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AIR MAIL SERVICE

Air mail services are becoming common in a great many coun- climate is manifest in the shrinkage of much ingenuity and careful workmanmay be available for service.

Canada is about to reorganize her air services and it is to be hoped that the air mail will be part of the development. This country is one of the most backward in this movement, yet we often pride ourselves on being progressive.

What is the use of having your watch set with diamonds in gold or platinum if it won't keep time?

ASSASSINATION REGRETTABLE

be regretted. It was hoped that Ireland had now settled down to its wealth of salmon for their chief excavation, and like those of the Kitikthe democratic form of living and had given up the use of force support. in attempts at reform. Then comes this horrible crime perpetrated on a member of the government that has just been returned by a vote of a majority of the people.

by the decision of the majority. Until they do that they cannot hope for good government.

Transient Advertising on Front Page, per inch \$2.80 and in the drying-out process of con- southern shore, on a narrow bench ex-.25 densation in contract with the lofty, tending along the dry channel, was 2 snow-capped mountains, is precipitated Kit-Lth-Banck, "People at the edge of 15 in continual mist and rain that induce the lake," or "People of the shore," for an almost tropical growth of under- it is claimed that when the river was brush and account for the forests of at a much higher level, before the pregreat spruce, cedar, hemlock, and cotsent channels were formed, the waters onwood that covers the bottomlands at this point spread out as a great and climb the mountain sides to the lake. Here the most extensive and interesting remains are found. The houses

CHANGE NOTICED

have generally fallen to decay, but the Passing up the river, above the can- structural posts and beams in one yon, the effect of the driver, colder old house 36 feet square show how

tries now and even in Alaska the seaplane is used with good effect. the conifers and the open woods of ship in mortice, tenons, and dowel pins, In a number of countries these services are being subsidized so that birch, alder, willow and poplar, and the without the use of metal. One feature in case of war there will be a good staff of airmen developed who scantier vegetation and new species. of roof construction different from any-

In like manner certain animals range, thing I have seen, either among the through one or the other district only Tsimshian of the coast or the Kitikshan -as the little-known white bear (Ursus of the upper country, is a heavy tree kermodii) of the Tsimpsean peninsular trunk ridge pole supported in the holand adjacent islands, the great brown lowed out heads of two upright posts bear and the black-tail deer of the that gave the pitch to the roof by takcoast region, that later give place to ing the upper-ends of the rafters, the the grizzly bear, the caribou, and the lower ends resting on the longitudinal mountain sheep, while Lynx, rabbit, and framework of the walls. The forward fox increase in number. At best, how- end of this ridge-pole, which projected ever, the valley of the Skeena is very several feet beyond the house-front, was The assassination of Kevin O'Higgins in Ireland is greatly to poor in animal life, and the inhabitants carved to represent the head of a salhave always looked to the river with mon. The houses showed no signs of shan were floored at the level of the

ORIGIN OF NAME

The natives named this part of the 1910, three old, slended totem poles, or

river Canon Drilasshoo, and those who heraldic columns, which were rounded life. Prior to this the Tsimshian of The first thing the people of Ireland have to learn is to abide lived here as Citasilasshoo, "People of from base to summit and showed no Metlakatla, who held the lower rivers

ground. There remained standing in

With some tobaccos it's a case of chance acquaintance and a quick "So long!" But with Ogden's, you get pally and remain so. Ogden's grows on your affections. It suits palate, pipe and pocket-and every whiff is as sweet as a breath of English April air.



Why study French? There are just as bad books written in English today as in any other language.

HOPE NO ELECTION YET

It is to be hoped that the statement of Hon. Dr. Sutherland is parent stock from which both the people. correct and that there will be no election at present. The people Tsimpshian and the Nishka of the province do not want to be upset by an election at present for descended. everything is going well and there is no need for a contest. There is no important matter to place before the people.

It would seem to be a reasonable thing to suggest that Premier Little Canyon below. They were not per- cisors. Oliver could drop out if he wishes and one of his prominent minmtted to descend the river for trading isters take his place without any great disorganization of public purposes below the first fishing village business.

There are always some people who want excitement and who they restricted the Kitikshan to their figure. Adjoining are the remains of is Newtown. Its population is about look for political changes. Just now, however, there is nothing to country above the canyon. This position indicate that if an appeal were made to the country, there would be of mddle-men was their life, for while pole carved in the form of a salmon. any change, so far as the government is concerned. So why hold their food supply of salmon was sufficient, their narrow strip of rive an election? What we need now is a quiet time for work and development and then when the end of the present government's term duct comes, an election will be in order. FOUR VILLAGES

It's a good thing to have a keen sense of duty but let it be your own duty and not the duty of your neighbors.

A GOOD INVESTMENT

When in the city yesterday Hon. W. H. Sutherland, minister of the population at about one thousand, contact with the whites, and conpublic works, mentioned the criticism that had been launched against They were then living in primitive sim- stitute but a remnant of their former the Sumas dyking scheme which had cost the province a good deal. plicity, in communal houses of medium strength. After the American gold dis-In fact he said that it had been an excellent investment. It gave sze of hewn timbers with a central fire covery, when thousands of prospectors the province a large area of excellent land cleared at about \$150 space and with smoke-hole in the roof. traversed the river, and later navigation NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO an acre which is much cheaper than any timbered land could be Carved heraldic columns marked the by steamboats and the planting of tradcleared and the land was much richer than the ordinary timber land." dwellings of the clans. The people ing posts at Hazelton, their position Just now a firm of hop growers was asking for five thousand people dressed in skins and furs, and such as middlemen was destroyed, as blankets as they received in trade from to pick hops there and it was difficult to get that many. This inthe coast people. When they procured and, losing the trade of the Kitikshan, dustry alone was worth a great deal. The hop growers had looked trousers they cut them off above the who naturally resorted to Hazelton, they over land in many places but found none so suitable as this lake-bed knees, using only the lower parts which had been drained. They paid a good price for the land and leggings. At the foot of the canyon, on the valley was almost destitute of animal were getting good results.

the Canyon," But this is now written evidence from chambers in the back and barred their passage to the sea, had officially Kitselas. They are the Tsimp- that they were used as mortuary removed to Port Simpson, and with shian stock, but were intermediary be- columns for the reception of the ashes accumulated wealth and decreased numtween the Tsimpshian proper who had of the cremated dead. These carvings bers they became indifferent to the their summer fishing villages on the are crude in comparison with either river travel, so that when the salmon river and lived at Metlakatla during the those of the coast or of the upper river, canneries were established on the coast winter season, and the Kitikshan of the and would indicate either the poverty and the demand for fishermen increased upper river who claim to be the or the want of artistic sense of this many of the Kitselas removed to Port Essington, where they are found today

The totem-pole is carved to represent but so intermixed with others that their beaver sitting at the base, above number cannot well be determined. which the rounded pole is ornamented Those who remained longer in their old The Kitselas lived here permanently in encircling series of parallel grooves homes have moved down the river four and held the Canon, claiming the river indicating the marks of the beaver's in- miles, and have built a straggling vilvalley from Lorne Creek above to the age of eight small modern houses

Another shows at the base a frog, and which they call an-dee-dom (from the above a mythical four-fin killer whale, noise made by stepping on a pebble of the Tsimshian, and in like manner the tail carved to represent a human hore), but which is commonly known

the old communal house, with ridge- 0 With the building of the Grand The decayed remains of other carv- Trunk Pacific railway along the river ings and house timbers half-buried in he last vestiges of the older native country was poor in every other pro- the moss and overgrown with brush life will rapidly disappear and the few confirm the statement of the natives reople who survive the changed conthat this was the largest and most ditions will have little or no.knowledge

There were four villages here, two on important of the villages hereabouts. of the past. For this reason I offer these notes of two visits to Kitselas in MOVED TO ESSINGTON 1909 and 1910 It must not be inferred from this

the remains to mark their sites they scene of destruction and the disappear-Wife-I took this recipe for this cake ance of the inhabitants that the Kitut of a cook book.

of the Hudson's Bay Company, who selas have ceased to exist. They have Husband-You did perfectly right passed through here in 1870, estimated greatly decreased in numbers since their It should never have been put in.-The Progressive Grocer ...

LAND ACT.

LEASE FORESHORE.

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte could not compete with the white man TAKE NOTICE that Kelley Logging

CAMP-FIRE PERMITC TYTYTYTY TYTY

This year it is necessary to have a permit from some Forest Officer before any camp-fire may be set in any forest or woodland

Be sure to get a permit for your camp-fire and follow the instructions printed on . the back of it

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Perhaps the community is not really narrow. Possibly you are unable to see wide enough to note its breadth.

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river spreads out, forming an extensive bight with a shelving beach was the village of Tsune-ee-yow, "Landing Place," so named from its accessibility, nere canoes bound up-stream could land at any stage of the water. The extent of the clearing encumbered with fallen and decaying timbers indicate a settlement of considerable size.

northern bank, just above where the

either side, at or near the head and

foot of the canon; and judging from

must have been of fair sze. Mr. Hickey,

Almost a mile above this, on the same shore, well within the canon and just below where the separate channels unite, marked by the usual growth of berry bushes that take possession old dwelling sites, are several rude pole and a deserted house that alone remain of the village of Kit-Lah-Soak, named from the bottom boards of the canoe that were taken-really, "People of the Place when they steal the canoe bottom-boards." This would seem to have been the smallest of the canyon villages -a reasonable conclusion from its inaccessibility by water at certain stages of the river.

ONLY ONE LEFT On the southern shore, a short distance below the mouth of the canyon, where the river regains its usual width, was Kit-Ousht, "People of the Sandbar," where in former days the wash of the

Company Limited, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Timber Merchants, intends had nothing left but the salmon in the to apply for a lease of the following water, as their narrow strip of river lescribed foreshore:---

> Commencing at a post planted approxmately one-half mile south 30deg. the mouth of the Tassoo River, Moresy Island, Queen Charlotte Islands thence following the high water mark in a northwesterly, westerly and southwesterly direction for a distance of one and one-half miles; thence in an easterly on to the point of commencement and containing 160 acres, more or less JOSEPH DOUGLAS WILSON Acting as Agent for Kelley Logging Co. Ltd. Dated 30th April. 1927

> LAND ACT. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO

LEASE LAND FOR INDUSTRIAL PURPOSES

In Prince Rupert Land Recording Fliesmenacehealth. District of Prince Rupert, and situate at Sewell Inlet, Moresby Island, Queen They carry germs of various diseases, Charlotte Islands many of which may

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Commencing at a post planted approximately 8 chains south 20 degrees east of the northeast corner of Lot 472. Sewell Inlet, Moresby Island: thence following the shore line in an easterly, southerly and southwesterly direction to its intersection with the eastern boundary 472: thence north , and containing 20 acres,

JOSEPH DOUGLAS WILSON. Agent for Kelley Logging Co. Ltd. Dated 29th April, 1927.



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