

# BLUE RIBBON TEA

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## SYNOPSIS OF ACT AMENDMENTS

### PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, unreserved lands may be pre-empted by subjects under 18 years of age, subject to declaration intention some British subjects, condition upon residence, occupation improvement for agricultural

information concerning regarding pre-emption is in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, Pre-empt. Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge addressing the Department of Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

lands will be granted covering and suitable for agricultural and which is not timbered carrying over 8,000 board feet west of the Coast Range 400 feet per acre east of that

applications for pre-emption are addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division which the land applied for, and are made on printed copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner's office at least five years and improvements made of 10 per acre, including and cultivating at least five before a Crown Grant can be

more detailed information see Bulletin "How to Pre-empt."

### PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved lands, not being timberland for agricultural purposes; minimum for first-class (arable) land is \$12.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "Purchase and Sale of Crown Lands."

factory or industrial sites on land, not exceeding 40 acres purchased or leased, the amount including payment of

### OVERWHELMING MAJORITY IN SILENT ELECTION

Prince Rupert Women Register Interesting Vote to Save Money and Lesser Work

It is a sign of the times that women should demand more authority in their homes. Not that they want all their own way but that when comfort and economy are at stake they are usually better judges than their husbands.

They are at home all day and know more about the things that go to make for the comfort of the home than the husbands who come home at night expecting everything to be just so. This is why so many Prince Rupert ladies insist on having Nanaimo-Wellington coal. They have made a study of coal and have discovered that Nanaimo-Wellington is far superior to its competitors.

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### AIYANSH

An appropriation of \$1,000 having been obtained for a wagon road, it is being constructed from the river near the post office to the ranch of S. C. Gordon at Irene.

Joe Phillips has been called south on account of the serious illness of his mother. Mrs. Phillips is looking after the ranch during his absence.

Mrs. Agnes Stewart, who is bedridden, is now being cared for by relatives at Aiyansh village, while her husband is engaged on roadwork at Irene.

Most of the Indians have now returned to Gitlakdaxim and are finishing the houses they commenced to build early in the year.

A mild thaw set in after a prolonged snap of cold weather. The new game regulations are proving of great benefit to the people of this district and a rich haul of fur is anticipated.

### LAND ACT

Queen Charlotte Island Land District, District of Prince Rupert. Take Notice that L. Samuel Simpson, of Massett, B.C., occupation Miner, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a point situated near the east corner of Massett Island, and thence 5 chains to low water mark; thence following low water mark in a northwesterly direction a distance of 80 chains (1 mile); thence westwardly 5 chains; thence northwardly 5 chains (1 mile) past a point of commencement and containing 15 acres (more or less).

SAMUEL SIMPSON, Applicant.  
Peter Key, Agent.  
25th September, 1924.

### CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY B.C. Coast Services

#### Sailings from Prince Rupert

PRINCESS ALICE — PRINCESS MARY

For Vancouver, Victoria, and Seattle—

Nov. 7, 21; Dec. 5, 19

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Nov. 3, 17; Dec. 1, 15, 29

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## Movies and Movie People

### WEEK AT THEATRE

Monday and Tuesday Tom Mix and Tony in "The Trouble Shooter." Jack Dempsey in "Winning His Way."

Wednesday and Thursday Musical comedy "The Beauty Shop."

Friday and Saturday Mary Pickford in "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall." Topics of the Day. Fox News-Gazette.

### DOROTHY VERNON OF HADDON HALL

Mary Pickford in Great Photoplay Is to be Here at Week End

Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall, the great play of romance and history of the time of Mary Queen of Scots. At a recent showing of the play in New York the reviewers were unanimous in praising the work of the great little actress.

"Mary Pickford has never had a vehicle better suited to her talents than Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," and never has she given a better account of herself," says Louella Parsons in the New York American.

"Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall" is in many respects the most ambitious spectacle of Mary Pickford's career," said Thomas B. Hanly in the Morning Telegraph. "The consensus seemed to be that Miss Pickford has done an uncommonly fine bit of acting and that she had no at any time allowed herself to be submerged as it were in the big scenes."

"It is doubtful that even those who are rabid Mary Pickford fans were prepared for so much loveliness, even though all knew beforehand that she would give a delightful performance full of spirit and technique," said Harriette Underhill in the Herald-Tribune.

"As Dorothy Vernon Miss Pickford has a part that suits her as well as any in which she has ever appeared," said F. W. Mordaunt Hall in the Times. It gives her chance to be coy, impulsive, saucy, angry, vivacious, winsome and perfectly lovely."

"Mary Pickford's new picture has all the charm and delicacy of Charles Major's vivid romance. It is truly a beautiful photoplay."

"Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall" is as sweet and wholesome and romantic and exciting a picture as you ever saw, and you surely will like it," said the reviewer for the Evening Post.

"The first night audience gave every indication of full approval as indeed it should have," said the critic for the Sun, "for Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall is a stunning thing to look at."

### HITTING THE BALL

Many beginners in golf—and many who are not beginners—are grievously afflicted with the malady of topping the ball. A player whose efforts to cure himself of this infliction only resulted in the reverse of the Cure formula, addressed a professional with gloom in his ear and despair in his eye. "I'm hitting the ball every time right on the top. I want you to tell me a cure for it!"

"Oh," replied the professional, "just turn the ball upside down."

### PEOPLE WONDERING ABOUT CATCHY MUSIC

Chorus in "The Beauty Shop" Heard from the Street Attract Attention

LADIES! — DON'T FORGET

## BENT'S Winter Coat Sale

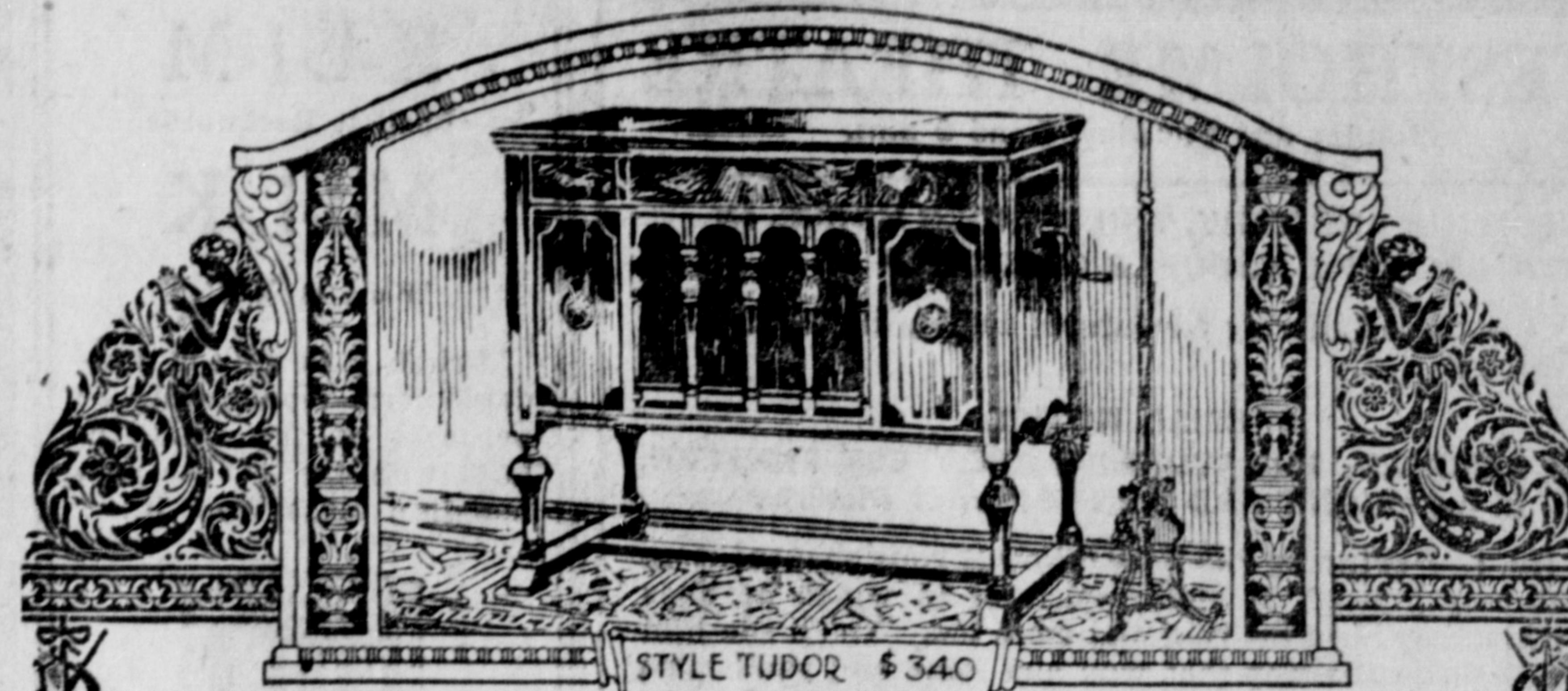
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Aggregate Value of \$810,722,782

Production for Year Ending Dec. 1923, \$41,304,320

The Mining Laws of this Province are more liberal and the fees lower than those of any other Province in the Dominion, or any colony in the British Empire.

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