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BELLA COOLA, B. C., SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1913.

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### Canadian Steamers to Carry the Mails

Ottawa, April 9.—All mails for Great Britain after the first of May will be carried by Canadian steamers for the period of ten months, terminating Feb. 1, 1914.

### Suffragettes Attempt to Destroy Historic Ruins

Dudley, Eng., April 9.—An attempt has been made by several militant suffragettes to blow up the historic ruins of Dudley Castle, which, dating back to the eighth century, is one of the oldest and most historic ruins in Great Britain.

### Mrs. Pankhurst Failing in Health

London, April 9.—Mrs. Pankhurst, the notorious leader of the militant suffragettes, has consistently refused food for the last five days and is consequently

### Fighting Continues on Mexican Border

Naco, Arizona, April 9.—Fighting continues across the border line, sharp skirmishes occurring daily, in which the rebels are reported to be losing heavily.

Two American soldiers were injured in an encounter with a small rebel force.

### Held for Ransom

Los Angeles, April 9.—An American citizen, held in captivity by Mexican rebels, is being held for ransom, the rebels demanding the sum of twenty thousand dollars as the price of his liberty.

The matter is likely to cause serious complications.

in a very weak state. It is considered certain that the prison authorities will be forced to order his release.

### King Nicholas of Montenegro May Abdicate

London, April 9.—King Nicholas of Montenegro is arranging to abdicate the throne in the event of pressure being brought to bear on the little kingdom by the Great European Powers.

King Nicholas had a lengthy consultation with King Peter of Serbia with a view to bringing about a union of both kingdoms under the latter king.

### Only Peaceful Blockade

Cologne, April 9.—The naval demonstration by Austria-Hungary and Great Britain against Montenegro is to take the form of a peaceful blockade of the Montenegrin harbor of Antivari, according to an inspired despatch from Berlin. No measures of force have yet been contemplated by the powers.

### Premier Borden too Ill to Attend House

Ottawa, April 9.—The Premier is seriously indisposed and unable to attend the House of Commons. The present session has proved a great strain on the Premier whose health has for some time been somewhat delicate.

In the unavoidable absence of Mr. Borden the Naval Resolution has not been introduced.

### Amundsen Is Dubious

Eugene, Ore., April 9.—Capt. Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the South Pole, who is planning a trip to the North Polar regions starting in June, 1915, stated that he did not expect to find any trace of Peary or Cook at the North Pole when he reached there. "I do not believe there is any land there," he said, "and expect to find nothing but a great sea of floating ice."

### Bank of British North America Opens Branch

#### GREAT RUSH OF BUSINESS MARKS OPENING DAY

The Bank of British North America opened a branch here on Thursday the 10th inst.

For some time several of the enterprising citizens of this town have been endeavoring to interest one of the great chartered banks of Canada in the matter of opening, and in the middle of February last Mr. B. Brynildsen, who has led in so many progressive moves in this Valley, took the matter up with Mr. Godfrey the manager of the above named bank in Vancouver and succeeded in interesting him in the question. Mr. Godfrey in turn took up the matter with his Head Office and they were quick in recognizing the merits of the application. They instructed Mr. Godfrey to proceed at once to Bella Coola and if after looking over the ground he considered the field promising to open immediately. To make this possible, Mr. J. N. Cran, manager of their branch in Lillooet, and Mr. Russell of the Vancouver branch, accompanied Mr. Godfrey with the necessary supplies. After looking over the Valley and meeting a number of the prominent residents, Mr. Godfrey came to the conclusion that the outlook was very hopeful, and through the kindness of Mr. F. Broughton, was enabled to open at once in the provincial police office.

The Bank of British North America is the pioneer bank of British Columbia, being the first bank to open in Victoria; it was also first in Barkerville (Cariboo), Rossland, Ashcroft and in Dawson (Yukon territory). It was possibly the first and only bank in Canada that owned a dog team, having found it necessary, in the early Dawson days, to send in remittances in winter. The team consisted of ten dogs, costing \$50 each, accompanied by an Indian driver.

#### Big Lockout Promised

Berlin, April 9.—Unless an agreement is reached before April 15, the millowners at Krefeld will lock out 15,000 hands.

### Pioneer Settler Dead

Frank Henri, one of the oldest pioneer settlers on the Northern Coast, passed away at 3 a. m. yesterday.

The deceased man had resided in Bella Coola for the last seventeen years, having purchased land in the Valley as long ago as 1891. Arriving in San Francisco in the year 1858 he later spent fifteen years at Rivers Inlet before making his home in Bella Coola.

Local residents will be pleased to hear that Dr. White, who is superintendent of missions in connection with the Methodist Church, has stated his intention of recommending that a regular preacher be appointed to this place, whose duties will be solely among the white population.

The matter will come before the Annual Conference which take place next month, and there is every probability that Dr. White's recommendation will be acted upon.

A large gathering assembled at the Mackenzie School on the evening of Thursday last week, when a special evangelical service was held by Dr. White and Mr. McRae of the Methodist Missionary Society, who visited this port aboard the steamer Thomas Crosby.

Dr. White showed some excellent lantern slides of different parts of British Columbia and the Yukon, which together with his witty comments on same were exceedingly interesting.

The Mackenzie School was filled to its utmost on Friday evening last week, the occasion being a concert and basket social arranged by the Bella Coola Development League.

The various items, vocal, instrumental, and elocutionary which went to make up an excellent program were exceedingly well rendered and equally as well received.

The following ladies and gentlemen took part in the program: Mesdames S. Grant (organ), H. Hewitt (contralto); Misses Eva Roberts and Edith Grant (soprano); Messrs R. A. Teebay (bass) H. Anderson, Goodwin (baritone) H. Hewitt, Dr. F. Cavanagh, (tenor), Messrs H. Sutherland, (mandolin), H. L. Harris and Miss J. Blayney (elocutionists), in addition to which the Bella Coola Muttis rendered a number of popular choruses.

A feature of the evening was an appropriate address by the Rev. Dr. J. H. White, superintendent of Methodist Missions, who spent the week here.

### President Wilson Reads Message to Congress

Washington, D. C., April 9.—President Wilson personally read the first message to Congress yesterday.

The occasion roused the greatest of interest, the galleries being filled with a fashionable gathering. Many wives and daughters of members of the cabinet were in evidence in addition to the numerous members of the foreign corps.

This is the first instance of a President of the United States personally reading the first message to Congress since the occasion of John Adams in 1797, and on that account has a peculiar historic interest. Moving picture machines were engaged to preserve the interesting record.

#### \$50,000,000 For Railroad to Alaska

A Bill was introduced which, if passed, will provide for fifty million dollars to build one thousand miles of railroad extending into Alaska.

### Omaha Will Issue Bonds for Relief

Omaha, Ap'l 9—A bill has been introduced in the legislature at Lincoln permitting Douglas County, in which Omaha is situated, to issue \$1,000,000 worth of bonds for the relief of tornado sufferers. The latest estimate of the property loss here is \$8,500,000.

### Jottings of Bella Coola and District

As spring advances, the influx of people to this port seems to increase accordingly.

The passenger list of the S. S. Camosun arriving here about midnight on Saturday last was an unusually large one and included Mrs. J. Macdonald and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Saint, Messrs P. M. Ray, W. Godfrey, J. N. Cran, R. A. Russell, T. C. Murray, R. H. Knight, C. J. Holland, C. C. Mills, R. Saugstad and W. Linnell.

Among the outgoing passengers were Messrs C. Tucker, W. Sutherland, V. Clayton, J. H. S. Gaime, B. C. L. S., E. Hill.

Mrs. J. Macdonald has returned from an extended trip to the coast cities and after being the guest of Mrs. F. K. Hicklenton for several days left for her farm at the Crossing.

Mr. J. Saint, the popular manager of the Bella Coola Cannery, is busily engaged superintending the preparations for the coming season. Mrs. Saint accompanies her husband and will remain in Bella Coola during the summer.

Mr. W. Godfrey, manager of the bank of B. N. A. at Vancouver, has been superintending the opening of the Bella Coola branch of said bank and will return to Vancouver by the Camosun on Saturday next.

Messrs J. N. Cran, manager, and E. R. A. Russell, accountant, of the newly opened bank, are at present working double shift in order to cope with the rush of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tucker, and expect to take up permanent residence in the Valley.

#### Steamer Thomas Crosby Pays a Visit

Much interest was aroused by the visit of the steamer Thomas Crosby, which lay alongside the government wharf for several days last week.

The staunch little ship is the property of the Methodist Missionary Society and in charge of captain Oliver, a veteran coast pilot, and crew of five men, is engaged in visiting logging and mining camps, lighthouses, and outlying settlements along the coast.

Numbers of local residents took the opportunity of looking over the boat, and were greatly surprised at the accommodation afforded and the clever arrangements whereby the limited space was utilized to such good advantage.

The Thomas Crosby was built last summer at Vancouver. She is 87 feet 6 inches in length with 18 feet 6 inches beam and compromise stern. The engines, built in Paisley, Scotland, are of 250 h. p., allowing a speed of ten knots, and cost complete with oil burners and tanks \$11,500. The cost of the steamer complete with furnishings amounted to \$25,000, which amount was raised by voluntary contribution.

Named after Rev. Dr. Crosby, a pioneer missionary to the Indians of the Northern Coast, and at one time stationed at Bella Bella, the little ship brings literature, song and good cheer to the lonely persons wherever possible, and in her work recognizes nei-

ther creed nor color.

The work conducted by the Thomas Crosby has so far been purely evangelical, but will doubtless develop along medical lines later on.

On this occasion the Thomas Crosby carried Dr. J. H. White, superintendent of missions, and Mr. McRae a well known evangelist who conducted services at the various places visited.

If one wishes to find a live and prosperous community one needs only to watch the commercial man, who never fails to hit the right spot at the right time.

Judging from the complacent air and satisfied appearance of Messrs T. C. Murray, R. H. Knight, C. J. Holland and C. C. Mills, it is easy to guess that their visit has been well repaid, our local merchants placing large orders with each gentleman in his own line.

Mr. T. C. Murray, representing Mackay Smith, Blair & Co., Ltd., has long been a familiar figure on the Northern Coast. Mr. R. H. Knight, representing the McLennan, McPeely, Co., Ltd., is making his first visit to the town, as are also Messrs C. J. Holland whose line is boots and shoes, Ames, Holden, McCreedy Co., and C. C. Mills of the firm of Kelly, Douglas & Co., Ltd., wholesale grocers.

Ed. Wheeler is in charge of a gang of men engaged in making much needed repairs to the government wharf.

Road work is progressing apace foreman Draney and his men are engaged in grading and ditching in certain sections.

Mr. I. Fougner, Indian agent, has had a gang employed leveling off the grounds surrounding

the agency, and same will present a very good appearance when put under cultivation.

#### Development League—Concert and Social

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The Basket Social proved an unqualified success, the numerous prettily-arranged lunch baskets brought by the ladies bringing high prices at auction.

The net proceeds of the entertainment are expected to reach close to \$150, which will go to the funds of the League. The occasion was generally voted a huge success, and great credit is due to the committee in charge for the excellent program provided.



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"Salus populi suprema est lex."

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1913.

## Why an Election is Necessary

The question is being asked why has the Opposition the right to demand an appeal to the people on the question of a permanent policy of naval tribute as presented by Premier Borden. It is because the Government, if its supporters had voted according to their pledges to their constituents before the election of 1911, would have had a majority of but 6 instead of 30, while had the Hon. Mr. Monk been in the House their majority would have been only 5. That is, while they have a House majority, they have not a popular majority. This also in a Parliament which is 13 members short of the constitutional requirements according to last census. It is therefore evident that the Government has not a popular majority behind it on this question.

Parliament now has 221 seats on the basis of the census of 1901. On the basis of the census of 1911 (completed before Parliament opened), there should be 234 seats. The B.N.A. Act calls for a redistribution of seats on the completion of each census. If the government is to be by a majority of the people, and if the B.N.A. Act is to be regarded as the constitution of Canada, no change in the relationship between Canada and the Empire as is contemplated by the Naval Aid Bill, as interpreted by the Premier in his several speeches, can properly be made by a Parliament that is thirteen members short of its proper strength.

A Government has the responsibility of carrying on the public business. An Opposition has the responsibility of guarding the public interest and constitutional rights so far as that can be done by a Parliamentary minority under the rules and practice of Parliament. If a Parliamentary Opposition is to fulfil any useful purpose, it must be prepared on occasion—when issues are great enough and differences grave enough—to back up its criticism of the policy or actions of the

Government by such course as will, if possible, bring about an appeal to the people. This right has been exercised repeatedly in Canada (no later ago than 1911 by the party at present forming the Government), and is being exercised now. The belief of the opposition is that the magnitude and imminence of the issues involved are ample warrant for the action being taken.

### AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY

Seeding time is now almost at hand and the farmer is confronted with the question as to the character of his crops.

The quality of the produce raised by our local farmers this year will have a great effect in the making or marring of Bella Coola's reputation as a farming district.

The following clipping is a fair sample of the activity being shown in other districts, and we trust that our local Farmers' Institute will spare no effort in demonstrating the superiority of the produce of the Valley, on the occasion of the forthcoming exhibition at Prince Rupert.

In a letter to the Queen Charlotte "Islander," Mr. Austin Richardson, who has been appointed by the Graham Island East Coast Farmers' Institute as their representative on the Committee of the Prince Rupert Exhibition to be held on September 24, 25 and 26, says:

"As secretary to the Lawn Hill Exhibition which will be held a little before the Prince Rupert Exhibition, I would ask you to urge upon the settlers in this District to make every effort possible to grow the very best produce they possibly can, because we must make a good showing at Prince Rupert, as every District will be represented and it should be the effort of everyone to get this District on top. We will never have another chance like it. There may be other Exhibitions other years, but it is the first blood or win that will count. If we make a poor showing the Islands will suffer in consequence. It is up

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Annie L. Purser, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of P.R. 2731, thence south twenty chains, thence west forty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence east forty chains to the point of commencement and containing 80 acres, more or less.  
ANNIE L. PURSER.  
Date, February 28, 1913. Arthur F. Gohard, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Henry J. A. Burnett, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation auditor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 3, range three coast district, thence south twenty chains, thence east forty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence west forty chains to point of commencement and containing 80 acres, more or less.  
HENRY J. A. BURNETT.  
Date, February 28, 1913. Geoffrey K. Burnett, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Robert A. C. Dick, of New Westminster, B.C., occupation architect, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted two chains south of the south-east corner of Lot 125, range three, coast district, thence south twenty chains more or less to the north-east corner of Lot 17, thence westerly and following the northerly boundary of Lot 17, twenty chains, thence north twenty chains more or less to the southerly boundary of Lot 125, thence easterly twenty chains more or less to the point of commencement and containing 40 acres, more or less.  
ROBERT A. C. DICK.  
Date, February 22, 1913. Geoffrey K. Burnett, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Charles E. Carr, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation timber merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of the Noosack Indian Reserve, thence North sixty chains more or less to the south boundary of Lot 202 produced, thence west forty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence south forty chains, thence east twenty chains to the point of commencement and containing 160 acres, more or less.  
CHARLES E. CARR.  
Date, February 25, 1913. Geoffrey K. Burnett, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

**DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE 3.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Annie E. Peers, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of P.R. 2447, thence north twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence east twenty chains to point of commencement and containing 40 acres, more or less.  
ANNIE E. PEERS.  
Date, February 21, 1913. Arthur F. Gohard, Agent.  
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Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of P.R. 2447, thence north twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence east twenty chains to point of commencement and containing 40 acres, more or less.  
ANNIE E. PEERS.  
Date, February 21, 1913. Arthur F. Gohard, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Alfred Houghton, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation engraver, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted about twenty chains distant and in an easterly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 615, thence west sixty chains, thence south forty chains, thence east sixty chains, thence north forty chains to point of commencement and containing 240 acres, more or less.  
ALFRED HOUGHTON.  
Date, March 21, 1913. Arthur F. Gohard, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Elsa Kirby Ramsay, of New Westminster, B.C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Bentinck Arm, range three, Coast district, eighty chains east of the north-east corner of Lot 639, thence westerly and following the shoreline eighty chains to the east boundary of Lot 639, thence south twenty chains, thence east eighty chains, thence north twenty chains more or less to point of commencement and containing 160 acres more or less.  
ELSA KIRBY RAMSAY.  
Date, February 25, 1913. Geoffrey K. Burnett, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

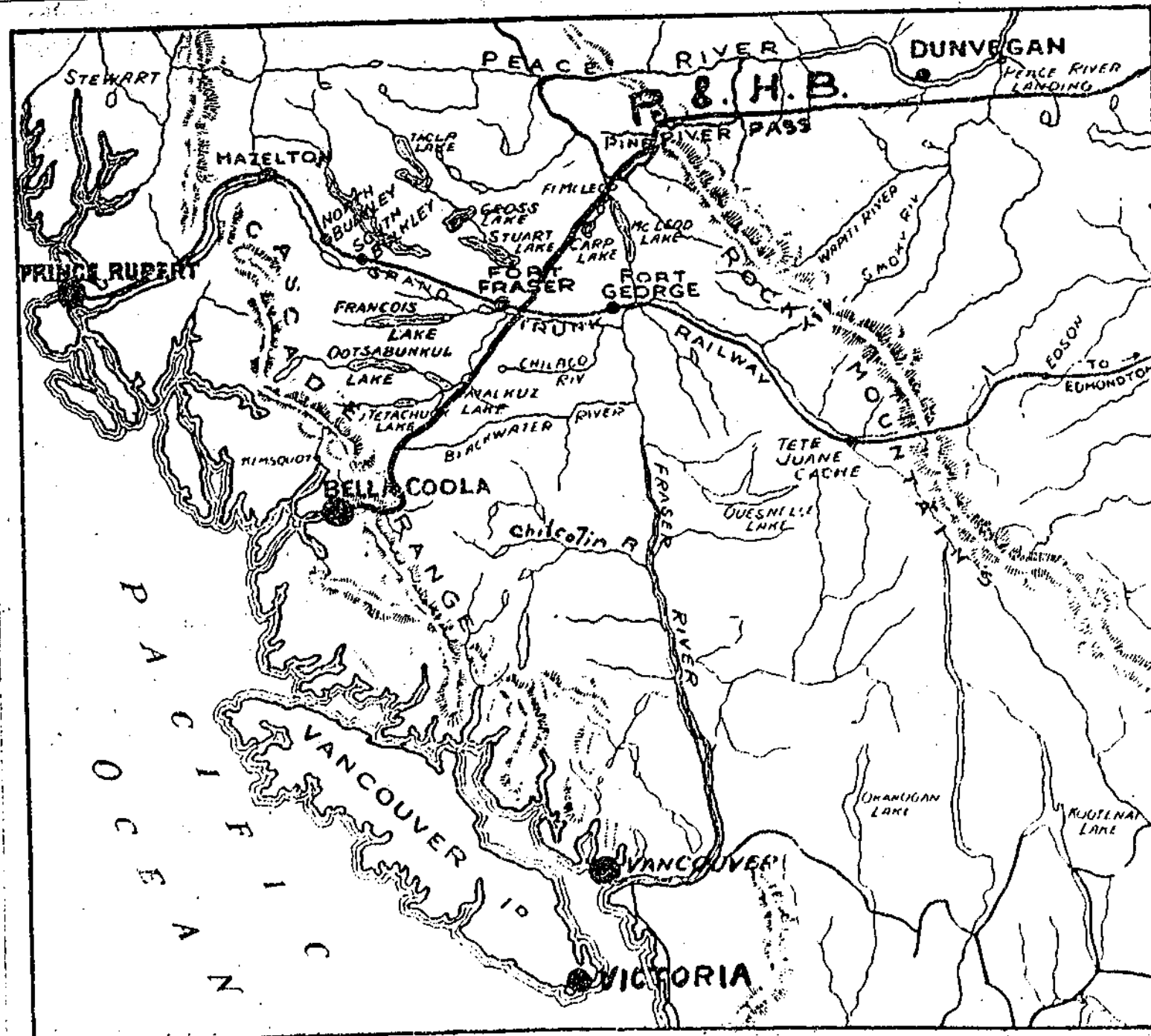
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that John Peter Grant, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted two feet distant in an easterly direction from the south-east corner of T.L. No. 10395, thence east forty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence north forty chains, thence one hundred chains along the bank of the river Nechastconay in a south-westerly direction to the point of commencement and containing 160 acres, more or less.  
JOHN PETER GRANT.  
Date, March 21, 1913. Arthur F. Gohard, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Harry Kirby Burnett, of New Westminster, B.C., occupation law student, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted on the north shore of Bentinck Arm, range three, coast district, twenty chains east of the north-east corner of P.R. 57, thence westerly and following the shoreline twenty chains to the north-east corner of P.R. 57, thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence south twenty chains to the point of commencement and containing 40 acres, more or less.  
HARRY KIRBY BURNETT.  
Date, February 25, 1913. Geoffrey K. Burnett, Agent.  
Ap'12-June 7

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**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Henry Newman George, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:  
Commencing at a post planted twenty chains north of the south-west corner of Section 6, Township 2, range three, coast district, thence east twenty chains, thence south forty chains more or less to the north bank of the Bella Coola River, thence westerly and following the north bank of the Bella Coola River twenty chains more or less to the east boundary of the Bella Coola Indian Reserve, thence north forty chains more or less to the point of commencement and containing 80 acres, more or less.  
HENRY NEWMAN GEORGE.  
Date, February 21, 1913. Geoffrey K. Burnett, Agent.  
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Bella Coola Cannery,  
April 9, 1913.

Editor,  
Bella Coola Courier.

Dear Sir,

I would like to draw the attention of the travelling public to the condition of affairs which existed on the government wharf on Saturday night, March 29. I was walking from the hotel to the wharf, where our cannery boat was moored, when I suddenly found myself precipitated down over the side of the wharf into the mud below, a most unnerving movement I assure you, to a practically ten feet in the dark.

To a clear minded and average

intelligent individual this must appear practically impossible, but on investigation I found that at this point the guard rail had been removed to allow of some improvements and had not been replaced.

Surely, even if it is the government who was doing the work, the safety of the travelling public ought to be slightly considered or must we continually carry a light to look for traps and pitfalls left by the government.

I have made application for damages to our local government representative and shall most certainly acquaint the people of Bella Coola with the treatment I receive therefrom.

Yours truly,  
CHAS. LORD.

**Wanted** listings of lots and acreage in Bella Coola and Valley. No inflated values and none but land suitable for settlement wanted. Give full particulars of land, price, title, etc., to

**Philip M. Ray**  
537 Pender St. W., Vancouver, B.C.  
(At Grand View Hotel until April 13)

**SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS**

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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 territory the tract applied for shall be stated 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 \$1000 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.

W. W. CORY,  
Deputy Minister of the Interior.  
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—30650.

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
Take Notice that Annie Phillips, of Peseey, Wilts., England, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about eleven chains distant and in an easterly direction from the south-west corner of Lot No. 26675, marked A.P.'s, N.-E. corner, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

ANNIE PHILLIPS.  
Dated, March 14, 1913. JOHN SHAFER, Agent  
Mar. 22—May 24

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
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Take Notice that Edward Le Coque Grant, of Bella Coola, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about twenty chains distant and in an easterly direction from the north-west corner of pre-emption No. 3082, situate on the Atmarko River. Thence south forty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence north forty chains, thence west twenty chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres.

EDWARD LE COQUE GRANT.  
Date, March 1, 1913. Mar. 22—May 17

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
Take notice that John Smith, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at mile post 49 on the 53rd parallel of latitude, thence South eighty chains, thence West eighty chains, thence North eighty chains, thence East eighty chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN SMITH.  
Date, January 2, 1913. Mar. 22—May 17

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE 4.**  
Take notice that William Wilson Crichton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at mile post 48 on the 53rd parallel of latitude, thence north eighty chains, thence west eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence east eighty chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

WILLIAM WILSON CRICHTON.  
Date, January 2, 1913. Mar. 22—May 17

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
Take Notice that Harry Lloyd Donahue, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation wireman helper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at mile post 48 on the 53rd parallel of latitude, thence south eighty chains, thence west sixty chains, thence north eighty chains, thence east sixty chains, to point of commencement, containing 480 acres, more or less.

HARRY LLOYD DONAHUE.  
Date, January 2, 1913. Mar. 22—May 17

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
Take Notice that Walter Gutteridge, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at mile post 48 on the 53rd parallel of latitude, thence north forty chains, thence east forty chains, thence south forty chains, thence west forty chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

WALTER GUTTERIDGE.  
Date, January 2, 1913. Mar. 22—May 17

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE 4.**  
Take Notice that David Kidd, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at mile post 48 on the 53rd parallel of latitude, thence north forty chains, thence east forty chains, thence south forty chains, thence west forty chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

DAVID KIDD.  
Date, January 3, 1913. Mar. 22—May 17

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
Take Notice that John Walker, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of Lot 675, thence north eighty chains, thence west eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence east eighty chains, containing 640 acres, more or less.

JOHN WALKER.  
Date, January 3, 1913. Mar. 22—May 17

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
Take notice that Robert Campbell, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about five and three-quarter miles south from mile post 44 on the 53rd parallel of latitude, thence south eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence west eighty chains, thence north eighty chains, thence east eighty chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

ROBERT CAMPBELL.  
Dated, January 6, 1913. Mar. 22—May 17

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**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
Take Notice that David Gutherie, of Namu, B. C., occupation machinist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted in Alarm Cove, Denny Island, thence east twenty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence west twenty chains more or less to sea shore, then meandering along shore to point of commencement, containing forty acres, more or less.

DAVID GUTHERIE.  
Dated, March 8, 1913. Per A. H. HOAGAN, Agent  
Mar. 22—May 24

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**  
**DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.**  
Take Notice that I, Lily Beatrice Grant, spinster, of Bella Coola, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of P.R. 3038 on Atmarko River, Bella Coola Valley, thence south forty chains, thence west forty chains, thence north forty chains, thence east forty chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less; formerly pre-emption 3124.

LILY BEATRICE GRANT.  
Dated, March 23rd, 1912. Apr 16—May 31

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