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Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, enclosed in a "Tender for Dwelling House" and accompanied by a certified cheque for 10 p.c. of the amount of the tender will be received up to noon on Wednesday, 31st Dec. 1911, for the erection of dwelling houses at the Government Wireless Stations at Prince Rupert, Cape Lazo and Point Grey.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the following places:

The Government Wireless Stations at Point Grey, Cape Lazo and Digby Island, Prince Rupert, The Postoffice at Vancouver, Nanaimo and Prince Rupert, the office of the District Superintendent, Government Wireless Service, Victoria, and the Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa.

Unauthorized publication of this notice will not receive payment.

G. J. DESBARATS,
 Deputy Minister of the Naval Service,
 Department of the Naval Service,
 Ottawa, November 23rd, 1911.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an act amending Section 3 of the British Columbia and Alaska Railway Act, 1910 (Ch. 56, Statutes of British Columbia, 1910), by striking out all the words after the word "Columbia" in Line 10 of said Section and substituting therefor the following:

"And from Fort George in a northerly direction to the valley of the Parsnip River by way of Fort McLeod, thence along the Parsnip River to its junction with the Peace River, thence along the valley of the Finlay River through Sifton Pass, a post, the Stikine River to a junction with the main line at Telegraph Creek; also powers to build branch lines either through the Finlay River or Peace River passes to the eastern boundary of British Columbia, or by way of the most feasible route, or in the alternative by the most feasible route between Lytton and Teslin Lake, also to build from a point on said line of railway to the City of Vancouver or from the City of Vancouver to a point on said line, by the most feasible route."

And further, for an act extending the time within which the company has to commence construction and expend ten per cent of its capitalization.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 5th day of December, 1911.

ROBERTSON & HEISTERMAN,
 Solicitors for the Applicants, the British Columbia & Alaska Railway Company.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.
 Take notice that I, James T. Fullerton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation farmer, intending student, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 52 chains east of Naas River and 40 chains south of pre-emption No. 397 (SEC), thence 40 chains north, thence 24 chains east, thence 40 chains south, following the Naas River; thence 52 chains east to point of commencement, containing 150 acres, more or less.

J. T. FULLERTON,
 H. H. Stewart, Agent.
 Dated Prince Rupert, Dec. 11, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 13.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
 Take notice that I, Abraham H. Barber, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of a small island about twenty-five (25) chains north and two (2) chains east of the northwest corner of Lot 1323, Range 5, Coast District, Forcher Island, thence following the shore line in a northeasterly direction about twenty (20) chains to the north end of the island, thence in a southwesterly direction along the shore line about twenty (20) chains to the point of commencement, being an island containing about forty (40) acres, more or less.

ABRAHAM H. BARBER,
 Dated Dec. 6th, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 13.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
 Take notice that I, Dagobert Auriol, of Nanaimo, B. C., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 4484, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

DAGOBERT AURIOL,
 Fred E. Cowell, Agent.
 Date Nov. 10th, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
 Take notice that I, Theodore Nichalis, driver, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot No. 2287, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 480 acres, more or less.

THEODORE NICHALIS,
 Fred E. Cowell, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
 Take notice that I, Paul Curtiss, clerk of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, where the Klhmat branch of the G. T. & P. crosses Williams Creek, and about ten (10) chains from the creek shore, thence east 30 chains, thence east and about ten (10) chains to point of commencement, containing 120 acres, more or less.

PAUL CURTISS,
 Fred E. Cowell, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
 Take notice that I, Michas Beganis, cook, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, where the Klhmat branch of the G. T. & P. crosses Williams Creek, and about ten (10) chains from the creek shore, thence east 30 chains, thence east and about ten (10) chains to point of commencement, containing 120 acres, more or less.

MICHAS BEGANIS,
 Fred E. Cowell, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
 Take notice that I, Samuel Belites, gardener, of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, about ten chains back from the creek bank, and about fifty chains southeast from where the Klhmat branch of the G. T. & P. crosses Williams Creek, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

SAMUEL BELITES,
 Fred E. Cowell, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
 Take notice that I, Louis Caleris, driver, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1798, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

LOUIS CALERIS,
 Fred E. Cowell, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 9.

The accompanying photograph, made by P. Trenchard Jones for the Prince Rupert Daily News, were snapped by permission of Orville Wright on the day he succeeded in keeping a motorless airship on an even keel in a 50-mile gale of wind, thus showing that the secret of the bird's flight in any kind of air current is in the possession of the Wrights.

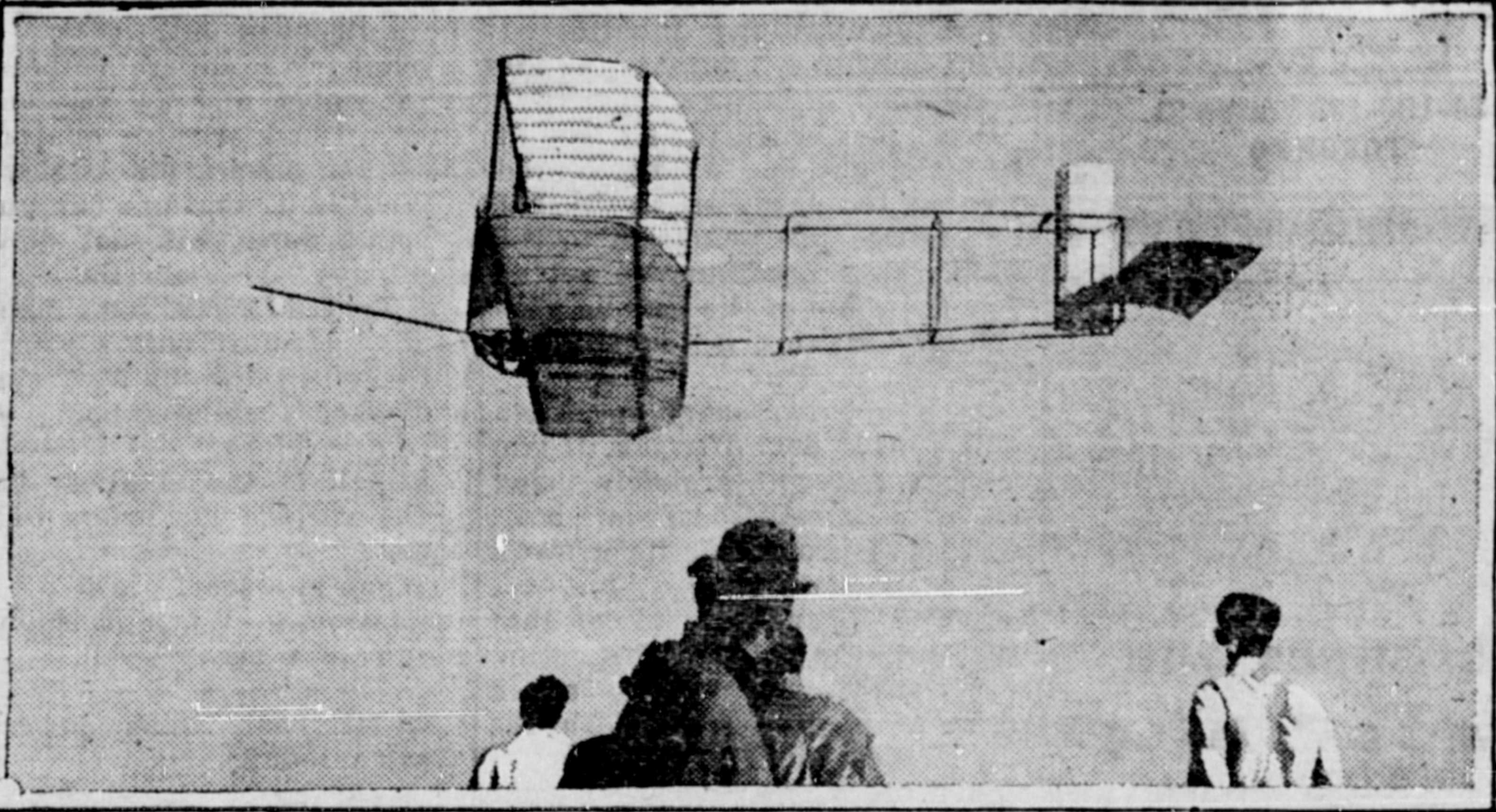
The desolate place selected by the Wrights for these experiments is the same spot on which they camped when making their first airship experiments 10 years or more ago. Kill Devil Hill and Kitty Hawk are townships on a sandy waste on the coast of North Carolina.

Jones traveled by train to Elizabeth City, then by a hired fishing boat to Manteo, N. C., and at this point hired another fishing boat to take him the 13 miles across Albemarle Bay to the life saving station that is the sole structure at Kitty Hawk.

The arrival happened to suit the Wright party, for after keeping all inquirers at bay for weeks they had that very day concluded their efforts had solved the problem of the motorless aeroplane. Wright let down the barriers in his great jubilation and the photographer had plain sailing.

The picture was made with the wind blowing a gale. The glider stood perfectly still in the wind.

Wright has made a study of the power of the birds to fly in the teeth of the gale and his glider is made in accordance with the knowledge gained by a close examination of the methods of the birds in soaring. It is only a question of time, Wright says, when the motorless aeroplane will be an accomplished fact. This he predicts is the next important step forward in aviation and, although he will not talk about his experiments, he is confident that he will be able to show that man can soar aloft like a bird and remain there with perfect safety without the assistance of a motor.



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LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.
 Take notice that James Ewing Macrae, of Vancouver, occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about seven miles distant and in an easterly direction from the Naas River, and in an easterly direction from the northwest corner of Lot 1323, Range 5, Coast District, Forcher Island, thence following the shore line in a northeasterly direction about twenty (20) chains to the north end of the island, thence in a southwesterly direction along the shore line about twenty (20) chains to the point of commencement, being an island containing about forty (40) acres, more or less.

JAMES EWING MACRAE,
 H. P. Rutter, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 14.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
 Take notice that Ellen Marion Young, of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1553, thence south to beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing one hundred and four (104) acres, more or less.

ELLEN MARION YOUNG,
 George Young, Agent.
 Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
 Take notice that John Scott Young, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 1550, thence south to the north boundary of Lot 1551, thence east along the said boundary to the seashore, thence following along the shore to the point of commencement, containing three hundred and sixty-one (361) acres, more or less.

JOHN SCOTT YOUNG,
 George Young, Agent.
 Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.
 Take notice that Clarence Bowen, of Seattle, Wash., occupation woodsman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted four miles east of the Naas River and about five miles north of Alyans, thence north eighty chains, east eighty chains, south eighty chains, thence south eighty chains to point of commencement.

CLARENCE BOWEN,
 H. P. Rutter, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 14.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.
 Take notice that Frank Furey, of Seattle, Wash., occupation chainman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about six miles east of the Naas River and about seven miles north of Alyans, thence north eighty chains, east eighty chains, south eighty chains, thence south eighty chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

FRANK FUREY,
 H. P. Rutter, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 14.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.
 Take notice that I, John Argricla, carpenter, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one and one-half miles northeast from the intake of Trout River, on the west side of Lakelse Lake, and about five (5) chains back from the waterfront, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

JOHN ARGRICLA,
 Fred E. Cowell, Agent.
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 9.

LAND LEASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
 Take notice that Alfred McGregor, of Victoria, B. C., occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three-quarters of a mile southwest from the southwest corner of Lot 1548, Masset Inlet, thence east forty chains, thence south to the north boundary of Lot 1557, thence west one hundred eighty chains, more or less, thence north ninety chains, thence east to the beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty acres (640), more or less.

ALFRED MCGREGOR,
 George Young, Agent.
 Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
 Take notice that Arthur Tremaine, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1551, thence north to the south boundary of Lot 1550, thence west to the east boundary of Lot 1550, thence south along the said boundary to the southeast corner of the said Lot 1550, thence west along said boundary to the north boundary of Lot 1552, thence north to the northeast corner of Lot 1552, thence north to the northwest corner of Lot 1552, thence east to the point of commencement, containing three hundred and twenty acres (320), more or less.

ARTHUR TREMAINE,
 George Young, Agent.
 Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
 Take notice that William Moore, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1548, Masset Inlet, thence east one hundred chains, thence south sixty-four chains, thence west to beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres, more or less.

WILLIAM MOORE,
 George Young, Agent.
 Dated Nov. 14, 1911.
 Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

COAL NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
 Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter, of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows: Commencing at a post planted one mile north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 10, marked C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 10, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement. Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator Pub. Sept. 23.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
 Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter, of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows: Commencing at a post planted one mile north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 17, marked N. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 23, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement. Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator Pub. Sept. 23.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.
 Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter, of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Coal Lease No. 1468 marked C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 28, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement covering all foreshore Tiahn Point. Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator Pub. Oct. 7.

Press on Power Scheme.

Engineers and surveyors are hard at work with the initial operations in connection with the Prince Rupert Hydro-Electric Co.'s Khatatda River power scheme, the transmission line being run at present by a survey party working toward Rupert. Another party is proceeding to make preliminary surveys for the development of the Oestaw River power. The company may be at Rupert's door with power before the city scheme is in operation.

Pound Keeper Appointed.

William Sims has been appointed pound keeper to the city. Mr. Sims is a Porcher Island rancher and has previously been employed by the city as launch man.

Abandoned Idea.

The Dominion Baths proprietors have abandoned the idea of erecting an illuminated sign, as it is difficult to build one in compliance with requirements of the Building bylaw.

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