

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES.

Land District—District of Coast, Range V. notice that The Prince Rupert Electric Co. Limited, of Prince Rupert, B. C., intends to apply for permission to purchase 40 acres of land near the River, bounded as follows:

Land District—District of Skeena, notice that Samuel R. Brown Jr., of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Land District—District of Coast, Range V. B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Land District—District of Coast, Range V. notice that James Jabour, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described property:

Land District—District of Coast, Range V. notice that I. Lancelotti Russell Walrus, of Victoria, B. C., occupation mariner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Land District—District of Coast, Range IV. notice that Frank B. St. Amour of the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, proposes to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Land District—District of Coast, Range V. notice that Guy L. Tooker, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation civil engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Land District—District of Coast, Range V. notice that J. Thomas Pierpont of Vancouver, B. C., occupation salesman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Land District—District of Coast, Range V. notice that Martin Swanson, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation painter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

WATER ACT. Application for the Approval of Plans and Petition for the Approval of Undertaking.

Notice that the Port Essington Water Co., Ltd., will apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights for the approval of the works to be constructed for the utilization of water from Cunningham Lake, which is situated on the west side of the Port Essington Water Co. Ltd. No. 125 authority by Water Act for municipal purposes.

Dear Sir - Coln. Frazer kindly made a statement last night in which he expressed my very great appreciation for the kindness and for the feeling for fair play found in Canada. I hope you may be able to make use of his statement which extend to about a column. Tomorrow about mid day I think I shall have some articles from New York that may interest and possibly surprise your readers. I regret that I can say nothing at present but thank you for the request. Yours sincerely, A. Thaw

THAW'S FIRST AUTHENTIC LETTER TO THE PRESS

This is the first authentic letter Thaw has written to the press since escaping from Matteawan. It was penned in jail at Sherbrooke on a brown sheet of wrapping paper and is here with produced, exactly as written.

FIGHTING FOR POSSESSION OF THE BURNS' MANUSCRIPTS

SOLICITORS ARE LOOKING FOR A DIRECT DESCENDANT OF THE POET—LORD ROSEBERRY GIVES HIS VIEW OF THE SITUATION.

London, Aug. 25.—A romantic search for lost heirs and protracted litigation may both result from the sale by the Liverpool Athenaeum of the Glenriddell Burns manuscripts to an American. It appears that Sothebys still retain possession of the manuscripts awaiting the outcome of the threatened litigation by the various societies which would retain the manuscripts in this country.

A Liverpool firm of solicitors is preparing the case on behalf of the societies, and the proceedings will be started as soon as they have discovered and identified a direct descendant of "Bobbie" Burns, although the likelihood of the contestant being successful against the right of the Athenaeum to dispose of the manuscripts, seeing that they have been in that body's possession for sixty years, may not, on the face of it, appear strong.

The solicitors in question hold the view that the title of a legal descendant of Burns has not been ousted and that a very good case can be put before the courts. In this connection it may be stated that the Scottish law on title is stronger than that of England and a correspondingly stronger fight can be made in Scottish courts than would be the case in England.



BOBBIE BURNS

MASSET NOTES

The Masset rural school, in charge of Mr. Thomas Richards, was opened Monday morning with an enrollment of fifteen. There are about a dozen others of school age who will enroll later.

An unknown fishing launch was wrecked Monday night near Long's survey camp. The occupants were taken care of at the camp and will endeavor to repair their craft.

Charles Clayton, a well known resident of the north, and a brother of Dr. Clayton of Prince Rupert, was taken seriously ill during the week and left on the Albert for Prince Rupert. He will enter a Victoria hospital for an operation. Mr. Clayton was injured several years ago and has never fully recovered from the effects.

M. S. McDougall came in from the Yakoun River country this week on a brief visit to the metropolis of Masset Inlet.

Mrs. Watson of Woden River left on the John last week on a three months' visit to Lodi, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams of Graham Centre were visitors here during the week.

C. M. Wilson returned last week from Prince Rupert.

C. Harrison, fisheries inspector, returned yesterday from his tour of inspection of the plants at the south end of the island.

The B. C. Fisheries Co. is in the hands of a receiver. The cannery is still running, but fishing operations by this company have ceased.—Masset Leader.

WOMAN'S NUDE BODY FOUND COLD IN DEATH

Wife of Notorious Portland Physician Takes Her Own Life.

Portland, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Harry Start, wife of Dr. Harry Start, a physician and one of Portland's notorious vice clique, who was released on appeal after conviction and left for Hongkong, committed suicide with morphine in her home in one of the fashionable residence districts. Since her husband's acquittal and his departure for the Orient, Mrs. Start has refused to mingle with neighbors, admitted no one to the house and refused to answer telephone calls, while at night her moans could be heard for a block until the neighbors' sleep was disturbed.

This morning was found on the porch of the Start home a letter from Dr. Start to his wife telling of his plans for himself and her in the Orient. The door was forced open by the police when notified, and the woman's nude body found at the door of the stairs, death having been caused by an overdose of morphine, to which she was addicted. Mrs. Start was a strikingly handsome woman.

The diligent fostering of a candid habit of mind, even in trifles, is a matter of high moment, both to character and opinions.—Howson.

Launch Alice B for hire. Telephone Green 394, Davis' Float. 155-11

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH IN KITCHEN

She Paid Terrible Penalty for Lighting Fire in Range with Alcohol.

Wenatchee, Wash., Aug. 26.—Miss Clara Jensen, 20 years old, died yesterday from burns received Sunday morning. She was maid at the H. O. Butler home and was using denatured alcohol to kindle a fire in the kitchen range to prepare breakfast.

There was an instant explosion, covering the maid with blazing liquid. Terrified, she ran out on the lawn and was instantly followed by Mr. Butler, who covered her with a blanket.

Inhalation of flame and nervous shock were said to be the immediate cause of death.

HIS STAR WANING

Caruso Is in Mood of Philosophie Melancholy.

Rome, Aug. 26.—Caruso, who is taking the cure with his eldest son at Monte Catini, is in a philosophical mood. To a newspaperman he said today:

"It is about time the public ceased to take an interest in me. There are plenty of young stars rising who soon will shine with dazzling brilliancy in the firmament of art. Mine is dimming. Don't you think so?"

Then he sadly shook his head and walked slowly away.

TRANSPARENT COSTUME CAUSED GIRL TROUBLE

German Damsel Wearing X-Ray Gown Was Detained by Immigration Officials.

Philadelphia, Aug. 26.—As she stood for a moment silhouetted against a bright sun, wearing an X-Ray gown, the appearance of Miss Maria Mayor of Stettin, Germany, caused a stir among passengers, immigration officials, interpreters and hundreds of persons who met on the steamship Cassel, which arrived here today from Bremen.

Then came the run down the gang plank. She seemed not to mind the bulging eyes of the passengers and officials, nor to realize that her flimsy costume was in any way unusual, until it came her turn to pass the immigration officials.

The inspectors took one look, and Miss Mayor was ordered detained. The reasons were not given out, but Inspector Hughes of the Gloucester detention station would not deny the statement that it was because she was not properly clothed. Hers was no ordinary, everyday X-Ray costume seen every warm day on Chestnut street. It was more, or rather less, than that—it was the real thing in transparent flimsiness, and it might have been made of mosquito netting.

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Years ago, when the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific was first located through Central British Columbia, we made a most careful and systematic survey and investigation of this new territory. Aided by engineers, surveyors and the immense amount of data assembled, we were able to locate the sites of the future large cities and trade centres of this wonderful new country—Fort George, and Hubert and New Hazelton. Fort George, the first of these new cities promoted and developed by us, needs no introduction—it is known throughout the

civilized world. Its success has been record-breaking—it is sure to develop into one of the big cities of British Columbia. Fort George conclusively demonstrated the accuracy of our judgment. Hubert, the second of these new cities, will soon be placed on the market. Back of the development and promotion of this new city will be the same organization, the same management and the same careful and systematic development, and a like amount of liberal advertising that placed Fort George in the front rank of the new cities of Western Canada.

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