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## PARTY GOVERNMENT

The hope has been expressed from time to time lately that the old party lines on which the Canadian political edifice has been based for years back, have been cleared away for all time by the election of the Union government. In this respect it is pointed out by the Victoria Times, a late Liberal and before the election a strong Unionist paper, that undoubtedly the old party lines, based upon labels and political opportunism instead of upon principles and policies, have gone overboard. The process had been going on for some years in the purification of the country's public life, and it needed only a national crisis to finish it.

But there will be political parties until the world reaches perfection, and that goal is still somewhat remote. Political divisions arise from differences of opinion in regard to policies which in turn arise from differences in mental attributes, training, environment, heredity and other conditions. What ever may be their names there will be conservative policies, liberal policies and other policies neither liberal nor conservative, simply because there will be conservative minds, liberal minds and extremist minds of various kinds.

The present Union Government would not last more than a very few months in time of peace, because it contains representatives of two hopelessly irreconcilable views on fiscal policy. There can be no compromise between the high protectionist group represented by Sir Thomas White and the free trade farmers of the West represented by Hon. T. A. Crerar. Both sides have agreed to shelve this and kindred subjects until the end of the war, but they will spring up immediately peace has returned, not out of general cussedness, but because they are vital in their bearing upon the progress and development of the Canadian West. One has only to remember the powerful interests and influences in the East benefited

by a high tariff to realize that they will fight with all their might any proposal for radical changes in the fiscal policy of Canada they have dictated so long. And every member of Parliament who represents a district which a high tariff has built up naturally will stand by them.

Moreover, the present Union Government might not be 'The' Union Government at all. Like the Asquith coalition, it might only be the first step towards a much more satisfactory combination; indeed, in all probability this will prove to be the case. If the Government should fail to achieve what is expected of it, or come within reasonable range of doing this, it will not command a majority in the House. The people want Union Government unquestionably, but they want an efficient Union Government and what is very much to the point they want members, whether on the Government side or the Opposition side, to keep a wary eye upon it.

Governments which arise from war conditions seldom survive the return of peace for any considerable period. This, of course, is inevitable, as they are the products of circumstances directly antagonistic to those of peace. For the same reason policies based upon abnormal conditions in most cases are upset when normal conditions come. Nevertheless, in regard to Canada, while it would be incorrect to say the election has forever obliterated political partyism, it certainly has created conditions out of which will arise, later on, parties divided by principles instead of by mere labels—the difference between Tweedledum and Tweedledee. The liberal policy of the future will be based largely upon the legitimate needs of the Canadian West, and it will be opposed to reactionary policies which owe their inspiration to special privilege interests centred in the East. All this is apart, of course, from the possibility of a cleavage on racial lines which, however, would not likely be a permanent development in any case.

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## CANADA EXPECTING RUSH OF IMMIGRANTS

Winnipeg, Dec. 26.—Railway and immigration officials, both Dominion and provincial, in the prairie provinces are preparing for an unprecedented rush of American settlers to Western Canada this spring. Estimates received by Bruce Walker, chief commissioner here, show that more Americans will seek the lands of Canada this year than in any other year. The United States being an ally of Britain in the war is said to be responsible for the increased immigration prospects.

## Salvation Army.

Public meetings, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 8 p. m. Sundays at 7:30 p. m.

The Daily News delivered by carrier, 50 cents per month.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia at its next session for an act to incorporate an association known as "The Engineering and Technical Institute of British Columbia," with power to promote and increase the knowledge, skill and proficiency of its members in all things relating to the Architectural, Engineering, Surveying and technical professions, and to that end to establish and conduct examinations and prescribe such tests of competency and moral character as may be thought expedient and to grant certificates of membership to those approved of, and to purchase or otherwise acquire and hold real and personal property for the purpose of the institute, and to dispose thereof and reinvest the proceeds in such manner as may seem fit and to fix entrance fees and annual fees or subscriptions to be paid by the members, and to vary the same from time to time, and to provide for the management of its affairs by council to be constituted in such manner as may be provided for by By-law, and to have its head office and hold its annual meetings within British Columbia, and to have, enjoy, and exercise all powers, rights and privileges necessary, usual or incidental to all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

BRADSHAW & STACPOOLE,  
Solicitors for the Applicant.  
DATED at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day of December 1917.

MINERAL ACT  
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

**NOTICE**  
"Molybdenum" and "Success" Mineral Claims, situated in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.  
Where located:—About 4 miles Westward from the head of Alice Arm, and about 1 mile from the Beach.  
TAKE NOTICE that Lewis W. Patmore, Free Miner's Certificate No. 14232-C, as agent of the Molybdenum Mining and Reduction Company, Limited, (Non Personal Liability) Free Miner's Certificate No. 10322-C, intends 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 each of the above claims.  
AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action under Section 85 must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.  
DATED this 26th day of November A. D. 1917. F12

## SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE 5.

Take notice that the Western Salmon Packing Co., Ltd., of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Salmon Cannery, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—  
Commencing at a post planted at high water mark, Steamer Passage, (on a small bight on the said passage about one mile north of Quinamass Bay) 5 chains due west; thence 20 chains due north; thence 20 chains due east; thence 20 chains south, thence back to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.  
THE WESTERN SALMON PACKING COMPANY, LIMITED, C. C. Robertson, AGT.  
DATE 5th day of December, 1917.

## SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE FIVE.

Take notice that I intend to apply to the Honorable Commissioner of Lands and Works to lease the following described lands:—  
Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner, above high water mark, at Bartlett Point—thence 100 chains due east, then south to the shore line, then following the contour of the shore line to the place of commencement, containing twenty acres, more or less.  
JAMES DESBRISAY, Manager,  
Wales Island Cannery,  
November 14th, 1917. F12

MAIL SCHEDULE	
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For the East.	
Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 9:30 a. m.	
From the East.	
Sunday, 5:30 p. m.; Tuesday, 3:30 p. m.; Thursday, 5:30 p. m.	
For Vancouver.	
Monday ..... 7 a. m.	
Tuesdays ..... 5 p. m.	
Thursdays ..... 10 p. m.	
Saturdays ..... 4 p. m.	
From Vancouver.	
Sunday ..... 10 p. m.	
Mondays ..... 9 a. m.	
Wednesdays ..... 10:30 a. m.	
Fridays ..... 6 p. m.	
Saturdays ..... 10:30 a. m.	
For Anyox.	
Sundays ..... 10 p. m.	
Wednesdays ..... 10 p. m.	
Fridays ..... 8 p. m.	
Saturdays ..... 10 p. m.	

From Anyox.  
Sundays, a. m., Mondays, a. m., Tuesdays, p. m., and Thursdays, p. m.

Port Simpson & Naas River Points  
For—Sundays, 10 p. m.  
From—Tuesdays, p. m.

Queen Charlotte Islands.  
Mails Close—Oct. 10 and 24, ov. 7th and 21st, Dec. 5th and 9th—10 p. m.  
Mails from—Oct. 14th and 28, ov. 11th and 25th, Dec. 9th and 3rd—p. m.

Stewart, Maple Bay and Swamp Point.  
For—Thursdays, 10 p. m.  
From—Saturdays, p. m.

Alaska and Yukon Territory.  
For—Mondays 9 p. m.  
From—Saturdays, p. m.

## COAL NOTICES

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that I, James P. Reid, of Prince Rupert, B. C., Prospector, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chastil Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
JAMES P. REID, Applicant.  
Located November 9th, 1917.

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that I, Joseph Sexton, of Prince Rupert, B. C., Prospector, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chastil Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
JOSEPH SEXTON, Applicant.  
Located November 9th, 1917.

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that I, Charles E. Burgess, of Prince Rupert, B. C., miner, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chastil Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
CHARLES E. BURGESS, Applicant.  
Located November 9th, 1917.

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that I, Hans K. Christensen, of Prince Rupert, B. C., prospector, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chastil Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
HANS K. CHRISTENSEN, Applicant.  
Located November 9th, 1917.

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that I, Daniel L. Sutherland, of Prince Rupert, B. C., clerk, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chastil Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
DANIEL L. SUTHERLAND,  
By Charles E. Burgess, agent.  
Located November 10th, 1917.

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SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that Elizabeth Sutherland, of Prince Rupert, B. C., married woman, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 200 yards easterly from a post located on the shore on the easterly side of Canoe Pass, and at a point about 7 miles northerly along the shore from Buck Point; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
ELIZABETH SUTHERLAND,  
By Charles E. Burgess, agent.  
Located November 10th, 1917.

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that Alexander L. Sutherland, of Prince Rupert, B. C., miner, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1 mile easterly from a post located on the shore of the east side of Canoe Pass at a point about 5 miles northerly along the shore from Buck Point; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
ALEXANDER L. SUTHERLAND,  
By Charles E. Burgess, agent.  
Located November 10th, 1917.

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that Betty Knott, of Prince Rupert, B. C., nurse, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1 mile easterly from a post located on the shore of the east side of Canoe Pass at a point about 5 miles northerly along the shore from Buck Point; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
BETTY KNOTT,  
By Hans K. Christensen, agent.  
Located November 10th, 1917.

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that Thomas Peterson, of Prince Rupert, B. C., fisherman, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 200 yards easterly from a post located on the shore on the easterly side of Canoe Pass, and at a point about 7 miles northerly along the shore from Buck Point; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
THOMAS PETERSON,  
By Hans K. Christensen, agent.  
Located November 10th, 1917.

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
TAKE NOTICE that Peter Jensen, of Prince Rupert, B. C., fisherman, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 200 yards easterly from a post located on the shore on the easterly side of Canoe Pass, and at a point about 7 miles northerly along the shore from Buck Point; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.  
PETER JENSEN,  
By Hans K. Christensen, agent.  
Located November 10th, 1917.



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