

## CITY ASSESSOR RESIGNS; COUNCIL EXPRESSES REGRET

**RESIGNATION OF J. C. MCLENNAN, CITY ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR, WAS ACCEPTED BY COUNCIL LAST NIGHT—PRIVATE BUSINESS DEMANDS HIS ATTENTION.**

It will come as a surprise to most of the citizens to learn that a letter was read at last evening's meeting of the Council from Assessor and Collector J. C. McLennan announcing his resignation. Great regret was expressed by the Mayor and aldermen at the necessity of the course that this efficient and capable city official found it necessary in his own interests to take. A motion embodying these expressions was passed by the Council. Subjoined is a copy of the letter received from Mr. McLennan.

To the Mayor and City Council, Prince Rupert, B. C.

Gentlemen: For the reason that I have private business which requires my attention, I hereby tender you my resignation as assessor and collector for the City of Prince Rupert, and would ask that you kindly make it go into effect at the end of the month.

or as soon after as you can arrange.

It is not without feelings of regret that I sever my connection with the city. Looking back to July, 1910, when I took office, I recall the many courtesies that have been shown me, and the many expressions of good will that have from time to time been conveyed to me by those whom I sought to serve and the consideration that has at all times been manifested toward me by the Councils of 1910, 1911 and 1912, and the citizens of Prince Rupert generally.

I must chiefly thank my staff for any measure of success that I may have had, as their assistance has made the office efficient. Wishing the Council of 1913 all success and the City of Prince Rupert all prosperity, I remain, Very truly yours, J. C. MCLENNAN, Assessor and Collector.

## DETECTIVE SHOT AND KILLED IN PERFORMANCE OF DUTY

**SAD CLIMAX IN SEARCH FOR AUTO BANDITS AT CHICAGO—ASSASSIN ESCAPED IN CROWD—ONE BANDIT UNDER ARREST.**

Chicago, Jan. 20.—A sad climax was reached today in the search for the four auto bandits who recently held up one of the leading downtown jewelry stores in broad daylight and escaped after a running revolver fight with the police. Detective Peter Hart was today shot and killed as he entered a flat at 1617 Wabash avenue for the purpose of ar-

resting Booth Webb, an accomplice of James Perry, one of the confessed bandits now under arrest. The detective was shot through the heart with his own revolver, supposedly by one of the bandits. The assassin, after shooting Hart, leaped through the window to an adjoining roof, ran the length of a block, went down a stairway and escaped in the crowd.

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## THE AFTERMATH

Usually the day following Christmas brings with it unpleasant recollections of friends who have been inadvertently overlooked in the matter of Christmas gifts. Isn't it fortunate that New Year's Day follows so closely and gives us an opportunity to make amends for our oversights during the Christmas rush. While the past week's shopping made very heavy inroads into our stock, the assortments in each line are practically unbroken. We have a large range of beautiful things for New Year's gifts. CONSULT OUR CATALOGUE.

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Box 16—1st Ave., between 8th and 9th Sts. (Knox Hotel)  
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Box 23—2nd Ave. and McBride St.  
Box 24—1st Ave. and McBride St.  
Box 25—2nd Ave. and 2nd St.  
Box 26—2nd Ave. and 6th St.  
Box 27—6th P.

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Box 31—5th Ave. and Fulton St.  
Box 32—Borden and Taylor Sts.  
Box 34—7th Ave. and Fulton St.  
Box 35—9th Ave. and Comox Ave.  
Box 37—8th Ave. and Dodge Pl.  
Box 38—5th Ave. and Thompson St.

##### CIRCUIT NO. 4.

Box 41—4th Ave. and Emmerson Pl.  
Box 42—5th Ave. and McBride St.  
Box 43—5th Ave. and Green St.  
Box 44—6th Ave. and Basil St.  
Box 45—11th Ave. and Eberts.  
Box 141—7th Ave. and Young St.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Governor in Council for a quit claim deed for the following described foreshore:

Commencing at the point of corner of Lot 142, Range 10, Government of Canada, which is on the high water line, thence west seven hundred (700) feet, thence north twenty-two degrees and forty-five minutes west (N. 22° 45' W.) twenty-eight hundred' (2800) feet, thence north ten degrees west (N. 10° 00' W.) twenty-eight hundred' (2800) feet, thence east seven hundred (700) feet, to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway right-of-way; thence south seventeenth degrees and forty-one minutes east (S. 17° 41' E.) to high water mark, following the west boundary of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway right-of-way; eleven hundred (1100) feet, thence southerly, following high water mark, sixty-two hundred and fifty (6250) feet, more or less to point of commencement; excepting that portion (included within the above boundaries) covered by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway right-of-way.

E. J. MATHEWS,  
Ritchie, Agnew & Co., Surveyors and Engineers, Agents.

Dated Prince Rupert, B. C., December 23rd, 1912.

The Drawing for the Three Prizes at

#### HYDE'S CIGAR STORE

##### On Third Ave.

will take place tonight (Tuesday) at 8 o'clock. The prizes embrace the following:

First Prize: Set of Knives, Forks and Spoons (47 Pieces).  
Second Prize: Fish Set (14 Pieces).  
Third Prize: Set of Carvers (3 Pieces).

#### DELKATLAH, THE VICTORIA OF THE NORTH.

\$75.00 TO \$250.00 \$20.00 PER QUARTER

The population has increased 400 per cent. during the past year. It already numbers 48 though no advertising has been done and all lots sold have been to residents of the island.

STOREKEEPER WANTED—Owner will build to suit. The pre-emption reserve which has been described as the largest piece of agricultural land in B.C. is all tributary to DELKATLAH. When the bridge is built across the river the new construction across the little bay profits will be made. Every settlement though 30 miles away is compelled to come to Delkatalah Bay to make steamboat connection with the Mainland.

JOHN SHIRLEY, Sheriff of Prince Rupert, has leave for Delkatalah on the Prince John freight. Address Delkatalah, Q.C.L. and P.O. Box 2. Prince Rupert, B. C. Robert Entwistle, Agent, Masset (next to hotel).

FRANK A. ELLIS, Agent,

2nd Street — Prince Rupert

#### Church Services -

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Services every Sunday in the Church Hall at 10 a.m. and Empire Theatre at 7:30 p.m. Sunday School 7:30 p.m. Parochial Classes 2:30 p.m. REV. F. W. KERR, M.A., PASTOR

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MCINTYRE HALL, 3RD AVE., NEAR 2ND ST. Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School 2:30 p.m. Baracca Bible Class 2:30 p.m. REV. W. H. McLEOD, B.A., B.D., PASTOR

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH SIXTH AVE. AND MURGROVE PLACE Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School at 2:30 p.m. REV. C. R. SING, B.D., PASTOR

ST. ANDREW'S ANGLICAN CHURCH Gor. Fourth Ave. W. and Dunsmuir Second Sunday After Christmas. Morning service and holy communion at 11. Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. Evening prayer at 7:30. REV. E. C. BURCH, RECTOR

THE SALVATION ARMY CITADEL Granville Court Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Sunday School, 1:30 p.m. Week night services Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. CAPT. AND MRS. TUTTE Commanding Officers

THE DUCHESS IS BETTER.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—The Duchess of Connaught is recovering from her sickness. She has been removed from the hospital and will go to Ottawa in a few days.

Premier Borden III.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden is suffering from influenza. He is confined to his house.

Several very amusing films were in the new bill at the Empress Theatre last night, a large and appreciative audience being present as usual. The music, which proves such an attraction at this popular house, was as good as ever. Prince Rupert is certainly to be congratulated on the excellence of her show houses, in which line she compares most favorably with any city in the province, no matter what the population.

The steamer Venture, of the Union Steamship Company, arrived from the south at 2:30 this afternoon.

The weather report at 5 o'clock this morning read: Barometer, 29.502; maximum temperature, 37; minimum temperature, 32; precipitation, .24 inch.

THE DAILY NEWS

## ALASKA FIGHTING SHIPPING COMBINE

#### LAND LEASE NOTICES.

Sheena Land District—District of Coast, Range IV.

Take notice that I, Michael McFadden, of Porcher Island, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of Bonilla Island and about  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile in an easterly direction from the highest point on the island, thence continuing more or less to the west shore line of the island, thence in a southerly direction following the shore line to the south end of the island, thence in a northerly direction following the shore line to point of commencement and containing 540 acres or less.

Located November 14th, 1912.  
MICHAEL MCFAIDEN.  
Pub. Nov. 18, 1912—Jan. 18, 1912.

Sheena Land District—District of Coast, Range IV.

Take notice that Harry D. Foote, of Porcher Island, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of Bonilla Island and about  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile distant as an easterly direction from the highest point on the island, thence west 80 chains more or less to the west shore line of the island, thence in a northerly direction following the shore line to the north end of the island, thence in a southerly direction following the shore line to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located November 4th, 1912.  
HENRY D. FOOTE, Locator.  
Michael McFadden, Agent.  
Dated November 14th, 1912.  
Pub. Nov. 18, 1912—Jan. 18, 1912.

Sheena Land District—District of Coast, Range IV.

Take notice that J. Michael Niven, of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, occupation civil engineer, acting as agent for Poopse Harbor Land Company, Limited, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of Bonilla Island and about  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile distant as an easterly direction from the highest point on the island, thence west 80 chains more or less to the west shore line of the island, thence in a northerly direction following the shore line to the north end of the island, thence in a southerly direction following the shore line to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located November 14th, 1912.  
ALBERT MATZEN.  
ERNEST BIESOLD.  
Prince Rupert, B. C., January 15, 1913.

#### PORT EDWARD TOWNSITE CO., LTD.

##### NOTICE to Contractors.

Searled tenders will be received by the undersigned at their office, McBride street, up to Tuesday, Jan. 21st, at noon, for the construction of

1 wharf, 20 feet by 100 feet;  
1 approach, 100 feet by 95 feet;  
2 linear feet (approximately) of 4-foot plank walks;

1 passenger trestle, six feet wide, over G. T. P. railway.

Plans, specifications and form of tender can be seen at the above office.

11-16 RITCHIE, AGNEW & CO.,  
Jan. 14th, 1913. CIVIL Engineers.

##### SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF ATLIN HOLDEN AT PRINCE RUPERT.

JAMES D. PEEBLES and Others, Plaintiffs; QUEEN CHARLOTTE FISHING CO., LTD., Defendant.

By virtue of a warrant of execution issued in this action, and to me directed, I have seized of the goods of the defendant, the following:

2 schooner rigged fishing boats;  
1 small sailboat;  
1 small stock of merchandise;  
1 bunk and cook house;  
1 office and store room;  
1 saltery and fertilizer building;  
A lot of tools and other articles.

All of the above will be offered for sale by public auction for cash on Thursday, the second day of January, 1913, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at my office, Prince Rupert.

Dated Prince Rupert, Nov. 9, 1912.

JOHN SHIRLEY,  
Sheriff of the County of Atlin.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Wednesday, the 4th day of February, 1913.

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