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New Year's Eve Dance.

The New Year's Eve dance at Queenstown, held in Hastie's splendid hall, was a great success, and was largely attended by townsfolk and settlers from the surrounding district. At the stroke of twelve the entire company joined hands and sang Auld Lang Syne, after which wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year could be heard on all sides. Dainty refreshments were afterwards served and dancing was again resumed and continued until 3 a.m.

Conservative Smoker.

A good time is promised all those who attend the Conservative smoker and get together, to be held in Hastie's Hall on Saturday evening, Jan. 17. A rattling good programme has been arranged and President Clayton will be in the chair. It is hoped that all who can will attend from outlying points.

Ed. Singer Had New Year Dook.

Ed. Singer met with an unfortunate accident Saturday morning on arrival at Queenstown after the Graham Centre d nce. On the arrival of the Polaris at Martin's wharf he jumped ashore for the purpose of making the line fast, but somehow missed his footing and fell into the water. He had the presence of mind to hold on to the line and was promptly hauled out. The shock and cold bath upset him and he was taken to Mrs. Hastie's home and put to bed, but was all right next day.

Flowers In Bloom On Jan. 1.

As proof of the mildness of the season, at Massett in Mr. James Martin's garden on New Year's Day, pansies and daises were in full bloom. The rose trees were covered with buds and the honeysuckle was also bursting in to flower.

Mr. And Mrs. Hastie's Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hastie, of Queenstown, extend a hearty invitation to everyone to attend a social and dance to be held on Wednesday evening, 14th January, 1914, on the occasion of the opening of their new hall and billiard room.

Local News Items

Miss L. Tingley left Monday on a short vacation which will be spent in Victoria.

At Massett, on Tuesday, 30th December, the wife of Fred Nash, B.C.L.S., of a daughter.—Both well.

Mr. Partridge is cleaning ont the jambs on Kumdis River for the purpose of getting supplies in to his pre-emption.

The new schedule of the steamer Prince John will be found in our advertising columns. She is due at Massett on the 15th Jan.

Gus Lundquist has moved his log cabin at Kumdis Narrows to a more convenient place on the hill. He has also built an addition.

Mr. Dunroe, the man with the largest family on the Queen Charlotte Islands, is busy cutting trails to his pre-emption and is also building barns for the housing of his live stock at Kumdis Bay.

J. A. Thorne returned Tuesday afternoon from Queen Charlotte, coming over the east coast trail via Mayer Lake. Mr. Thorne reports that the work on the telegraph line has been completed.

H. B. Lehrman, who was ill with typhoid for some time, has recovered and left on Monday for his home in Vancouver. Mr. Lehrman wishes to thank his friends in Queenstown for their kindness and attention during his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker, who were married recently in Seattle, arrived here on Monday. Mr. Baker was with the Nash survey last season. He has taken up a pre-emption a short distance from Queenstown and intends moving on to it as soon as his house is completed.

The steamer Vadso had to be chartered to take the mail over from Prince Rupert owing to a mishap to the Prince Albert near Jedway. The Vadso arrived at Massett shortly after 9 a.m. Monday and left again at noon. She brought about 20 tons of freight and over 30 sacks of mail.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wright left on Monday for the south and will visit several of the coast cities while away. Mr. Wright, who is field superintendent for the Graham Island Coal & Timber Syndicate, will attend a directors' meeting in Vancouver regarding next season's operations on the island.

District News Items

WODEN

Henry Holland has been home during holidays, He reports good progress on his work at Queenstown.

Mr. McCartney of New Westminster has been here looking up a site for Saw Mill purposes. This gentleman has had long experience in this line of work, and expresses himself as well pleased with the outlook. We hope to be able to report that the way is clear for the plant to locate here.

Messrs Irwin and Stone are pioneers of the true northern type, and have just completed neat cabins on their claims at Drizzle Lake.

Rosco Rupe is home after quite a stay at Queenstown where he has been doing contract work. Mr. Rupe is now opening up a blacksmith shop at Woden, he has had this in mind for some time. This feature of industry will greatly add to building up of this rapidly growing settlement. We welcome all such.

Eastward the course of progress takes its way, from the port of entry at Woden River out beyond Echo Lake is now an unbroken line of home sites. Mr. Whitehall and Mr. Seip also Mr. Russel and family are now busy on the advance line doing good work on their pre-emptions.

New Year's night will be a long remembered date for many of the Wodenites. Hazelton & Campbell's large boat building establishment was open to the public where a very enjoyable programme was rendered, after which a splendid lunch was enjoyed by all. The ladies who had charge of the event truly deserve great credit. No one present enjoyed the evening better than did our good friend Fritz Rampmaer who has seen this district grow from his first location post marking his pre-emption something like two years ago to the prosperous neighborhood so well represented at this the first gathering of its kind at Woden.

Mr. Brewster lately from Winnipeg is here preparing to do permanent work on his claim near Drizzle Lake. Mr. Brewster is a man of wide experience and has great faith in Graham Island.

Rev. Father McDonald and C. C. Grange are having two neat buildings erected on their property near the store Mr. Woodruff has charge of construction work and when completed will add to the development of Woden. May the good work continue.

Elder Watson and Mr. Campbell have just completed the foundation of a building, the upper floor to be devoted to public service. The first floor will be for Hardware, Plumbing and sheet iron works. Mr. McDougall is master builder.

The good old "Westover's" horn was heard New Year's night. Capt. Andy McCrea seems to know a good thing a long way off for he made a safe journey with a fine raft of lumber from Ship Island retreat to Woden, and landed with Mr. James McCrea and Mr. Brewster, just in time to take part in the lunch demonstration that followed the entertainment. Come again gentlemen you are always welcome.

GRAHAM CENTRE

The Graham Centre New Year Ball was one of the most enjoyable ever held on the Island, close on a hundred guests being present. The ball room, which was lent by Capt. MacTavish, was beautifully decorated with evergreens and bunting. The programme was distinctly original and went with a swing and zest which left little doubt in the minds of the committee as to the manner in which the guests were enjoying themselves. The ladies of the Centre are to be congratulated on the able manner in which they conducted the ball, and special mention should be made of the energy and resourcefulness shown by Miss Adam in making the ball a success. She and her brother turned their home into a lounge and dining room, where those who were either too tired or unable to dance could sit in comfort and talk and rest as they thought fit. Refreshments were served during the evening, and it was close to five o'clock in the morning before Auld Lang Syne was sung. After the ball a large number adjourned to the Adams' home and another pleasant hour was spent before the guests finally made up their minds to depart.

The Debating club will hold a social on Saturday, 10th Jan., when all are invited to attend. A good programme has been arranged.

Capt. MacTavish left Monday for the mainland on a business trip.

The launch Queen is being overhauled and will be out of commission for a few weeks.

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It is customary, at the beginning of a new year, to direct attention to the necessities of a country such as ours. At the present time, being out of the line of travel, with only one steamer regularly calling at our ports, there is much that can be done to advance our interests, and the interests of those who will take up residence on the islands. In the first place, we require more frequent and regular communication between the different parts of the islands and Prince Rupert. Once a week, during six months, and fortnightly, during the remainder of the year, is not what a large number of people want, and we hope the steps being taken, by our member, at Ottawa, will soon bear fruit. We have telegraphic communication, which is a step in the right direction; but how can it be expected that a weekly, or fortnightly steamer with Prince Rupert only eighty-five miles away can satisfy those who are doing the hard work in opening up the country. It may be true, that when the necessities of the occasion calls for it, that other boats will come here; but those who are isolating themselves, and doing the hardest kind of work, should be considered.

There are roads, trails and bridges to be constructed, and a number of them. Other places with railways and steamers are getting highways from one place to the other. We travel through trails. or over muskeg swamps, when we go, by land, from one place to another. The usual course of travel on the islands, is by motor boats, and each resident is called on to pay for going from town to town, and to pay money that some can ill afford. There should be roads, and good roads, for our people to travel on. We do not think it is asking too much when we want to visit the places where the steamer calls, to have a way of getting there, without paying toll.

The next consideration, to our mind, is our fisheries, All indications point to a record year. There is a prospect of fishermen being engaged the whole year round, on our fishing grounds. There is a possibility that buildings will be erected, and the product of the sea shipped from our islands. This will mean increased population, bringing permanent residents.

Our timber lands are another valuable asset, that should be attended to. The construction of sawmills, with railways into the forests, and hundreds of timber men at work, should be one of the developments of the year.

There is every possibility that the oil fields will be thoroughly prospected, this year. Three plants will be in operation, according to advices, which will also show whether we have, as predicted, the largest oil territory on the continent. Our mineral resources have not been prospected, as yet. It is safe to state that the islands have not had an examination. Prospectors will be out, in all directions, and they will, most assuredly show to the world that we have minerals of all kinds, only awaiting discovery and development.

The land we possess shows for itself. There are thousands upon thousands of acres, waiting for the sturdy men and women who will develop them. There may be many difficulties to overcome but where is the land that does not offer disadvantages of some kind? We have a climate that is health-giving and that will grow all of the vegetables and fruits that the new towns and cities will require. In other places, the men and women who took advantage of the possibilities of the soil of British Columbia, were the "winners."

The opening up of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, with the influx of immigrants, must mean increased population. This comparitively unknown country must reap benefits, with the rest of the Province. There is every reason to look forward to a prosperous year, and it behooves those who have been the first of the pioneers to make the most of what is before us. The tide is setting towards our Province and it is for us to show that there is a section, hitherto almost unknown, which will be heard from in the near future.

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Prince Rupert Assessment District

COURT OF REVISION

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision and Appeal, under the provisions of the "Taxation Act," respecting the assessment rolls of the Prince Rupert Assessment District for the year 1914, will be held at the Provincial Assessor's Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., on Friday, January 30th, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., December 27th, 1913,

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

MINERAL ACT.
(Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

"Thunder," "Spade Flush" and "Sadie" Mineral Claims, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District. Where located on Collison Bay, Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take Notice that I, Geo. A. Macleod, acting as agent for Ike Thompson, Certificate No. B.71724; J. S. McMillin, Certificate No. B.34543, and Ben Metcalfe, Certificate No. B.34540, 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 claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 19th day of November, A.D. 1913.

Geo. A. Macleod, agent.

d.f.p.—Dec. 24

LAND LEASE.

Skeen Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that James Martin, of Massett, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the N.W. Corner of Lot 10, Block 44, District Lot 746, Graham Island; thence north 350 feet; thence east 132 feet; thence south 409 feet to the N.E. Corner of Lot 7, Block 44, D.L. 746, thence north-westerly and following the north boundaries of Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Block 44, to the point of commencement, and containing 1 2-10 (one and two-tenths) acres more or less.

James Martin.

Located Dec. 17th, 1913.

d.f.p.—Dec. 17

Skeena Land District—Districtof Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Frank Meldon, of Queenstown, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at a point 90 feet east of the North-west corner of Lot 996, Graham Island, thence east 15 chains, thence north 7 chains, thence west 15 chains, thence south 7 chains to point of commencement, and containing 10 acres more or less.

Date Dec 16th, 1913, Frank Meldon.

d.f.p.—Dec. 24

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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF VANCOUVER, HOLDEN AT VANCOUVER

Between

DOMINION TRUST COMPANY
Plaintiff, and
KELLEY McMORRIS
Defendant.

TO: KELLEY McMORRIS, of Queen Charlotte Islands, in the Province of British Columbia, and formerly of the City of Vancouver, in the Province aforesaid.

TAKE NOTICE that a Plaint has been entered and the Summons issued against you in the above County Court by Dominion Trust Company, Plaintiff, an Incorporated Company having its Head Office and carrying on business at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sum of $1694.00 for instalments of principal and interest due under a certain Agreement for Sale between one T. R. Pearson as Vendor and the above Defendant as Purchaser, of Lot 9, in Block "B," subdivision of Section 25, Block 4 North, Range 7 West, in the Municipality of Richmond, New Westminster District, in the Province of British Columbia (which said Agreement was duly assigned to the above named Plaintiff), then known as the Dominion Trust Company Limited, by the said T. R. Pearson, by indenture of assignment dated the 27th day of January, 1912, together with all the said T. R. Pearson's interests in said Agreement for Sale and in and to the payments due or to become due thereunder and the lands therein described (and notice of the said assignment was duly given to the said Defendant), and in default of payment for cancellation of said Agreement, and that the Defendant be foreclosed from his rights thereunder and in and to the above described lands, and that all moneys paid under said Agreement be forfeited to the Plaintiff; or that an account be taken of the amount due under said Agreement and in default of payment thereof that the said Agreement be declared cancelled;

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that an Order has been made that the publication of a Notice of the entries of such Plaint in the "Queen Charlotte Islander" (published in the City of Queenstown, Queen Charlotte Islands, Province of British Columbia) for three successive weeks, shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service of the Summons upon you.

You are required to enter a Dispute Note within fourteen days from the 31st day of January, 1914, at the Registry Office at the Court House, Vancouver, aforesaid, and if you do not enter such Dispute Note, judgment may be signed against you and the Plaintiff may proceed to execution.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1913.

DAVID GRANT,
A Junior Judge of the County Court of Vancouver.

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Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department, at the office of W. Henderson, resident architect, Victoria, B. C., on application to Mr. A. J. Chisholm, caretaker, Public Building, Vancouver, B.C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, November 19, 1913.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department--49327.

MINERAL ACT.

Take notice that L. F. Beecher, one of the Co-Owners of the undermentioned Mineral claims, having failed to contribute his proportion of the expenditure required by Section 48 of the Mineral Act, and the undersigned having performed the labor and incurred the expenditure, should the said L. F. Beecher, at the expiration of ninety days from the date of this Notice, fail to pay his proportion of the expenditures aforesaid, together with all costs of advertising, his interests in the said Claims will become vested in the undersigned, his Co-Owner, who has made the required expenditures, in compliance with the further provisions of the Mineral Act.

The Claims referred to are Emmerson, Leo, and Good Hope Fraction, at Lockeport, in the Mining Division of Queen Charlotte Islands, and recorded in the Mining Recorder's Office at Queen Charlotte City.

Dated this 27th day of September, 1913.

H. L. Beresford.

TO
The said L. F. Beecher
AND TO
J. H. McMullin, official administrator of the said Beecher.

LAND ACT.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District.
District of Skeena.

Take notice that I, Arthur Solomon, of Queen Charlotte City, occupation musician, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted beside and in a Northerly direction from the Indian Reserve Post, which marks the S.E. corner of Deena River I. R., Skidegate Inlet, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains north, thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains south to point of commencement.

d.f.p.—Oct. 15 Arthur Solomon.
Date 24th September, 1913.

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that I, E. J. Tingley, of Queenstown, Graham Island, B.C., real estate agent, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about 2 1-4 miles east from the mouth of Coates Creek, on the West coast Granam Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated Sept. 29, 1913. E. J. Tingley
d.f.p.—Nov. 26

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Take notice that I, E. J. Tingley, of Queenstown, Graham Island, B.C., real estate agent, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about 1 mile north from the head of Otard Bay, on the West coast of Graham Island, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

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Dated Sept. 27, 1913. E. J. Tingley.
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Take notice that I, E. J. Tingley, of Queenstown, Graham Island, B. C., real estate agent, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles south and three-quarters of a mile west from the mouth of West River, on the West coast of Graham Island, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Take notice that I, E. J. Tingley, of Queenstown, Graham Island, B. C., real estate agent, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about 1 mile west from the mouth of Steel Creek on the North shore of Lewis Harbor, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 29, 1913. E. J. Tingley.
d.f.p.—Nov. 26

MINERAL ACT.

NOTICE

"Surprise," "Damfino" and "Grandview" Mineral Claims, situate in Queen Charlotte Islands Mining Division, Skeena District. Where located:—On the East shore of Klun Kwoi Bay, Moresby Island.

Take notice that I, William H. Burley, of the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, Broker, Free Miner's Certificate No. 78270 "B," intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants for each of the above claims.

And further take notice that action under Section 85 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements.

Dated this 15th day of September, 1913.

d.f.p.—Oct 22 William H. Burley.

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Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL 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 more than 2,560 acres will be leased to 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 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.

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

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

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A number of people attended from Queenstown, the Polaris being specially chartered by the Massett people to convey the contingent to and from Massett.

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"Mattie H. Fraction" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: On west side of Harriett Harbour, about 2,000 feet from beach.

TAKE NOTICE that I, L. W. Nestelle, agent for J. S. McMillin, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 34543, 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 notice that action, under Section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

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NOTICE.

"Eagle Tree" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: On the south side of Harriet Harbour, Moresby Island.

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NOTICE.

"Diana" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: About one mile from dock at Jedway in a southerly direction.

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NOTICE.

"Paul" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: On the south side of Harriet Harbour, Moresby Island.

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NOTICE.

"Cypress Queen" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: On Iron Mountain, an extension of the Townville, adjoining the "Iron Mountain" Mineral Claim.

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NOTICE.

"Della" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: On the east side of Harriet Harbour, on Moresby Island, adjoining the "Ouray" M. C. on the east.

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NOTICE.

"Lizzie B" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: About 5000 feet south of the dock at Jedway, joining the "Maggie C" on the east.

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NOTICE.

"Dorothy M" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: About 5000 feet from the dock at Jedway in a southerly direction, joining the "Maggie C2" on the west

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NOTICE.

"Ida" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: About one and half miles from Tide-water at the head of Huston Inlet on the left hand side.

TAKE NOTICE that I, L. W. Nestelle, agent for John S. McMillin, Certificate No. lotte Development Company, Certificate B. 34543 and the "Pioneer Queen Char- No. B. 70302, 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.

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NOTICE.

"Maggie C" Mineral Claim, situate in the Queen Charlotte Mining Division of Skeena District.

Where located: About 7000 feet from tide-water at the head of Harriet Harbour, south of the Copper Queen.

TAKE NOTICE that I, L. Nestelle, acting as agent for John S. McMillin, Certificate No. B. 34543 and the "Pioneer Queen Charlotte Development Company" Certificate No. B. 70302, 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.

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