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## SUPPRESSING THE NEWS

The Week has on several occasions voiced public opinion in complaining of the manner in which the Victoria Dailies systematically suppress important news items. This complaint has reached The Week at different times from many quarters and some persons have professed to see in the peculiar policy adopted some feature of a community of interests between the papers and corporations whose purposes might be served by withholding from the public important information. The Week does not share this view, but is not surprised that the unfortunate policy of the papers in question should engender it. Take the case of Kesserich v. The Wellington Colliery Company, which involved a claim of \$8,000 by a poor widow as monetary compensation for the loss of her husband in the Extension explosion. This case was of great public interest; it occupied two weeks in the hearing; a number of expert witnesses were called, and the whole subject of colliery explosions, one of vital importance to a mining community came under review. In addition the attitude of the management of the mine and of important Government officials was in question, and yet, beyond an occasional note to the effect that the trial was progressing, no facts were given to the public, and when the case was finally decided in favour of the Colliery Company the local press dismissed the matter in a notice of six lines. Eight years ago, when the greatest compensation case of this kind which has been heard in the Province of British Columbia was before the Assize Court in Nelson, the Nelson Daily News gave practically a verbatim report of the evidence, occupying at some times as much as two whole pages per day. The result was that the people of the Kootenay, and hundreds on the outside, were furnished with a splendid report and obtained a liberal education on a subject which effects many interests, and which is of special importance because it so keenly affects the well-being of the poor widows and orphans who are left to lament these great mining catastrophes, often in extreme poverty. It would be interesting to know why the Victoria papers practically ignored so important a case, especially when their policy could only be construed as favouring the defendant company. There is another matter on which the Victoria papers have been practically silent, and that is the Chinese Investigation at Vancouver. It is easy to understand why The Times has nothing to say, but how can the Colonist be excused for publishing only a few occasional paragraphs, some days nothing at all, when an investigation is being conducted which furnishes the Vancouver papers with matter running to several pages a day and which involves in a most intimate sense the character and conduct of some of the leading men in the Province and beyond question the very status of the Liberal party? The Colonist can excuse itself for refraining from comment while the matter is "sub judice"; it cannot excuse itself for deliberately withholding the news of what is transpiring, and the only feasible explanation is that the editor of the Colonist is unwilling to assist in uncovering the "feet of clay" which his former idol and political leader is found to possess. There is one other matter which may or may not be fairly placed in this category; it is the Templeman-Jardine incident. Everybody in Victoria, and thousands of people throughout the Dominion, knew at the time what happened in the upper room at the Post Office some months ago. The local papers, perhaps out of consideration for the discredited minister, suppressed the item. So far,

so good, but where is the consistency of their policy, when after the lapse of several months they devote columns to retailing every feature of the incident when the member for Esquimalt brings the matter up in the House? The Week is only voicing a very general public opinion when it declares that the local papers systematically suppress important news and at the present moment if it were not for the enterprise of the Vancouver Province and the Vancouver World in selling their afternoon papers daily on the streets of Victoria, we should know practically nothing of the proceedings in one of the most important enquiries ever held in British Columbia. What is the true explanation?

## A DIRTY BUSINESS

There is an old saying, "Truth will out," and the proceedings in the local Legislature and elsewhere during the present week certainly emphasize the statement. Goaded to desperation by the illegal and vindictive action of the organizer of the Liberal party in Esquimalt—an action which is all the more despicable if what Mr. Jardine says about their personal relations is true—the member for Esquimalt has given his version of the circumstances which led up to the "serap" in the Post Office building, and to his desertion of the Liberal party. That some importance is attached to Mr. Jardine's deliverance is evidenced by the fact that with all speed Mr. John Oliver, the Cincinnatus of Delta and the leader of the Liberal party in British Columbia, was rushed down to a public meeting at Esquimalt to give his own and the Honourable William Templeman's version of the matter. Furthermore, the latter gentleman considered it a matter of such importance that he gave a long interview to a press representative at Ottawa, in order, if possible, to discount the effect of Mr. Jardine's impassioned attack. The Week has neither space nor inclination to deal at any length with so nauseous a subject. Simmered down into a few words it amounts to this: that a decent, hard-working painter was bitten by the bug of political ambition and like too many decent men sacrificed his business to his politics. Although tolerated by his party because he could win votes he was only tolerated, and he found what many other politicians have found, that while he was good enough to serve the purposes of his party he was not good enough to receive the right hand of fellowship. This naturally rankled and when he considered that he had been unfairly treated in connection with his election expenses it is easy to understand that his feeling toward the Hon. William Templeman was anything but cordial. Hence the quarrel and personal chastisement of that gentleman. The answer of Mr. Templeman to all this is that at the very moment when the assault took place he was taking Mr. Jardine to task for "graft" in that the member for Esquimalt having been allotted a painting contract at the Quarantine Station to the amount of \$2,000 had deliberately done \$8,000 worth of painting and collected the money. The Week certainly holds no brief for Mr. Jardine, but if this is the worst that Mr. Templeman can say about him the laugh will not be on the member for Esquimalt. If Mr. Templeman had been able to say that Mr. Jardine had collected \$8,000 for \$2,000 worth of work the position would have been different. There is no suggestion so far that the work was not actually done; the complaint is that more was done than was ordered. Once on a time the Hon. William frankly declared on a public platform that he was "no politician." This matter has certainly proved it. For

what everybody is now asking is why, if Mr. Jardine had been guilty of an enormous crime, no complaint was made at the time. The money was paid and Mr. Jardine as member received the full support of the Liberal party including that of the Hon. William Templeman and Mr. Ralph Smith. No doubt Mr. Jardine's political career is ended, as that of the Hon. William Templeman was ended when his own fellow citizens turned him down at the last Federal election. Since then, his excursion to the North has been disastrous from a political standpoint, and so well does he know that he could not again secure a nomination there that he has already laid his plans for another attempt in Victoria. His chances of success are not enhanced by the proceedings of the last few weeks in Vancouver and Victoria.

## RECIPROCITY AGREEMENT

Now that the proposed Reciprocity Agreement with the United States has been generally canvassed it is possible to express an opinion based upon more careful consideration and reflection than was possible at the time of the last issue of The Week. The brief adverse opinion then expressed has been strengthened by the general chorus of condemnation both in Canada and the Motherland. So far as British Columbia is concerned the proposed Agreement, if ratified, will inflict serious injuries on our trade. It will flood the market with American fruit, poultry and eggs, and though this might not be an unmixed evil if prices were substantially reduced, there is little reason to hope that the produce combine which so effectively maintains prices at present will abandon its policy. In any event the consequences to land settlement cannot fail to be serious; at the present moment it is difficult enough with our limited market to find a profitable outlet for farm produce in so sparsely settled a Province. The one thing which British Columbia needs is increased population; anything which curtails settlement will check this. Free lumber will injure British Columbia because, as is well known to all who have studied the question, the removal of the duty will enable American mills to monopolize the Prairie trade, and that is the biggest market for British Columbia lumber. The greatest objection, however, which The Week has to the Reciprocity Agreement is that it endorses a retrograde policy. It is a return to a condition of affairs which was discussed more than twenty years ago when the Toronto gang, which has fattened on its exploitation of the Laurier Government was a unit in favour, not merely of Reciprocity with the United States, but of Annexation. The Week does not for a moment question the sincerity of Mr. Fielding and Mr. Paterson; neither can it, however, forget that both were Secessionists, and in this matter it does not trust their judgment. It regards the Reciprocity Agreement as a blow at British Preference and at Imperial sentiment, and in expressing this opinion it cannot do better than quote the series of Resolutions passed at a recent meeting of the Montreal Board of Trade, which seem to go to the very root of the matter and which, unless The Week is greatly mistaken, will be found to voice Canadian sentiment:

"Resolved that we, the members of the Montreal Board of Trade, in annual meeting assembled, believe that the sober sense of the country as a whole is against any change in the trade policy under which Canada has grown to her present admitted state of prosperity.

"That we consider it to be the bounden duty of every Canadian to resist to the

last, anything that might endanger our status as a part of the British Empire, and that we fear such a treaty as proposed might easily prove to be the entering of a wedge that would eventually result in a separation of our interests from those of the Motherland.

"That we hereby record the unalterable opposition of this board to the proposed reciprocity treaty with the United States, which treaty would involve the country in dangers not yet fully realized, and we consider that the Government should first ascertain the opinion of the whole country on this question, and receive a definite mandate thereon before committing it to a change so revolutionary as this reversal of its entire policy, threatening not only the trade but also the more vital interests of Canada as a nation."

## THE COAL MINES ACT

The Premier as Minister of Mines is to be congratulated on the admirable measure which is now before the House and on the able and exhaustive speech in which he introduced it. It is not a little surprising that a man of so many activities and responsibilities should have been able to acquaint himself to such a remarkable extent with the technicalities of mining and the details of the Bill. The Week with some practical knowledge of the subject has no hesitation in saying that when this Bill becomes law, British Columbia will have the best coal mining laws in the world. Not perfect, but probably as perfect as conditions will admit of. The Bill is conceived mainly in the interest of the miner and for his protection, and if honestly lived up to will tend greatly to minimize the dangers of this most hazardous calling. The British Columbia Government has been almost a pioneer in the establishment of rescue stations and rescue apparatus, and it is to be hoped that the Minister will see his way to comply with the request of the Operators' Delegation and assist in the establishment of central stations for the supply of oxygen, unless, which would be preferable, it is feasible to make such arrangements through a local firm. The Week strongly endorses the attitude of the Government with reference to the appointment of sub-inspectors; the suggestion of the Labour members that these very valuable public servants should be elected by a vote of the miners would assuredly not work out well in practice. Such a method would not tend to efficiency and would weaken the protection which the Government is so anxious to extend. There is one important matter which is bound to be dealt with sooner or later and which it would have been well to have settled at the present moment; that is the separation of the Coal Mines Department from the Mineralogical. Coal mining is developing at such a pace that the time has come when it should have a Departmental head of its own. Coal mining has little in common with metalliferous mining and the control of both, subject always to the Department, should be vested in a specialist. The British Government has adopted this course by appointing Professor Redmayne, recently of the Birmingham University, as Chief Inspector, but in reality as advisor and controller. In no instance is there any connection between the Coal mining and Mineralogical Departments; they are absolutely separate with separate heads, and both branches of an important industry would benefit if the system were adopted here. On the whole, however, there can be nothing but praise for an admirable measure, and for the exceptionally able manner in which it was expounded by the Premier.

## At The Street Corner

By THE LOUNGER

I suppose that the vast majority of my readers have been at some period of their lives more or less devoted students of the "Bard of Avon," but there is one play with which for some reason or other the public is not very familiar, though to my mind the characters therein depicted are amongst the most striking to be found in the whole collection. I refer to "Cymbeline," and I would recommend it to the notice of those who care to dip once more into the waters of Shakespearean literature.

Posthumus, a Roman soldier in Britain, has a sweetheart in Rome and he entrusts his so-called friend Iachimo with a message to her. Iachimo, fancying himself a lady-killer wagers Posthumus that the lady, Imogen, is not on a par with Caesar's wife and on his arrival in the Capital makes love to her. Being scornfully repulsed and feeling that his "amour propre" demands that he shall take back proofs, however false, of the success of his adventure, he hides himself in a chest in Imogen's apartments and taking advantage of her unconscious state whilst asleep discovers some birthmarks on her bosom, the modern version is a mole on the knee. Armed with these proofs he goes back to Britain to confound the deceived hero.

But someone will say, "What on earth is the Lounger going through all this rigmarole for? What has it got to do with the Street Corner?" My friends, there are some things which have to be approached in a circuitous manner, and I will content myself by saying in explanation just this and nothing more. A dress rehearsal of Act II. Scene II. was held in a house in Victoria West during the latter part of last week, the same being conducted under more modern conditions and, presumably, as a direct result of the present insane policy of non-segregation.

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I can't help thinking that if the authorities at Ottawa had been cognisant of the desperate poverty which appears to prevail at the Victoria Law Courts, they would have withheld their order concerning the flying of flags on all public buildings from sunrise to sunset, until such time had elapsed as might be necessary to obtain by popular subscription a flag for the said building. At present there hangs above the edifice sacred to the cause of Justice a ragged piece of cheese-cloth; at least it looks like cheese-cloth. On one side, the side which is not visible from the upper part of Bastion Street it is a dirty white; on the other there is a faint representation of the Union Jack; perhaps it would be more correct to say that the idea conveyed to the mind by the eye is that it is supposed to be a Union Jack. I should not like to swear to it. In the name of all that is good and beautiful let us have a flag that is a flag and not a ragged, dirty piece of cloth that the average boy would be ashamed to be seen dead in the street with on the 24th of May. It is an insult to the Union Jack; it is an insult to Justice, and it is a crying disgrace to Victoria as a whole and to some individual in particular that the Law Courts of the Capital of a Province like British Columbia should have such a sorry emblem of what is our national pride flaunting its shabby condition and cheap material before the eyes of our numerous visitors.

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It has been suggested to me that the citizens of Victoria would do well to see to it that there was some committee formed which would have the privilege of considering the various improvements about to be made from an architectural point of view. It is more or less a truism that the general utility man is not blessed with an eye for the beautiful, and it is in consequence of this that we often see hideous buildings which

fulfil the purpose for which they were erected, but which entirely fail to please the eye because use and not beauty was the one and only idea which the builder's mind was capable of holding. There is plenty of Art in Victoria, spelt with a capital "A" too. Why cannot representatives from the Architects' Association, from the various Fine Arts Clubs and from the City form a critical committee which would be capable of passing upon proposed improvements from the artistic point of view? I am given to understand that the plans for the new public convenience to be erected at the corner of the Causeway call for an eye-sore. There is absolutely no reason why a building of this description should not be made as pleasing to the eye as possible. In Seattle they have solved this particular problem by erecting a structure which may be styled magnificent in the central part of the town. However, in Victoria we are all too much inclined to do things in a hurry, leaving details to anyone who will take the trouble to concern himself with them. In this way slums and sky-line disfigurements are created sufficient to damn any city with pretensions to be called "The Beautiful."

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Amongst the blind the one-eyed man is king and a fair informant tells me that this is the analogy on which Superior Street was so called. It appears that there was a time when this main thoroughfare from the City to the Outer Wharf was really the best of a bad lot and with the advent of the car tracks became of such vast importance and shone with such a lustrous halo that a grateful neighborhood conferred upon it the Order of the Name. Alas, the street has done nothing since that time to deserve its proud distinction and in the same way in which a good man when he does go wrong goes very, very wrong, Superior Street, so far from being the joy of the Bay has become its despair.

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Another proof of the universality with which The Week is read has come to hand since the last issue. I have been accused of lack of geographical education because I asserted that Lake Superior was the largest body of fresh water in the world, and that it owed its name to that fact. This statement has been freely contradicted. I would beg my critics to study the following figures which are taken from the Encyclopaedia Britannica. Lake Superior is 350 miles long by 100 miles wide. Michigan, which comes next is 320 by 80 and Lake Baikal is 330 by 40. If by any chance the authority quoted has omitted mention of a lake larger than Superior, I am from Missouri and would like to be shown.

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I understand that in my zeal to protect the public consumer and to assist a little in the present campaign for cheaper coal I have unwittingly trodden on the corns of some firms who are engaged in the trade. A reference was made in a more or less facetious paragraph in my last week's contribution to wet and dry sacks and short weight. Needless to say this could not possibly apply to the first-class firms who advertise in The Week. I sincerely hope that the base suspicion is foundationless in any event and in justice to the retail dealers I think I ought to say that everybody who has studied the subject knows where the excessive profit is made and that it is not in their department.

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I should very much like to see a law similar to the one in operation in France become effective throughout the whole world, having of course particular reference to Victoria. That is a stamp tax on every advertisement appearing on public streets. Few things look so disfiguring as staring posters announcing the excellent qualities of somebody's soap, or another person's soup or yet a third party's cigarettes and tobacco. To say nothing of all the extravagant theatrical notices which appear with the regularity of rent day. It is a



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very easy way of raising money either for the State or the City, and though it would not act as a deterrent whereby the City would profit from an artistic stand-point, it would at least give the aggrieved spectator the satisfaction of knowing that the perpetrator of the atrocities was having to pay for the somewhat doubtful privilege of making his goods a public nuisance.

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It is said that the lot of those girls who work behind counters is far easier than it used to be. I will not dispute this though I may "hae ma doots." There was a remarkably good story lately in the Saturday Evening Post dealing with this subject and if, as would seem probable, it was written from real life, I shudder to think what the conditions must have been before people ever even thought of having chairs provided for the unfortunate caterers to public taste. This I do know, that there are many stores where ventilation is the last thing considered. I do not speak of Victoria only, although I have one store in my mind's eye even in this earthly Paradise. Consider the Post-office. Take a steam-heated large-sized store, mostly patronised by ladies, the majority of whom use scent concocted from different essences; add to these fumes those arising from the various articles exposed for sale, and see to it that there is no proper draught to dissipate the amalgamated odour engendered and you have an excellent

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But it is the same throughout the whole Dominion. Personally I always suffer more from the heat in winter than I do in summer. I was nearly suffocated in my journey across the Continent, but to my astonishment my fellow-travellers appeared to revel in the tropical atmosphere which a considerate Company, knowing their wants, had provided. It was the same in hotels. Anything below zero outside and an Equatorial temperature within and still the cry ascended: "Stoke her up there." Why everybody doesn't die from pneumonia I can't imagine.

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I have been vainly puzzling over the inner meaning of some new scheme which is apparently on foot with regard to our sidewalks in the centre of the city. There prevails at present a mania for laying planks of wood down on the curb. For instance the north side of Yates Street between Government and Douglas has these extraordinary decorations, and I have not yet been able to find out what they are placed there for. Doubtless there is some very good (Continued on Page 11)

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# MUSIC AND THE STAGE

## The Beauty Spot

The veteran comedian Jefferson D'Angelis was featured at Victoria Theatre on Monday night in an American Musical Comedy entitled "The Beauty Spot." Of the comedy not much can be said except that it had some fine settings and introduced to Victoria two very pretty girls, Miss Martin and Miss Ida van Tine. The latter had a sweet little voice and was coquetry and archness incarnate. Of course D'Angelis was a host in himself; he is the most polished and gentlemanly comedian on the stage. When he dresses as an officer it requires no stretch of the imagination to figure him as not playing but living the part. His quips and cranks are different from those of any other comedian and are delivered with an unctious which is peculiarly his own. Of a number of clever songs the "Crazy" song was decidedly the funniest. The Beauty Spot, a mole on a lady's knee, furnished the theme for a lot of silly nonsense and for a display of that peculiar turn of ingenuity in which American dramatists seem to delight. The idea that the substitution of a draped lady with that harmless little animal, the mole, perched on her knee could efface the impression intended to be conveyed in the first instance is too "jejeune" for any but a callow craftsman. The comedy seemed to satisfy the audience; there was much laughter and shaking of sides. The Colonist says it was vulgar, which leads the ordinary mortal to wonder how the Colonist critic swallowed The Queen of the Moulin Rouge, tights and all, without winking an eyelid but balked at the mole on Nichette's knee.

## Silver Threads

It is somewhat difficult to decide in what category the above mentioned play should be placed. In places it was decidedly melodramatic; in others it was drama pure and simple, whilst there was a strong vein of comedy running all through. One thing is certain; it was not a pastoral play, although it was so styled on the programme. Its obvious "raison d'etre" is to afford Mr. Richard J. Jose an opportunity of displaying his almost unique contra-tenor voice in the old songs "which grip the heart." The voice is wonderful, but on Tuesday night it must be admitted that Mr. Jose did not do himself justice, singing woefully out of tune. This was particularly noticeable in the big song of the evening, "Silver Threads Among the Gold." Miss Louise Kent as Ruth Laurie created the audience to a fine presentation of emotional acting both in her part as the Prodigal Daughter and as the famous Prima Donna. Mr. John A. Miesen furnished the real melodramatic note, playing the high society stage villain according to the popular conception of the part. His stage laugh, if nothing else, would have proclaimed his predilections. Comedy was supplied by Miss Edith M. Cooke, the New England old maid with her own ideas of hell and heaven, and Mr. W. D. Stone, the persistent and finally successful suitor for the old maid's hand. There was a very fair-sized house and though the applause was at no time vociferous there was a general atmosphere of contentment at the production which evoked several complimentary remarks at the door.

## The New Grand Theatre

There are three star turns at the popular vaudeville house this week. The Bento Brothers are exceptional equilibrists, their head to head ascent and descent of the ladder being one of the cleverest performances in this line that I have seen. Caine and Odum are great; the man possesses that dry, caustic wit which seems to come out spontaneously whilst his partner responds in happy vein what time she ripples away on the piano. Miss Hope Booth & Co. have an original

sketch of no little merit, and one which I commend to all my fellow dramatic critics, lest they also entertain a "Little Blonde Lady" unawares. Miss Hardie Langdon is one of those musical monologists who grow on you; that is to say that she improves with each successive song and her facial contortions are things to dream about—if you like nightmare. Raymond & Hall are graceful dancers and introduce some good songs into their act, the lady appearing to especial advantage in her role of a Dutch frau. Patrons of the New Grand, and their name is legion, will be interested to know that the theatre is undergoing a thorough renovating being redecorated from top to bottom, the boxes also being re-upholstered.

## The Crystal Theatre

Venice was the setting for an excellent set of pictures at Mr. Jamieson's house during the early part of the week. "Antonio Foscarini" was a picturesque production and gave a splendid idea of Venice itself and of the manners and customs prevailing there in the Middle Ages. The romantic story of the pursuit of Dr. Crippen proved a lure to many, and on Wednesday and Thursday evenings a crowded house witnessed this modern day drama of detective life.

## Romano's Theatre

I do like those comfortable seats in Messrs. Quagliotti's theatre. It is a lazy generation and one that likes to take its pleasures at its ease and the gentlemen referred to have certainly catered to the public taste in this respect. Historical, sentimental and comic pictures have alternated in due rotation, and but I would like to make particular mention of "The Italian Conspiracy" and "The Rival Detectives" the latter being exceptionally amusing.

## The Majestic Theatre

One of the most striking films that I have ever seen on the screen was that entitled "A Mexican Legend" which appeared in Mr. Christie's house on Monday and Tuesday. It was a miracle picture and depicted the Christ coming to the aid of His followers when attacked by Indians. The subject was treated with all reverence and evidently made a great impression on the spectators. "The Funeral of Count Tolstoi" in the middle of the week was an impressive presentation. The latter class of film is of a kind calculated to bring the great ones of the earth into closer connection with the multitude than the mere reading of the newspapers can effect.

## MOMUS.

## The Victoria Theatre

On Thursday night, Feb. 16, Mr. L. Turner's well-known orchestra will be heard at the Victoria Theatre. On this occasion Mr. Turner will be assisted by Herr Max Steindel, who is a master on the 'cello, and Signor Raul Periera, who made such a favourable impression recently as a violinist. In addition to these two virtuosos other talent is being brought in for this concert and everything indicates that a really high-class entertainment will be provided.

## New Grand Theatre

Charming little Eva Mudge, who is possibly better known in stageland as "The Military Maid," comes to the Grand on Monday with her new act "At the Seashore," a protean act that is all daintiness and class. Miss Mudge is gifted with a strong, sweet singing voice and a voluminous wardrobe.

Edmund Soraghan and Billy Lennox, two of the best known farceurs of the American stage, are on their way with a rattling fast little farce written by themselves entitled "Dornton's Substitute." The scene of their act is laid in a theatrical booking agency and the title fairly suggests the line of the fun making.

A supporting act of great merit is the society effort of Holmes and Riley, who sing baritone and soprano. Their numbers are operatic and semi-classical. Mr. Holmes will be seen leading from the orchestra, and singing his own numbers in that position.

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

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(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:

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### Deutsche Verein

#### The Story of an "Entente Cordiale"

BY BOHEMIAN

Until an Englishman has attended the annual banquet of the Deutsche Verein he does not know that he is born; and when he has attended it he is lucky to find himself still alive. On Friday evening, Jan. 27th, I was the honoured guest of the German Club at the banquet which they gave at The Empress Hotel, which accounts for the fact that the issue of The Week published next day contained no reference to the function.

On this festive occasion one hundred Germans and one hundred Englishmen sat down to enjoy the good things provided by the caterers at The Empress, and in the flowing bowl and the pipe of peace to bury all recollections of war-scares and sensational newspaper articles. They succeeded, at least that is my recollection of it, and I will here freely admit that if the matter had to be settled across the banquetting table, the English would not be in it. As a matter of fact they would be under it, and their German friends very much "on top."

The occasion was unique, in fact it was great, and moreover, it was a revelation. It was unique in that Clive Phillips Wolley responded to the toast of the navy. Never mind what he said, or what he and his audience had to forget in order that he might say it; the fact remains that he responded and survived the ordeal. But I am getting away from my story.

The most unique feature of a splendid function was none other than the august and impressive official who presided over it, to wit, the Imperial Consul, Herr Carl Loewenberg. It is the first time I have had the honour of meeting His Consulship; I hope it will not be the last, for he is a prince of good fellows and easily the most terrific personage who has occupied the head of the festive board in the City of Victoria.

Imagine a handsome, well-built man in the prime of life, dressed in the attractive military trappings which he is entitled to wear, not forgetting plenty of gold lace and medals, standing erect and with flashing eye and a stentorian voice, calling to order and controlling two hundred enthusiastic and vociferous banquetters who were bent on celebrating the fifty-second birthday of H. I. M. The Kaiser and at the same time testifying to the bond of amity which must ever bind together the British and the German people. But he did it, and did it so well that whenever that stentorian voice was raised and the sabre which lay ready to his hand came crashing on the table, the storm became a calm, and it is no exaggeration to say that you could hear a pin drop.

In his control and direction of the banquet Herr Consul Loewenberg illustrated the discipline of the German people and the autocracy of the German Kaiser. And he did it under the shadow of an admirable bust of his Imperial Master which looked down on the festive scene and, no doubt, would, if it could, have relaxed its stern aspect and smiled.

Another unique aspect of this occasion was the splendid preparation which had been made by those in charge. Nothing was left to chance; everything was foreseen and well arranged. The speakers, unlike so many Canadian speakers, were thoroughly prepared and consequently worth listening to. Never have I heard a finer apostrophe of the Kai-

ser than that which fell from the lips of Mr. Lins, who proposed the toast of the evening. Even the Englishmen present, who have not always loved him, for once felt proud that he was his mother's son.

Then the address of the President of the Deutsche Verein, Herr Kostebader, was an admirable, concise deliverance, and the reply of Mr. Nesbit for the guests, witty and interesting, if somewhat too long. But the speech of the evening was the thoughtful, intellectual and sagacious deliverance of Mr. Alvo von Alvensleben. When he rose to propose the "Army and Navy," the night, or rather the morning, was wearing on. To be precise it was about 2:30 a. m., and to this moment I have doubts whether the audience fully appreciated the profundity and the significance of the address.

Mr. Alvensleben lifted a subject far above all commonplaces or after dinner complimentary utterances, and passing from the suggestion of trouble between England and Germany elaborated the possibility of a real "yellow peril," pointing out that the true Armageddon would be a conflict between the white and the yellow races, and that all the great European powers would have to stand shoulder to shoulder when the tocsin sounded. Certainly Mr. Alvensleben's country is getting ready, for at the present moment Germany has six millions of men who have undergone some degree of military training and can bear arms whenever called on. This is not the place to enlarge upon so serious a topic, but I wish that Mr. Alvensleben's address could have been reported verbatim. Alas, at that late hour even the newspaper men—but that's another story.

I have only one kick to make, and perhaps as a guest I have no right to make it; but it is the first occasion of the kind of which I have any knowledge, when a toast to the Press has been omitted. I know it is a mere matter of form and a mere perfunctory compliment, which has its origin in the desire to propitiate the knights of the pen and ensure sympathetic treatment and careful editing in the reporting of the speeches.

No doubt, the Committee realised that at the close of a German banquet such a compliment would be quite superfluous, and the only reason I mention it is that I felt quite sore at being deprived of the opportunity of "getting back" at Col. Wadmore, who took advantage of the absence of a Press toast to roast the newspapers for "manufacturing the German war scare in order to make a few extra cents out of their sensational articles."

I only wanted to ask the Colonel whether Lord Rosebery, Mr. Balfour and Sir Charles Beresford were in the conspiracy, and what business they had to tell the world that there really was danger of a German invasion. However, let that pass.

I cannot, however, allow another "faux pas" of the gallant Colonel's to pass so easily. In a moment of exhilaration he presented the German's with a beautiful bouquet in ascribing to them the credit for the victory at Waterloo. This is the first time I have heard that "Bill Adams" was a German.

And still the fun waxed fast and furious; there were college songs of an hilarious character, illustrated by quaint original drawings in connection with which the versatile and indefatigable Lins again figured conspicuously. There was also a "non-political" speech by Henry Behnsen (who by the way fought through the Franco-German campaign) which will go down to posterity as one of the ablest performances of the kind ever successfully carried off at a strictly non-political festive gathering. There was also a little enlightenment for the English guests on the subject of German customs, especially the time-honoured one which compels a refractory member to mount his chair and drain his "stein."

However, all things must come to an end, even German banquets, and when at 3 a. m. the honoured President announced that out of consideration for the sleeping (?) guests of

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Dated November 19th, 1910.  
Jan. 14 JOSEPH GIBSON.

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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.

the hotel an adjournment would be made to the club rooms of the Deutsche Verein. I fainted, and right and left I heard my British confreres gasping "Oh, these Germans; they are the limit."

And so they are, for they took nearly everybody with them and finished up the best good time that an Englishman ever had at a banquet. Yes, they are the limit for good-fellowship, hospitality, thoroughness and bon-homme. May they always be our friends in peace and our allies in war, and may I live to attend the next celebration (and mind you this is not "touting" for an invitation for one has already been given) and may Herr Consul Loewenberg, the prince of Presidents and the doyen of German consuls, be at the head of the table with his decorations and his sabre.

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ROBERT A. RENWICK, Deputy Commissioner of Lands, Lands Department, Victoria, B. C. dec 10



CANCELLATION OF RESEVEDVE 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. dec 10



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. Jan 7



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 872.

R. A. RENWICK, Deputy Commissioner of Lands, Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C., Jan. 3rd, 1911. Jan 7

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

"LAND REGISTRY ACT" In the matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the West Half of Lots 67 and 70, 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 of the Certificate of Indefeasible Title to said land issued to Alexander Proudfoot on the 24th day of November, 1909, and numbered 1479. Dated at Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 12th day of January, 1911. Jan 14

S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General of Titles, LAND REGISTRY ACT In the matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Part of Lots 23 and 24 of Lot 1 (Map 302) Fairfield 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 a Duplicate Certificate of Title to said land issued to Robert Hetherington on the 21st day of August, 1901, and numbered 7056C. Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., the 23rd day of January, 1911. S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General of Titles. Jan 28

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that Joseph McNeill, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted one mile north of the north-east corner of the Indian Reserve which is situated about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence south 40 chains; thence east to the Lake, about 40 chains; thence following the Banks of the Lake in a northeasterly direction about 50 chains; thence north 10 chains, west 80 chains to the point of commencement containing 250 acres more or less. Dated November 12, 1910. JOSEPH MCNEILL, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that Cecil W. Stancliffe, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Mechanical Engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 1 1/4 miles and a quarter miles north-west of the north-east corner of the Indian Reserve which is situated about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. Dated November 12, 1910. CECIL W. STANCLIFFE, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that William Haggie of Sunderland, England, occupation manufacturer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 1 1/4 miles and a quarter miles north-west of the north-east corner of the Indian Reserve, which is situated about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Dated November 12, 1910. WILLIAM HAGGIE, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that Sidney John Breckton, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Police Constable, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted two miles north of the north-east corner of the Indian Reserve, which is situated about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake, on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement containing 640 acres, more or less. Dated November 11, 1910. SIDNEY JOHN BRECKTON, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that Mathew Kerr Love, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Gas Stoker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted two miles north of the north-east corner of the Indian Reserve, which is situated about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Dated November 12, 1910. MATHEW KERR LOVE, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that John T. Dennehy, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the Northeast corner of the Indian Reserve about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Dated November 12, 1910. JOHN T. DENNEHY, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that Harold Charles Engelson, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 1 1/4 miles and a quarter miles northeast of the northeast corner of the Indian Reserve, which is situated about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. Dated November 11, 1910. HAROLD CHARLES ENGELSON, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that Frederick Bond of Victoria, B.C., occupation Telegraphist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 1 1/4 miles and a quarter miles north-east of the northeast corner of the Indian Reserve, which is situated about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. Dated November 11, 1910. FREDERICK BOND, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast TAKE NOTICE that Richard Porte, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Water, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following lands:—Commencing at a post planted two and a quarter miles northeast of the northeast corner of the Indian Reserve which is situated about five miles east and two miles north of Kluscius Lake, on the north side of the Blackwater River; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. Dated November 11, 1910. RICHARD PORTE, J. E. M. Rogers, Agent. dec 10

WATER NOTICE NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a license in the Shawnigan and Malahat Division of Victoria District. (a) The name, address and occupation of the applicant is Robert Frederick Springett. (If for mining purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No. .... (b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is) Cedar Creek, a branch of Millstream. (c) The point of diversion on the south fifty (50) acres of Section one, Range Seven, Shawnigan District, and about two hundred yards from the western boundary of that section. (d) The quantity of water applied (in cubic feet per second) ten acre feet. (e) The character of the proposed works—Hydraulic ram or other appliance to elevate the water for irrigation purposes and by pipe flume and ditch to place of user. (f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same) South 50 acres of Section 1, Range 7, Shawnigan District, and Lot 17, Malahat District, as shown on plan attached to conveyance from E. & N. Railway to Rueben Cousins, February 25, 1891. (g) The purposes for which the water is to be used—irrigation. If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage, about ten acres of Lot 17, Shawnigan and Malahat Divisions of Victoria Land District. (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. .... (k) This notice was posted on the twenty-fourth day of January, 1911, and sioner on the seventh 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. .... (Signature) R. F. SPRINGETT, (P. O. Address) Koenig's P. O., Shawnigan Lake. Note—One cubic foot per second is equivalent to 35.71 miners' inches. Jan 28

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, Frederick A. Smith, Agent. Jan 7

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT District of Coast, Range III TAKE NOTICE that Frank Hallett, of Kimsquit, occupation Prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the western boundary of timber lease Dean Channel; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains thence north forty chains; thence west forty chains. Dated December 12th, 1910. FRANK HALLETT, Jan 14

Statutes of B. C. 1907 RE VICTORIA WEST ARBITRATION TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned, being the Arbitrator duly appointed by law in and about the determination of the matters intrusted to me under Statutory Authority in the adjustment of the Official Map of Victoria West will hold my final sitting for the purpose of closing the proceedings and considering my final award, on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1911, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon at the Justice Room, City Hall, Victoria. AND TAKE NOTICE that all persons whose claims have not been considered or adjusted by me, and who now have and desire to make any claim which I have authority to deal with are directed to appear before me at the time and place aforesaid and to give at least three days' previous notice in writing of their intention so to do, to Messrs. Mason & Mann, acting as Solicitors for the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at 1112 Langley Street. AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said sitting I shall proceed to make my final award having reference only to such matters as have been brought before me. Dated this 5th day of January, 1911. D. R. HARRIS, Arbitrator. Jan 14

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 331 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. GEORGE PHILIP CARR, Jan 14

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, 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. CHARLES HILLMAN, Jan 14

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LIMITED LICENSE TO AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY UNDER SECTION 158 "COMPANIES ACT" CANADA: Province of British Columbia. No. 212A (1910) THIS IS TO CERTIFY that "Chippewa Farm Land Company" is licensed and empowered to acquire, hold, and alienate land, and to loan and invest its moneys in land and other securities in the Province of British Columbia in manner and to the extent permitted by the charter and regulations of the Company. The head office of the Company is situate at the City of Chippewa Falls, County of Chippewa, State of Wisconsin, U. S. A. The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at 514 Fort Street, Victoria, and Harold B. Robertson, 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 of One Hundred Dollars each. Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this fourth day of November, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ten. D. WHITESIDE, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies. Jan 7

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, Frederick A. Smith, Agent. Jan 7

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, Frederick A. Smith, Agent. Jan 7

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. JOSEPH GONZALES, Jan 14

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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 o. 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. JOHN DAVID BREESE, Jan 14

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. FRANK MCINNIS, Jan 14

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. HAROLD McALPINE, Jan 14

SATURNA ISLAND, B.C. Island District NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of Section 8, Saturna Island, and marked S. E. corner of G. F. Payne's coal claim; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, with exception of any lands therein contained granted prior to 1899. Located December 23rd, 1910. G. F. PAYNE, dec 31

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, Frederick A. Smith, Agent. Jan 7

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, Frederick A. Smith, Agent. Jan 7

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, Frederick A. Smith, Agent. Jan 7

LAND REGISTRY ACT In the matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Sections 45 and 46, Sooke 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 lands issued to Daniel Sanderson on the 11th day of June, 1908, and numbered 17518C. Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., the 16th day of December, 1910. S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General of Titles. Jan 7

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. (MRS.) MABEL McALPINE, Jan 14

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 640 acres of land and being Lot 346. Dated November 24th, 1910. FLORENCE MINCEY, Jan 14

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, Jan 14

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. GEORGE CALDWELL, Jan 14

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. THOMAS McALPINE, Jan 14

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, Jan 14

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## VICTORIA'S GREAT YEAR

### Development Work Arranged for 1911

It does not require a very wise man but merely one capable of reading the signs of the times to predict a year of unparalleled activity for Victoria in the way of civic improvements and a corresponding demand for labour. Optimism is in the ascendant and it is conceded on all hands that the close of the current year will see the birth of a renovated Victoria.

#### Asphalting

A million dollars is a large sum of money, but it is the amount which the City is prepared to spend on asphaltting certain specified roads. This spells good pay to a great many men, to say nothing of the fact that such an undertaking will necessitate the erection of additional asphalt plants which will be of a permanent character.

#### Sewerage

At the recent municipal elections a by-law was passed by the ratepayers in connection with a scheme for extending the present sewerage system. This will mean that a sum in the neighbourhood of \$50,000 will be expended for the most part on labour alone.

#### High School

Though the public is aware that a new High School is to be erected at Fernwood it has by no means grasped the fact that this is a big undertaking. Much time, money and labour will have to be expended on levelling the property before the actual work of building is commenced. When it is realised that the estimated cost is in the region of \$300,000 it will be seen that here again is another proof of the advance which Victoria is making in the way of public improvements.

#### Waterworks

The continuance of the cold spell is all that stands in the way of the inauguration of improvements in the waterworks system. These improvements are in no way to be confounded with the Sooke Lake scheme, but will consist in laying down new mains and effecting other desirable alterations; \$50,000 is expected to be the cost in this department of the public works.

#### Street Widening

But after all what will tend to attract the attention of citizens more than anything else is the general scheme for beautifying the city by widening and extending certain streets, by better provision for lighting, by the abolition of telephone wires in the business section and by the construction of the sea wall along the Dallas Road. A commencement has already been made on Fort street, several owners of property there having moved back their frontages, following the worthy example of Mr. Thos. Catterall, whilst new buildings have been made to conform to the new street line. The extension of View street through to Government has had to be delayed in order that the property rights may be suitably adjusted, but it is confidently expected that a few weeks will see the beginning of this most desirable undertaking. For the same reason it will be some months before the Pandora Avenue extension from Harrison Street to Oak Bay Avenue gets under way, but it is included in this year's schedule.

#### Dallas Road Sea Wall

The Pacific Coast Construction Company on an \$80,000 contract has in hand the Dallas Road sea wall, stretching from Menzies Street to Montreal and a start on this important work will be made as soon as weather conditions permit. In ad-

dition it is probable that a large sum will be authorized by the Council for foreshore protection.

#### Underground Wires

The expense of putting the wires underground is estimated at \$100,000 and this is the sum which the B. C. Telephone Company is prepared to expend, the greater portion of which will be paid for labour.

#### Market Building

Last, but by no means least, something is going to be done to the market building on Pandora Street. It is the general consensus of opinion that this valuable piece of property has lain idle long enough and the proposed alterations will entail the expenditure of some \$30,000.

#### \$2,000,000 Civic Expenditure

Such is the general scheme for the current year's improvements and it must be admitted that it is a very comprehensive one. A couple of millions of dollars is a conservative estimate of the amount which the City will provide for the various undertakings, and when to this is added the money which will assuredly be expended by private individuals in residential and business sections it will be more clearly realized that Victoria has more than turned the corner and is now headed along the home stretch.

#### New York Stock Market

January 31st, 1911.

It is evident that Washington is feeling the pressure resultant from the dragging business situation at a time when Europe, and more especially Great Britain, is experiencing almost unprecedented prosperity in manufacturing and mercantile lines. This is pretty clearly indicated from advices from the capital, which say that corporate interests of the United States, with combined capital issues exceeding \$43,000,000, are closely watching developments, and that their future welfare hinges in greater degree than ever was known before upon action in the near future by either the President, Congress, Supreme Court or Interstate Commerce Commission. It goes on to say that the time is near when most of the questions pertaining to business, finance, railroads and corporations may be settled—some permanently, others temporarily—and progress halted by these problems may be resumed.

Railroad gross earnings for the first fortnight of January make a favorable comparison with last year, although not quite so pronounced as for the previous few weeks. In every part of the South, railroad business continues to exhibit well maintained activity, good increases still being reported by all the leading systems, while in the West and South-east equally satisfactory conditions prevail, instances where losses occur being notably few and unimportant. In other sections of the country, practically every road making weekly returns makes more or less increase, especially in agricultural sections, reflecting probably an active movement of grain and other farm products.

Reports from Pittsburg state that the entire iron and steel trade is feeling more hopeful, and expects continued, although possibly slow, improvement. Nothing approaching the conditions of 1906-7 is considered possible, but a steady gain in tonnage, with maintenance of present prices, is looked for. That there should be any advances of moment is regarded as quite unlikely. There has been a progressive increase in daily bookings of finished steel orders this month as compared with the latter

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part of December, and after the steel meetings of January 11th there was a marked increase. Railroad buying has increased slightly, and has been accompanied by more enquiry. The settlement of the freight rate controversy may be discounted to a considerable extent, so that there will not be the burst of buying when settled that has been predicted in some quarters.

At New York money is a little cheaper than it has been at any time this year. Short time loans were made as low as 3 1-4 per cent., while call loans rule from 2 to 2 1-2 per cent. The minor issues of new bonds already made have been well received, while the sale of \$60,000,000 New York City 4 1-2 per cent. bonds has been a splendid success, and shows conclusively that money is forthcoming in plenty for the proper article in investments.

The stock market has been dull and steady during the month, but a much better tone is apparent, and in our opinion stocks should now be bought for a good upturn in the near future.

**Local Market**

In the local share market Alberta Canadian and American Canadian Oils have monopolized the bulk of the month's business, and both have advanced to new record figures. Nothing fresh in the way of news has been reported from the properties themselves, the advance in price being due largely to manipulation which is made easy by the majority of stock being so closely held. The heaviest holders of these shares are prophesying much higher prices shortly and are confident of striking oil. Stocks of this class however, are a gamble, and can only be recommended as such.

The announcement that the Royal Collieries Co. have authorized the issue of \$500,000 bonds to increase the capacity of their plant has caused a slump in these shares to the lowest point yet recorded. We understand about \$350,000 of these bonds will be sold shortly, and the proceeds will enable the company to quadruple its present output and will hasten the payment of dividends. As no difficulty is anticipated in the sale of bonds, we fail to see why stockholders are sacrificing their shares at current quotations. For those having a little patience, Royals, in our opinion, are an excellent buy at market figures.

The steady decline in Portland Cement Mining Co. shares culminated in final break on the 27th inst. to 3-4, since which the price has steadied, and current quotations show slight advance at 13 1-2 cents. The company, as outlined in a circular to stockholders under date of January 4th, are in need of \$70,000 additional capital for mine equipment, and propose issuing debentures for this amount. We presume the company will not have any difficulty in raising this amount, in which event the shares should do better.

The present price of Red Cliffs favours too much of manipulation to suit us, and we would advise shareholders who have profits in sight to take them.

We still continue to advise the purchase of International Coal and Coke at current prices.

**Remarkable Slump in Rubber**

Crude rubber is now down to \$1.13 the lowest yet.

The persistent slump in rubber is almost without parallel in the history of commodity markets.

Within nine months practically a lean \$2 has been clipped off rubber in London. In April, 1910, at the height of the boom, prices ranged from \$3.02 to \$3.10 a pound. By October, 1910, rubber had dropped below \$2, and is now selling at \$1.13, apparently on its way to \$1.

**Good Times in the East.**

A wire received here today from Toronto said:—The big shops of the Massey-Harris Company, on King street west, commenced running full

blast to-day. This step has been made imperative because of the great pressure of orders. Two thousand men have been employed at the big works lately, but notwithstanding overtime work was resorted to, the staff was unable to bring the output to the point where it would satisfy the demand. The firm accordingly has taken on a large staff of men for the night shift, and the factories will be kept going night and day.

**Returns on Canadian Investments—A Good Showing**

Investment yields compiled by Oswald Brothers:

	Close.	Div.	Yield.
Bell Teleph .....	144	8	5.55
Can Pacific .....	208	10	4.80
Dom Coal pfd ....	108	7	6.48
Dom Steel Corp....	56	4	7.14
Dom Textile Com... 62	5	8.06	
do pfd .....	97	7	7.21
Dom Iron pfd ....	101	7	6.93
Halifax Street ....	139	7	5.03
Montreal Street ...	222	10	4.50
Toronto Street ...	126	7	5.55
Illinois pfd .....	92	6	6.52
Intercolonial Coal .	55	7	12.72
Lake of Woods com	141	8	5.67
Montreal Steel com.	162	7	4.32
Montreal Power ...	148	8	5.40
Montreal Teleg. ...	143	8	5.59
Montreal Cotton ...	130	8	6.15
Soo .....	137	7	5.10
Mackay com .....	92	5	5.43
Mackay pfd .....	74	4	5.40
Ogilvies com .....	131	8	6.10
do pfd .....	124	7	5.64
R. & O. ....	96	6	6.25
Cement pfd .....	87	7	8.03
Penman's Limited ..	60	4	6.66
Shawnigan .....	109	4	3.66
La Rose .....	4 1/2	8	8.88

**U. S. Exports for 1910**

Details of the trade of the United States with the various countries and grand divisions of the world have just been completed by the bureau of statistics, department of commerce and labor. They show a slight increase in the exports to Europe, a marked gain in those to North and South America, an increased total to Asia and Oceania in combination, and a slight gain in the exports to Africa. To Europe the exports during the calendar year 1910 were \$1,193,000, against \$1,170,000 in 1909; to North America, \$426,000,000, against \$345,000,000 in the preceding year; to South America, \$100,000,000, against \$83,000,000 in the preceding year; to Asia and Oceania combined, \$124,000,000, against \$113,000,000 in the preceding year, and to Africa, \$21,000,000, against \$17,000,000 in the preceding year.

On the import side the figures also indicate a gain for each of the grand divisions, except South Africa. From Europe the imports were \$790,000,000, against \$767,000,000 in 1909; from North America, \$324,000,000, against \$278,000,000 in 1909; from South America, \$189,000,000, against \$193,000,000 in 1909; from Asia and Oceania, \$240,000,000, against \$223,000,000 in 1909, and from Africa, \$19,000,000 against \$18,000,000 in 1909.

**Weekly Trade Report**

Bradstreet's and Dun's last circular says:

Trade is quiet and tends to drag, except in supplies for agricultural interests, where spring requirements must be met. Unseasonably mild weather has tended to dull retail trade, despite clearance sales, and many markets report operations below expectations.

Except at some points where early spring buyers are in evidence, the jobbing trade has ruled quiet. Cotton goods lead in activity. In wholesale lines conservatism rules purchases for spring and distant positions.

In the metal industry, aside from a cheerful feeling in iron and steel, quiet prevails. Trade in wire products has expanded, helped by the seasonable advent of seasonable demand.

Curtailement in the tanning industry has brought firmer prices for sole leather, but while shoe manufacturers at the West report more doing, Eastern producers report buying only for actual needs.

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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.



NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Wing, Court-house, Vancouver
Sealed Tenders, superscribed "Tender for Wing, Court-house, Vancouver," will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works up to and including Thursday, the 2nd day of February, 1911, for the erection and completion of an addition to the Court-house at Vancouver.

Drawings, Specifications, Contract, and Forms of Tender may be seen at the office of the Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver, B.C., and at the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

Intending tenderers can, by applying to the undersigned, obtain one copy of the drawings and one copy of the specifications for the sum of twenty-five (\$25) dollars.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equal to five (5) per cent. of his tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderer will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

The successful tenderer shall furnish a bond of a guarantee company satisfactory to the Minister of Public Works, equal to twenty (20) per cent. of the contract amount, for the due fulfilment 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., 5th January, 1911.

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 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 Longfield 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; thence east 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 320; 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 less, and being Lot 332.
Dated November 24th, 1910.
Jan 14 John Alexander Leopold McAlpine.

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 347 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 Longfield 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.
Jan 14 ROBERT BURROUGHS WEBSTER.

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 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 north-west 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 19.53 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 lands:—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 Breesee, 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 west 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 BREESEE.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

TAKE NOTICE that a meeting of Thorpe and Company, Limited Liability, will be held on Saturday, the 18th day of February, A.D. 1911, at the offices of Messrs. Oliver & Patton, Solicitors, Rooms 331, 332 and 333 Pemberton Building, Victoria, B.C., at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

The object for which the meeting is called is to authorize the increase of the capital stock of the Company to \$75,000 and to pass all necessary resolutions therefor.

Dated at Victoria, this 18th day of January, A.D., 1911.

WM. BRYCE,
WM. McC. HUTCHISON,
Trustees.

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 Fore-shore 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.

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.

LICENCE TO AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY.

Companies' Act (July 1st, 1910)

CANADA:
Province of British Columbia.
No. 359A (1910)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that "Royal Exchange Assurance" of London, England, 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 situated at the Royal Exchange in the City of London, England.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situated at the City of Victoria, and James H. Lawson, Junior, Barrister, whose address is Victoria aforesaid, is the attorney for the company. The amount of the capital of the Com-

pany is two million pounds sterling, not divided into shares.

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

D. WHITESIDE,
Registrar-General of Titles.

The objects for which this Company To carry on the business of marine, fire and life assurance in all and every of the branches of such businesses as at present carried on by the corporation and any future development of such businesses respectively to grant and sell annuities and to grant assurances and contracts of guarantee or indemnity against loss whether direct or indirect, arising from the happening of any event whatever and to undertake any contract or business now or at any time ordinarily undertaken or transacted by underwriters and to lend money on mortgage or bottomry and to undertake, and transact any business ordinarily known as trustee and executorship business.

To acquire and hold without any lien in mortmain and to deal with and dispose of on such terms and conditions and in such manner as the corporation may think fit any lands of any tenure in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland or any interest therein;

For the purpose of business premises out of England to acquire, hold and dispose of any lands of any tenure in India, any colony or dependency of the United Kingdom or in any foreign country or any interest therein and from time to time to sell, lease, exchange or otherwise dispose of any lands or any interest in land so acquired or any part of the same on such terms and conditions as the corporation may see fit;

To enter into and carry into effect contracts for amalgamating with or purchasing or taking over the whole or any part of the business or property of any company or society authorized to carry on any description of business which the corporation is authorized to carry on or for undertaking and performing all or any of the contracts, liabilities and engagements of any such company or society.

To procure the corporation to be registered or recognized in any country, state or place abroad and to make any investments or deposits and comply with any conditions necessary or expedient in order to carry on business there.

To form or assist in forming out of the United Kingdom any Company or association for carrying on any business which the corporation may for the time being be authorized to carry on and to hold shares or stock in or securities of any such company and to dispose of such shares, stock or securities and to guarantee the due fulfillment of all or any of the obligations and engagements of any such company but so that in every case arrangements shall be made for securing to the corporation the control and management and benefit of the business of any such Company;

To do all such things as may be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects;

And to carry out the above objects except so far as otherwise expressed either alone or in conjunction with any other person or association of persons and in any part of the world.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the Subdivisions F, G and H and such other portions of Suburban Lot 5, Victoria City, as were owned by Nicolai Caspersen Mathiesen on the 29th day of January, 1890.

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 of the Certificate of Indefeasible Title to said land issued to Hannah Matilda Wood and Helen Lindsay Wood on the 11th day of February, 1902, and numbered 7515C, excepting as to such portions which have been transferred on the Register Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C. the 21st day of January, 1911.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General of Titles

WATER NOTICE

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

(a) The name, address and occupation of the applicant is Robert Frederick Springett.

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is) Cedar Creek, a branch of Millstream.

(c) The point of diversion on the south fifty (50) acres of Section one Range Seven, Shawngnan District, and about two hundred yards from the western boundary of that section.

(d) The quantity of water applied (in cubic feet per second) two.

(e) The character of the proposed works, water wheel or turbine for industrial purposes.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same) South 50 acres of Section 1, Range 7, Shawngnan District, and Lot 17, Malaha District, as shown on plan attached to conveyance from E. & N. Railway to Rueben Cousins, February 25, 1891.

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

(g) 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—To be returned to the stream about 150 feet down the stream from point of diversion and at about 35 feet lower altitude.

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

(i) 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, none.

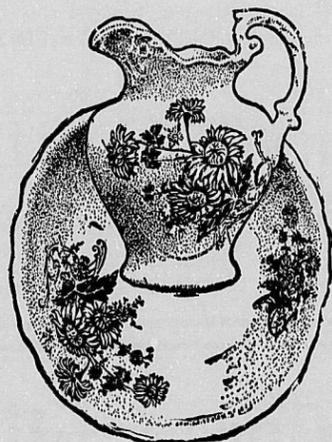
(Signature) R. F. SPRINGETT,
(P. O. Address)

Koenig's P. O., Shawngnan Lake.
Note—One cubic foot per second is equivalent to 35.71 miners' inches.

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### CORRESPONDENCE

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#### NURSERY STOCK

Editor "The Week,"  
Victoria, B. C.:  
Dear Sir,—The Public Press of this Province has always given this Department efficient assistance, indeed, I have always held that without the co-operation of the Press we could never have enforced our Horticultural Regulations, which are proving of such immense advantage to the fruit-growing industry of British Columbia. I would, therefore, katetshremfwyp would, therefore, take the liberty of requesting you to grant me the use of your valuable columns to direct nursery stock to section 4 of the Horticultural Regulations, which provides that certified invoices of all shipments of nursery stock, trees and plants, must be furnished to the Inspector of Fruit Pests, at Vancouver, at the time when such shipments are delivered for inspection. The reason for this is that when a case of goods arrives, we know by the invoice what it should contain, and are prepared to check contents over with the invoice. This greatly expedites the business of inspection and enables us to deal promptly with all importations.

It is clearly in the interests of the importers that we should be able to detect any mistake that may have been made in shipping the goods. All this was carefully considered when the Horticultural Rules were adopted, but unfortunately many of the importers neglect to comply with this Regulation. I would therefore urge that a gen-

eral observance of this rule be adopted.

The importations of nursery stock are largely on the increase, and I am just completing additional facilities for inspection. Our staff will be doubled this year, so that whatever delays may have occurred in the past may be avoided in future, if the importers comply with the regulation above referred to.

Thanking you for your assistance, I am,

Yours faithfully,  
THOMAS CUNNINGHAM,  
Inspector of Fruit Pests.

#### COURTESY TITLES

Victoria, Jan. 31st, 1911.

Sir,—Re a paragraph in Saturday's issue of your valuable paper. It occurs to me there is a great deal of misapprehension as to the proper style and status of a Knight's wife or widow.

Admiral Sir George Bentham's widow (an old friend of mine at Canterbury) strongly objected to the title "Lady Bentham," and assured everyone that "Dame Bentham" was the correct appellation, and that, even, she did not use, as she disliked the Knightly title, "given as it is now to rich brewers, or soap-makers, and that ilk." Will you, therefore, please make plain that a Knight's wife or widow must not be confounded with wives of baronets, barons, earls, etc., nor should they usurp the title "her ladyship." I am frequently corrected on this point, in a somewhat supercilious manner, and should be glad to have "counsel's opinion" on the matter in question.

A COMMONER.

[Our correspondent is entirely in the wrong. If she will consult Whitaker's Peerage she will find many instances, including that of a highly respected Victoria lady, where the widow of a Knight is accorded the title of "Lady."—Ed. Week.]

#### THE LARGEST HOTEL

Editor "The Week,"  
City:  
Dear Sir,—Will you kindly tell us the name and location of the largest hotel in the world. We have heard suggested the Midland in Manchester, and would be obliged if you could inform us correctly. Yours very truly,

E. F. SMITH.

[Can anyone oblige? The Week knows very little of hotels.—Ed. Week.]

#### MOTHERLAND

##### Death of Lord Wrottesley

We regret to announce that the death of Lord Wrottesley, which took place at his London residence, 8, Herbert-chescent, Sloane-street last month. Lord Wrottesley, who was eighty-six years of age, recently had a fall, suffering a fracture of the thigh, and had been for some time in a weak state of health. For ten years he was a Lord in Waiting to Queen Victoria, and for a longer period was Lord Lieutenant of Staffordshire—the county with which his family has been associated for over 700 years.

##### Sir Ernest Shackleton

Sir Ernest Shackleton will head a party of scientists in an expedition to the Spitzbergen Islands, in the Arctic Ocean, in May or June next. The party will be away for more than two months. The chief objects of the expedition are biological research and the comparing of the flora and fauna of the Arctic and the Antarctic. There is a probability of Sir Ernest making another expedition to the Antarctic two years hence or perhaps sooner. It will be one of the largest yet sent, and will include three or four landing parties. It is hoped to circumnavigate the Antarctic completely.

#### Famous Swordsman Dead

In Captain Alfred Hutton, whose death we regret to announce, England loses one of the finest swordsmen it has ever had. Born in 1840 at Beverley, Yorkshire, Captain Hutton acquired his taste for swordsmanship at his school at Blackheath, where the great Angelo was fencing master. He served with the 79th Highlanders in the Indian Mutiny, and in that regiment and in the 7th Hussars and the King's Dragoon Guards he did much to improve the swordsmanship of officers and men.

#### Death While Hunting

Colonel Henry Parry Carden, late of the Duke of Cornwall's regiment, was seized last month with an attack of apoplexy while out hunting with the Newry Harriers, and fell from his horse when galloping up the fields in the townland of Creevy. When picked up he was lifeless. Colonel Carden retired from the Army fifteen years ago and took up his residence at Savilmore, near Newry, County Down, Ireland.

#### Garter for Lord Minto

A recent court circular contained the following announcement: "The Earl of Minto was received in audience by the King today upon his return from India, when His Majesty invested him with the insignia of the Most Noble Order of the Garter."

#### New Over-seas Governor

The King has approved the appointment of Sir Frances Henry Clay Colonial Secretary of Hong-kong, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Fiji and High Commissioner for the Western Pacific in place of Sir Everard im Thurn, resigned.

#### Highland Chief's Death

Sir Neil Menzies, chief of the Clan Menzies, died in Paris last month, at the age of fifty-five. He was the

owner of about 90,000 acres of land in Scotland, and of these 70,000 acres were announced to be sold by auction in May, including the Rannoch Lodge estate of 20,595 acres.

#### Anglo-French Time

After a discussion lasting twenty-six years France is about to adopt Greenwich time. All clocks will thus have to be put back 9 min. 21 seconds.

#### World's Largest Ship

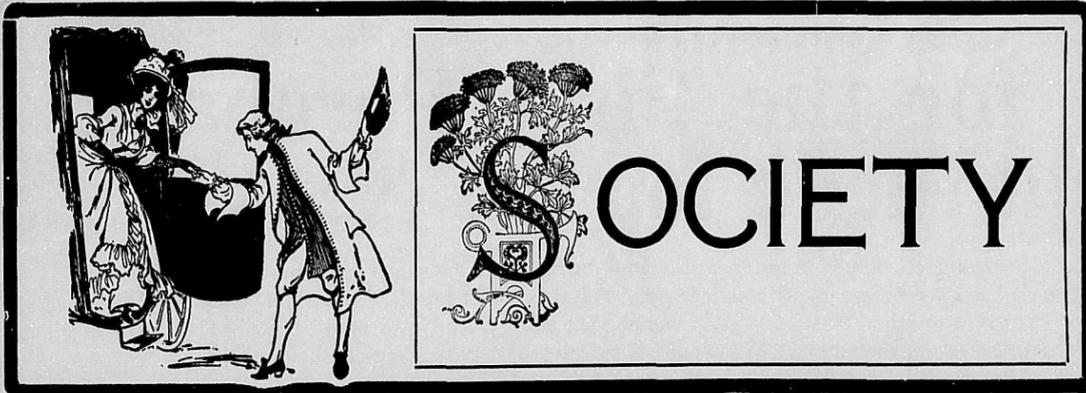
The Cunard Steamship Company has opened tenders for the construction of the largest merchant ship in the world. In view of the importance of the work only three firms were invited to send tenders. These are the Vickers Company, Barrow-in-Furness; Messrs. John Brown and Co., Ltd., Clydebank; and Messrs. Swan, Hunter, and Wigham-Richardson, Ltd., (in association with the Wallsend Slipway and Engineering Co., Ltd., New Castle-on-Tyne).

The dimensions of the new Cunarder compared with the Olympic, the great White Star vessel recently launched at Belfast, are as follows: Cunarder—Length, 885 ft., breadth, 95½ ft.; speed, (contract), 23 knots; displacement, 50,000 tons; passengers, 3,790. Olympic—Length, 882½ ft.; breadth 92 ft.; speed, (contract) 23 knots; displacement, 45,000 tons; passengers, 2,490.

The cost of the new vessel will be about £2,000,000. It is not expected that the order for the ship will be allotted until the beginning of the new year. One stipulation is that provision shall be made for running the vessel with oil fuel if deemed expedient.

#### Nothing to See

The Man—I can look in your eyes, dear, and see everything.  
The Maiden—I am sorry, but when I told father he looked in Bradstreet's and saw nothing.



Mrs. Roy Troup has returned from a short visit to Seattle.

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Mr. J. B. Knox, Duncan, B.C., was in town for a few days this week.

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Mrs. A. C. Flumerfelt was hostess recently of a smart dinner party.

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Mrs. Stuart Robertson will be one of next week's hostesses.

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Mrs. Cooley of this city has left on a visit to friends in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Waddell, Vancouver, are guests in the city.

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Mr. Bundock, Duncan, B.C., was in town during the week.

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Mr. Clark Gamble, Vancouver, spent the week end in Victoria.

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Mrs. L. Thomas, city, is the guest of friends in Vancouver.

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Mr. E. R. Seater, Sidney, is staying at the Dominion Hotel.

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Mrs. W. C. Berkeley has taken up her residence at the "Angela," Burdette Avenue.

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Mrs. J. R. Hill, from Cowichan, is in town and is staying at the King Edward Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Currey from Calgary are visitors in town and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. MacGregor, Vancouver, are in town and are stopping at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Jones from Ladysmith, are registered at the King Edward Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walker from Seattle have been guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Miss Helen Peters and Miss Alice Bell opened their dancing club on Friday last in the A. O. U. W. hall.

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Miss Beatrice Heyland, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George McCurdy of Vancouver, returned home during the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brant, Calgary, who have been visiting friends in Victoria, have left on a trip to Southern California.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jervas Wake leave shortly for the Old Country where they will take up their residence for the future.

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Senator and Mrs. MacDonald and Miss MacDonald have left town on a visit to Ottawa, where they have rented a flat for some months.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Hamilton Burns have taken up their residence at "Armada" during the absence of Senator and Mrs. Macdonald.

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Captain and Mrs. Harris (nee Miss Wadmore) have returned from their honeymoon, and have taken their residence up in the city.

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Captain A. D. Macdonald, Work Point Barracks, leaves shortly for Halifax, where he will resume his military duties.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Rispin, of Eastern Canada, who is at present the guest of Mrs. E. E. Blackwood, and Mr. Jack Templeton, a well known surveyor of this city.

Native Sons, Post No. 1, have made arrangements to hold a ball in the Women's Building at the exhibition grounds or in the new ballroom at the Alexandra Club some time in April.

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Last Saturday afternoon the Ladies' Musical Club held their fourth concert in the schoolroom of Christ Church Cathedral. A large gathering were present and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent by all.

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An engagement of interest to Victorians which has recently been announced, is that of Miss Ethel Tilton, second daughter of Mrs. Edward Tilton of Victoria, B.C., and Mr. Harry Davis, formerly a master of the Collegiate School.

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The Dancing Club held its second dance on February 3rd in the Broad Street Hall. It proved to be a great success. The next will be held on the 17th of this month.

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Mrs. A. A. Campbell, Beacon Hill, held her post nuptial reception recently at her charming home which was prettily decorated for the occasion. Mrs. Campbell was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. J. M. Campbell and Miss Roberts.

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Miss Gladys Peters, Macaulay Plains, was hostess last week of a very charming young people's dance. Among some of the guests present were: Miss Mabel Eberts, Miss Brownie Bodwell, Miss Shela Dumbleton, Miss Tommy Scott, Miss Phyllis Slater, Miss Helen Peters, Miss Frieda Bagshawe, Miss Brodgrman, Miss Jock Bridgman, Miss Doryle James, Miss Eva Ross, Miss Holmes, and the Messrs. Robert Scott, Galliher, John Rogers, Cuthbert Allan, Rawdie Mathews, Jack Peters, E. Dewdney, Cyril Spencer, Lyons, Captain Gillian, Captain Lindsay, Teddy Ambery, Bagshawe, Hannington, W. B. Monteith and others.

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Mrs. A. W. Bridgman, Esquimalt Road, was hostess last Wednesday evening of a small and informal children's dance. Among those present were: Miss Doryle James, Miss Eleanor Monteith, Miss Tommy Scott, Miss Ruth Jones, Miss Nora Jones, Miss Dora Harper, Misses Dumbleton, Miss Drake, Miss Nixon, and Masters John Rogers, Robert Scott, Erike McCallum, Arthur McCallum, Crawfish, Messrs. Forrest and Mr. Brian Drake, and others.

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Mrs. J. A. Lindsay, Rockland Ave., was hostess last week of a very large and smart tea. Mrs. Lindsay received her guests in a lovely gown of shot blue and green satin, with an over-dress of dew-drop net, and heavy jewelled passementerie trimmings. The drawing room was charmingly decorated with pink carnations and greenery, while the tea table was tastefully adorned with daffodils. Among the guests were: Mrs. Paterson, Mrs. Jas. Dunsmuir, Mrs. Audain, Mrs. McTavish, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. Blackwood and the Misses Blackwood, Mrs. Gresley, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Sampson, Mrs. Charles Rhodes, Mrs. Rithet, Mrs. Genge, Mrs. Solly, Mrs. McKay, Mrs. McB. Smith, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Lawson and the Misses Lawson, Mrs. McMicking, Mrs. J. Irving, Miss Irving, Mrs. Lugrin and the Misses Lugrin, Mrs. Beasley, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Allister Robertson, Mrs. Jeffrey, Mrs. Church, Mrs. Pooley, Mrs. Mathews, Mrs. Helmcken and Miss Helmcken, Misses Day, Mrs. Little and Miss Little, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. B. H. Heisterman, Mrs. Fleet Robertson,

Mrs. Jacob, Mrs. Raymur, Misses Galletley, Mrs. Bodwell, Misses Mason, Mrs. Fell and Miss Fell, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Misses Eberts, Mrs. Cross and Miss Cross, Mrs. Page and Miss Page, Mrs. Cleland, Mrs. Watt, Mrs. Muskert, Mrs. Angus, Mrs. McCurdy, Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Abraham Smith and Miss Smith, Mrs. Ambery, Mrs. Alexis Martin, Mrs. P. A. E. Irving, Miss Irving, Mrs. Kirkbride, Mrs. B. Tye, Mrs. Todd, Mrs. A. Gillespie, Mrs. Richard Jones, Miss Risban, Miss Leckey, Mrs. Heisterman and Miss Heisterman, Miss Leitch, Misses McTavish, Mrs. Hassell, Mrs. Clay, Mrs. Henry Heisterman, Mrs. J. E. Wilson, Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. Spratt, Mrs. Griffiths, Mrs. Loewen, Mrs. Wolfenden, Mrs. R. Beaven, Mrs. Savage, Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Rattenbury.

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A very smart wedding was celebrated last Wednesday evening, when Miss Cecelia Emma Gordon, of Victoria, B.C., was united in marriage to Mr. R. C. Purdy, of San Diego, California. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dean Doull, at Christ Church Cathedral, at 7.30 o'clock. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. William Gordon, and looked charming in a travelling suit of green velvet. She was followed by one bridesmaid who was becomingly gowned in a dainty grey costume. The bridegroom was supported by Mr. C. Sampson of Vancouver. A large reception was afterwards held at the home of the bride's parents, Richardson Street. Among the invited guests were: His. Hon. Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Paterson, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison (England), Mrs. Scarratt (England), Miss Wade (England), Mr. and Mrs. Russel, Mr. and Mrs. Brenton, Mrs. and Miss Denny, Mr. and Mrs. Small, Miss Small, Mrs. Caldecott (Toronto), Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Caldecott (Toronto), Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caldecott (Toronto), Mr. and Mrs. Howell, Mr. Ernest (New Westminster), Mr. and Mrs. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Pengelly, Mr. and Mrs. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Linitt, Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Rev. and Mrs. Beverly Smith (Toronto), Mr. and Mrs. Gleason (Boston), Mr. and Mrs. Emery (Boston), Miss McDowell, Miss K. McDowell, Mrs. Barwick (Montreal), Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Barwick (Montreal), Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Barwick (Montreal), Mrs. Mcenzie, Mrs. and Miss Holls, Miss Marshall (Kamloops), Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hart (New York), Mr. and Mrs. Taft (New York), Mr. and Mrs. Creaves, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gordon, Mr. Bruce Gordon, Miss G. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Bolton (Vancouver), Mr. C. Bolton (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. McGinn (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGinn (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Simmonds (Blain, Wash.), Miss Burnice (Purdy, Ont.), Mr. and Mrs. Westmore (Chatham, Ont.), Mr. D. H. Gordon, Miss Isabella Gordon, Mr. Brown, Mr. Foulds, Mr. Williams (Vancouver), Miss Larger (Vancouver), Mr. Call, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Pink, Mr. Tampion (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Benton (South Framingham), Mrs. Barwick (Boston), Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Mr. Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. T. Knight (Vancouver), Miss Sharkey, Mr. and Mrs. Rothard, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mrs. T. Cox (Vancouver), Mrs. Powers, Mrs. Wolridge (Vancouver), Miss Gordon (Boston), Mr. Arnold (Beverly, Mass), Miss Coughlan, Mr. Oben, Mr. and Mrs. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, Mr. H. C. Gordon, and Mr. Purdy (San Diego, Cal).

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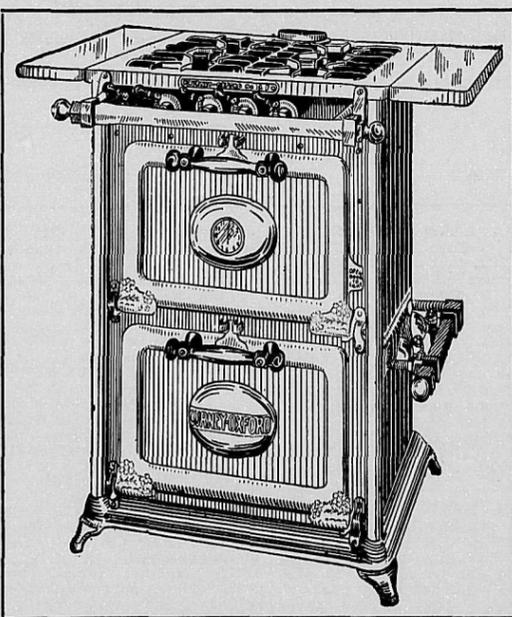
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Mrs. Richard McBride was hostess during the week of a very smart "at home" held at her charming residence on the Gorge Road, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion with spring flowers and greenery. Miss Thain's orchestra rendered a very delightful selection of music during the afternoon. Mrs. McBride received her guests in a handsome gown of wisteria blue, trimmed with gold embroidery. Among some of the guests invited were: Mrs. Paterson, wearing a mole-coloured gown with trimmings of Oriental embroidery—with this she wore a large black hat with yellow plumes; Mrs. Bowser looked smart in a becoming black costume; Mrs. Young, in mauve; Mrs. Price Ellison in handsome gown of blue satin; Mrs. Galliher in heliotrope crepe de chine with a black hat; Mrs. Spratt wore a very becoming dress of embroideres chiffon over pink; Mrs. McCurdy, in pale green velvet with ermine hat and furs; Mrs. Burdick in dark blue crepe de chine; Mrs. H. Dallas Helmcken in blue satin with smart blue toque; Mrs. McMicking wore a handsome gown of mauve velvet; Mrs. P. de Noe Walker looked smart in brown velvet; Mrs. Rismulter wore a gown of apricot satin with toque and furs to match; Mrs. Rithet, in a handsome black gown; Mrs. Carlin, very well in pink; Mrs. Alex. Lucas, in violet satin; Mrs. Audain wore a very smart costume of black velvet with handsome sables; Mrs. Griffiths in black crepe de chine; Mrs. Muskett was smartly gowned in black velvet with toque to match; Mrs. Macdonald (Kamloops), was gowned in black; Bishop of Columbia and Mrs. Perrin; Bishop Cride and Miss Cridge; Hon. Chief Justice and Mrs. Hunter, Hon. Chief Justice and Mrs. Macdonald, Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. Irving, Miss Irving, Hon. Mr. Justice Martin and Mrs. Martin, Hon. Mr. Justice Galliher and Mrs. Galliher, Hon. Mr. Justice Clement and Mrs. Clement, Hon. Mr. Justice Morrison and Mrs. Morrison, Hon. Mr. Justice Murphy and Mrs. Murphy,

Hon. Mr. Justice Gregory, Judge and Mrs. Lampman, Mr. Lowenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Hon. Edgar Dewdney and Mrs. Dewdney, Col. Prior and Mrs. Prior, Hon. James Dunsmuir, and Mrs. Dunsmuir, Senator Macdonald and Mrs. Macdonald, Miss Macdonald, Senator Riple and Mrs. Riley, Hon. Wm. Templeman and Mrs. Templeman, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Barnard, Hon. J. S. Helmcken, Mrs. Higgins, Mr. J. A. Mara, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pooley, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. H. Matson, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lugin, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Beaven, Col. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Flumerfelt, Dr. Fagan and Mrs. Fagan, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Gore, Captain and Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Naires, Mrs. A. D. MacDonald, Mrs. Wadmore and Miss Wadmore, Mrs. Foulkes, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Col. and Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Trewartha James, Mrs. C. M. Roberts, Capt. and Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Trewartha James, Mrs. C. M. Roberts, Capt. and Mrs. Irving and Miss Irving, Mr. and Mrs. G. Johnston, Dr. and Mrs. O. M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. James Raymur, Miss Lawson, Mrs. Beauchamp Tye, Mrs. McCallum, Col. and Mrs. Peters, Mrs. D. M. Eberts and the Misses Eberts, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mathews, Mrs. and Mr. R. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. George Gillespie, Miss Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Bodwell, Major and Mrs. Dupont and Miss Dupont, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Monk, Mrs. W. N. Winsby, Mrs. Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. David Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blake-more and the Misses Blakemore, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Arbuthnot and Miss Arbuthnot, Dr. and Mrs. Leeder, Mr. and Mrs. Her-ric McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Smith, Mrs. Stevenson and the Misses Mason, Dr. and Mrs. Wasson, Mrs. and Miss Tuck, Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart

Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Lux-ton, Mr. and Mrs. Butchart, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ambery, Mrs. Devereaux and the Misses Devereaux, Mr. and Mrs. Blackwood and the Misses Blackwood, Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spratt, Mr. and Mrs. Boggs and a great many others.

**At the Street Corner**  
By THE LOUNGER  
(Continued from Page 2)

reason, but whatever that reason may be there can be absolutely no doubt but that they are extremely inconvenient, as they prove to be literally stumbling-blocks. Of course they are visible and anyone taking the trouble to keep his eye on his feet can avoid them, but the average man or woman when once safely on the sidewalk is for the most part accustomed to walk along intent on threading a path amidst the busy throng or with eyes scanning the faces which pass to and fro and the bargains in the store windows. Whilst engaged in these fascinating pursuits an involuntary step to the side in order to circumnavigate a larger "bunch" than usual brings the outside of the boot against these planks and nearly precipitates a downfall. And why are they there? In other places may be seen little squares of wood at the foot of a pole or a water standard. What are they for? And echo merely answers "What?" If there is anyone who is better informed than Echo, a word of explanation dropped into the office of The Week would be greatly appreciated by the

*Lounger.*

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.  
Jan 14

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT  
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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 Nemlah 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 Nemlah 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.  
Jan 14

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 78.38 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

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 HENSLEY SHANKS.  
Jan 14

## LOCAL OPTION NOTES

Although the advocates in this Province of Local Option or the Canada Temperance Act had announced that they intended almost immediately to circulate petitions in Victoria, New Westminster and the Slokan, preliminary to making tests of public opinion in these districts on a proposal to substitute the Canada Temperance Act for British Columbia's own workable license law, in control of the liquor traffic, it is now intimated that this intention has been abandoned, and that Victoria and New Westminster will be left alone for the time being, "while a campaign of education is more vigorously prosecuted." In the Slokan it is said to be the intention to secure a Scott Act vote during June or July. This time is set, it is explained, as a large proportion of the district population will then be in the hills, engaged in prospecting, and the Scott Act champions will thereby obtain a better chance of success. In other words the deliberate disfranchisement of a considerable number of good citizens is contemplated, in order that a fictitious expression of public opinion may be given the force of law, as against the judgment and wishes of a majority. One cannot think very favorably of a cause whose champions would stoop to advocacy of such principles and methods. The Executive Committee of the Scott Act organization for British Columbia meets again in Vancouver during the second week of February.

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In curious contrast with the attitude taken by the champions of Local Option throughout the Prairie Provinces is the course now being pursued by those other and more Eastern temperance extremists where Local Option has for some time past been in vogue, and where endeavors are now being concentrated upon securing a substitution of the Scott Act. Conversely, where the Scott Act has been ostensibly in force—no one will seriously assert that it is really enforced or enforceable—they are urging the substitution of Local Option. Both methods to the disinterested observer would seem to be failures in the test of practical application; and from all parts of America each day brings fresh testimony that the best practical results in the correction of the evils arising through immoderate use or abuse of intoxicants are achieved through drastic and strictly enforced license and regulation law, of which the British Columbia Act is everywhere spoken of as a model of workability.

## TOPICAL TRIFLES XIV.

(By Onlooker)

The day of the airman is at hand! Now that Mr. McCurdy can alight in the water without getting his feet wet, the possibilities of the aeroplane are immense. What is to prevent a flight of American aeroplanists from alighting in the waters of the west coast of Vancouver Island for a fishing excursion, soaring away again when the Rainbow slowly makes her appearance? Here is a chance for Vancouver Islanders to distinguish themselves by building a fleet of airships to prevent the possibility of such an untoward event. Even the worm will turn, and there may be a halibut or two worth saving yet.

Talking of fishing, incidentally, we have lately been told that grilse are not salmon. Some people should make more use of their encyclopaedia.

The Island Arts Club of Victoria held an interesting meeting last week when a paper was read on "The Craft Movement in England." The lecturer deplored the excessive demand for machine made articles which is leading to the disappearance of the infinitely more beautiful work of men's hands. The vice-president of the club, who is always ready to promote the enjoyment of the Arts Club meetings, adroitly provoked quite an animated discussion as to the merits of steam versus muscle. Steam, he argued, placed certain reasonable luxuries within the

reach of the workingman who would otherwise be obliged to do without them. The discussion also involved the question of clothes, and when it was asked if the ladies would be content to return to the old fashion of having but one black silk dress, one only, but of course handmade, one of the fair sex present very aptly suggested that if steam were abolished and men were put to the task of making their own suits, would it not very soon come in again?

The only reply made by the lecturer to this remark which caused much laughter, was that their wives could make them.

There seems to be a relic of barbaric days in the idea still latent in men's breasts which suggests to them that women ought to sit and sew and wait upon their lords. It crops up now and then, even in these days of female emancipation. But when the registered voters list is likely to show a preponderance of women over men as it does in a large city not far from Victoria, there must necessarily have been a considerable upheaval in the old order of things. Perhaps the world will one day witness the return of the matriarchal system under which children took their names from their mothers, women made all the laws, and men merely did what they were told.

The discussion at the Arts Club was continued at some length and finally evolved into an argument as to whether a brick ought to be perfectly square or whether it ought to have a kink in it just for art's sake. At this point the vice-president "quit" and the Art Club betook itself to coffee and cake, and to discuss "graft movements in Victoria."

A very hearty vote of thanks was accorded the lecturer of the evening, who had prepared quite a clever paper, although some people were asking what the "point" was. This was discovered by an onlooker, and consists of the fact that the gentleman is going to —, but we shall wish him every success if he does.

## Isle of Wight

The King has sent presents to several of the staff at the Royal Naval College, Osborne, in recognition of their services to Prince Albert, who last week completed his two years' training at Osborne. Silver watches, inscribed "G. R. V." surmounted by a crown, have been received by Chief Petty Officer Gilbert and Cadet Servant A. T. Perkis (whose brother previously acted as cadet servant to the Prince of Wales at Osborne), together with an autograph portrait of Prince Albert. Cadet Gunner J. H. Inston also received an autograph portrait of the Prince.

## Toronto Offices Unsanitary

Having indicted the city for maintaining a nuisance in the cells at central police station, the grand jury recently severely condemned the city registry office as being overcrowded and unsanitary, lacking in accommodation and subject to great fire hazard. The jail and the Mercer reformatory were also criticized.

## C. N. R. to Yukon Territory

The Canadian Northern Railway has been given power in a bill to construct a railway from Edmonton through the Peace River to the Yukon territory. The construction starts next year. Bonds are on sale at present in London. The railway will open twenty million acres to homesteaders.

## Wait Approval

The finance department of the Dominion Government is awaiting the approval by King George V. of his effigy to be used on the new Canadian gold coins. As soon as this is done and the dies are forwarded, the coinage of gold will begin at the Ottawa branch of the royal mint.

## Typhoid Epidemic In Ottawa

The capital is threatened with a serious outbreak of typhoid, there being at present thirty-six cases in the city hospitals. The outbreak is attributed to a contaminated water supply.

## Stung

Willy—The other day I found mother crying over your book of poems.

His Sister's Fiance (delighted)—Oh, is that so? (Aside.) Ah, what glory! What fame awaits me! A man who can bring tears to the eyes of such a flint-hearted woman is certainly great and no mistake. (To Willy) She was really weeping, Willy?

Willy—Yes, she said it nearly broke her heart to think that a daughter of hers was going to marry a fellow who would write such rot as that.

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TAKE NOTICE that Dorothea Siewerd, 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 SIEWERD.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## 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 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.  
AMANDA JONES.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 2  
TAKE NOTICE that Nancy Morgan, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation house-keeper, 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## Stung

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His Sister's Fiance (delighted)—Oh, is that so? (Aside.) Ah, what glory! What fame awaits me! A man who can bring tears to the eyes of such a flint-hearted woman is certainly great and no mistake. (To Willy) She was really weeping, Willy?

Willy—Yes, she said it nearly broke her heart to think that a daughter of hers was going to marry a fellow who would write such rot as that.

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TAKE NOTICE that James Nathaniel Boulton, 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 BOULTON.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
Jan 7

## "LAND REGISTRY ACT"

In the matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 2, Block 1, of Lot 36, of Section 4 (Map 931) 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 Lily Terese Peirce on the 18th day of December, 1908, and numbered 19285C.  
Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., the 25th day of January, 1911.  
S. Y. WOOTTON,  
Registrar-General of Titles.  
Jan 28

## 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 of a 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.  
ALEXANDER N. DICK.  
Jan 14

## 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

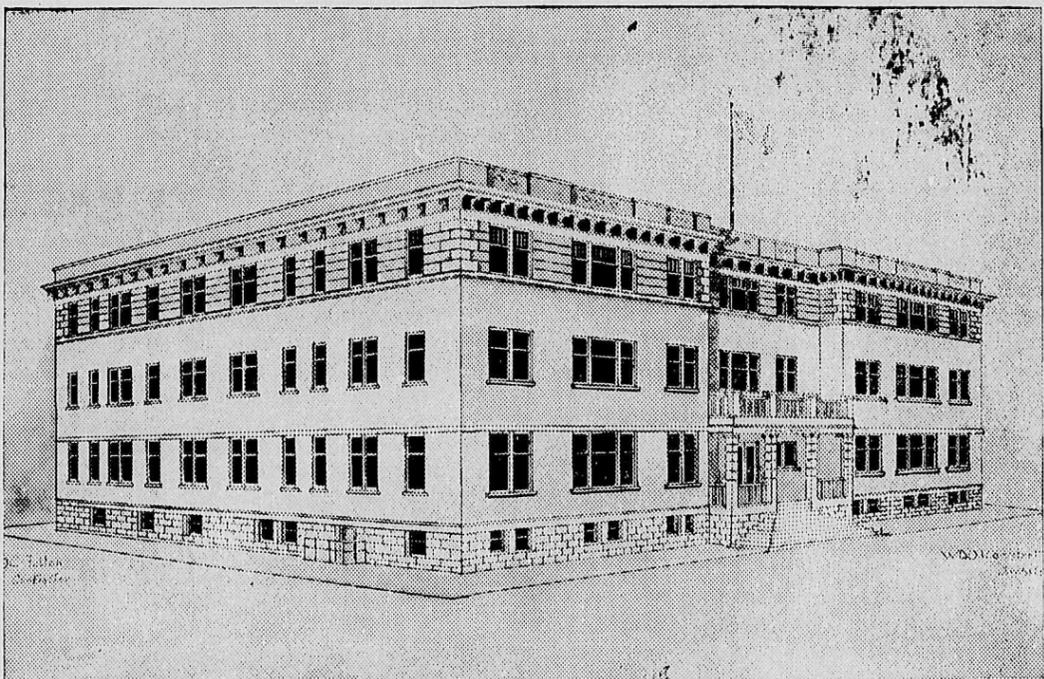
District of Coast, Range 2  
TAKE NOTICE that George William Hobson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Insurance Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeasterly end of Toonia Lake, thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.  
Dated November 21st, 1910.  
GEORGE WILLIAM HOBSON.  
Jan 14

## 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.  
Frederick A. Smith, Agent.  
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