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## Double Wedding Today. Death Of James Hunter Hunters Must

Skidegate this (Monday) afternoon, when a double wedding will be celebrated. The contracting parties are Mr. Edward Wiggins and Miss Lottie Loughlin, and Mr. Antoine Cromp and Miss Christina Goodall. Both couples are very popular and a large company will attend the ceremony.

The prospective benedicts were entertained at a stag dinner by a number of their bachelor friends on Saturday night at Mrs. N. Fraser's. Covers were laid for thirty and a pleasant time was spent in song and sentiment.

#### Newington Was Here.

The steamer Newington, under charter to the fisheries department, arrived in port Wednesday afternoon. She is

Fire Warden William Sandison and his bride will arrive from Scotland next month.



An interesting event comes off at Passed Away at Prince Rupert Hospital Last Sunday.

> James Hunter, who for some time resided at Sandspit and was well known locally, died at the Prince Rupert Hospital last Sunday. Not being in the best of health, Mr. Hunter decided to return

Rockwood, Ont., where he has a to daughter living, and left here a fortnight ago on the Prince John. Taking a bad turn while in Prince Rupert, he was removed to the general hospital, where his condition became worse and a few days later passed away. Deceased was 64 years of age.

#### A Former Citizen Lecturing in Scotland.

engaged in patrol duty. Capt. Barnes. The Buchan Observer of Peterhead, guardians, who shall undertake that is in command, and Capt. Ledwell "Scotland, says: Mr. J. F. Macdonald, such boys, when carrying firearms, will the fishery protection officer on board. Canadian delegate, addressed a meeting always be under their supervision or

## **Have Licences**

#### Important Amendment to Game Act.

Important changes to the Game Protection Act of British Columbia was passed recently in the Legislature. The measure provides, among other things, that it shall be unlawful for any resident of the province to hunt animals or birds or to carry firearms of any description, or air guns, or any device for the purpose of capturing any animal or bird without first taking out a license. In addition to taking out a license, hunters will be required to wear a badge showing the number of their licence. These licences will not be transferable. Any breach of the act involves cancellation of a hunter's licence. Licences will not be issued to boys under sixteen except at the written request of parents or at New Deer on "Opportunities afforded that of some responsible licence holder. to emigrants to Canada." There was There are three classes of licences: an a large audience and great interest was ordinary, to carry firearms and hunt manifested in the lecture. Mr. Mac- birds and deer, other than moose, wapiti donald is now in Peterhead, and is to and cariboo, costing \$2.50; a general, to deliver his lecture there at an early date. hunt game, birds and animals, \$5; a Mr. Macdonald says that the farm special, to carry firearms and trap, \$10. servants in Aberdeenshire are manifest- Holders of general or special licence ing a deep interest in his lectures and must, within fourteen days of date of there will be large number of them make expiration, return the licence to the provincial game warden with a sworn Mr. Macdonald was formerly Indian statement of the number of each species of big game or animal trapped. Prospectors having a free miner's certificate may obtain ordinary licences during the open season, while actually engaged in prospecting; so may farmers and their sons hunting on the land on which they permanently reside. Any firearm found in the possession of any person not having a licence may be seized and confiscated.



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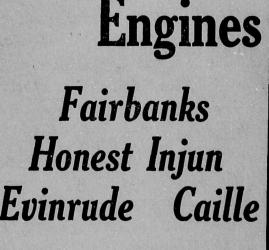
Constable at Massett.

#### Langara Light Operating By June.

By the beginning of June the big new first order light at Langara Island, of the Queen Charlotte group, will be in operation, according to Captain Frank Saunders, head of the Digby Island Marine Depot. Captain Saunders inspected the construction work recently, and says that the huge lantern will soon be installed, and the first beam of light will be flashed from the tower about the beginning of June. The light will be one of the most powerful on the Pacific coast, and in clear weather mariners will be able to pick it up 15 again on April 8.

miles off. During the week Government Agent Lights will be placed on Rose Spit Sandilands visited Lawn Hill and Sandand at the entrance to Massett Inlet spit in connection with the road work during the summer. for the coming season.

Mr. John McLellan, of Lena Island, who has been spending a holiday in the Old Country, is expected back shortly. After this trip the Prince John will resume her weekly schedule to Queen Charlotte Islands. She will be due here



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#### The Land Act.

The are many salient features in the which, so far as known (not having Amendments to the Land Act which been surveyed), has all the appearance appeal to pre-emptors and others. In of being a magnificent harbor. It is any part of this Province, where open the only harbor on Graham Island where land can be taken up by a pre-emptor, large colliers and large steamships can it will be quite easy to carry out the come in and load coal. In 1885, when amendments to Section 28, which in- the late James Shields and myself discludes "permanent improvements to the covered coal, at what is now known as value of five dollars per acre, including Camp Wilson, we continued up the Yathe clearing and bringing under cultiva- koun River to Yakoun Lake, and after tion of five acres." Without in any prospecting around the lake we climbed way desiring to throw obstacles in the the mountain in the direction of Skideway of the government or prospective gate Inlet. When we got to the summit settler, it must be apparent that few we camped, and noticing a high peak to can take advantage of the provisions of the east of us, we climbed to the top to the amendments without assistance have a view of the country. As it hapfrom the government or monied institu- pened to be clear weather we obtained DR tions, in the way of loans. It is well a fine view in every direction, but what known that our sea coast and inlets are interested us most was an arm of the covered with timber-some of it mer- sea that appeared to be but a short dischantable, and other sections open for tance west of Yakoun Lake, which I pre-emption-which will cost a large believed to be Rennels Sound. If it sum to clear. Our pre-emptors are poor was a good harbor and easy of entrance men and we trust that every induce- it was what would be wanted, so that ment will be placed in their way to people the largest colliers and steamers could the islands. Is it worth while settling enter and load coal, as there was no on some of the land that will, eventually other harbor on Graham Island where prove valuable? There are may quarter this could be done. A short time aftersections where it is possible to carry wards, when we were at Gold Harbor, out the provisions of the amended act. James Shields and an Indian went to It is nothing but right that the pre- Rennels Sound and examined it and took emptor should improve his holding, and some soundings, and finding it all that there is no doubt that some have done we wished he putup our location notices. their duty. The honest pre-emptor, and He noticed there were fine streams of we have a large number of first class fresh water, good sites for coal bunkers, settlers on the islands, is anxious to and a perfectly protected harbor inside carry out any and all of the conditions. of what is now known as Shields Island. P.O. BOX 436 It is to be hoped the free grants will The island is named after him and is a bring in many seeking homes. In speak- good name otherwise, as it is a fine ing of the development of the country, shield from the waves of the Pacific. is ever required that can easily be forti- Admiral of the Fleet on this station to in introducing the amendments, the Since that time I have learned more fied, Rennels Sound is the place. There it, and he returned me an answer that Hon. Mr. Ross remarked: "In certain about Rennels Sound, both inside and is a high mountain at'the head of the it was not, as yet, a stragetic position, sections of the province, particularly on outside. There is a large wide bay sets harbor, called, I believe, after myself, which I suppose is correct, but it might Graham Island, the activities of those in towards the entrance to the sound, as I was the first white man to climb it. suddenly become one. The scenery seeking to develop the coal resources and there is a high peak called Emmons That mountain can be made a Gibralter. around Rennels Sound is very fine and have run counter to the intending settler Peak, at the south side of the entrance, Neither dreadnaughts, airships, sub- some time it will be a summer resort. in the closing of other areas. Such an- which can be seen from the sea for many marine, or any other devilish invention There are some strong mineral springs tagonism, however, as has presented it- miles and a splendid guide to the en- could capture it as long as provisions near there and other interests that will self, is more fancied than real, and will trance to the harbor of Rennels Sound. and ammunition lasted. I called the yet be of value. be confined to the initial efforts of the I hope the harbor will soon be surveyed attention of the late Sir John McDonald lumberman and the miner in the direc- and charted, so that if there are any to it when he was in Victoria, and asked tion of the development of the national obstructions it will be known where they him if he would call the attention of the resources they have selected for their are. Coaling stations was an important Admiralty to it, and he said he would; back in town again after prospecting on attention, as in the end their success question some few years ago, and I and he did, as I seen notice of it after-

and the toll which the province will take for the utilization of its timber and its minerals will be available for the construction of roads and schools, if indeed it does not have the effect, as some optimistic persons think, of putting the tax collector out of business entirely."

#### Letter From W. A. Robertson.

To the Editor of The Islander. Dear Sir,-There is one important part of Graham Island which seems so far to be overlooked and hardly ever mentioned, and that is Rennels Sound,



## **PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT**

NOTICE is hereby given that the List of Voters for the Skeena Electoral District has been cancelled, and that applications to be placed on the Voters' List will be received at my office at the Government Buildings, Prince Rupert, B. C., where printed forms of affidavit to be used in support of an application to yote will be supplied.

The list of persons claiming to vote will be suspended from and after the 7th day of April, 1913, and a Court of Revision will be held on the 19th day of May, 1913, and notice of objections to the insertion of any name on the Register of Voters must be given to me thirty clear days before the holding of the Court of Revision.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 1913.

J. H. McMULLIN, Registrar of Voters for the Skeena Electoral District.

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W. A. ROBERTSON. Victoria, B.C., Feb. 27, 1913.

Nels Larsen and Charlie Golden are the west coast of Moresby Island for will spell greater success for the farmer, suppose is yet, and if a coaling station wards. I also called the attention of an several weeks.

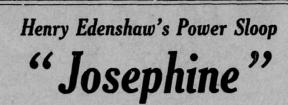
## History Of Queen Charlotte Islands.

### Haidas and Their Legends.

By Mr. Charles Harrison. Article XXXI.V---The Ga-geet

canoes wrecked at sea they sometimes this Ga-geet scare are now mostly dead. reach the shore and sink down ex- This famous Ga-geet had the power to hausted. Presently they arise again fly over their houses and was even reand run along the beach and finally run ported to be seen on the back of a white off into the woods and there they be- horse that I owned. Both the horse and come like animals. They sustain them- the rider seemed, according to the selves by living on roots and berries Haidas, to have had the supernatural until they gradually become distraught power of floating or gliding over their and frightful to behold. Their hair, village after sunset, yet at the same finger nails, toe nails and teeth grow time that my horse was seen playing long, and their bodies become covered these tricks at Massett I had him with with long black hair, and finally when me at my camp near Cape Ball, eighty they have reached this stage they are miles away. During this dreadful and deemed to live for a period like the wild trying time the whites and all the Haida beasts themselves. After this wild women and children were ordered to rebeast period is over a change gradually main indoors from sunset to sunrise. comes over them and they are said to until this Ga-geet had been killed. The become possessed with a mysterious men armed themselves with rifles and spirit or devil which gives them the shot-guns and sat night after night on power to fly about the country, but only the roofs of the old-fashioned houses during the night-time, for as soon as ready to shoot this annoying visitor daylight appears they vanish away to whenever he made his appearance. their accustomed haunts. When they Whilst they watched for his appearance had this power within them they were he entertained himself in another manvery terrible to behold, and woe to the ner by carrying up from the beach a man, woman or child that was seen by large canoe to a hill about five hundred them, for when in this flying condition yards away, and there he placed it on their one and only desire was that others end, leaning, it against a house owned should share their misery, consequently by a middle-aged Haida. When he had whenever they were able they breathed successfully completed his task he upon those they came into contact with, struck the house several sledge hammer and by so doing cast upon them their blows that awoke all the inmates that dire enchantment and sad existence. were then sound asleep. This occurred Ga-geets were credited with having night after night for a week or more. Job Printing Islander Office very great strength and were able in The owner of the house appeared to be the olden days of carrying large canoes, in a great state of fright, ss from his rooting up trees and of shaking houses. statements he believed that he and his When I first arrived at Massett one of family were doomed. Several of the STATEMENTS the old chiefs told me that a Ga-geet chiefs and the strong men of the village had formerly been caught near Skide- then kept him companyand all were fully gate by a hunting party in a trap. The armed so as not to allow the Ga-geet to BLOTTERS hunters instead of killing him took him get near enough to breathe on them. with them back to their village and Just as all were sound asleep thud, thud, kept him chained up for several years came these dreadful blows against the with an iron chain. Under this gentle side of the house night after night, but treatment he recovered his senses, and always at a different hour of the long once more became a rational being. winter's night. This battering at the Another Ga-geet was reported to have house never occurred until the Gageet been caught on the sharp splinter of a undoubtedly knew that all the inmates stump where a tree had been blown were asleep. The Gageet, however, down. The splinter ran right through came once too often. This night when his body and killed him. Many years he struck the house one old chief was ago at Massett an Indian shot at a Ga- awake sufficiently to see the owner of geet and for this insult the Ga-geet ran the house reappearing through a trap after him and compelled him to swim a door which he had secretly made in the considerable wide stream to his great floor and which he always kept covered discomfort before he could regain his with a cedar mat. By this time all were friends. I have had only one experience awake and upon investigations being amongst the Haidas when they thought made the trickery of this Haida was that a Ga-geet was prowling around one fully exposed. It was discovered that of their villages. This occurred many (Continued on page 5)

When Indians get capsized and their years ago, and the principal actors in



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#### CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

Notice is hereby given that the reserve, notice of which appeared in the British Columbia Gazette of the 25th February, 1909, being dated the 23rd February, 1909, relating to a parcel of land situated on the Eastern shore of Massett Inlet, Graham Island, is cancelled and that the vacant lands included therein will be thrown open to pre-emptionat midnight on Friday, October 4th, 1912.

R. A. Renwick, Deputy Minister of Lands. Lands Department, Victoria, B.C., 2nd July, 1912.

MINERAL ACT.

#### (Form F.)

#### CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS NOTICE

"Ajax" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District. Where located-On West side of Harriet Harbor, Moresby Island.

Take notice that I, John S. McMillan, Free Miner's Certificate No. B34510, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take a year. notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issue of rights only, but the lessee may be per- Island. such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1912.

#### MINERAL ACT. (Form F.)

#### CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS NOTICE

"Sandwich Fraction" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Chariotte Mining Division of Skeena District. Where located-On West side of Harriet Har-

hor, Moresby Island. Take notice that I, John S. McMillan, Free Miner's Certificate No. B34510, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Cartificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of



#### Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

"OAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must 3m be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territery the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

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

mitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered neces- Dated March 12th, 1913. sary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Depart-Agentor Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORRY.

N. B.-Unauthorised publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

OAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES. Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena

Take notice that W. Wilson Irwin, of the above claim. And further take Vancouver, B.C., broker, intends to apply notice that action, under section 37, for a license to prospect for coal and must be commenced before the issue of petroleum on the following described District of Skeena.

## NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of title for Lot 3, Block 25, Town of Queen Charlotte, Map 934.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first pulication hereof a duplicate of the Certificate of title to the above mentioned lands in the name of Abney McNaughton, which Certifimore than 2,560 acres will be leased to cate of title is dated the 20th August, 1910, and is numbered 290 R.

> William E. Burritt District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, January 16th, 1913.

#### LAND AT.

Skeena Land District-District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

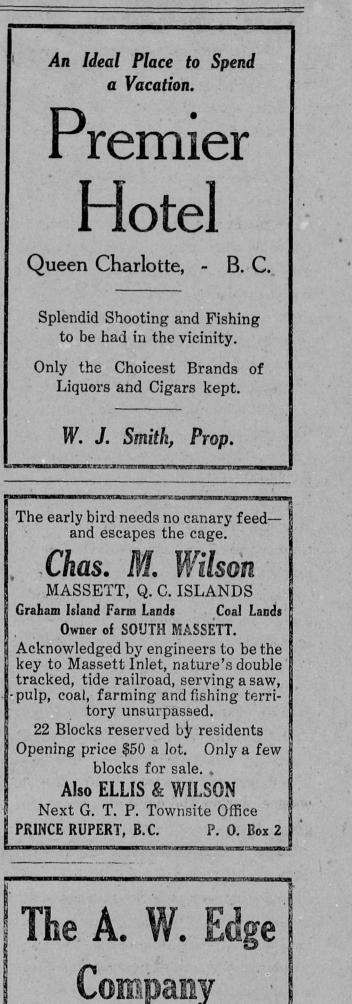
Take notice that James M. Campbell, of Queen Charlotte, B. C., occupation publisher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following de-The person operating the mine shall planted at the North-west corner of an furnish the Agent with sworn returns Island, situated at the mouth of the accounting for the full quantity of Dena River, Moresby Island, thence merchantable coal mined and pay the south 5 chains long shoreline, thence royalty thereon. If the coal mining east 5 chains along shoreline, thence rights are not being operated, such re- north 5 chains along shoreline, thence turns should be furnished at least once west 5 chains along shoreline to point of commencement, containing five acres The lease will include the coal mining more or less, which includes the whole James M. Campbell.

Arthur Solomon, agent.

#### Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Joseph L. Molitor, ment of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any of Queen Charlotte, B. C., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described tide Deputy Minister of the Interior. land: Commencing at a post planted -- Unauthorised publication of and marked J. L. M's N. E. corner, 40 chains North-east from the S. W. corner of Lot 874A and T. L. 42376, thence 20 chains west, thence 10 chains south, thence 20 chains east, thance 10 chains north to point of commencement, containing 20 acres more or less.

Joseph L. Molitor. Dated February 17th 1913.



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such Certificate of Improvements. Dated this 19th day of August, 1912.

#### COAL NOTICES.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena.

Take notice that Sydney Charles Ruck of Naden Harbor, occupation manager, intends to apply for permission to obtain a license to prospect for coal and Dated 7th November, 1912. Detroleum over 640 acres of land: Commencing at a post planted at the South-east corner of C. L. 7170, Otard Bay, west coast Graham Island, the same being my South-east corner post; thence Vancouver, B. C., broker, intends to east 30 chains, thence north 80 chains, apply for a license to prospect for coal thence west 80 chains. thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

Sydney Charles Ruck.

Date September 7th, 1912.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena.

Take notice that Thomas Rae of Naden Harbor, occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to obtain Dated 7th November, 1912 a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over 640 acres of land: Commencing at a post planted at the South-east corner of C. L. 7172, Otard Bay, west coast Graham Island, the same being my South-west corner post; thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

Thomas Rae. Date September 7th, 1912.

lands: Commencing at a post planted one and three-quarters miles north of the North-west corner of Lot 60, Graham Island, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, W. Wilson Irwin, Locator

Per Alexander Faulds, Agent

#### Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena

Take notice that W. Wilson Irwin, of and petroleum on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted one and three-quartermiles north of the North-west corner of Lot 60, Graham Island, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing about 640 W. Wilson Irwin, Locator acres. Per Alexander Faulds, Agent

#### FOR SALE

OFFERS will be received by the unfor Lot 494, being quarter-section of land near Miller Creek, Graham Island, signed forthwith. the estate of Haakon Edwardson, deceased. Terms-Cash.

> Max Ruff Executors W. Scowcroft

Take notice that Fredrick Howard Rosher, of Victoria, B. C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for per-mission to purchase the following dethence west 80 chain to point of com- scribed lands: Commencing at a post thence west 80 chain to point of com- scribed lands. South-west corner of mencement, containing about 640 acres. planted at the South-west corner of W. Wilson Irwin, Locator Timber Limit 1222 (Survey Lot 172), on the north shore of Cumshewa Inlet, Moresby Island; thence east 100 chains, thence south 30 chains to the north shore of Cumshewa Inlet, thence westerly following said shore line to place of commencement, containing 150 acres more or less.

Fredrick Howard Rosher Charles E. Pomeroy, agent. Date 16th October, 1912.

#### NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Haakon Edwardson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors of the estate of the deceased, Haakon Edwardson, are requested on Agent for or before the tenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned, executors of the said estate, and all persons dersigned up to February 10th, 1913, indebted to said estate are requested to pay such indebtedness to the under-

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#### HAIDAS AND THEIR LEGENDS

(Continued from page 3)

the owner of the house had secretly and unknown even to his own wife made a trap door in the floor which he kept covered during daylight with a Haida der the following described lands: Com-made cedar mat upon which every night miles west of the South-west corner of he spread his blankets, and when all were asleep and the house in darkness thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains he would steal through this trap door then travel quickly under the nouse, the floor of which washigh enough from the ground to allow of him accomplishing this feat easily. With a sledge hammer in his hand he would give the house two or three terrific blows which sounded dreadfully during the silent night watches to those within, and before they could get their lamps lighted he would return to his blankets and pretend to be as surprised as the rest. However, as I have said he tried the Gageet trick once too often. The chiefs and the men in the house were so angry with him that they immediately carried him down to the beach and threw him into the salt water, and there for a time he had to remain until the men were willing to allow him to go home. This man was secretly referred to as the Ga-geet until the day of his death. During miles west of the North-west corner of Section 6 Tr. 9 Graham Island thence the time of this excitement the men would go armed as an escort to the women during the day-light hours to get in their wood, water, and all others necessaries. Even after this man was detected in the act of imitating the Queen Charlotte Islands Land District. supposed actions of a Ga-geet some of supposed actions of a Ga-geet some of the old Haidas firmly believed that the malevolent spirit of one of these to prospect for coal and petroleum on creatures had really entered into his and under the following described lands: oody, and that he had partly the bad influence accredited to the Ga-geets in his possession. One day the grandchild of an old chief died shortly after these episodes, and the old man firmly believed that this mock Ga-geet had cast a spell over his god-son and had Dated July 15th, 1912. caused his death. The old man thinking over these things got out his rifle and fired two shots into the Ga-geet's house with the evident intention of killing him, but fortunately for all concerned the Ga-geet, his wife and family were absent at the time, and so murder was providentially not committed. As Gageets were credited with the miraculous power of flying generally about a man's height from the ground the only safe way to avoid them and take no risk was for the person so encountered to plunge at once into the sea or any water whatsoever rather than court an interview. These old ideas were firmly believed in by the ancient Haidas, but the present generation have been educated into the white man's ways and habits and pay very little attention to the stories and legends as narrated by their ancestors.

COAL NOTICES

#### Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Samuel Horner, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on and un-Section 7, Tp. 9, Graham Island, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, east to point of commencement, S. E. corner, containing 640 acres, more or Samuel Horner less.

per Robert Graham, agt. Dated July 15th, 1912 Sept. 9

#### Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Robert Graham, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about five miles west of the North-west corner of Section 6, Tp. 9, Graham Island, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, N. E. corner, containing 640 acres, more or or less. less. Robert Graham. less. Dated July 15th, 1912 Sept. 9

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena.

Take notice that I, Robert Graham, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following described lands: Com-Section 6, Tp. 9, Graham Island, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, N. W. less. Robert Graham. Dated July 15th, 1912. Sept. 9

District of Skeena.

five miles west of the South-west corner per Robert Graham, agt. or less. Sept. 9

#### COAL NOTICES

#### Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Robert Graham, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about four miles west of the North-west corner of Section 18, Tp. 9, Graham Island, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement. N.W. corner, containing 640 acres, more Robert Graham. or less. Dated July 15th, 1912. Sept. 9

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena

Take notice that I, Samuel Horner, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about four miles west of the South-west corner of Section 7, Tp. 9, Graham Island, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, S, W. corner, containing 640 acres, more Samuel Horner.

Dated July 15th, 1912. Sept. 9

#### Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-**District** of Skeena

Take notice that I, Samuel Horner, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation pros-pector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about four miles west of the South-west corner of Section 19, Tp. 9, Graham Island, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, corner, containing 640 acres, more or S.W. corner, containing 640 acres, more 14 h. p. Regal Heavy Duty, 30 ft. long. Samuel Horner. or less.

per Robert Graham, agt. Dated July 15th, 1912. Sept. 9

#### Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena.

and under the following described lands: to prospect for coal and petroleum on Queen Charlotte, B. C., occupation Commencing at a post planted about and under the following described lands: musician, intends to apply for per-Commencing at a post planted about mission to purchase the following deof Section 7, Tp. 9, Graham Island, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 thence 80 chains east, thence 80 thence 80 chains east, thence 80 then chains south to point of commencement, west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 Moresby Island, thence north 20 chains S. E. corner, containing 640 acres, more or less. James Hickey. Chains east to point of commencement, to shore line, thence east 10 chains along N. E. corner, containing 640 acres more shore line, thence south 20 chains along N. E. corner, containing 640 acres more or less. James Hickey. shore line, thence south 20 chains along shore line, thence west 20 chains along



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#### LAND ACT.

#### Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena

Take notice that Arthur Solomon, of per Robert Graham, agt. shore line to point of commencement, Dated July 15th, 1912. Sept. 9 containing 30 acres, more or less.

(To be contineud next week)

District of Skeena.

James Hickey. or less.

per Robert Graham, agt. Dated July 15th, 1912.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District. Queen Charlotte Islands Land District-District of Skeena.

Take notice that I, James Hickey, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation pros-pector, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following described lands: der the following described lands: Com-Commencing at a post planted about mencing at a post planted about four four miles west of the North-west cor- miles west of the South-west corner of ner of Section 18, Tp. 9, Graham Island, Section 19, Tp. 9, Graham Island, thence thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains chains east to point of commencement, east to point of commencement, S. E. N. E. corner, containing 640 acres, more corner, containing 640 acres, more or Samuel Horner. less.

per Robert Graham, agt. Sept. 9 Sept. 9 Dated July 15th, 1912.

**B.** C.

Arthur Solomon.

Dated March 12, 1913.

intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the extreme N. E. corner of Cullis Island, Skidegate Inlet, thence south 5 chains along shore line, thence east 5 chains along shore line, thence north 5 chains along shore line, thence west 5 chains along shore line to point of commencement.

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