-holes, 2 large and 8 small stationery racks. Price $35.00

Dominion and Provincial News

A New Camp

The Similkameen is to have a new town is situated on the property of the Columbia Coal and Coke Co., and promises to be a prosperous coal mining town.

A Fitting Tribute

The citizens of Kingston are urging the Government to purchase and preserve the old home of Sir John A. Macdonald, which is situated at Hay Bay, near the city.

Hope's Mining Recorder

The office of Mining Recorder for the town of Hope is about to be created almost immediately, and A. E. Raab is said to be slated for the new job.

Alaska Wants to Join Canada

A movement has been started in Ailaska to have mass meetings held in Cordova, Seward, Valdez and Fairbanks to adopt resolutions asking Congress to divorce Alaska, so it can annex itself to Canada as the only possible relief for continued and oppressive burdens on pioneers. Business men are behind the movement.

No Longer Dark

Prince Rupert streets are again illuminated. The city lighting system is proving a success and the lights arranged in clusters about the main streets are a great convenience and a decided advantage in every way.

Satisfactory

Every municipally operated department of the city of Calgary shows a real surplus for the year 1910. The street railway shows a profit of over $33,000.

Railroad Must Pay

The action by Clarkson Bros. against the Great Northern Railway for damages by fire near Ymir last summer has been completed with a verdict for plaintiffs as to liability. The damage done was about half a million. This may teach the railways to use a little precaution during the coming summer.

Wanted—An Elizabeth Fry

That the Vancouver city jail is in a filthy and disgraceful condition is the charge made by the Trades and Labour Council of that city. It is stated that several prisoners are often crowded into a single cell without sanitary arrangements. The chief of police admits that it is unfit for human habitation.

Preparing for the Rush

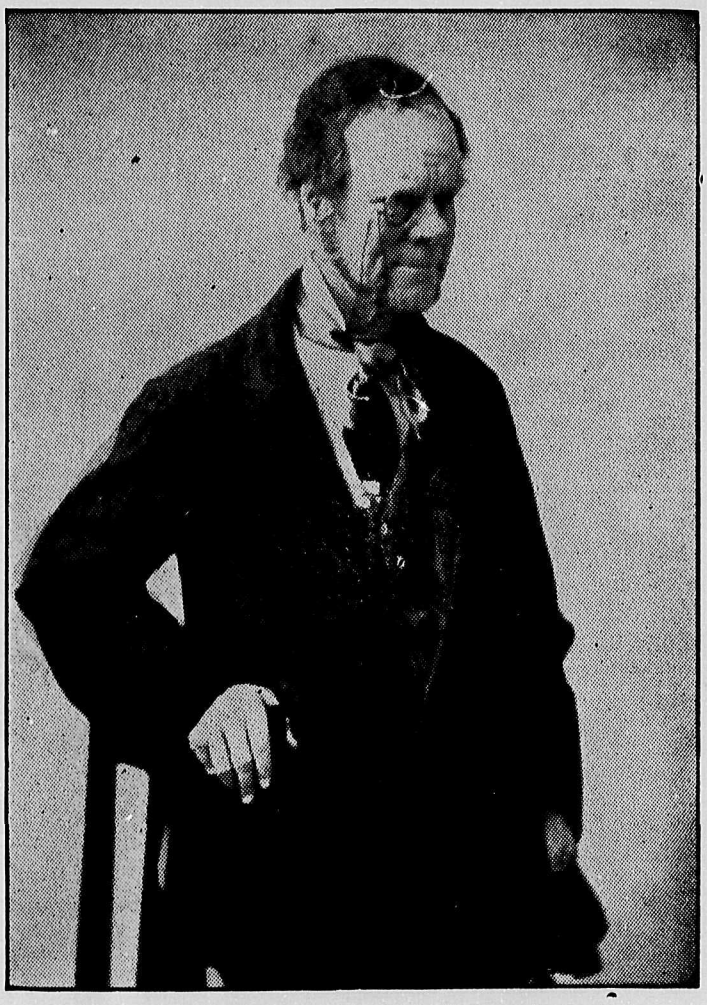
Extensive improvements are now being made at the C. P. R. hotels at Banff and Lake Louise in the Rockies. Two towers, each containing 30 bedrooms, will be added to the Banff hotel, also a new billiard room and swimming tank. The chalet at Lake Louise will receive extensive improvements.

Foiling the Foe

The annual report of the board of directors of Tranquille Sanitorium shows that 91 cases were treated last year and over 62 per cent. left the institution apparently cured. It is hoped that a special building will be erected for the treatment of advanced cases. The sum required would amount to nearly $100,000. It is probable that, in memory of the late King, the institution in future will be known as the King Edward Sanitarium, Tranquille.

A Sign of the Times

The Canadian Bank of Commerce is clearing site for the erection of their new building in Cumberland which will be pushed ahead in spite of wind or weather.



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Mr. Cullin's Appointment

Many friends in Victoria and throughout the Province will join in congratulations to Mr. W. H. Cullin upon his appointment to succeed Mr. Robert W. Clarke as chief clerk in the Government Printing Bureau, Mr. Cullin having entered upon the duties of his new position on the 1st of the current month. The appointee is one of the veterans of the typographical craft in this city, having come here from Winnipeg about twenty-five years ago. He was for many years superintendent of the Colonist news room, which position he left to accept a post in the Government service about twelve years ago. Mr. Cullin has had long and varied experience in every detail of the work which he will be called upon to perform, and will no doubt fill most satisfactorily his new position.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Katherine Sprague, of Vancouver, B.C. occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about seven miles westerly from Takush Harbour on the south shore of Smith's Sound, thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north to shore line along shore line to point of commencement, and containing 420 acres more or less.

Dated November 29th 1910.

KATHERINE SPRAGUE.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

ADVERTISERS PLEASE NOTICE

Change of copy must be in by Thursday noon each week to insure insertion.

Sitxy Miles by July

By the middle of July, all going well, sixty miles of the gap between Midway and Merritt on the Kettle Valley railway will be completed. L. M. Rice & Co., who have the contract at the Midway end, already have fifteen miles of steel laid and will have the grading for the remaining fifteen ready in a month or six weeks. No delay is the order all along the line and if the present pace can be maintained the Kettle Valley will be in operation before the end of 1912.

BOOK NOTES

If you want the latest books go to the Standard Stationery Company and make your selection from the following, which as well as being the latest, are also the best:—

"The Second Chance," by Nellie L. McClure; W. Briggs. $1.50.

"The Better Man," by Cyrus Townsend Brady; W. Briggs. $1.50.

"Cumner's Son," by Sir Gilbert Parker; Copp Clark Co. $1.50.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Dorothea Sieward, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Nurse, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of Takush Harbour on the east bank of the Takush River, thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1910.

DOROTHEA SIEWARD.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Aminda Engvick, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Dressmaker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about three miles south of Takush Harbour; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1910.

AMINDA ENGVICK.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Amanda Jones of Victoria, B.C., occupation Dressmaker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted three miles south of Takush Harbour; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1910.

AMANDA JONES.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Lawrence G. Ledwell, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Fireman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about one and a half miles westerly from Takush Harbour; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

LAWRENCE G. LEDWELL.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Nancy Morgan, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation housekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about two miles south-west of Takush Harbour, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1910.

NANCY MORGAN.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that James Nathaniel Boult, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about six miles south-west from Takush Harbour; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 28th, 1910.

JAMES NATHANIEL BOULT.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Cowan, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about seven miles south-westerly from Takush Harbour; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 29th, 1910.

ARTHUR COWAN.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Harry J. Morrison, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Capitalist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about seven miles south-west from Takush Harbour; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 29th, 1910.

HARRY J. MORRISON.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that William Brothers, occupation Tradesman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about five miles westerly from Takush Harbour on the south shore of Smith's Sound; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 29th, 1910.

WILLIAM BROTHERS.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Walter S. McLellan, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Cruiser, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about three and a half miles south of the mouth of the Takush River, thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated November 10th, 1910.

WALTER S. McLELLAN.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Frederick Hensley Shanks, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Secretary, to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeasterly end of Toonia Lake, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 21st, 1910.

FREDERICK HEMSLEY SHANKS.

jan 14

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 3 of E. half of Section XVII, Beckley Farm (Map 268), Victoria City.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof to issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title to said Land, issued to George E. Munro on the 16th day of February, 1891, and numbered 11159a.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., the 25th day of February, 1911.

S. Y. WOOTTON,

mar 4 Registrar-General of Titles.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Alexander N. Dick, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Master Mariner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Chilco Lake, about 15 miles from its mouth, being at the southwesterly side o fa valley running into the said lake; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south along the east side of Chilco Lake 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 23rd, 1910.

jan 14 ALEXANDER N. DICK.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Thomas Wm. Spencer Webb, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at a point on the east shore of Chilco Lake, about 12 miles from its mouth, thence 40 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 40 chains west more or less to lake shore; thence following lake shore southerly to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated November 23rd, 1910.

THOMAS WM. SPENCER WEBB.

jan 14

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that George William Hobson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Insurance Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeasterly end of Toonia Lake, thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 21st, 1910.

jan 14 GEORGE WILLIAM HOBSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Henry Walpole, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Fireman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about five miles westerly from Takush Harbour on the south shore of Smith's Sound, thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 29th, 1910.

HARRY WALPOLE.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Mrs. Sarah Catherine Coles of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about one mile northerly from the northerly end of Toonia Lake, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 21st, 1910.

MRS. SARAH CATHERINE COLES.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that George William Coles, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about one mile northerly of the northerly end of Toonia Lake: thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 21st, 1910.

jan 14 GEORGE WILLIAM COLES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that William Ralph, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northerly end of Toonia Lake, on the Nemiah Valley Trail, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 21st, 1910.

jan 14 WILLIAM RALPH.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that George Henry Lawrence Hobson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Insurance Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northerly end of Toonia Lake on a Trail leading into Nemiah Valley; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated 21st November, 1910.

George Henry Lawrence Hobson.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that George F. Logan, of Philadelphia, U.S.A., occupation Dentist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 337; thence east 80 chains; thence south 78.3[illegible] chains along the north boundary of Lot 338 to the shore of Eagle Lake; thence following the said shore in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of Lot 337; thence north 45.49 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 462 acres and being Lot 337.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 GEORGE F. LOGAN.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that William Ernest Darry, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about three miles south-west of Takush Harbour; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

WILLIAM ERNEST BARRY.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Gerald G. McGeer, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Student-at-Law, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about one and a half miles westerly from Takush Harbour, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

GERALD A. McGEER.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Thomas M. McAuliffe, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Steward, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about three miles south-west from the mouth of the Takush River, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres of land, more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1910.

THOMAS M. McAULIFFE.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Margaret McAuliffe, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about three miles south-west from the mouth of the Takush River; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1910.

MARGARET McAULIFFE.

jan 7 Frederick A. Smith, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert, Vancouver Island.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John Stewart Moore, of Vancouver, occupation Retired, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Section 23, about 10 feet from old Government Survey Post in an easterly direction, Township 24; thence 80 chains east; thence 40 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 40 chains south to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated 30th January, 1911.

JOHN STEWART MOORE.

feb 18 Reginald Jaeger, Agent.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLAND LAND DISTRICT
District of Skeena

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Robertson, of Masset, occupation Prospector, intends to apply for a license to prospect for Coal and Petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of Frederick Island, about half way between the North and South ends of the Island, thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated December 19th, 1910.

feb 18 ARTHUR ROBERTSON.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLAND LAND DISTRICT
District of Skeena

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Robertson of Masset, occupation Prospector, intends to apply for a license to prospect for Coal and Petroleum over the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of Frederick Island, about half way between the North and South ends of the island; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.

Dated December 19th, 1910.

feb 18 ARTHUR ROBERTSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Mrs. E. Hamfield, of Duluth, Minnesota, occupation, Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:——Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains north of Uhlgako River and about 30 miles west of Cluscus Lake on the Cluscus and Alcacho trail and marked the N. E. Corner; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located January 7th, 1911.

MRS. E. HAMFIELD.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Francis Richard Robbins of Victoria, B.C., occupation Gardener, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains north of Uhlgako River and about 30 miles west of Cluscus Lake on the Cluscus and Alcacho trail and marked the N. W. corner; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated January 9th, 1911.

FRANCIS RICHARD ROBBINS.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Jane Robbins, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted near shore at north end of Small Lake about 3 miles north of Lot 387, Salmon River Country, and marked the S. W. corner, thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to lake; thence west 40 chains along the lake to point of commencement.

Dated January 7th, 1911.

JANE ROBBINS.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

WATER NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a licence in the Victoria Water District.

(a) The name of Company in full—Quathiaski Canning Company, Limited. The head office—Quathiaski Cove, Valdes Island, B.C. The capital, how divided, showing amount paid up—Capital stock $2,500 in 250 shares of $100 each, 183 of which are paid up, total paid up $18,300.

(If for miinng purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No. .....

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is) —stream emptying into the head of Quathiaski Cove on Lot No. 134.

(c) The point of diversion on Lot No. 134 about a quarter of one mile from the mouth of said stream.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second)—one-quarter of one cubic foot.

(e) The character of the proposed works—dam and pipe from point of diversion running from the dam to the Quathiaski Cannery—said dam and pipe being now constructed.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same)—at the Quathiaski Cannery situate on Lot 8, Sagward District, Valdes Island, B.C.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used—Cannery work in connection with said 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.

(j) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works—none.

(k) This notice was posted on the seventh day of February, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the twenty-fourth (24th) day of March, 1911.

(l) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet—R. H. Hall and Pidcock Bros., address of all parties Quathiaski Cove, B.C.

Attach copy of such parts of the Company's memorandum of association as authorize the proposed application and works.

(Signature)

QUATHIASKI CANNING CO., LTD.,
W. E. Anderson, Mgr.

(P. O. Address)—Quathiaski Cove, B.C.

Copy of Clause (n) of the Company's Memorandum of Association authorizing the proposed application and works:

(n) To apply for, stake, record, purchase or otherwise acquire timber licences, timber leases and limits, timber lands, lands, mines, mineral claims, placer mining claims, quarries, leases, water rights and foreshore grants and leases; and to work, operate, and develop the same, and to sell, deal with or otherwise dispose of the same, and to turn the same to account.

(o) To acquire from the government either Dominion or Provincial or otherwise.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Mary Dennis Ohrly, of London, England, occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles north of Lot 387, Salmon River country, and at south end of Small Lake and marked the N. W. corner; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated January 9th, 1911.

MARY DENNIS OHRLY.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Nora von Fallot, of Victoria, occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 391, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 480 acres more or less.

Dated January 10th, 1911.

NORA VON FALLOT.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Mrs. Rose O'Farrell, of London, England, occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 8 miles south of the Salmon River ford on the Bella Coola and Ootsa Lake summer trail and marked the N. W. corner; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated January 10th, 1911.

MRS. ROSE O'FARRELL.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that A. G. O'Farrell, of London, England, occupation Stock Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 9 miles south of the Salmon River ford on the Bella Coola and Ootsa Lake summer trail marked the N. W. Corner; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated January 10th, 1911.

A. G. O'FARRELL.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that E. O'Farrell, of Dublin, Ireland, occupation Barrister, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles in a south-easterly direction from foot of Takia Lake on the Bella Coola and Ootsa Lake trail; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated January 11th, 1911.

E. O'FARRELL.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that James E. Barnett, of Victoria, occupation Accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about one and one-half miles south of the south-east corner of Lot 433; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated January 14th, 1911.

JAMES E. BARNETT.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Mrs. Dorothy O'Farrell, of Dublin, Ireland, occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south end of Takia Lake on the Bella Coola and Ootsa Lake trail and marked the N. E. Corner; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, more or less to lake; thence northerly along Lake to point of commencement and containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated January 11th, 1911.

MRS. DOROTHY O'FARRELL.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Annie O'Farrell, of Bournemouth, England, occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 5 miles south of the Salmon River ford on the Bella Coola and Ootsa Lake Summer trail and marked the N. W. Corner; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated January 11th, 1911.

ANNIE O'FARRELL.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Alexander Hamfield, of Duluth, Minnesota, occupation, Engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Salmon River near the crossing of the Bella Coola, Ootsa Lake Summer trail, thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains, more or less, to River; thence west 80 chains more or less along River to point of commencement.

Dated January 11th, 1911.

ALEXANDER HAMFIELD.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Busick E. Pemberton, of London, England, occupation Barrister, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted near Salmon River, about 2 miles S.W. of the S.W. Corner of Lot 385, thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated January 12th, 1911.

BUSICK E. PEMBERTON.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Helena Frank, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted near Salmon River, about 2 miles S. W. of the S. W. corner of Lot 385, thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated January 12th, 1911.

HELENA FRANK.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast

TAKE NOTICE that Herbert A. Ford, of Victoria, occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on Salmon River, about 40 chains south of the south-east corner of Lot 433; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated January 14th, 1911.

HERBERT A. FORD.

feb 18 Per J. R. Morrison, Agent.

LICENCE TO AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY

Companies Act
(July 1st, 1910)

CANADA:
Province of British Columbia.
No. 291A (1910)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that "The Fancy Goods Company of Canada" (Limited), is authorised and licensed to carry on business within the Province of British Columbia, and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate at Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at Victoria, and H. D. Helmcken, K.C., whose address is Victoria aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

The amount of the capital of the Company is one hundred thousand dollars divided into one thousand shares.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 17th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

(L. S.) D. WHITESIDE,
Registrar of Joint-Stock Companies.

The objects for which this Company has been established and licensed are:

To acquire and take over as a going concern the business now and heretofore carried on at the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, by Harris Henry Fudger, under the style of Harris H. Fudger, as wholesale merchant, and dealer in fancy goods, woodenware, toys, stationery and druggist sundries including the stock-in-trade, rights, credits, good-will, assets, property and effects generally of such business.

To carry on such business, and generally to carry on in the Dominion of Canada under the name and for the purposes hereinafter mentioned, the business of manufacturing, buying, selling and dealing in fancy goods, lery, druggists sundries and such other lines as are usually handled, sold, dealt in by fancy goods, dealers, stationers, druggists, jewellers, dry goods and general merchants.

To purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire lands, buildings, plant, good will, assets, property and effects of any individual carrying on manufacturing, trading, commercial, mercantile or business pursuits of a like or similar nature in connection with the said Company.

To obtain, hold, and operate and to purchase, lease or become licensee of patents or patent rights or industrial designs which are applicable to the business carried on by the Company, and sell, lease or otherwise dispose of the same.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Henry Joseph Sharp, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the southeast corner of Lot 331 and adjoining Mary Gibson's, Joseph Gonzales' and Alfred Gonzales' locations; thence 80 chains north to the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 HENRY JOSEPH SHARP.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Joseph Gonzales of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Fisherman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains north to the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence west 80 chains along the south boundary of Lot 331; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 JOSEPH GONZALES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Charles Hillman of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Florist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 331 on the shore of Cochin Lake; thence east 53.88 chains along the north boundary of Lot 331 and the south boundary of Lot 330 to the northeast corner of Lot 331; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 53.91 chains more or less, to the shore of Cochin Lake; thence following the shore of Cochin Lake in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement and containing 582.8 acres and being Lot 331.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 CHARLES HILLMAN.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that (Mrs.) Catherine Blair, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Charles Skinner's pre-emption (Lot 329); thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 (MRS.) CATHERINE BLAIR.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Alfred Gonzales, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Fisherman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence west 80 chains; south 80 chains; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 ALFRED GONZALES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Maurice Gintzburger, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Real Estate Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains north along the east boundary of said Lot 331 to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 MAURICE GINTZBURGER.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Mary Gibson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south of the southeast corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 MARY GIBSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that George Caldwell, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Manufacturer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 336; thence 40 chains north; thence 40 chains east; thence 40 chains south to the north boundary of Lot 336; thence west along the said north boundary of Lot 336 40 chains to point of commencement and containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 GEORGE CALDWELL.

CANCELLATION OF RESEDVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published in the B. C. Gazette of the 27th of December, 1907, over lands situated on Kingcome Inlet formerly covered by Timber Licence No. 44995 is cancelled, and that the said lands will be open for location under the provisions of the Land Act at midnight on March 16th, 1911.

ROBERT A RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C.

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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published in the B. C. Gazette of the 27th of December, 1907, over lands situated on Cortez Island, formerly covered by Timber Licences Nos. 27195 and 35420 is cancelled, and that the said lands will be open to location at midnight on March 16th, 1911.

ROBERT A RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands

Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that David Blair, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Architect, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted northeast corner of Lot 328; thence west 40 chains to the northwest corner of Lot 328; thence south 40 chains to the southwest corner of Lot 328; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement and containing 480 acres more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 DAVID BLAIR.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Charles Richards Brown of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about five chains south of the confluence of Lingfield Creek with the Chilco River on the west bank of the Chilco River, being about one and one-half miles north of the northeast corner of W. R. Blind's application to purchase; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains more or less to the west shore of the Chilco River; thence following the said shore southerly to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 CHARLES RICHARDS BROWN.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Frances Dunlap, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 330; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west to the northeast corner of Lot 330; thence 80 chains south along the east boundary of said Lot 330 to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 FRANCES DUNLAP.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that John Alexander Leopold McAlpine, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Physician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:——Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 332; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the northwest corner of Lot 332 (being the northeast corner of Lot 217); thence south along the east boundary of Lot 217 80 chains to the southwest corner of Lot 332; thence east 80 chains, more or less, to point of commencement (excepting any part of Lot 332 that may not be Crown Land), and containing 600 acres, more or elss, and being Lot 332.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

John Alexander Leopold McAlpine.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that William R. Blind of Vancouver, B.C., Real Estate Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of the Chilco River about 135 chains north of the mouth of Chilco Lake; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east more or less to river bank; thence following said river bank southerly to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 WILLIAM R. BLIND.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Minnie Livingstone, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 349; thence west 61.40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east to the Chilco River, being 85 chains more or less; thence northerly to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less and being Lot 349.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 MINNIE LIVINGSTONE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Caroline B. Barnes, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Stenographer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 135 chains north of the northeast corner of Lot 3 47 on the west bank of Chilco River (being about 50 chains north of the northeast corner of R. B. Webster's application to purchase); thence west 50 chains; thence south to the north boundary of R. B. Webster's application to purchase, being 50 chains more or less; thence east 35 chains more or less to the river; thence following the river bank northerly to point of commencement and containing 200 acres more or less.

Dated November 26th, 1910.

jan 14 CAROLINE B. BARNES.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that James Ross, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of the Chilco River, about two miles northerly from the confluence of Lingfield Creek, with the Chilco River and about one mile northerly from the northeast corner of Charles R. Brown's application to purchase; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains more or less to the north boundary of Charles R. Brown's application to purchase; thence east 80 chains more or less along the north boundary of Brown's application to purchase to the Chilco River; thence following the west bank of the Chilco River northerly to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 JAMES ROSS.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Robert Burroughs Webster, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of the Chilco River, about 80 chains north of the northeast corner of Lot 347; thence west 40 chains; thence south to the north boundary of Lot 347 (being 80 chains more or less); thence east along the north boundary of Lot 347 to the river bank, being 35 chains more or less; thence following the said river bank northerly 80 chains more or less to point of commencement and containing 300 acres more or less.

Dated November 26th, 1910.

ROBERT BURROUGHS WEBSTER.

jan 14

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Alexander Mogee of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of the Chilco River, about two and one-half miles north of the northeast corner of Lot 347; thence west 50 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east to the river, being 35 chains more or less; thence following the said river in a northerly direction to point of commencement and containing 300 acres more or less.

Dated November 26th, 1910.

jan 14 ALEXANDER MOGEE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Jonathan Rogers, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 347; thence west 61.40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 90.91 chains to the Bank of Chilco River; thence following the river bank southerly to point of commencement and containing 588 acres more or less and being Lot 347.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 JONATHAN ROGERS.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Mrs. Stella Veysey, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 348; thence south 80 chains; thence west 49.61 chains to the shore of Eagle Lake; thence following the said shore northerly to the south boundary of Lot 346; thence following the said boundary east 53.15 chains to point of commencement and containing 468 acres and being Lot 348.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 (MRS.) STELLA VEYSEY.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Cecil Vanslade, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 345 on the shore of Eagle Lake; thence north 44.23 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 99.57 chains more or less to the north shore of Eagle Lake; thence following the said shore in an easterly direction to point of commencement and containing 568 acres more or less and being Lot 345.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 CECIL VANSLADE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Charles Hancock of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 345; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to the northwest corner of Lot 345; thence along the north boundary of Lot 345 eighty chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 CHARLES HANCOCK.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Henry Burpee, of Vancouver, B.C. occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 343, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the northwest corner of Lot 343; thence east along the north boundary of Lot 343 eighty chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 HENRY BURPEE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that William Lawrence of Vancouver, occupation Retired, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 342; thence 80 chains; more or less to northwest corner of Lot 342; thence south 65.76 chains more or less, to the shore of Eagle Lake; thence following the said shore to the southeast corner of Lot 342; thence north 37.92 chains to the point of commencement and containing 412 acres, more or less, and being Lot 342.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 WILLIAM LAWRENCE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that George Johnstone of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 343; thence north 40.04 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40.04 chains to the northwest corner of Lot 344; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 320 acres, more or less, and being Lot 343.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 GEORGE JOHNSTONE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that George Robinson of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 344; thence north 19.63 chains to the southeast corner of Lot 343; thence east along the south boundary of Lot 343 80 chains to the east boundary of Lot 341; thence south along the eastern boundaries of Lot 341 and Lot 342 to the shore of Eagle Lake; thence following the said shore northerly and easterly to point of commencement, and containing 396 acres and being Lot 344.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 GEORGE ROBINSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Kenneth K. McAlpine, of Seattle, occupation Physician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 340; thence east 80 chains; thence south 65.76 chains, more or less, to the shore of Eagle Lake; thence following the said shore to the south-west corner of Lot 340; thence north 84.60 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement, and containing 607 acres more or less, and being Lot 340.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 KENNETH K. McALPINE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Mavis McAlpine of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Student, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 341; thence north 80 chains more or less, to the northeast corner of Lot 341; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less and being Lot 341.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 MAVIS McALPINE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Dougal McAlpine, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Student, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 339; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, being Lot 339.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 DOUGAL McALPINE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that John David Breese, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Insurance Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 330 on the shore of Cochin Lake; thence east 53.88 chains; thence north 80 chs.; thence west to the east boundary of C. Skinner's pre-emption (Lot 329); thence south along the said boundary 27.01 chains to the shore of Cochin Lake; thence following the said shore southerly and easterly to point of commencement and containing 559 acres and being Lot 330.

Dated November 25th, 1910.

jan 14 JOHN DAVID BREESE.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Fred. Gibson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 332; thence 40 chains west to the northwest corner of Lot 217; thence 40 chains south; thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 40 chains south to point of commencement and containing 480 acres more or less.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 FRED. GIBSON.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Claude McAlpine of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Student, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 334; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains more or less to the southwest corner of Lot 334; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres and being Lot 334.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 CLAUDE McALPINE.

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 *validating and confirming* By-law No. 733 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, being the "Public Convenience Loan By-law, 1910," By-law No 731 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, being the "Dallas Road Foreshore By-law, 1910"; By-law No. 730 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria being the "$50,000 School Loan By-law 1910," and all Local Improvement Assessment By-laws of the Corporation of the City of Victoria reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the said Corporation prior to the first day of January, 1911.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 30th day of November, A.D. 1910.

F. A. McDIARMID,
Solicitor for the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE NOTICE that Mrs. Amelia Veysey, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 336; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains, more or less, to the southwest corner of Lot 336; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 606 acres of land, more or less, and being Lot 336.

Dated November 24th, 1910.

jan 14 (MRS.) AMELIA VEYSEY.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of an Application for Duplicate Certificates of Title to Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, Block K, and the Water lots in front of said lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Block K, Harbour Estate, Victoria City.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof to issue Duplicate Certificates of Title to said lands issued to The Victoria Machinery Depot Company, Limited, on the 7th April, 1898, 1st May, 12th September, 11th December, 1903, and 11th May, 1905, and numbered 4539C, 8718C, 9122C, 9431C and 11151C respectively.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., the 16th day of February, 1911.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
feb 18 Registrar-General of Titles.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published in the B. C. Gazette of the 27th of December, 1907, over lands situate on Texada Island, New Westminster District, formerly covered by Timber Licence No. 13449, is cancelled, and that the said lands will be open for location under the provisions of the Land Act at midnight on the 22nd of March, 1911.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C.

PUBLIC SCHOOL DESKS

Sealed Tenders, superscribed "Tenders for School Desks," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday, 22nd March, 1911, for supplying and delivering the following school desks ready for shipment to places to be hereafter designated to the order of the Department at Vancouver or Victoria, B.C., on or before the 14th May next:—

Single Desks

Size No. 5.....500
Size No. 3.....600
Size No. 2.....400

Single Rears

Size No. 5..... 40
Size No. 3.....100
Size No. 2.....100

The name of the desk and maker to be mentioned in tenders.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of Canada, payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, or by cash, in the amount of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250), which will be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the contract.

Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned upon signing of contract.

The Department is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.

Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C., 28th February, 1911.

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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Sayward

TAKE NOTICE that Harold W. Hunter, of Hazelmere, occupation Millman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 501, Sayward District, Province of British Columbia; thence north 26 chains; thence west 60 chains; south 26 chains; thence east 60 chains to point of commencing.

Dated February 10th, 1911.

mar 4 HAROLD WARE HUNTER.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Cowichan

TAKE NOTICE that Gilbert James Mouat, Jane Mouat and William M. Mouat, of Ganges, B.C., occupation Business Proprietors, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands, viz.:—a small island in Ganges Harbour, adjoining section one, range four, East Salt Spring Island, distant about 130 yards southerly from the Government wharf. Commencing at a post planted on the shore line at the most northerly point of said island, thence following the shore line easterly and southerly a distance of 200 feet more or less to the most easterly point of the said island; thence southerly and westerly following the shore line a distance of 200 feet more or less to the most southerly point of the said island; thence northerly and westerly following the shore line a distance of 200 feet more or less to the most southerly point of the said island; thence northerly and westerly following the shore line a distance of 200 feet more or less to the most westerly point of the said island; thence northerly and easterly a distance of 200 feet more or less to the point of commencement, said island containing one-half acre, more or less.

Dated January 28th, 1911.

G. J. MOUAT,
JANE MOUAT,
WILLIAM MANSON MOUAT.

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WATER NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under part 5 of the "Water Act," 1909, to obtain a licence in the division of Victoria Water District.

(a) The name of the Company in full: The Tyee Copper Co., Ltd. The head office: Board of Trade Bldg., Victoria, B.C. The Capital now divided showing amount paid up £180,000 fully paid up, in 180,000 shares of £1 each. (If for Mining purposes, Free Miners Certificate 45004B).

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

(c) The point of diversion: 2,150 feet above the point where Rock Creek, where our present pipe line begins, and the wagon road cross the south boundary of Lot 65, Oyster Dist.

(d) The quantity of water applied for in cubic feet per second (5). (Five cubic feet).

(e) The character of the proposed works: Dam at point of diversion and pipe line to the Smelting Works.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same): The Smelting works of the Tyee Copper Co. at the mouth of Rock Creek.

(g) The purpose for which the water is to be used: For cooling the jackets of the furnaces, and generally about the Smelter for metallurgical purposes.

(h) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated giving acreage: Not for irrigation.

(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: As the water is to be used at the smelting works it will not be returned into the channel but into the sea; difference in altitude, 120 feet above sea level.

(j) Area of crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works.

(k) This notice was posted on the 26th day of January, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 27th day of February, 1911.

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

Attach copy of such parts of the company's memorandum of association as authorize the proposed application and works:

H. J. Watson.

Signature:
THE TYEE COPPER CO., LTD.,
P. O. Address: P.O. Box 665,
feb 4 Victoria, B.C.

RENFREW LAND DISTRICT
District of Renfrew

TAKE NOTICE that I, Rhoda L. Hodgens, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about sixty chains distant and in a southerly direction from the southwest corner of Lot 272, being R. L. H.'s South-east Corner Post, thence west 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence north 30 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 70 chains to place of commencement, and containing two hundred and sixty acres more or less. The land is required for agricultural purposes.

Dated January 27th, 1911.

feb 11 RHODA L. HODGENS.

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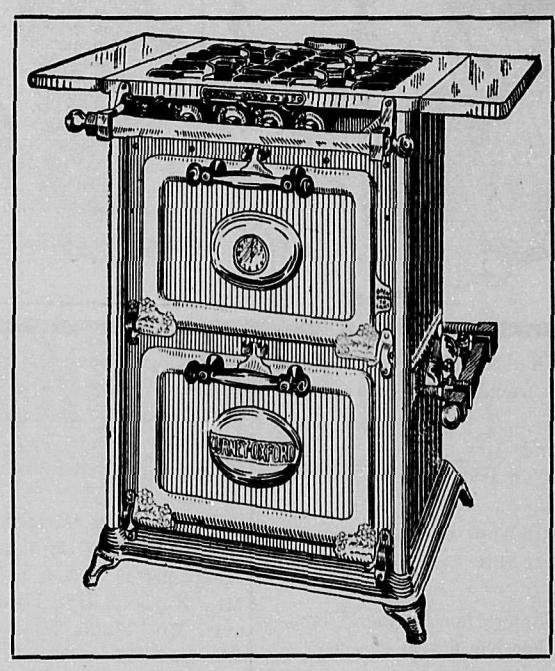

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Since January, 1910, when it stood at £151, metallic tin has steadily risen until it is now over £200 per ton.

Ancient Bracelets

A couple of bracelets discovered with some skulls in the West Thurrock Quarry, Essex, have been placed in the British Museum. They are of the Roman lustrum between 1 B.C. and 4 A. D.

Irish Primate Resigns

Dr. Alexander, Archbishop of Armagh, and Primate of All Ireland, relinquished his post last month after sixty-four years' service. He is in his eighty-seventh year.

Wallace Collection Keeper

The Lords Commissioners of the Treasury have appointed Mr. D. S. Maccoll, keeper of the National Gallery of British Art (Tate Gallery), to be keeper of the Wallace Collection, in the place of Mr. Claude Phillips, who has retired.

Imperial Conference Date

Arrangements have been made for opening the Imperial Conference in London on May 22. The Imperial Education Conference will be held from April 25 to April 28.

Dean Gregory 92

The Very Rev. Robert Gregory, Dean of St. Paul's, celebrated his ninety-second birthday last month. He has been connected with the cathedral for forty-two years.

New Scottish R. A.

At a meeting of the Royal Scottish Academy in Edinburgh Mr. R. Gemmell Hutchison, A.R.S.A., was elected an Academician in the room of the late Mr. W. McTaggart.

Cafe Monico Fortune

Mr. Giacomo Monico, of 40, Bedford-square, W.C., and of the Cafe Monico, Shaftesbury-avenue, W., left property worth £75,573. Mr. Monico who was sixty-nine when he died, described himself in his will as "a naturalised British subject living in England, where I intend to remain domiciled."

Heir to Earl of Crewe

The announcement was made on Feb. 8th, that the Countess of Crewe has given birth to a son and heir. Her ladyship, who before her marriage was Lady Peggy Primrose, a daughter of Lord Rosebery, was married to Lord Crewe, then a widower, in 1899, and this is the first child of their marriage.

End of Ticket of Leave

In accordance with Mr. Churchill's reforms, the Home Office has appointed Mr. Wemyss Grant Wilson to be secretary of the new Central Association for Aiding Convicts on Release. Convicts joining this society will be exempted from reporting themselves to the police on release from prison. These new rules come in force on April 1.

Oil Fuel for the Navy

The success which has attended the policy of the British Admiralty in substituting oil fuel for coal has been so great that the Government is now asking for tenders for 200,000 tons of oil for use as fuel in the Navy.

Discovery of an Ancient Well

A discovery of considerable interest to archaeologists has been made in Cambridge, where the destruction of some laboratories in the New Court of Sidney Sussex College revealed the top part of an old well. This dates back to the days of the Grey Friars of the Franciscans, one of whose houses formerly occupied the site now held by the college, some slight remains of their buildings being still preserved. The exact age of the newly discovered well is not yet known; but it must have been built before 1590, and is, in all probability, two, or even three, centuries older than that.

British Bye-Elections

The bye-election for the Forest of Dean Division of Gloucester, which was rendered vacant by the death of Sir Charles Dilke, resulted in the election of the Liberal candidate by a majority of 3068. The vote was as follows: Mr. Webb (Liberal) 6174; Mr. D. H. Kyd (Unionist) 3106.

The bye-election held on Feb. 17th to fill the vacant Cambridge University seat resulted in a victory for Mr. Larmer, Unionist. The vote was as follows:

Mr. Larmer, (Unionist) 2308.

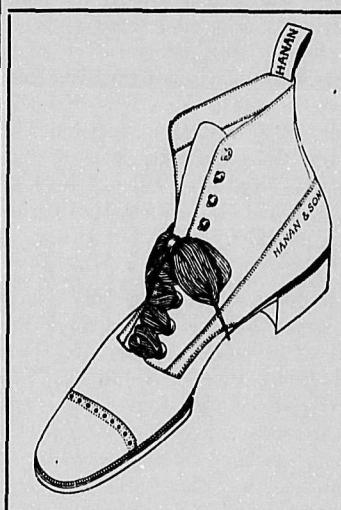
Mr. H. Cox (Independent Unionist), 332.

The result does not affect the standing of the parties as the seat was Unionist previously.

In the Horncastle division of Lincolnshire on Feb. 16th the by-election resulted in the return of the Unionist candidate by a majority of 107. The vote was: Weigall (Unionist) 4955; Linffield (Liberal) 4848. The Unionist majority was 870 in January, 1910 and 524 in December, 1910.

Flashlight in the Commons

A very unusual incident occurred in the House of Commons lately when the members of the Labour Party occupying the benches below the gang way on the Government side submitted themselves to the attentions of a flashlight photographer.. Just before the photograph was taken, Mr. Will Crooks, much to the merriment of his colleagues, observed "I always said we should illuminate the House when we got there."



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LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to a strip of land of 20 feet wide along the southern boundary of Lots Nos. 24 and 32, Burnside Extension of the Work Estate (Map No. 111) Victoria District.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof to issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title to said land, issued to William Henry Oliver on the 3rd day of April, 1884, and numbered 5444a.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., the 24th day of February, 1911.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General of Titles.

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Boy Scout's Courage and Resource

A boy scout named Frederick Moxhay, living at Southend, has just been complimented by the local scout committee for his pluck and resource in helping a woman named Mrs. Hales, from whom a handbag was stolen as she was walking in Westcliff. He started in pursuit of the thieves and traced them by their footprints. After a mile's chase, and after crossing a ditch filled with water, he overtook them, and, pretending that there were other people in pursuit, he secured the bag. The boy returned the bag to the owner, refusing to accept a reward, as he said it was against Scout regulations.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Tenders, superscribed "Tender for Otter Point School," will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, up to noon of Wednesday, the 29th day of March, 1911, for the erection and completion of a small one-room school building at Otter Point in Esquimalt Electoral District.

Plans, Specifications, Contract, and Forms of Tender may be seen on and after the 6th day of March, 1911, at the offices of M. Emerson, Esq., Otter Point, Secretary to the School Board, 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 $125, 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., 1st March, 1911.
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SOCIETY

Mrs. Charles Geiger, Victoria, is the guest of friends in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lindley and child have left on a visit to Boston.

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Col. Appleton was a passenger to Vancouver this week.

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Mrs. James Harvey, Pier Island, is visiting her parents in the city.

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Mrs. Piggott entertained a few of her friends last Friday afternoon at the Alexandra Club at bridge.

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Mrs. W. C. Berkeley, "The Angela," has returned from a short visit to Seattle.

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Mrs. Edward Engelhartd has taken up her residence at the Roccabella boarding house.

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Mrs. A. W. Jones, Rockland avenue, was hostess during the week of a small tea.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hughes, October Mansions, have left on a visit to Prince Rupert.

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Mr. Harry Davis, October Mansions, has left town on a business trip to Calgary.

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Mrs. Studd, who has been visiting Mrs. E. E. Blackwood, returned to Vancouver last Thursday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burge, who have been staying at the Vernon Chambers, left last Saturday for their ranch at Saanich.

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Miss Blackwood was hostess last week of a smart bridge party given in honour of Mrs. Studd (Vancouver).

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Mr. Abbott, Vancouver, accompanied by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hamilton Abbott, are making a short stay in the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green, of Nelson, B.C., are guests at the Empress Hotel. They intend making their home in the city for the future.

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Miss Francis Lawson, Revelstoke, who has been the guest of Mrs. Raymur, Kingston street, has left on a short visit to Cowichan.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, Pemberton Road, have left on a visit of five months to Europe. They will later proceed on to London.

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Mrs. Henry Watson, who has been visiting in the city for several weeks, left last Thursday for her home in Revelstoke.

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Miss Evelyn Moore is a recent arrival from the Old Country, and is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. R. Moore, St. Charles Street.

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Mrs. Charles F. Todd, St. Charles street, was one of this week's hostesses, at a smart bridge party. Mrs. Arthur Coles was successful in winning the first prize, which was a handsome silver vase.

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The James Bay Athletic Association, will hold a dance next Saturday evening in the A.O.U.W. Hall, in honour of the visiting McGill Rugby Football team from Vancouver. Miss Thain's orchestra will be in attendance for the evening. Dancing will commence sharp at 8.15.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Marguerite Little, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Little, Rockland Avenue, and Mr. H. Despard Twigg, well known in this city.

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Mrs. Herbert Carmichael was hostess last Wednesday of a smart bridge bridge party. Those present were:—Mrs. Heyland, Mrs. Fagan, Mrs. Raymur, Mrs. Studd, Misses Newcombe, Eberts, Blackwood and others.

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Mr. Maurice England, who has been spending the last six weeks in Victoria, left during the week for his home in Montreal.

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The marriage of Mr. William Duke, son of the late Mr. Thomas R. Duke, Liverpool, and Mrs. Florence Jameson, daughter of the late Mr. Terence English, Red Hill, Surrey, Eng., was celebrated recently in Vancouver, at St. James Church. The Rev. Fiennes Clinton officiated at the ceremony.

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Mrs. Innis Hopkins, Esquimalt Road, was hostess recently of a very enjoyable evening, which was spent in dancing. Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. White, Miss Bagley, Miss M. Burrows, Miss E. Robson, Miss Meyers, Miss Pearse, the Misses Fraser, Miss Ethel Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson, and the Messrs. Douglas Bullen, Eric Bolton, Mordont, Cameron, Messrs. White and Wilson.

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The Ladies' Musical Society gave a very charming luncheon last Monday at the Empress Hotel, in honour of Miss Kathleen Parlow, the famous violinist. The table was very prettily decorated with dainty baskets of violets with asparagus ferns. The guests present were: Mrs. J. D. Helmcken, Mrs. R. S. Day, Mrs. Samuel McClure, Mrs. Gideon Hicks, Mrs. R. Nash, Mrs. Tilley, Miss Tilley, Miss Lillian Smith, and Mr. Leitner, Miss Parlow's accompanist.

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A quiet wedding took place recently at St. Saviour's Church, Victoria West, when Mrs. Mary Jackson, of Cowichan, was married to Mr. Charles Doering, of Vancouver. The Rev. Christmas assisted by Rev. R. Connell, officiated at the ceremony. A luncheon was afterwards served at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Adams, Andrew street. The honeymoon is being spent in Seattle and Southern California. On their return they will take up their residence at Cowichan.

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A wedding of interest to Victorians was celebrated last Tuesday afternoon at All Saints' Church, Ottawa, when Mr. Frederick Peters, Calgary, son of Colonel and Mrs. Peters, of Victoria, B.C., was married to Miss Laudia Bate, daughter of the late Colonel H. A. Bate and granddaughter of Sir Henry Bate of Ottawa. The bride, who looked charming, was given away by her grandfather, and was followed by one bridesmaid, Miss Mona Bate. Mr. Arthur Kittson, Calgary, was best man. The honeymoon is being spent in New York where they intend spending a few weeks before coming to the Pacific Coast.

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A quiet but very pretty wedding was celebrated last Tuesday afternoon, February 28th, when Miss Pearl Garvin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Garvin, of Victoria, was united in marriage to Mr. Victor A. Wolfenden, son of Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Wolfenden, 120 Menzies Street. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride and only the near relatives and intimate friends of the couple were present. The bride, who looked charming, was married in a smart travelling costume. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left on their honeymoon which will be spent in Portland and other cities.

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Miss Hilda Page was hostess last week of a very enjoyable tea given in honour of the Misses Pitts, who leave shortly on an extended visit to the Old Country. Mrs. Page was gowned in a handsome grey dress, while Miss Hilda Page wore a dainty embroidered organdy muslin over an Irish green taffeta slip. The table decorations were daffodils and asparagus ferns. Mrs. Arthur Gore assisted by Miss Newcombe, poured tea and coffee. Among the invited guests were: Mrs. Genge, Mrs. Geo. Johnston, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. A. S. Gore, Mrs. Studd (Vancouver), Misses Mason, Misses Monteith, Miss Peters, Miss Little, Misses Pitts, Miss Burnett, Miss Heisterman, Miss Newcombe, Miss Gillespie, Miss Irving, Miss Cross, Miss Blackwood, Miss Rispin, Miss Johnson, Miss Pooley, Misses Eberts, Miss Gaudin, Miss McDowell, Miss Blakemore, Miss Angus, Miss Day, Miss Mara, Miss Fitzgibbon, Misses Tilton and others.

A Good Reason

Here is a vaudeville crack not used on the Orpheum Circuit:

It seems that a monologist was annoyed by a baby in the audience crying. It was a little bit of a baby, but it made a big row.

Finally, the "act" stood it as long as he could and then addressed the mother thus: "Madam, can't you keep that baby quiet?"

"No, I can't!"

"Well, why can't you?"

"Because my dress is buttoned behind."

And the trap drummer crashed the cymbals just once.

"Packing School"

The Fruit Packing School held under the auspices of the Creston Fruit and Produce Growers' Association in the old schoolhouse at Creston recently has been a great success. The full class of 16 growers were in attendance, and under the tuition of Expert J. Berkley, have been thoroughly grounded in the basic principles of practical fruit packing.

The Noiseless Typewriter

The noiseless typewriter has made its appearance, and where once a babel of clicks and clacks resounded through an office all is as quiet and tranquil as a church. It took a long time for Samuel P. Kidder, an American, to perfect a noiseless typewriter machine, and longer for the invention to reach Canada. Now the demand for them is so great that it is impossible for the factory at Middletown, Connecticut, to supply half the required number.

All-Red Steamship Co.

The bill incorporating the All Red Steamship Company has a very strong British backing, the incorporators including Vickers, Son & Maxim, Swan & Hunter, Sir Thomas Trowbridge, Sir Thomas Lancred Pickford & Black and the North British Locomotive Company of Glasgow. The company proposes to establish a line of steamers between Blacksod Bay and Halifax, having a speed of 25 knots, with train ferries between England and Ireland. It is claimed this will reduce the Atlantic passage to three and one-half days. For the Pacific service from Vancouver to Auckland and Sydney 20-knot steamers are proposed.

New Hamilton Industry

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THE WOMEN'S PAGE

One of the fads for spring—and it already a popular one at the South-n resorts—is the wearing of pretty aists with a plain skirt. This does ot sound like much of a novelty, but is, because, while there is an echo a style that has prevailed ever nce the tailored suit and the separ-e blouse came into vogue, there is othing more than an echo. In the ew order of things there is a close lationship between the blouse and irt, although the former is clearly the "separate" type. By way of ex-mple, a skirt of bronze satin cloth s a little semi-tailored blouse of epe de chine that reflects the gold-tones of the bronze. It is made

n soft box plaits which extend the sleeves, and has a round of dainty white net with under-es: also of the net, that reach inches over the elbow. Yet, the se may be worn successfully old skirts, especially with those lack or brown satin.

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is is the particular time of the when the feminine mind, as far shions are concerned, is divided een speculation as to what turn new styles will take and consideration of the problem of making the present wardrobes render adequate service until the new modes shall have been fairly launched. With separate blouses and various other accessories that women know so well how to employ, one can always manage for daytime, but, even with an extended outfit, new evening frocks are generally desirable by this time. If the old ones are not losing their freshness, it is reasonably certain that one has become tired of them. Sales in the ready-made departments are a first aid to the situation, for, however disinclined one may be toward ready-to-wear costumes, the fact remains that they offer interesting possibilities for rounding out the season, particularly as the prices are cut in half, and it happens, as it often does, that a touch here and there, that may be accomplished at home, is sufficient to transform a stock pattern gown into one that is really distinctive.

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Grass linen in lace striped effects is new among the linens and cottons for afternoon frocks. It comes in linen tone striped with a color, and it is sheer and lacey. In fancy grenadine weaves there is a plentiful array among cotton and cotton and silk mixtures. Among the black and solid colored ones the silk and cotton mixtures offer practical use. These thin cottons are being used as veilings over spotted and variously patterned slips or linings. For these slips the cotton foulards in their long range of color and design and with their glossy surfaces are effective. Allover embroidered batiste, voiles and the like are more plentiful than ever before among goods sold by the yard. And the Swisses and other filmy materials with borders embroidered by machine are captivating. These come mostly in robe patterns but not at prohibitive prices. The beaded cottons are for women who do not have to study the ways of pennies in providing the wardrobe. But the manufacturer, seeing the delight of the multitude with them, is trying to bring out woven fabrics that have a sort of French knot interweavings resembling the beads very cleverly. It is going to be a great cotton season and cottons are going to be tolerated in high places that have heretofore prohibited them, except in the most elaborate minglings of real laces and hand needle-work.

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It is easy enough to find a yoke to one's liking ready made for any kind of a dress. There are yokes with or without collars made of perfectly plain net—it is untucked and untrimmed; of figured and flowered nets of all kinds and of all the tucked nets or real or imitation laces. One of the daintiest ones seen for many a day is of point de venise and valenciennes laces, the latter having the regular ground of its kind, while the pattern is done in fine venise stitch. The bands of colored batiste or chiffon voile which are being used in necks and sleeves, with or without pipings, in other parts of new waists, suggest a variation for the blouse that is passe, but not worn out. The bands are made double with the fold toward the neck and hands and are often a full two or three inches wide, usually headed by a band of lace insertion. Sometimes little lapels or collar effects are made of the color, and add a new touch to an otherwise ordinary model.

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A one-piece yoke and sleeves are made of bronbe chiffon cloth, finely tucked all over, while a bib of the skirt material is attached to the skirt, the top of which, preferably, is slightly above the normal line. This bib is applied so that it pouches a trifle, and is finished with a narrow braid. From the underarm the bib curves upward until it is finished in a straight line with the yoke, and the space at the sides is filled in with black satin, veiled with the bronze chiffon. Many of the blouses now are hand-beaded, some in an effective design on the front, others on the sleeves, and still others showing a combination of bead and silk embroidery. Fringe is used, then arrow-bead edging tucks or plaits, while ball fringe is telling for the same purpose. Fringes are used, too—in place of, or in conjunction with, the Antoinette ruffles. It is a pretty idea, capable of being worked out in various ways. As for sleeves, they partake of the same variety ascribed to bodices, and length and general character are almost entirely matters of

individual taste. It must be said here that the sleeve that reaches just to the elbow is apt to be ungraceful. An inch above or below alters the effect surprisingly.

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For a fancy waist, and there are many occasions upon which the blouse of dressy appearance is convenient, even if not actually appropriate, there is a new wing sleeve that is good. It is cut a shallow circular and attached to a straight line from the shoulder down, instead of at the arm side. Most dressmakers add a tiny undersleeve of mousseline or silk, but it is not considered a necessity. For the washable waist, one of the recent French models is of distinctly Empire effect. It is gathered to a circular yoke of fine embroidery, its own material being batiste, and just below the bust, the greater amount of fulness being at the lower edge, it is shirred three times with cords. Another model is much like it, except that it has the short sleeves and top in one piece and the body portion attached to the latter with a row of beading. Crepe de chine is employed for semi-tailored waists, and satin is the smartest thing for spring wear, to complete the strictly tailored costume. The latter are made as plainly as possible—usually, but not necessarily, fastening in the back. The semi-tailored blouses often have inserts of chiffon or of embroidery, and there is a good deal of rattail and braid.

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