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## AUSTRALIA SUPPORTS POLICY OF U.S. IN PANAMA

### CHINESE STATESMAN IS ACCUSED OF HAVING TAKEN FLIGHT WITH POLITICAL FUNDS

#### EVIDENCE OF WORKERS GIVEN BEFORE LABOR COMMISSION

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS PER MONTH IS SPOKEN OF AS THE PAY NECESSARY FOR A WORKER WHO HAS TO SUPPORT A FAMILY.

The commission appointed by the Provincial government to inquire into labor conditions concluded its investigations here at its session on Saturday afternoon. The board left this morning for the south. Its next session will be held at Ladner, on the Fraser River, on the 31st instant. After that it will not sit again till the first of September. Then it will start from Edmonton and go by way of Tete Jaune Cache to Fort George and Barkerville and so to Ashcroft.

The greater part of the proceedings at the morning session of the board was reported in Saturday's issue of The News. In the latter part of the morning evidence was given by John Viereck, Alderman Bullock-Webster and William Denning.

**For the Carpenters.**  
John Viereck said he was a carpenter. He said that for four years the carpenters had been trying to get an eight hour day established. The city and some others had complied. The Provincial government did this largely, but the Dominion government did not. The marine depot and the quarantine station were built in the nine hour day. It was under contract. At the dry dock, where he believed the government had some hold, they were paying 50 cents only. He said that the mayor had read from the Provin-

#### ARE GREAT POWERS PREPARING FOR A GIGANTIC SPOILATION?

FRESH VIEW OF REASON FOR INCREASE OF THE STANDING ARMIES IS GIVEN BY FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER OF FRANCE.

Paris, July 24.—That Europe is preparing for the dismemberment of China, Turkey-in-Asia and the colonies of Portugal and the ultimate division of the spoils is the contention of former minister of Foreign Affairs M. Léon Flourens, in a private interview given here. This diplomat, who is credited with knowing more of European mores and politics than almost any man, tells the reason for the monster standing armies which the great powers are now creating with a rapidity hitherto known only immediately preceding war. And Germany, with her confessed need for elbow room, and despite recent eulogies of the "Peaceful War Lord," given the blame for starting the ball rolling. The interview took place at the home of the statesman, and M. Flourens called spade a spade.

"At the outbreak of the Balkan troubles some months ago," said Flourens, "I told you that a general European war was preparing for the near future. I still think so. For the moment, however, the ambitions of the great powers are holding them in check. They don't want war just at this time, and for a very particular reason. That is why every ounce of their influence is being exerted now to prevent the Balkan difficulty from dragging them into it."

"Two years ago," the correspondent suggested, "the world was informed that Europe was on the verge of a general war. People find it hard to understand that it's all about and what is holding the powers back."

"The general squaring of accounts between the nations of Europe is coming," the diplomat replied. "You may be sure of that. Something has happened to

postpone the action, that is all. The reason is this: There is shortly to be considerable territory divided, and when this begins each of the great powers wishes to be at its strongest. A war now would weaken the nations engaged, and those which kept the peace would find themselves with a tremendous advantage over their rivals.

"In the first place, Turkey-in-Asia is doomed. This empire is shortly to disappear just as Turkey-in-Europe has disappeared, and the powers are preparing to divide her among themselves. Secondly, Portugal is in a deplorable condition, and it is certain that before long the colonies of that republic are to be partitioned out among the nations of Europe. England will get the lion's share. Lastly, there is China. The republic does not seem to have solved the Oriental riddle, and Europe is laying its plans to have a good hold on the situation when the breakup arrives.

"Does it not occur to you as peculiar that although not a single one of the great powers of Europe has recognized the Chinese republic they have made to that republic large loans? Why? The answer is extremely simple: If China breaks up they don't want any stumbling blocks in their way, such as a recognition of the present government might create; they want to be sure of collecting their money, and China herself is security for the loans. Diplomatic history to my knowledge has never recorded a similar situation. The United States is the only world power not directly interested in China. The United States withdrew from participation in the loan, and alone of all the world powers, the United States has recognized China as a republic."

"Where is this race for ama-

#### METLAKATLA HAD TWO FUNERALS YESTERDAY

The Burial Took Place There of Daniel Watibee and of Harold Campbell.

Bishop Du Vernet had two funerals yesterday afternoon at Metlakatla. One was that of an old man, Daniel Watibee, belonging to Kitkatla but buried by request at Metlakatla; the other that of a young boy, Harold Campbell, a grandson of Peter Haldane, one of the native lay-readers of the Metlakatla mission. About eight years ago Daniel Watibee was shot by a rifle while in his boat near Kitkatla, the bullet entering his body nearly at the same spot where President McKinley was shot. He was taken to the hospital at Port Simpson and his life was saved. A long investigation was held by the government but it was never proved who fired the shot. While he was a member of the Anglican Church and lived a quiet life, on account of his former power as a medicine man he was supposed to have an evil influence over people and was regarded with some suspicion by the Tsimpsians, but at the time of his death he had lived this down.

#### FORETELLS FALL OF M'BRIDE GOVERNMENT

M. A. MacDonald Makes a Prophecy—Ralph Smith Comments Liberals.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Vancouver, July 28.—M. A. MacDonald, speaking here, pointed a prophetic finger at indications of the approaching downfall of McBride. Ralph Smith complimented the Liberal party on its advocacy of woman suffrage in British Columbia.

#### JUDGMENT RESERVED

Further Hearing of Richer Case in County Court.

Further evidence in the appeal case of H. O. Richer versus the city was taken in the county court this morning. The suit is made against the city for over assessment of blocks 15 and 16, lot 24, section 1. Estimates of the value of this and of similar properties were given by local real estate men. There was a considerable difference between some of the estimates. They ranged from about \$32,000 to over \$40,000 cash. Judgment was reserved but will probably be delivered before Wednesday.

#### MORE GORE

Turks Take Bloody Vengeance on Their Late Foes.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Constantinople, July 28.—Merciless vengeance is exacted by the Turks. The district in Thrace reoccupied by the Moslems has been turned into a shambles again. Many have been slain to repay old debts. The powers seem unable to settle the question.

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ment to end?" Flourens was asked.

"Just where it is, in my opinion," he said. "The taxpayers are tired of the game and they won't let things go much further. Europe has about gone her limit. The powers have demanded bigger armies and more money, and the people have met the demands, of late, it must be said, with great reluctance. This is proof that the limit has been reached. The next move belongs to Europe; she must justify her demands, prove her war taxes justified that the sacrifice of her citizen soldiers were not in vain."

#### BASEBALL

Coast League.  
Oakland 4-4, Venice 2-3.  
Los Angeles 3-4, San Francisco 0-2.  
Portland 5, Sacramento 2.  
National League.  
New York 2, St. Louis 1.  
Brooklyn 7-8, Cincinnati 4-1.  
Chicago 6, Boston 5.

#### PTE. LITTLE WINS HANDICAP SHOOT

Scores Made by Members of the Earl Grey's Own Rifles on the Ranges Yesterday.

There was a good turnout of the members of the Earl Grey's Own Rifles yesterday at the ranges in spite of the inclement weather. Private Little won the handicap shoot for the spoon. The scores made were as follows:

	200	500	600	
	Yds.	Yds.	Yds.	Total.
Pte. Little	33	30	34	97
Pte. Holland	33	35	28	96
Corp. Whillcroft	29	32	31	89
Lieut. McMordie	30	32	26	88
Pte. Russell	26	28	31	85
Pte. Lamb	27	28	25	80
Pte. Matheson	33	31	12	76
Pte. MacLean	28	30	17	75

#### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

C. D. Rand of Vancouver is expected to arrive here tomorrow by the steamer Princess May.

Owing to having been a day late in leaving Vancouver, the Princess May will not arrive here until tomorrow.

W. E. Fisher left on the steamer Prince Rupert this morning to spend a fortnight with his relatives in Victoria.

The members of the Provincial labor commission, H. G. Parsons, F. R. McNamara, John Jardine, J. M. McKelvie, R. A. Stoney and A. M. Harper, went south this morning on the steamer Prince Rupert.

D. C. Corbin, president of the Spokane & International Railway, passed through here on Saturday on his return from a trip to the north on the steamer Princess Sophia.

#### Gift Battleship Arrives.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Vancouver, July 28.—Amid shouts of thousands the battleship New Zealand entered Burrard Inlet at 3:30 p. m. on Sunday. She was officially welcomed.

#### A Moody Messiah.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Panama, July 28.—From Ponce, a town in the interior, comes word of a native proclamation by a native Messiah, who predicts the destruction of the world and advises the building of an ark.

#### Immigrants Lost.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Copenhagen, July 28.—Sixteen met death when a train plunged into the river near here. They were mostly immigrants headed for the United States.

#### TO-NIGHT Westholme Opera House

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#### GRAND FORKS MAN BOOSTING RUPERT

Dr. L. E. Gilroy Has Nothing Too Good to Say of the Future Great Port.

"Prince Rupert will in a few years be a formidable rival to Vancouver and Victoria for rank as the principal commercial and transportation centre of the North Pacific coast."

This is the opinion which was expressed by Dr. L. E. Gilroy of Grand Forks when interviewed for the Spokane Spokesman-Review. Dr. Gilroy passed through Spokane recently after a fortnight's trip up the Skeena Valley. He made a journey by boat of one hundred miles up the Skeena from Prince Rupert.

#### MORE SPECTACULAR PROCESSIONS MADE

Sylvia Pankhurst Heads a Giant Demonstration in London with Safety.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, July 28.—Miss Sylvia Pankhurst led the suffragettes in the most spectacular demonstration yet enacted. She was followed by crowds throughout the city. Her bodyguard of East End youths was broken up and one woman was arrested.

#### MEXICAN COMPLICATIONS

American Immigration Inspector Shot by Troops.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
El Paso, July 28.—Charles Dixon Jr., an immigration inspector, was shot by Mexican soldiers on Saturday and was brought here this morning. The United States threaten to take drastic action unless the guilty are punished.

#### Vancouver Wins.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Vancouver, July 28.—Vancouver won a brilliant lacrosse match from V. A. C. by a score of 6 to 5.

#### BETTER THAN BONES

Two Little Girls Were Found in the Cupboard.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Lethbridge, July 28.—Two young daughters of a carpenter here who have been missing since Thursday were yesterday found locked in a cupboard.

#### More Pay Wanted.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Halifax, July 28.—Two thousand employees of the Intercolonial road threaten to strike unless given additional pay.

#### THE WEATHER.

The weather report at 5 o'clock this morning read: Barometer, 30.012, maximum temperature, 56; minimum temperature, 48; precipitation, .54.

#### Married Men Win.

The football match between the married men and the single men which was played on Saturday evening resulted in a victory for the married men. The score was 7 to 2.

#### On the Prince Rupert.

Among those leaving for the south this morning on the steamer Prince Rupert were the following: F. R. McNamara, John Jardine, E. Anderson, H. G. Parsons, J. M. McKelvie, R. A. Stoney, A. M. Harper, A. D. Tyson, Mrs. M. A. Fleck, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Christie, T. Bayley, Eddie Shannon, W. Goldbloom, J. J. Harwood, Mr. Hill, Mr. Nash, J. N. Sewell, J. S. Smith, T. Shankey, W. Silver-side, Mrs. N. Bayley, A. Anderson, Mrs. George Davis, H. Hutchison, O. Widdall, William McDonald, James McDonald, C. Haynes, L. Collison, O. Clair, D. Robertson, J. W. Pidgeon.

#### DEDICATORY SERVICES OF NEW BAPTIST CHURCH WERE HELD

THE NEW CHURCH WAS CROWDED YESTERDAY AT ALL THE SERVICES—MINISTERS OF OTHER DENOMINATIONS TOOK AN ACTIVE PART.

The dedicatory services of the First Baptist Church, which were held yesterday, were a success from every point of view. There were good sermons, fine music and, above all, large congregations. It was a day such as to make glad the heart of the pastor, Rev. Warren H. McLeod, that he was able to witness such a crowning of his labors here before he withdraws from the pulpit. The scene of the services, the new church, is a handsome and well planned building, well fitted to mark, as it does, a new era in the history of the Baptist Church in Prince Rupert.

The services in other churches were suspended in order that all might have an opportunity of being present at the dedicatory services. The clergy of the Anglican, Presbyterian and Methodist Churches and the officers of the Salvation Army were present, and it is arranged that they all take some part in officiating at the services of yesterday and of this evening.

The morning service was opened with a prayer by Rev. F. W. Kerr, the Presbyterian minister. There was a scripture reading by Rev. John F. Dimmick, the Methodist minister, and a dedicatory prayer by Rev. H. G. Estabrook of Vancouver, superintendent of Baptist missions.

The dedicatory sermon was preached by the pastor himself, Rev. Mr. McLeod. The subject of his sermon was "The Advancing Church." Rev. Mr. McLeod referred to the forward steps in the history of the church here. Services had first been held over the feed store by the present Salvation Army headquarters, then in the McIntyre Hall and later in the Westholme Theatre. Now, at last, the congregation was to meet in a church of its own, and possessed plans for a bigger church to come.

An open session of the Bible school was held at half past 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Addresses were delivered by Rev. H. G. Estabrook and by Rev. W. J. Scott of Vancouver. Rev. Mr. Scott will fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Rev. Mr. McLeod until a new pastor has been appointed. Rev. Mr. Estabrook in his address referred to the great growth of the Bible school, which has now more than three times as many members as it had three years ago.

The preacher at the evening sermon was the Rev. Mr. Estabrook. He took as his subject "The Call of the West." This

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#### AUSTRALIA SEES PROTECTION IN AMERICAN NAVAL POLICY

GUARDING OF PANAMA CANAL WITH WARSHIPS WILL FORM CONSIDERABLE ADDITION TO THE NAVAL FORCES PROTECTING THE PACIFIC

Sydney, N.S.W., July 25.—Notification to the effect that the U. S. Government intends making a permanent disposition of a portion of its naval forces for the guarding of the Pacific when the Panama Canal is opened, has created universal interest throughout Australia, inasmuch as the decision is of direct interest to Australia.

The Sydney Herald says even if only two or three ships of the Dreadnought class owned by the United States form part of the

Pacific unit, a considerable addition to the naval forces of the Pacific will have been made. There can be no doubt that there is a community of interests between Australia and the United States as far as the defence of the Pacific is concerned.

The Herald concludes: "We both have to look forward to the time when the Anglo-Saxon races may have to fight for the hegemony of the Southern Seas against a common foe."

#### CELEBRATED CHINESE DOCTOR NOW CHARGED WITH BOODLING

DR. SUN YAT SEN, FORMER PROVISIONAL PRESIDENT, RAISED OVER MILLION CONTRIBUTIONS IN AMERICA AND MADE NO ACCOUNTING

Vancouver, July 25.—The local colony is greatly excited over a cable message, received on Tuesday from China, to the effect that Dr. Sun Yat Sen, former Provisional President of the Republic, had suddenly departed from Nanking and sailed for Japan. This reported move, the local Chinese assert, means that Dr. Sun Yat Sen, who was reported as having thrown in his lot with the revolutionists of Southern China, has left China. The latest press despatches told of Sun Yat Sen joining the forces of the south, and thus openly revolting from the Provisional Government at the head of which Yuan Shi Kai was placed as President.

Local Chinese have, of late, been regarding Dr. Sun Yat Sen with mixed feelings. That statesman was instrumental in raising a fund amounting, it is said, to \$1,300,000 in America. To this fund Victoria Chinamen, ardent supporters of the revolution against the recently deposed

dynasty, contributed many thousands, but, the local Chinese assert, this fund has never been disbursed by Dr. Sun Yat Sen. He is credited with having safely secured the money, and his sudden flight from Nanking is taken to mean that he plans to keep it.

**SMASHED A WINDOW**  
Some Cases in the Police Court This Morning.  
For smashing a window pane with his fist Martin Lewis was fined \$5 and costs this morning and was required to pay \$5 damages. William Dawson, who was brought up in the police court charged with vagrancy, was released on the condition that he leaves town by July 31st. A man named Wright, who was found guilty of indecent exposure, was shipped out of town.  
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## DAILY EDITION.

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REMEMBERING  
THE RIGHT.

In yesterday's Journal an editorial was published under the title "Forgetting the Past." Referring to the speeches made before the meeting of the Liberal Association on Friday, the Journal said that it might be gathered from them that "old things as far as the party was concerned had passed away and all things had become new." Nevertheless, says the Journal, the province will not likely be "misled by the new dogmas of the Liberal party." The party is described as merely an opposition, longing for power at any price and therefore seeing wrong in whatever is done by the McBride government.

In reply to all this it might be suggested that every great body becomes from time to time in need of reorganization if it is to avoid putrefaction. The Liberals preferred to reorganize, the Conservatives prefer to putrefy. Reorganization is, indeed, one of the best means of increasing the life and activity of a party. Owing to it the Liberal party is now as youthful and vigorous as the Conservative party is moribund. The Journal further finds

fault with the Liberal party because it is in opposition. This is surely a strange objection for a Conservative newspaper to raise. And it is one which time will certainly remedy. If the Liberal party finds fault with everything that Sir Richard McBride does it is not because the Liberal party is composed of querulous old maids, but because Sir Richard McBride is a fat rascal who has as fine a troop of knaves to heel as ever followed old John Falstaffe. To wrest the powers of government from such a crew would be to render a service to the community and to mankind.

The Liberals have no fault to find with Sir Richard merely because he is able to pay his taxes, as the Journal insinuates. The real objection is that Sir Richard McBride and Mr. Bowser, while holding high offices of public trust, have acquired in a manner that is mysterious to the people of the province immense fortunes, for which no adequate account has been given. If Sir Richard and Mr. Bowser are to flutter their wings in the company of political saints they must first be whitewashed in some more skilful fashion than the Journal yesterday accomplished.

PORTABLE WIRELESS AS AID  
IN FOREST FIRE PROTECTION

BY USE OF WIRELESS TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH THE  
CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION HOPES TO MINIMIZE LOSS FROM ANNUAL FIRES.

Although among the many appliances with which inventors have sought to supply the modern need for portable wireless telephone and telegraph communication there are none which meet the requirements of the forest protection organization of the west, yet it is hoped that the day is not far distant when every fire warden wandering in the woods will be able to summon help in fighting fires without delay caused in reaching a telephone line. Meanwhile, however, the manufacturers of electrical appliances have done a great deal to meet the needs of forestry officials. At meetings of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association lumbermen have been particularly interested in the exhibits of these companies. For instance, there are not only the light telephone lines, such as those that the forest branch strings from tree to tree so as to extend telephone communication in a rough and ready manner into the woods, but there are also still lighter wires, four miles of which can be carried on a man's back, which can be used as temporary feeders for the main forest lines. When this field telephone system is installed in any district the efficiency of a fire warden will be increased to a tremendous extent. For instance, suppose he discovers a fire in its earlier stages, instead of going

can rush to the nearest point of one of the forest telephone lines back to the nearest settlement he and taking the portable instrument that he carries with him can connect with the wire and call for aid. Should he need to remain in charge of a fire that is in some portion of his district remote from roads and settlements he can connect one of the very light wires to the main wire and trail it out through the woods for two or three or even four miles, and as long as the weather is dry, so that moisture does not spoil the conductivity of the ground wire, his portable instrument attached to the end of this will enable him to keep in touch with headquarters without leaving the site of the fire. Of course all this installation of field telephone is a very different matter to the building of regular lines such as those established by the telephone companies for the service of the public, and it may be noted also that the forest branch will install its field lines only in isolated timbered districts in which there is no prospect whatever of public telephone lines being constructed, following out the practice already developed so extensively in the American States to the south of this province, where the lumbermen handle the problem of forest fire prevention through the agency of their own voluntary associations. — Port-land Canal Miner.

LIMITS TO FREEDOM OF SPEECH  
IN SESSIONS OF THE REICHSTAG

MEMBERS OF PRUSSIAN DIET ARE CALLED TO ORDER FOR  
REMARKS THAT EVEN FAINTLY SUGGEST THE  
FALIBILITY OF THE KAISER.

The actual power of the Prussian Reichstag is so small that scoffers have been known to refer to it as "a glorified debating society." The limitations upon the freedom of speech of the delegates are, however, so great that it may be doubted whether this term is appropriate. For expressions which would not even excite comment in an American legislature speakers are admonished by the president of the Reichstag, and for expressions slightly more daring there is a formal call to order. The third call to order forfeits to the offender the right to the floor.

Every session of the Reichstag brings amusing examples of this. At a recent session the Social Democrat Peus was speaking. "The Kaiser," he said, "caused to be issued yesterday a decree which is couched in a more moderate tone than was the case in former times." Dr. Kaempf, president of the Reichstag, interrupted him thus:

"I beg you to cease using such expressions. You may not say that the Emperor has become more moderate. That gives occasion for the contrast between moderate and immoderate."

Scheidemann, another Socialist, was speaking of the armament bill. "There is," he said, "no more shameless falsehood than the imputation that the French armament bill was the cause of the German bill being submitted."

"I trust you do not refer to members of this house with your remark about shameless falsehoods," said President Kaempf.

"I had the Spanish parliament in mind when I spoke," said

Scheidemann gravely. A burst of laughter from all parts of the house followed, but Kaempf did not join in it. He listened while Scheidemann finished his speech, and then, a half hour after his former remark, said solemnly:

"You said that you had the Spanish parliament in mind when you spoke of shameless falsehoods. The remark, however, might be construed as referring to the Reichstag. I call you to order."

A former president of the Prussian Diet once called to order a delegate who had asserted that war "is a reproach upon God." Such an expression, said the president, was an insult to Germany's great emperor-warriors, and particularly to William I.

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Time for Filing Referendum Petitions Against Californian Measure Has Expired.

San Francisco, July 25.—The Webb anti-alien land law, passed by the legislature and signed by Governor Johnson more than two months ago, will become effective August 10th, without interference from the electorate of the state through the medium of the referendum. The time for the filing of referendum petitions against the laws passed at the last session expired today, bringing an end to the threats against the Webb act that have filled the political atmosphere since May.

At one time two separate movements to defeat the act were being planned, one by the Democrats, headed by Theodore A. Bell, candidate for governor on the Democratic ticket, and one by the Asiatic Exclusion League, which is affiliated with the State Federation of Labor. The Bell petitions were never prepared, but the exclusion league was on the point of beginning its campaign when the executive committee rescinded its earlier action and voted to take no steps to prevent the bill becoming law.

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## LAND PURCHASE NOTICES.

### Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

Take notice that The Prince Rupert Hydro-Electric Co., Limited, of Prince Rupert, B. C., intends to apply for permission to purchase 40 acres of land near the Skeena River, bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted on the north end of Lake Madeleine near the outlet, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

PRINCE RUPERT HYDRO-ELECTRIC CO., LIMITED.  
Per George H. Kohl, Agent.  
Dated May 16th, 1913.  
Pub. May 26, 1913—July 21, 1913.

### Cassiar Land District—District of Skeena, Range V.

Take notice that Samuel R. Brown, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 2626, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

SAAMUEL R. BROWN JR.  
Dated April 25th, 1913.  
Pub. May 26, 1913—July 21, 1913.

### Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

Quinista, 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 Lot 4125, thence westerly along the shore line 20 chains more or less, thence following the shore line northerly and easterly to northwest 1/4 Lot 4125, thence south 5 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 12 acres more or less.

LOUISE AURIOL.  
Dated May 21st, 1913.  
Pub. May 26, 1913—July 21, 1913.

### Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

Take notice that James Jabour, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described property: Commencing at a post planted about 1/2 mile east of Mile Post 40 on the G. T. P. Railway, east from Prince Rupert, B. C., island in the Skeena River, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

JAMES JABOUR.  
Dated June 18th, 1913.  
Pub. June 23, 1913—Aug. 18, 1913.

### Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

Take notice that I, Lancelot Russel Walrond Beavis, of Victoria, B. C., occupation master mariner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the northeast corner of a bay, a little to the eastward of Skaki Bay, Stephens Island, on the foreshore, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

LANCELOT RUSSEL WALROND BEAVIS.  
Dated July 1st, 1913.  
Pub. July 21, 1913—Sept. 15, 1913.

### Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

Take notice that I, Thomas Pierpont Banks, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation fruit salesman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the northeast corner of a bay, a little to the eastward of Skaki Bay, Stephens Island, on the foreshore, and adjacent to L. R. W. Beavis claim, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

THOMAS PIERPONT BANKS.  
Dated July 1st, 1913.  
Pub. July 21, 1913—Sept. 15, 1913.

### Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

Take notice that Martin Swanson, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation painter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 3072, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence east 40 chains in a southerly direction to the shore, thence easterly around the shore to point of commencement, containing one hundred and twenty acres more or less.

MARTIN SWANSON.  
Dated June 24th, 1913.  
Pub. June 30, 1913—Aug. 25, 1913.

### Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

Take notice that Frank B. St. Amour, of the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, prospector, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Skeena River, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement, containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres more or less.

FRANK B. ST. AMOUR, Locator.  
Dated the 29th day of April, 1913.  
Pub. May 5, 1913—June 30, 1913.

### Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range IV.

Take notice that Guy L. Tooker, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation civil engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at southeast corner of Lot 807, Range 5, Coast District, thence north 40 chains more or less to south boundary of J. A. Kirkpatrick's application to purchase, thence east 40 chains more or less following boundary to northwest corner of Lot 8, thence south 40 chains to southwest corner of Lot 31, thence east 30 chains more or less to high water mark, thence westerly following high water mark to point of commencement, containing 200 acres more or less.

GUY L. TOOKER.  
Dated July 6th, 1913.  
Pub. July 14, 1913—Sept. 8, 1913.

### WATER ACT.

Notice of Application for the Approval of Works, and for Approval of Undertaking by Minister of Lands.

Take notice that the PORT EDWARD TOWNSITE COMPANY, LIMITED, of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, will apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights for the approval of the plans of the works to be constructed for the utilization of the water from Wolf Creek, Skeena District, for which application has been made by the company, and under which application Permit No. 107 has been issued by the Comptroller of Water Rights, granting permission to the said PORT EDWARD TOWNSITE COMPANY, LIMITED, to conduct surveys for construction of the works for diversion of two cubic feet per second from said Wolf Creek for Municipal Purposes.

The plans and particulars required by Section One of Section 70 of the "Water Act" as amended have been filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights at Victoria, and with the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert, B. C.

And take notice that the said PORT EDWARD TOWNSITE COMPANY, LIMITED, also intends to apply under Part Six of the "Water Act" for approval by the Minister of Lands of the undertaking of the company as outlined in the plans and particulars now on file with the Comptroller of Water Rights and with the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert, B. C., in connection with the company's application.

Copies of the application, under Section 69 of the "Water Act" and of the petition for approval of the undertaking by the Minister of Lands as aforesaid, are on file in the office of the Water Recorder at Skeena District at Prince Rupert, B. C., and in the office of the Comptroller of Water Rights at Victoria, B. C.

Objections to the applications may be filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 13th day of June, 1913.

PORT EDWARD TOWNSITE COMPANY, LIMITED.  
By A. W. Agnew, Agent.  
July 14, 1913.

## ALDERMAN BULLOCK-WEBSTER LOOKS UP MINERAL EXHIBITS

PAYS A VISIT TO STEWART TO BOOST UP PRINCE RUPERT'S FALL FAIR—ANNOUNCES SPECIAL STEAMER RATES.

(Portland Canal Miner.)

Alderman L. Bullock-Webster of Prince Rupert, secretary of the Northern British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition, paid a brief visit to Stewart while the Prince George was in port last Thursday, to boost along the proposed fall fair, to be held in the neighboring city on September 24th, 25th and 26th. While here he announced that Percy F. Godenrath, the Stewart representative on the advisory board of the association had been appointed by the directors to handle the publicity end of the fair, to publish the prize list and take charge of the campaign for funds which will be undertaken at Prince Rupert and throughout the district.

"Every indication now points to our holding a most successful fair," said Mr. Webster to The Miner. "Besides the usual display of live stock, poultry, dairy products, flowers, fruits, garden and field crops and grains, there will be a dog show. The initial undertaking includes a most ambitious programme for the three days. There will be water and athletic sports and a log chopping contest at which ex-Champion Murray of Australia will participate. Ten Indian bands will be present in competition, under the direction of J. S. Gray, who has so successfully managed previous similar events.

"We are looking to Stewart to send down a notable display of its mineral wealth, as our directors have been advised by the Stewart Citizens' Association that they intend to make a strong effort to capture the cup for the best district display of ores. In the mineral department we are offering several special prizes," he concluded.

ed that special rates will be allowed by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and his board is working with a view to having the Prince George arrive here a day earlier so that intending visitors Mr. Bullock-Webster announced to the fair will have an opportunity of being present during the length of the exhibition.

Hitts Fireworks Company will, during the three days, put on a notable pyrotechnic display of a most spectacular character every afternoon and evening.

The advisory members of the committee as far as appointed up to the present are as follows:

Masset, Charles Hanson; Lawr Hill, Austin Richardson; Graham Centre, Walter Purkis; Queen Charlotte Island, south, Captain J. B. Gillatt; Delkatlah, Charles M. Wilson; Hazelton, Ed. Hicks-Beach; Stewart, Percy Godenrath; Bella Coola, D. H. Hoage; Terrace, James Turnbull; Kitsumkalum, Mrs. Scott; Lakelse, Robert Corlett; Atlin, David L. Hall.

At the last meeting a letter from Thomas Deasy, the Indian agent at Masset, was read, in which he reported that he was willing to bring his collection of Indian carvings to the fair provided there was a case provided in which they could be secured. They were liable to be broken otherwise. It was decided to provide a glass fronted case for the exhibit.

The question of the accommodation of the Indians that are expected to be there was considered at some length. It was suggested that it might be better to see if some suitable site for the arranging of an Indian encampment for the week might not be provided, so that they could be together and be provided with suitable accommodation.

## HAZELTON TOWNSITE FIGHT IS NOW AT LAST CONCLUDED

OLD AND SOUTH HAZELTON MOVE TO NEW HAZELTON—THERE WILL BE ONLY THE ONE CITY REMAINING IN THE WHOLE VALLEY

After almost two years dispute, the great townsite fight which has been going on between South and New Hazelton has at last been amicably settled, and Mr. Saunders, on behalf of the owners of South Hazelton has agreed to join forces with Mr. Robert Kelly in advancing the interests of New Hazelton. Negotiations for this agreement have been finally decided.

In order to protect those who have already purchased property in South Hazelton, provision has been made whereby they will

be transferred to good locations in New Hazelton, and also arrangements have been made for the transfer of merchants and business men on fair and equitable terms. In order to allow of this change in property, the lots which are at present unsold in New Hazelton will be withdrawn from the market until August 1, when it is expected that all the transfers will have been made.

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Railway Commission on more than one occasion. Now that it is settled and arrangements made for the transfer of those holding property in South Hazelton, the residents of the town of Old Hazelton will move to New Hazelton, and all the business now done there will be transferred to the new town. The old town is situated about four miles away from the new one, on the other side of the Bulkley river, and at present the rate of carrying merchandise from New Hazelton is \$10 per ton. This heavy rate for cartage makes it almost impossible for the merchants of Old Hazelton to compete with those of the new town.

Red Reef.—H. E. Newton, of Victoria, the owner of the property across from the townsite, on which a tunnel contract is nearing completion spent the past week in town.

Indian Mines.—Work is being continued with splendid results in opening up the ore-shoot in the main tunnel. The solid galena ore is being maintained.

Montana Group.—The leasers are continuing to sack high grade ore and are making ready for a good shipment.

Red Top.—Ben Erickson and his partner John McNeill are at the group doing the annual assessment work.—Portland Canal Miner.

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FREDERICK GEORGE DAWSON, Assignee.

### LAND LEASE NOTICES.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range V.

Take notice that I, Hume Babington, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation master mariner, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of H. B. Babington's lease application on a small island in the Skeena River opposite Mile 43, thence southwesterly along shore 40 chains to southwest point of island, thence northwesterly along shore 40 chains to H. B. Babington's southwest corner, thence north about 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 109 acres more or less.

H. B. BABINGTON.  
(Name of Locator.)  
Dated June 11th, 1913.  
Pub. July 7, 1913—Sept. 2, 1913.

### COAL NOTICES.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that I, Luigi Astori, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and oil over the following described lands on the west coast of Graham Island: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Coal License 8296, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

LUIGI ASTORI.  
Filippo Panvini, Agent.  
Located May 14th, 1913.  
Pub. July 7, 1913—Aug. 4, 1913.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that I, W. E. Williams, barrister at law, of the City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal, oil and petroleum over the following described lands on the west coast of Graham Island: Commencing from the post planted one mile south from the southeast corner of Coal License 7432, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to place of the beginning, containing 640 acres.

W. E. WILLIAMS.  
Filippo Panvini, Agent.  
Located May 11th, 1913.  
Pub. July 7, 1913—Aug. 4, 1913.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that I, Antonio Christiano, contractor, of the City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and oil over the following described lands on the west coast of Graham Island: Commencing at a post planted one mile south from the southeast corner of Coal License 7432, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres.

ANTONIO CHRISTIANO.  
Filippo Panvini, Agent.  
Located May 11th, 1913.  
Pub. July 7, 1913—Aug. 4, 1913.

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FREDERICK GEORGE DAWSON, Assignee.

### NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

The Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, and Amending Acts.

Notice is hereby given that William Hyde, carrying on business as a merchant at Third Avenue, Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, has by deed dated the 5th day of July, A. D. 1913, assigned all his credits and effects, which may be seized and sold under execution, and all his real estate to Frederick George Dawson, of the said City of Prince Rupert, merchant, for the purpose of satisfying rateably and proportionately and without preference or priority all his creditors; And notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said William Hyde will be held at the office of Williams & Maunson, barristers, Holgerston Block, Prince Rupert, B. C., on Thursday, the 17th day of July, A. D. 1913, at the hour of 2:15 o'clock in the afternoon; And notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the said William Hyde are required to forward particulars of same duly verified by statutory declaration, to the said Frederick George Dawson, addressed to him at the said City of Prince Rupert, on or before the 30th day of July, A. D. 1913, and that all persons indebted to the said William Hyde are required to pay the amount due by them to the said Frederick George Dawson forthwith; And notice is hereby given that after the said 30th day of July, A. D. 1913, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among those parties who are entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims duly verified, of which he shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims he has not received notice. Dated this 8th day of July, A. D. 1913.

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The music was excellent. At both morning and evening services the choir was under the direction of Mr. J. E. Davey. Miss Froude, A. L. C. M., of the Presbyterian Church, presided at the organ. In the evening the choir rendered a cantata, "The Rolling Seasons," by Caleb Simper. The soloists were Mrs. Jarvis McLeod, Mrs. C. H. Munro, Messrs. Derry, Clapperton, Davis and Davey. The other members of the choir were Mrs. Hampton, Miss Macleod, Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. Hamblin, Miss Wark, Messrs. W. Barker, Walford, A. Bain and R. McIntosh.

A fraternal platform meeting will be held in the church at 8 o'clock this evening. Rev. Mr. McLeod presiding. The address of the evening will be given by Rev. W. J. Scott, the new pastor pro tem. Addresses of greeting will be delivered by Rev. H. G. Estabrook, representing the Baptists of British Columbia; by Bishop Du Vernet and Rev. E. C. Burch, representing St. Andrew's Anglican Church; by Rev. F. W. Kerr, representing the Presbyterian Church; by Rev. J. F. Dimmick, representing the Methodist Church, and by Captain Eva Stride, representing the Salvation Army. Solos, duets and other special music will be rendered during the evening.

Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock a reception and social evening will be given by the ladies of the church and the Baptist Brotherhood. There will be a formal opening of the social rooms and a farewell to Rev. and Mrs. McLeod. The evening will be enlivened by games and special music by a quartette, and refreshments will be served.

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### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

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Sealed tenders will be received by Messrs. Ritchie, Agency & Co. at their office, McBride Street, Prince Rupert, up to noon, Wednesday, July 30, 1913, for the construction of the following works at Port Edward:

One crib dam; approximately 10,440 lineal feet of trenches; delivery of approximately 10,440 lineal feet of wood stave pipe from the company's wharf or scow to the trenches; backfilling the above trenches; and the clearing of approximately four acres. Tenders are to be a lump sum for the entire work. Information for bidders, form of plans and specifications may be seen at the above office. 165-76

### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that meetings of the Provincial Agricultural Commission will be held at the following places:

Terrace, August 9th, 2:30 p. m.;  
Prince Rupert, August 11th and 12th, 10 a. m.;  
Hazelton, August 13th, 7:30 p. m.;  
Aldermere, August 15th, 10 a. m.

The commission will hear evidence on all matters affecting agricultural conditions in the province.

All persons interested are requested to be present.

W. H. HAYWARD, M. L. A.,

Chairman,

C. B. CHRISTENSEN,

Secretary. 169-92

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPROVAL OF PLANS AND OF PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF UNDERTAKING.

Take notice that the PRINCE RUPERT HYDRO-ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, of Montreal, Quebec, will apply to the Controller of Water Rights for the approval of the plans of the works to be constructed for the utilization of the water from Falls River and Khada River, which the applicant is by water records numbers 21, 27, 36 and 50 authorized to take, store and use for power purposes and in respect to which further applications for 508 cubic feet per second from Falls River and 266 cubic feet per second from Khada River are now pending. The power plants to be situated on Lots 635 and 695, respectively.

Petition for approval of the undertaking will also be made to the Honorable the Minister of Lands under Part 6 of the Water Act.

The plans and particulars required by subsection 70 of Section 70 of the Water Act, as amended, and the petition, plans and exhibits for the approval of undertaking as required by Section 89 and Part 6 have been filed with the Controller of Water Rights and with the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert.

Objections to the application may be filed with the Controller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., this 21st day of July, A. D. 1913.

THE PRINCE RUPERT HYDRO-ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

Wkly 128-418

Take notice that I, Charles H. Flood, occupation free miner, intend to apply to the Hon. Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of A. P. L. reading Lot and Post 2232-3535, thence in a northerly direction along the shore of Hastings Arm 80 chains more or less to the T. C. P. Indian reservation No. 26, thence in a westerly direction 40 chains, thence in a southerly direction 80 chains, thence in a westerly direction 20 chains, thence in a northerly direction 20 chains, thence in a southerly direction 40 chains, thence in a westerly direction 160 acres more or less. CHARLES H. FLOOD.

Dated June 27th, 1913.

Pub. July 28, 1913—Sept. 22, 1913.

Take notice that I, William Macy, of Anyox, B. C., occupation caterer, intend to apply to the Hon. Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the southeast corner of S. T. L. Lot and Post 35280-9530, thence southerly 20 chains along the shore of Goose Bay to S. T. L. Lot and Post reading 35280-9529, thence in a westerly direction 20 chains, thence in a northerly direction 20 chains, thence in a southerly direction 40 chains, thence in a westerly direction 160 acres more or less. WILLIAM MACY.

Dated June 27th, 1913.

Pub. July 28, 1913—Sept. 22, 1913.

The steamer City of Seattle is expected to arrive here from the south at 8 o'clock this evening.

### EVIDENCE OF WORKERS GIVEN BEFORE COMMISSION

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topics affecting the worker were expressed by William Denning, the representative of the longshoremen. The Workmen's Compensation Act, the Election Act, the immigration question were all discussed by him.

He thought the Workmen's Compensation Act was not adequate. The \$50 and \$100 allowed for certain accidents was not sufficient. The act was not specific enough in detail either. If it came to a test a longshoreman hurt while on a ship would not get his compensation. He complained of the fee allowed the arbitrator. He said he thought the county court judge might sit as arbitrator in an ordinary case.

Another defect in the act was that it did not cover diseases such as went with various callings. He was in favor of the state handling the insurance end of it.

In reply to Mr. Harper, the witness said he was not in favor of the men paying any part of the insurance. It should be paid by the industry, as it would make the employer more anxious to provide protection. He approved of the Washington Compensation Act, only he would make the compensation higher.

The Election Act was unfair in that it fixed an amount to be put in. Instead of putting up \$100 the candidate should get a petition with 100 names. Three months' residence in an electoral district was objected to. He did not believe in a property qualification either.

### Immigration.

Canada was suffering from a deluge of European immigration, brought out under false representations. He objected to such men as Collingwood Schreiber saying men were wanted for the Grand Trunk Pacific. He was opposed to all Oriental immigration. The government should take over employment agencies. It might be better out of politics, too, and put in the civil service. He objected to the time check system. Men should be paid weekly and in legal tender.

An objection was made by Mr. Denning to the way Granby was being run. The company there owned all the land and no one could build a store or anything else without its permission. It would not allow an organizer to land there, which was a violation of all the principles of freedom.

### Afternoon Session.

Evidence was given in the afternoon by ex-Alderman Montgomery, Alderman Thomas Maitland and W. Sherman.

Mr. Montgomery said that he was working for 45 cents an hour on the government excavation, earning this month \$3 a day. It was possible to live on this. He thought a man could not do justice to himself and his work if he worked more than eight hours a day. As to the cost of living, when wages went up 10 per cent, the cost of living went up 15 or 20 per cent. Under present conditions a married man needed \$100 a month. A single man had little left on \$65 a month. He thought 23 or 24 days was an average number on which one could work here. The rate of pay should be \$5 per day.

### Alderman Maitland.

Alderman Maitland was next called. He said that when wages were 37 1/2 cents it was impossible to make a living. At 45 cents he thought that city men could not make more than \$60 or \$65 a month. It cost him about \$32 a month to maintain himself and his wife. He believed that with a family a man should be paid \$4 a day at the least. He believed that the men for the city averaged about 19 days a month. He was in favor of a universal eight hour day.

He never found that men preferred to work more than eight hours. There was a class that could not talk English. They had to take what they got. In the mines it was proved that a man did as much in eight hours as in longer. An eight hour day would be more satisfactory.

### Against Storekeepers.

W. Sherman endorsed the statement that \$100 a month was none too much on which to keep a family. One ton of coal at \$11, \$9 for shoes, \$20 a month rent, groceries \$40 a month, meat \$15, clothing \$10, total \$105. On the score of meat, he had cut all the

bone out of a piece costing \$1.50; there were only 2 1/2 pounds left.

The men who were willing to work more than eight hours a day were foreigners who were getting money to go back and spend it in a foreign land.

Asked by the chairman if \$100 a month were paid if the troubles would be settled, witness said that the difficulty was that when wages went up the cost of supplies went up. The only way would be for the government to control it. In reply to further questions from the chairman witness said he thought it was the storekeepers who put up the price. The storekeeper was the bad man.

This last statement caused considerable amusement, as Mr. Parsons, the chairman of the Commission is himself a storekeeper. When informed of this, witness replied "You may learn a lesson. This may make you an honest man!"

Ex. Ald. Montgomery returned. He quoted the prices of supplies. He also referred to the Compensation Act as almost useless, while he liked the Washington Act. He favored more government assistance to farmers as being the backbone of the nation. Instead of spending \$35,000,000 for a navy a bank for the assistance of farmers should be operated by the government.

### TERRACE NEWS.

Terrace, July 26.—Among today's arrivals were Mr. S. Eby and Dr. Traynor, both of whom have been away on business.

Mr. Bohler reports a splendid growth of garden vegetables on his ranch. He is obtaining ready sales both locally and outside.

Dull weather and the probability of rain reduces somewhat the danger from several points in the vicinity where timber is being burned.

Mr. Franks has an excellent showing of cherries and other small fruit.

Two more new buildings started this week. This quiet but steady growth bodes well for the future.

Among visitors to Terrace this week were Rt. Rev. Bishop Du Vernet, D. D., and Principal Vance of Latimer Hall, Vancouver.

Messrs. A. McDougall and J. Manson were also among arrivals on Wednesday's train.

Mr. Young's land is showing evidences of hard work. His house is almost ready for occupancy.

Weather has been fine all week and farm prospects are excellent.

Mr. K. L. Rauk of Hazelton came down to look over his land interests at Kitselas. He reports splendid soil and prospects.

### LIBERAL ORGANIZER WELL RECEIVED AT TERRACE

Terrace, July 27.—Under the auspices of the Terrace Liberal Association, Mr. Baer, the Liberal organizer for British Columbia, addressed a large and representative meeting of the citizens here last night. He spoke at some length on the naval question and also the land policy of the B. C. government, and made a very favorable impression upon his audience. He was vociferously cheered at the end of the meeting.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

J. Sidney Smith, of the Atlin Fisheries, Ltd., left this morning for Victoria.

Andrew D. Tyson, inspector of Indian agencies, left for the south this morning on the steamer Prince Rupert.

Bob Switzer, representing Pither & Leiser of Victoria, returned last night from a week's trip to Hazelton and the Bulkley Valley.

Charles Haynes, who has been conducting Martin O'Reilly's sale for some weeks, left on the Prince Rupert this morning en route to his home at Spokane.

The Misses Jackson of Winnipeg, weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McClymont, left for the south on the steamer Prince Rupert this morning.

When the late local manager of the Bank of Commerce and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Christie, left by the steamer Prince Rupert this morning they were bade farewell by a large crowd of their friends, who had congregated at the wharf to see the moff.



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